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Divided board OKs school cuts



A deeply divided school board approved deep budget spending cuts. During the debate, the superintendent urged employee unions to follow his lead and waive a pay raise. There will be 245 positions cut, or 10 percent of the workforce.

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

A sharply divided Wayne-Westland school board slashed \$12 million from its \$86-million budget Monday, committing what the board president called "educational homicide."

In a 4-3 vote, a reluctant school board wielded a deadly budget ax that killed many educational programs

and wounded others. A crowd of 225 parents and district employees voiced anger, despair — and even hope — during an emotionally charged meeting at the Dyer Center on Marquette.

The massive budget cuts — revised slightly since a special board session Saturday — will touch every child in the 16,500-student district, which has

been on a financial roller coaster for years.

"I think this stinks," Superintendent Larry Thomas said, though he was forced to recommend cuts to comply with a state law that requires a balanced budget.

Some 245 district employees, including at least 100 teachers, will be laid off as programs such as music, art, athletics and alternative education are dropped. That marks a 10-percent workforce reduction.

On Tuesday, Thomas sent letters to district union leaders, asking them to join him in accepting wage conces-

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sions that — if approved — would allow some programs to be restored. The depth of possible pay cuts would have to be negotiated.

"I invite all unions to follow me," Thomas declared during Monday's session.

The following day, a leader of the Wayne-Westland Education Association, which represents 1,000 teachers, declined to comment. Robert Kowalczyk, the union's executive di-

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A tree grows at Patchin

Patchin Elementary School fourth graders planted a tree in the school's front lawn last week as part of its Earth Day observance.

The saucer magnolia tree was donated by the nearby Meijer store, represented by systems manager Jennifer Nance.

Taking part in the ceremony were students of teacher Barbara Dankert and principal Donald Massey.

The tree donation represents an ongoing school-business partnership between Patchin and Meijer, on the southeast corner of Newburgh and Warren Road, just north of the school.

Massey said the partnership, started shortly after the store opened three years ago, has included tours, concerts by the Patchin choir, band and string ensembles and Halloween parades.

Massey said the new tree is located near the site where the hoped-for Michigan State Historical Society plaque will be placed. The school applied for the historical marker last summer, based on a school building on the site for more than 150 years. The existing school was built in the mid-1960s.



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Patchin planting: Nicole Simonian, (second from right), Patchin School fourth grader, joins with teacher Barbara Dankert (right), Meijer Store's Jennifer Nance (second from left) and principal Donald Massey at the Earth Day tree planting ceremony.

Bandit picks up \$870 in pizzeria robbery

BY DARRELL CLEM
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A masked bandit threatened to shoot a Westland pizzeria worker Saturday night during a holdup at Cottage Inn Pizza, in a strip mall on the northwest corner of Wayne Road and Hunter.

No shots were fired as the male intruder escaped with \$870 during the 9:27 p.m. incident. It marked the city's third pizzeria robbery — one involving a shooting — in the past month.

The latest robbery remains under investigation. It is not believed to be connected with any of the earlier holdups, said Westland detective Sgt. Donald Haigh.

The incident occurred when a man

wearing a black ski mask came in the front door, walked around the counter and held "a hard object" against the side of a 20-year-old male worker, according to police reports.

The worker, saying he believed the object was a handgun, reported that the bandit warned him, "Give me the money out of the drawer or I'll shoot you."

The robber, who carried a white gym bag to conceal the cash, also demanded money kept in another area of the store, escaping with a total of \$870, police reports said.

At one point, the intruder shoved the employee, who fell but was not seriously injured. The bandit then fled the building.

The incident marked the third Westland pizzeria robbery since March 28. On that date, a lone gunman shot and wounded a worker at Domino's on Wayne Road, near Hunter, but escaped with no money.

On April 15, a lone gunman robbed the Hungry Howie's pizzeria on Ann Arbor Trail, near Merriman, after slipping through a rear door that a worker left open for ventilation.

In what may have been another robbery attempt, a delivery driver for Toarmina's Pizza told police he was en route to a residence on Delton Court, near Palmer Road and Wildwood, when four white males in another car began following him Friday night.

The driver, a 19-year-old Garden City man, tried unsuccessfully to elude the other car by driving around in the Norwayne neighborhood, but he finally stopped his car and got out. The four males followed suit.

One of the men led the way as the four walked toward the delivery driver, who told police he overheard one of the males utter the word "money" during the 10:10 p.m. incident.

The delivery driver and one of the men engaged in a scuffle, with the man being knocked to the ground, police reports said. The Toarmina's driver then fled in his car before the other three men could reach him.

The employee reported that he did not see a weapon during the incident.

Livonia to approach election with 2 school budgets

BY MARIE CHESTNEY
STAFF WRITER

Livonia Public Schools, which serves northern Westland, will go into the June 2 school finance reform election with two budgets in hand.

One budget will show what cuts the district will face if Proposal A fails. The second will show what cuts the

district will face if Proposal A passes.

Trying to do anything more specific than that before the election would be an "exercise in futility," Superintendent Joseph Marinelli told the school board Monday during finance committee deliberations on next year's budget.

"If it passes, the cuts will be less,"

Marinelli said. "If it fails, we'll have a new set of circumstances."

While the successful passage of the school finance reform plan would mean fewer cuts for the district, Marinelli stopped short of endorsing the proposal.

"There's a lot of uncertainties that have the district on the fence," Mari-

nelly said. "It's an ambivalent situation. As time goes by, we should get more clarity."

In essence, all Michigan school districts right now are in a type of financial limbo as they put together budgets that won't be resolved until the

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Mother honored

Mary Ann Clos of Westland has been named 1993 Mother of the Year by Right-to-Life-Lifespan and will be honored at a Mother's Day dinner planned by the organization Tuesday, May 4. Mrs. Clos is the mother of nine and grandmother of one and active in the Right to Life Committee at St. Mary Church, Wayne. She also works with Lifespan's Wee Care program, sorting clothing and making up layettes for newborns. She is also district chair for the American Cancer Society's annual drive. At the dinner, Mrs. Clos will receive a \$100 gift certificate, plaque and roses.

Crafters wanted

Exhibitors and crafters still have time to take

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part in the fifth annual juried art show and country fair, to be held Sunday, June 6, at the Nankin Mill, on Ann Arbor Trail east of Farmington Road. There will be a juried art show and fair noon to 5 p.m., followed by a country and western concert at 6 p.m. The events are sponsored by the Friends of the Mill. Interested persons may contact Kathy Myers, 421-7213, or Joseph Benyo, 467-3183.

Easter egg display

A Westland woman will display her stained glass Ukrainian Easter eggs at the Michigan Egg Art Show Saturday and Sunday in the Dearborn

Civic Center. Amoura Lee Sznoluch has been decorating Easter eggs for 3 1/2 years. Last year, she won first place and best-of-show honors at the State Fair for her stained glass ostrich egg. That egg has 380 Austrian crystals on it. Mrs. Sznoluch said her husband has relatives in the Ukraine section of Russia and "thought it would be nice to teach our son a little about his heritage and to keep the tradition of painting eggs going in our family."

Chipping starts

The city of Westland last week initiated its annual tree branch chipping service. Residents who want to utilize the service may call the city's public services department, 728-1770. Branches will be disposed of on the day following a resident's scheduled trash collection day.

SCHOOL FINANCE

Busing for elementary students spared ax

BY DARRELL CLEM
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Busing for Wayne-Westland elementary students was spared Monday night as the school board, in a 4-3 vote, ushered in budget cuts of \$12 million.

Despite 11th-hour pleas from some parents and educators, the board voted to implement massive budget cuts next school year that will destroy many educational programs and cripple others.

Kelly Chorbagan, a Wayne Memorial High School junior, said the cuts will deny her the opportunity to be yearbook editor and drum major for her school's marching band.

"The people of this community have denied me and thousands more of these opportunities," she said Monday, referring to voters' rejection of two tax proposals in a

special April 5 election.

Music directors from Wayne Memorial and John Glenn High School sent a strong message that students need the arts for emotional growth.

"The arts have taken it on the chin long enough," John Glenn director Scott Kramer told the board.

Here are highlights of the budget cuts:

- Busing will be eliminated for junior high and high school students, saving \$1 million. It will, however, be provided for elementary pupils, special education students and Wayne Memorial students who attend classes at the William Ford Vocational-Technical Center.

- All sports and extracurricular activities will be eliminated. Su-

perintendent Larry Thomas refused to recommend a "pay-to-play" plan that he said would discriminate against those who couldn't afford it.

- The Cherry Hill Alternative Center will be closed and unruly students will be returned to John Glenn and Wayne Memorial highs. The special education programs at the Wilson and Tinkham centers also would be closed and with the space they now occupy hopefully leased to generate income.

- An in-house suspension program will continue at all secondary schools. It earlier had been targeted for shutdown.

- Elementary expressive arts will be eliminated.

- Some 245 district employees will be laid off while others will be

asked by Thomas to accept wage concessions.

- Per-pupil spending for building supplies would be cut by \$15 a student, resulting in per-student spending levels of \$20 at the elementary and \$30 at the secondary schools.

- All library restoration projects would be halted.

- Many learning consultants, library employees and other support staff would be laid off.

- The Ford Center will lose some teachers, counselors, teaching assistants and commons supervisors, in addition to classroom supplies.

- Special education staff could be asked to accept a heavier caseload, if a state waiver is granted.

- Senior citizens and adult education programs will be eliminated, though adult education could

be restored if it can be completely state-funded.

- Ten to 12 administrative positions will be eliminated, saving \$520,000, Thomas said. No central office posts will be cut. Some elementary principals could be placed in charge of two schools — those with low enrollment.

- Several department heads will be eliminated.

- Textbook purchases will be stopped, along with certain programs such as bilingual education.

- All buildings will be closed at 4 p.m. to save on overhead costs.

- Classes with fewer than 15 students could require the approval of Thomas' cabinet. Officials plan to negotiate with the teachers' union amid hopes of increasing class sizes.

On Monday, board trustee Lau-

rel Raisanen noted that some 80 classes — many electives — have fewer than 21 students.

During citizen comments Monday, custodian Carol Gillentine urged Thomas to give up a \$9,600 raise that he is due on July 1. Thomas is earning \$111,136 in salary and benefits.

Gillentine also urged a residency requirement for administrators such as Thomas, who lives in the Westland portion of the Livonia school district.

"I believe that when they make that kind of money, they should help carry our tax burden," she said.

Bus driver Denise Thomas indicated she wouldn't agree to a pay cut until Thomas rolls back his salary. "Until then, do not ask me," she told him.

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rector, said he couldn't discuss a proposal that he has not yet seen in writing.

Concessions backed

Some parents and school board members indicated strong support Monday for wage concessions. Roberta Paquette, a candidate in the June 14 board race, suggested cuts of 20 percent.

Vicki Welty, board vice president, said the district could save \$2.5 million if teachers give up a 5-percent raise that goes into effect July 1.

"Unless we all work together — students, teachers, administrators, bus drivers, food service workers, all of us — we will not succeed," she said.

Many district residents suggested pay cuts during public hearings last week. But Leonard Posey, the board president, defended teachers Monday.

"I'm tired of hearing the attacks on teachers," he said.

Posey, joined by trustees Fred Warmbier and Francis "Bud" Winter, voted against the \$12-million budget-reduction plan. But the majority vote to approve the cuts came from board members Welty, Laurel Raisanen, Richard LeBlanc and Sharon Felan.

Despite Monday's cuts, the board still has to find \$2 million more in savings to avert a \$14-

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Vicki Welty
board vice president

million deficit. Officials hope to save \$1 million of that by reducing spending this school year; another \$1 million remains to be cut.

The latest budget crisis hit hard when voters rejected two tax proposals in a special April 5 election.

"This community has abandoned this school district," Posey told the crowd Monday, adding later, "I'm tired of exposing your kids and my kids to what I call educational homicide."

Posey suggested following the lead of the Kalkaska district in northwestern Michigan, and closing early next year, instead of making program cuts. But the Thomas administration had warned that Wayne-Westland, an in-formula district, stood to lose much more state money than Kalkaska, an out-of-formula district.

"If that means we only have school for a month and we have to shut this sucker down, then let's do it," Posey said.

Winter dissents

Winter, in opposing the planned cuts, said school officials erred by failing to warn voters of specific budget cuts before the April 5 election. Some trustees had said they didn't want to threaten voters.

"I call that planning. I don't call it threatening," Winter said.

Warmbier, in voting against the cuts, cited concerns about past salary increases awarded to teachers. He has repeatedly blamed what he considers a greedy teachers' union for the district's money problems.

Board members have held out hope that district programs could be saved if a state proposal to cut property taxes and increase the sales tax is approved in a special June 2 election. Thomas indicated he wouldn't recommend another local tax election until August, pending the outcome of the state proposal.

State ballot's Proposal A sparks heated local debate

BY DARRELL CLEM
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A heated debate has emerged in the Wayne-Westland school district over a statewide June 2 ballot proposal that would cut property taxes and increase the state sales tax.

State Rep. Justine Barns, D-Westland, voted against Gov. John Engler's Proposal A when it came before the state House, and she reiterated her "deep con-

cerns" Monday in a lengthy address to the Wayne-Westland school board.

She estimated the tax shift would give business a \$182 million tax cut while increasing the burden on taxpaying consumers by \$352 million.

"That is simply not fair to our citizens, particularly our senior citizens and renters, who will receive only minimal property tax relief, if any, but will still have to

pay a higher sales tax," Barns told the school board.

The proposal also would shift responsibility for paying Social Security and retirement to local school districts, creating "severe financial hardships that could drastically impact their ability to maintain current educational programs," she said.

Barns was challenged by some

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Security firm to guard schools

BY DARRELL CLEM
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Worries about student violence and weapons in schools have prompted Wayne-Westland officials to hire a security firm to place guards in eight buildings.

Despite major budget cuts in educational programs, the board voted 6-1 Monday to hire Merchants Detective Agency & Secur-

ity Service Inc. to make all secondary schools safer for students and employees.

The controversial decision comes after the district has witnessed an increase in violence and weapons in schools. In the most recent incident, three Marshall Junior High students were expelled in early April for the alleged sale of a .22-caliber semiau-

tomatic handgun and 24 rounds of ammunition.

"I believe we're kidding ourselves if we believe that gangs and other activities won't be in our schools — if they're not already there," board member Laurel Raisanen said Monday in support of the security plan.

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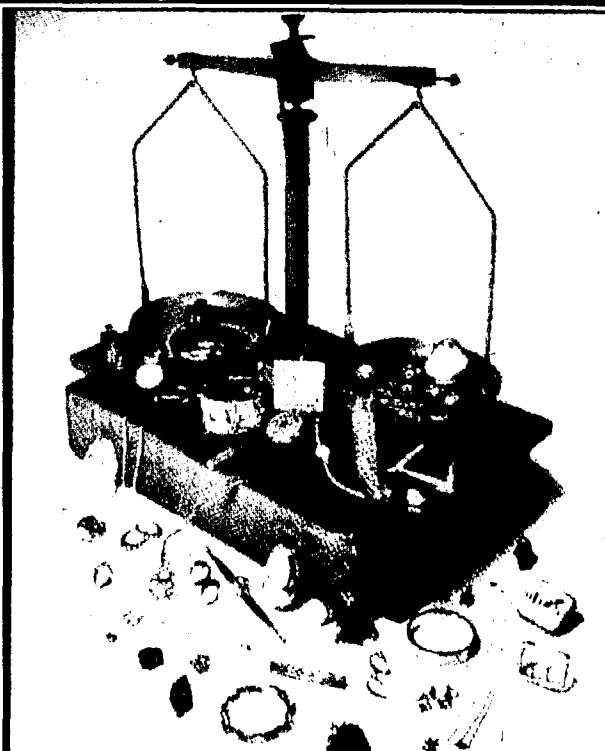
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Who's minding the children? These people

BY BARBARA WILSON
STAFF WRITER

The term "baby sitter" doesn't begin to describe the work of those individuals who care for the thousands of children whose parents work outside the home.

Caregivers are teachers, nutritionists, nurses, psychologists, playmates and much more to the young children of the world. Whether they work in day care centers or in day care homes, they play a vital role in the development of young children.

"We aren't paid as much as lawyers, but maybe we should be," said Jean Shaughnessy, director of the infant and toddler day care center at Schoolcraft College's Radcliff Center in Garden City. "We care for the future and hopefully we will instill in them the values that will bring us peace in the world."

In Michigan, at least 352,000 children under the age of 12 are in need of child care. Only 40 percent of them are in regulated child care, according to statistics from the Michigan Department of Social Services.

"There is a real need out there for committed people to care for young children," said Angie Karafa, who teaches a pre-kindergarten class at The Learning Tree Child Center in Livonia. "It's a very rewarding career where you can see the results of your work as the children grow up."

State regulation

The state regulates all center day cares and those in-home day cares that are licensed. The Child Care Coordinating Council of Detroit-Wayne County Inc. reports that there are 1,062 licensed day care homes in Wayne County.

The coordinating council provides valuable referrals and information about home-based day care facilities, while the department of social services will provide parents with reports on day care centers.

It is appropriate that parents should seek out well-educated (either through the classroom or experience, or both) caregivers for

their children. Some studies suggest that people spend more time selecting a new car than they do selecting a day care facility for their children.

"We spend almost as much time with the children as their parents do in many cases, so it is important that we are knowledgeable about children and their developmental needs," said Norma LaVallee, the owner of an in-home day care center in Plymouth.

Types of care

LaVallee is licensed to care for 12 children in her home and she has an assistant at all times. Like many mothers who offer day care services in their home, LaVallee started her business because she could not find quality day care for her own three children.

"I'm sure there was good care out there, but I didn't know how to find it," she said.

Now, LaVallee said she prefers caring for the children over her old job as a sales representative for an air freight company.

"I've learned that understanding children and what they do is truly understanding adult behavior," she said. "They are always teaching me something new."

Most day care center teachers have degrees in child development or elementary education and they have assistants who may be studying child development.

Those choosing to make child care their life's work do so for various reasons, the most basic being respect for children.

Choosing kids

"I love it more than anything," said Kathy Haycock, a Livonia resident and teacher at Eittle Tots Day Care in Livonia. "Children are so honest and so accepting. They teach me to accept things for the way they are."

When Haycock welcomed a Romanian child into her classroom she was both nervous and excited. The little girl spoke little English and was shy at first, but now she has made a place for herself.

"This little girl has been



JIM JAGDFELD/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Caregiver: Lisa Stricker of Livonia, encourages Jonathan Calvin to join other children on a rug seated in front of her for storytime. Stricker is a head teacher in a class called Barely Threes at the Learning Tree Child Care Center in Livonia. The class is made up of youngsters 2½ to 3½ years old. Stricker holds a bachelor's degree in elementary education from Central Michigan University.

through more in her three years than I have in my lifetime," Haycock said. "It is so exciting to see her doing so well now."

Anne Szymanski of Livonia grew up as part of a large family and has always known she would work with children some day. Now, she studies elementary education and works at the Discovery Learning Center in Plymouth Township.

"Everything is so new to these kids," she said. "They ask such great questions, and I like to provide them with the answers."

Alice Vargas, also a teacher at

the Discovery Center, said she tried to move into business administration classes in school, but missed the children too much and returned to her position at the day care.

"The parents are working hard for their children and I like being there to provide their children with quality day care when they cannot," Vargas said. "They learn a new word or do something new and we are all so excited to share that with their parents."

Most day care providers are pleased to give parents a log of their child's activities during the

day. Communication is considered key for a good relationship with the family.

"We want the families to be involved in the day care and think of this as part of their family," Shaughnessy said. "Unfortunately some of the families don't have that much respect for us."

The Discovery Learning Center is located in an industrial park off Sheldon Road and I-275 and is very accessible for workers there. Center director Pat Troy said many of the parents join their children for lunch or just stop in during the day. This is something

Troy and her staff encourage.

The daily care of children was once considered the same as work as a maid or janitor, but families are now beginning to understand that child care is challenging, demanding work that impacts on people.

"I feel like I have an important role in the future by helping these children grow," said Heather Harwood, a Canton Township student who works at the Schoolcraft College day care. "These children pick up on everything and we play a part in that. What could be more important?"



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Storytime: Tracey Speelman, a caregiver at the Schoolcraft College Radcliff Center, reads to Alivia Pope, 2, and Christopher Chichester, 2½.



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Lots of hugs: Jean Shaughnessy, director of day care at Schoolcraft College Radcliff Center, comforts Katie Glynn, 1.

Special projects mark month of young child

Michigan is the only state in the country to dedicate the entire month of April for the advocacy of young children.

Nationally, the Week of the Young Child is celebrated the first week of the month, but several years ago Michigan extended the celebration to the entire month.

"A week is not enough time to advocate for young children in this country," said Angie Karafa, a teacher at The Learning Tree Child Care Center in Livonia. "Having activities throughout the month gives us more time to think about all aspects of young children."

The celebration was coordinated by the Michigan Association for the Education of Young Children. Each week was focused on a specific topic such as corporate

and community support for young children, child care and development, parents and families and physical and mental health of children.

Last week, parents were asked to take time out and show their appreciation to their child care provider and support "appropriate wages" for this group of caregivers.

On Wednesday, April 28, many area youngsters headed to Lansing for "Kids on the Capitol" for activities and lunch with Gov. John Engler and legislators.

Locally, residents were asked to wear purple ribbons in honor of the month and participate in special events planned in your community.

"It is so critical that we take time out to think about what we are doing to our children," said

Judy Preston, owner of Little Tots. "Here, we tell children that they are more important than anything. They deserve our attention."

Youngsters at The Learning Tree in Livonia and their families have been putting together care packages for homeless children in honor of the Month of the Young Child. Children at the Schoolcraft College Day Care hosted a multicultural family dinner.

Discovery Center students participated in Kites and Family Fun last Saturday in Plymouth Township Park.

It is encouraged that all parents with children in day care take time out to thank their caregiver with flowers, a card, or just a kind word.

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election on June 2. If Michigan voters approve the reform package, the Livonia district's cuts will be substantially less than the \$12 million recently unveiled by department heads, Marinelli said. The \$12 million in cuts includes the layoffs of 250 employees, said personnel director John Rennels.

The reform plan asks Michigan residents to swap a higher sales tax for lower property taxes. If voters state-wide reject the reform package, district residents might face a millage request later this summer to restore all or a portion of the \$12 million proposed cuts.

The district will air its new budget at a May 5 public hearing. Department heads Monday outlined each cut proposed and the order the cuts would be reinstated

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Joseph Marinelli
superintendent

if the money materialized. Proposed cuts range from the elimination of six elementary counseling specialists to the elimination of the 6th hour for middle and high school students to the total elimination of high school athletics.

Proposal A would roll back local property tax rates for school operations from its present 31.46 mills in Livonia to 25.65 mills.

The plan limits annual growth in property assessments on which

taxes are levied to inflation or 5 percent, whichever is less.

To replace local revenue lost by the property tax cut, the plan would amend the Michigan Constitution to increase the state sales tax from 4 to 6 percent, a 50 percent increase.

Marinelli said the plan primarily benefits outstate low millage districts. "They'll make out like bandits."

Compounding the task of deciding whether to support the

plan is the fact that districts don't yet know what will be in the 1993-94 school aid act, Marinelli said.

Marinelli said he is unsure if Livonia will get extra money from the 540 new students the district expects to enroll next year.

Trustee Richard McKnight said he didn't want to emphasize Proposal A to the exclusion of other options open to the district, such as asking taxpayers for more money.

Under the reform package, no school millage could ever go above 27 mills. The sales tax hike, the millage cut and cap and assessment increase restrictions would be written into the state constitution. The new 2 cents added to the sales tax, plus state lottery revenue, would be constitutionally earmarked for schools.

Security from page 2A

The district will begin phasing in the security forces on Monday at a cost not to exceed \$30,143 for the remainder of the school year. The board has included the security plan in next year's budget, too.

"There isn't a public facility that you go to today that doesn't have some kind of security," trustee Francis "Bud" Winter said Monday.

Board trustee Fred Warmbier cast the lone dissenting vote in a lopsided decision that came on

the same night that the board approved \$12 million in budget cuts for educational programs.

Some parents sided with Warmbier.

"Why isn't that money being used for education?" asked parent Nancy Pride of Wayne. She recommended using parent volunteers to help patrol schools.

"Let's get some parents in there that don't work," she said.

District bus driver Denise

Thomas also opposed the measure.

"I cannot see hiring people into this district when you're laying us off," she said.

Other parents in the past have indicated support for security in schools, but some support could be diminished because of the massive budget cuts.

Trustee Richard LeBlanc on Monday read from a USA Today newspaper report that cited hundreds of thousands of incidents of weapons and violence on a daily

basis in American schools.

The local security forces will be phased in during May and should be in full swing by Monday, May 17, said Bill Taylor, associate superintendent for employee services.

Under the plan, the district's four junior highs and the Cherry Hill Alternative Center will each have one guard, while the two high schools and the William Ford Vocational-Technical Center will each have two.

Ballot from page 2A

school board members and citizens who voiced support for increasing the sales tax from 4 cents to 6 cents, while slashing property taxes.

Superintendent Larry Thomas, citing unanswered questions about issues such as funding for adult education, hasn't yet taken a public stance.

Wayne-Westland's millage rate would drop from 47 mills to 27 mills under the plan, he said, though 9 mills would be subject to voter renewal in three years.

(One mill represents \$1 per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation.)

Even without his recommendation, board members Vicki Welty and Laurel Raisanen urged support for the plan, amid hopes it could avert some of the \$14 million in budget cuts facing the district.

If Proposal A fails, Welty said she would support another local tax election in mid-August. Two local tax proposals failed in a special April 5 election.

Raisanen, calling the state pro-

posal "very sound," said, "Our community would no longer be depressed because of our high millage rate."

Wayne-Westland bus driver Denise Thomas handed out anti-Proposal A literature to citizens walking into the Wayne-Westland meeting Monday.

But Walter Warren, a Westland attorney and landlord, addressed the board and said the proposal is

"the only salvation" for property tax relief.

Former board member Kathleen Chorbagan demanded a firm stance from school officials, saying residents are "waiting to get out there and fight" for either a local tax or for Proposal A.

"We'll fight. What do you want us to fight for?" she said Monday, adding later, "Please lead us out of this wilderness that we've sunk into."

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The senior citizen nutrition program will serve these hot meals for the week of May 3. Meals will be served at noon at three locations: Westland Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh near Marquette; Whittier Center, on Ann Arbor Trail between Inkster Road and Middlebelt, and Kirk of Our Savior Church, on Cherry Hill between Wayne Road and Newburgh.

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Stuffed cabbage/tomato sauce, mashed potatoes, green beans, oatmeal cookie, bread/margarine, milk.

Wednesday
Meatloaf/gravy, redskin potatoes, garden greens, bread/margarine, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Thursday
Baked chicken/mushroom gravy, broccoli, peas/pasta, mixed melon, biscuit/margarine, milk.

Friday
Roast pork/gravy, mashed potatoes, baby carrots, rice pudding, pumpernickel bread/margarine, milk.

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S'craft dean was college booster even in retirement

Jon P. Adams, former dean of applied science at Schoolcraft College, spent the greatest portion of his life teaching young people and designing technical programs that were up-to-date and meaningful to business and industry.

Adams, 86, of Westland, died early Monday after battling cancer for several years.

Adams came to Schoolcraft in 1964 the year the college was founded and retired in 1973. He guided the growth of the Applied Sciences Division from an enrollment of 550 in 1965 to 2,600 in 1973. Many of the career programs the college now offers were started by Adams (apprenticeship, medical record technology, welding and industrial fabrica-

tion, metallurgy, civil technology, culinary arts and numerous automotive courses).

Maybelle Shon, Adams' former secretary at Schoolcraft and a close family friend described the former dean as a "kind, considerate and a very patient man."

"He was a perfectionist. Anything that went over his signature had to be letter perfect," said Shon, of Westland.

"We had an old-fashioned but very pleasant type of boss/secretary relationship," recalled Shon. "He was so very proud of the people he hired and their accomplishments at the college."

Fernon Feenstra, Schoolcraft's assistant dean of applied sciences, worked under Adams as a

teacher.

He said that Adams was "recognized as 'The Dean' of vocational education in the state of Michigan."

Although Adams was usually "gruff on the outside," Feenstra said his old boss was also "tender on the inside. We would think he was really down on us, then he'd take us all out for dinner and drinks. He worked hard, but he also played hard."

A native of Green Bay, Wis., Adams earned his bachelor's degree in industrial education at Wisconsin State University and his master's at Bradley University in Illinois.

Adams taught high school machine shop classes in Maywood

and Dundee, Ill., from 1934 to 1946.

During World War II Adams helped the war effort by establishing programs that trained thousands of men and women to build torpedoes.

For five years in the late 1940s Adams was the supervisor of trade and industrial education for the state of Illinois.

In 1951 Adams founded and guided the development of the Vocational Technical Institute at

Southern Illinois University.

Also in the 1950s, Adams was the dean of the Trade/Technical Division of Ferris Institute now Ferris State University in Big Rapids, Michigan.

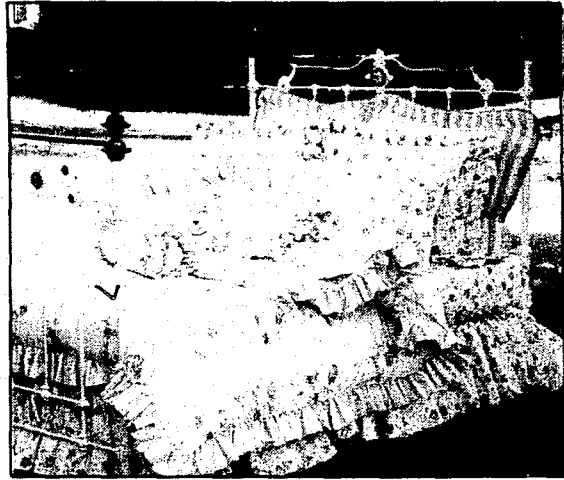
Just before coming to Schoolcraft, Adams served three years as regional representative for the U.S. Office of Education's Vocational/Technical Branch.

After retirement in 1973 Adams served as a consultant to Schoolcraft, Wayne County, Macomb

County and Oakland County community colleges. He was a member of Kappa Delta Pi, a national honorary education society and Iota Lambda Sigma, a national industrial education society. His most recent award was the distinguished alumnus from the University of Wisconsin.

Adams is survived by his wife, Charlotte; brother, George; sister, Margaret; son, Peter; and one grandchild.

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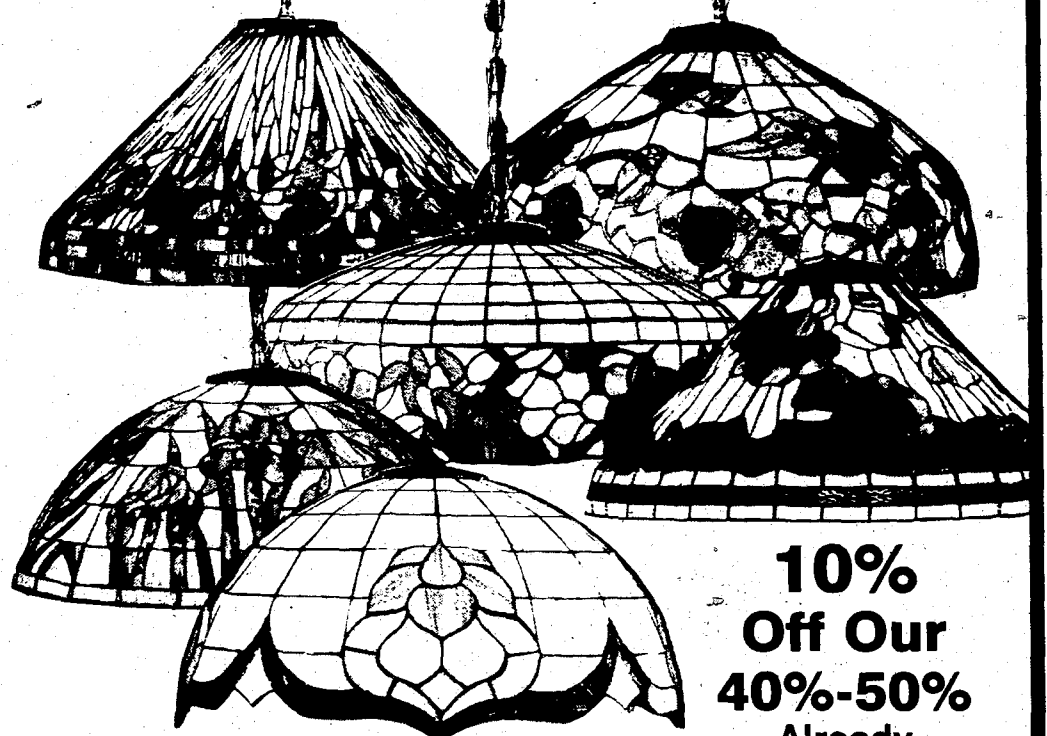
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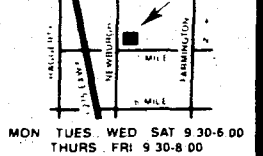
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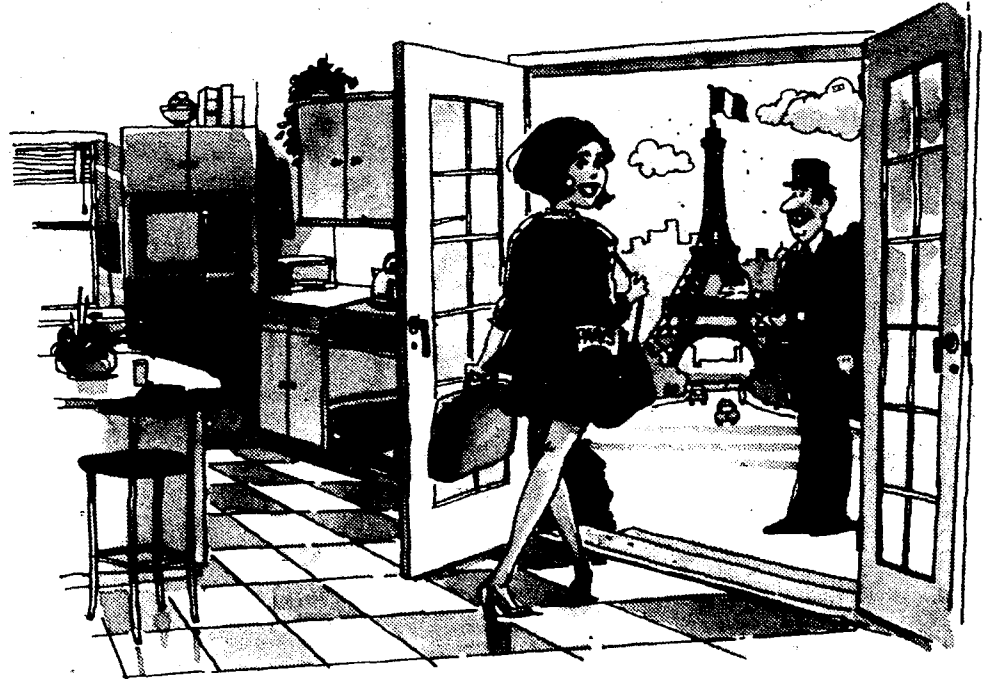
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Criminal vs. civil defined

Proposal would let fines replace court

By TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

Local governments could streamline their ordinance enforcement by turning "criminal misdemeanors" into "civil infractions."

Two Oakland County lawmakers strongly supported a package of bills designed to let violators pay tickets at a violations bureau rather than make them appear in district court.

"All local units can benefit," said Rep. Willis Bullard, R-Milford, a former township supervisor. "This (package) goes along with making most minor traffic violations civil infractions as we did a number of years ago."

"It inflamed them (ordinance violators) when they found it was a criminal offense," said Rep. Penny Crissman, R-Rochester.

"We're having trouble with our

district court dockets. It sort of jams their schedules when they have to deal with people shoveling walks and posting signs. They (judges) don't want to take these up," she added.

Bullard and Crissman last week joined other members of the House Local Government Committee in reporting out 15 bills allowing — but not requiring — cities, townships, villages and counties to change local ordinances to civil infractions.

Such ordinances cover zoning violations, fences, signs, failure to obtain permits, dog control, burning, junk vehicles, weeds, snow removal, noise and even bicycle riding on sidewalks.

"This legislation would allow local units to take the onus of criminality from the violation of ordinances like these," said the sponsor, Sen. Joe Conroy, D-Flint. "It's not right to deem a cit-

izen a "criminal" for having a loose pet, or for not shoveling their sidewalks, or for riding their bicycles on the sidewalk."

"Cities can have a civil infractions bureau, like a parking ticket bureau," said David Osborn of the Michigan Municipal League, an association of cities and villages supporting the bills.

Lansing city attorney Kevin McKinney said cities could save hundreds of hours of attorney time by not having to take rental housing inspection cases to court.

If ticketed by a city inspector, a person could:

- Pay the fine at the violations bureau in person or by mail.
- Admit responsibility in person or by mail and wait for a court decision.
- Fight the ticket at either a formal (with attorneys) or informal (without attorneys) hearing, without jury, before the district judge,

just as with many traffic tickets. Fines and jail penalties would remain unchanged.

One-third of the fine money would continue to go to the local unit and two-thirds to the court. "There's no change. We don't want to fiddle with that," Conroy said in reply to a question from Crissman.

The House panel amended the bills to prevent an owner from losing his or her home for failure to pay a ticket. The Senate, which passed the bills last month, must concur before the bills become law.

The bills will go to the full House this week.

Conroy praised the House committee amendment. "It's a good argument for two houses in the Legislature," he said, chiding supporters of a one-chamber Legislature.

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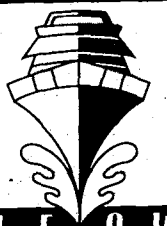
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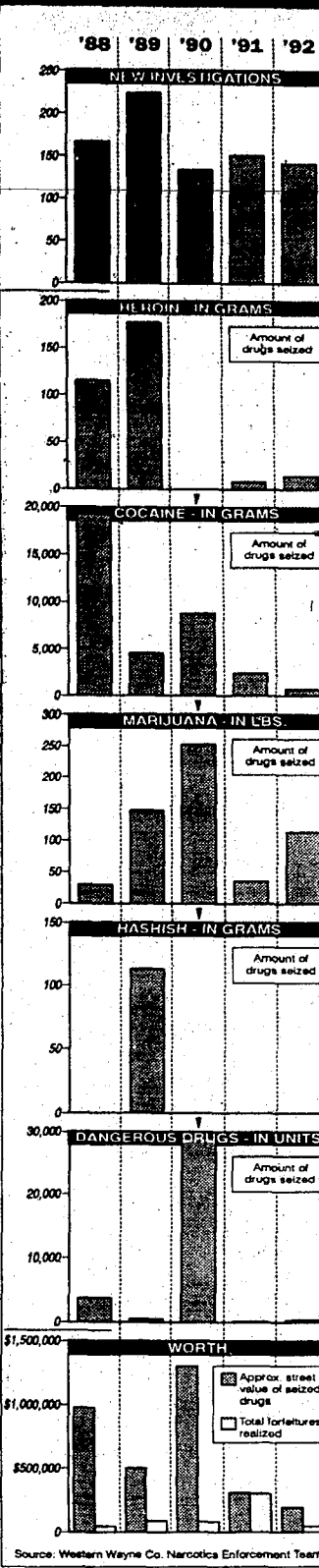
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Western Wayne drug stats



More people cultivating marijuana inside, cops say

By LEANNE ROGERS
STAFF WRITER

Marijuana dealers are turning to indoor growing operations to produce their illegal product and that's an encouraging sign to narcotics officers.

"It's an indication of our success in eradicating outdoor growing," said Michigan State Police Lt. Sandra Miller, who heads the Western Wayne Narcotics Enforcement Team.

"Several of our operations put heat on the sellers. They were not able to get out-of-state product, so they have to grow it domestically. We've noticed an increase in in-door growing."

Marijuana and cocaine continue to be the drugs which are having the greatest effect in southeast Michigan and locally in western Wayne County, she said.

In 1992, the unit seized 625 grams of cocaine, down from 1991, and 113 pounds of marijuana, a large increase from the previous year.

"I think cocaine is down because we had several more complex investigations on marijuana," Miller said. "It's not indicative that it (cocaine trafficking) is decreasing. The 625 grams total seized is still quite a lot."

The approximate street value of seized drugs in 1992 is \$187,729 down from \$300,662 in 1991.

"The street value is down partly due to the difference between cocaine and marijuana seizures. The cost of marijuana is less," said Miller. "The total forfeiture has not been adjudicated. It is actually higher."

Formed in 1987, the Western Wayne Narcotics Enforcement Team is run by the state police with additional personnel provided by member communities including Livonia, Canton Township, Garden City, Inkster and Van Buren Township. Northville and Belleville participate through financial support.

In 1992, the unit initiated 141 new investigations and made 83 arrests on 115 criminal counts



GUY WARREN/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Committed: Michigan State Police Lt. Sandra Miller who heads the Western Wayne Narcotics Enforcement Team said area chiefs show their commitment to the concept by assigning top-notch local officers to the team.

compared to 151 new investigations and 110 arrests on 152 counts in 1991.

"We had a slight drop in new investigations and arrests. At the same time (in 1991) we had two additional officers from Wayne and Westland," said Miller, who was named to head the unit a year ago. "We hope to expand the team shortly."

The state police have had se-

vere budget cuts over the past two years, she said, a situation shared by local police departments.

"The chiefs show real courage by assigning officers. It's easy to do when the money is there," she said. "When the budget is tight, it's easier to have a blue uniform that people can see. They commit an officer who is not seen and doesn't necessarily impact their city."

State Senate OKs 'Baby Jessica' bill

A routine revision of Michigan's Child Custody Act turned into a donnybrook debate when the state Senate amended it to cover the emotional baby Jessica case.

"We cannot allow young Jessica or children like her to have their lives turned upside down by dueling adults," said Sen. Michael Bouchard, R-Birmingham, sponsor of the bill.

His Senate Bill 191 was amended in committee during the Easter break to give legal standing (the right to file a lawsuit) to prospective adoptive parents who have had custody of the child at least six of the previous nine months.

If approved by the House, the bill would give Jan and Roberta DeBoer of Ann Arbor the right to sue in Michigan to retain custody of the Iowa-born baby they have raised for the last two years.

The DeBoers have lost all their battles in the Iowa courts. They also lost in the Michigan Court of Appeals, which said simply that Michigan courts don't have jurisdiction.

The baby's mother, Cara Schmidt, changed her mind days after the child's birth. Jessica's father also said he had never legally signed away his rights.

The Senate gave the bill 31 to 4 approval. Voting yes were Bouchard, Mat Dunaskiss, R-Lake Orion, David Honigman, R-West Bloomfield, and George Z. Hart, D-Dearborn.

Voting no was Jack Faxon, D-Farmington Hills, William Faust, D-Westland, and Robert Geake, R-Northville, had excused absences.

In a loud dissent, Sen. Virgil Smith, D-Detroit, accused colleagues of "trashing" the 1970 Uniform Child Custody Jurisdictional Act adopted by all 50 states.

"Michigan should honor the court decisions that have been issued in the state of Iowa. The Iowa courts have made determinations based on the facts in this matter..."

"That's where the child was born. That's where the birth mother lived. Even the DeBoers recognized that by fighting through the Iowa courts all the way to the (Iowa) Supreme Court," said Smith.

Sen. Vern Ehlers, R-Grand Rapids, said Smith had it wrong. "Our current law gives no standing in court to the prospective adoptive parent. That is all this bill is designed to correct," he said.

SC offers 'College for Kids'

Kaleidoscope: A College for Kids will be offered this summer at Schoolcraft College. The program is designed for late elementary, middle and high school students ages 9 to 15, to enhance academic skills and stimulate creativity.

A parent information night on the program will be at 7 p.m. Monday, May 10, in Room 200 of Schoolcraft's Liberal Arts Building. Classes for youths in the areas of math, English, computers

language, art, music and science will be discussed. Individual and group instruction will be offered.

Classes are scheduled to begin July 12 for two to three weeks, Monday through Thursday.

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Senate tries again to protect home music teachers

BY TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

State lawmakers again are working bills to protect home music teachers from being zoned out by cities and townships.

"The majority can't interfere with the rights of a minority to earn a living," said Sen. David Honigman, R-West Bloomfield, chair of the Senate Local Govern-

ment Committee. "You (local units) can't regulate them out of existence," he said.

Honigman and Sen. Jack Faxson, D-Farmington Hills, are sponsors of three bills (SB 507, 509 and 510) amending city, township and county zoning acts to prevent them from prohibiting home music lessons and home tutorials.

The committee Tuesday gave them 5-0 approval and sent them to the full Senate floor for debate

as early as next week. The bills were prompted three years ago by the difficulties of piano teacher Betty Stasson with the ordinance officer of West Bloomfield Township.

"It happened in West Bloomfield, which changed its ordinance real quickly," said Honigman. "But some big cities have these ordinances, and they are slow to change."

The Senate passed the measures last session, but they died

in the House and had to be started over again this year.

The situation prompted Honigman, a philosophy student before he became a lawyer, to produce an essay on the balance between local units' right to use police powers and an individual's right to earn a living.

Honigman said zoning ordinances prohibiting home tutorials could be misused in a vendetta between neighbors. "These bills will spare people legal expenses

and the embarrassment of a public fight," he said.

Also supporting the bills were Sens. George Hart, D-Deerborn, a former city councilman; Jim Berryman, D-Adrian, a former mayor; Joel Gougeon, R-Bay City, a former county commissioner; and Jon Cisky, R-Saginaw, a former law enforcement officer.

In other business, the Senate panel approved Honigman's bill allowing city councils to write longer contracts with hired city

managers. The problem, he said, is that "a future city council cannot be held to a contract approved by the last city council."

Thus, if a council that approved severance pay for a manager, a future council could fire the manager without being held to the severance amount.

The bill was requested by the Michigan Municipal League, a statewide association of cities and villages.

National education hearings at EMU

Eastern Michigan University will host two regional public hearings of the National Education Commission on Time and Learning, Thursday and Friday, April 29-30, in Ypsilanti.

The first of the hearings will be 1:30-3:30 p.m. Thursday, April 29, in Room 201 Welch Hall on the EMU campus. The second will be 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Friday, April 30, in EMU's Corporate Education Center, 1275 Huron St. in Ypsilanti.

The nine-member commission, which includes EMU President William E. Shelton, was created by Congress two years ago with the passage of The Education Council Act of 1991. Its charge is to examine the quality and adequacy of time U.S. elementary and secondary students spend on study and learning.

In 1994, the commission will present its findings and recommendations in a report to Congress and the U.S. Department of Education.

John Hodge Jones, school superintendent in Murfreesboro, Tenn., is NECTL chairman and Carol Schwartz, former special education teacher and Washington, D.C., City Council and Board of Education member, is vice chair.

Serving with Shelton as commission members are: Massachusetts Sen. Michael J. Barrett; B. Marie Byers, vice president of the Washington County School Board in Hagerstown, Md.; Christopher T. Cross, executive director of the Education Initiative of The Business Roundtable and former assistant secretary for educational research and improvement in the U.S. Department of Education.

Also Dennis P. Doyle, senior fellow at the Hudson Institute in Chevy Chase, Md.; Norman E. Higgins, principal of Piscataquis Community High School in Dover-Foxcroft, Maine; and Glenn R. Walker, a former teacher and Fulbright fellow who is principal of Clifton-Clyde High School in Clyde, Kan.

The executive director of the commission is Milton Goldberg, former executive director of the National Commission on Excellence in Education, which 10 years ago this month produced the landmark report, "A Nation at Risk."

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■ Pesticide application training meets 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, May 10, and Tuesday, May 11. Fee is \$125.

■ A course on supervising employees meets 7-10:10 p.m. on five Wednesdays beginning May 12. Fee is \$125.

■ A horse-grooming class meets 1-5 p.m. Saturday, May 15, and Sunday, May 16. Fee is \$32.

■ Airplane instrument ground school meets 8 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. on nine Saturdays beginning May 15. Fee is \$137.

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Senate tries again to pass abortion law

BY TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

The state Senate is trying a second time to pass an "informed consent" abortion law.

Again it is running into heavy debate over whether it really informs women or parrots Right to Life's anti-abortion views.

"We have put together legislation that gives a woman the right to know," said sponsor Jack Welborn, R-Kalamazoo. "That's not happening today in the abortion clinic process. We are establishing the patient-doctor relationship that is not there today."

"Before our committee, 19 women testified in support of the bill; 16 had had abortions; 13 of them did not know, had never known, the name of the doctor who performed the abortion."

Change in House

Senators last week approved SB 384 by 26 to 8 and sent it to the House, where it was killed last year. But two things are different this year:

■ The House assigned it to the Public Health Committee instead of its previous cemetery, Judiciary. Public Health is chaired in April and June by pro-life John Jamian, R-Birmingham, and in

May by pro-choice Michael Benane, D-Detroit.

■ Even if the committee deadlocks, Republican co-speaker Paul Hillebrand can use one of his "extraordinary" votes to yank the bill out of committee and bring it to the House floor.

The Senate roll call:

YES — Republicans Michael Bouchard of Birmingham, Mat Dunaskias of Lake Orion, Robert Geake of Northville, David Honigman of West Bloomfield and Democrat George Z. Hart of Dearborn.

NO — Jack Faxon, D-Farmington Hills.

ABSENT — William Faust, D-Westland.

No amendments

As usual, the debate was long, bitter and laced with attempts to amend the bill.

Sen. Lana Pollack, D-Ann Arbor, lost an amendment to require that women be counseled on the "emotional stress" caused by giving up a baby for adoption, including the danger to "a parent's relationship with subsequent children."

That was shot down, 10 yes to 23 no. Honigman of West Bloomfield crossed the battle line to

support it.

Pollack said the bill will force women "to jump through another legal barrier put up by the dominant male police officers who serve as senators in this body — individuals who never have been pregnant, never will be pregnant, many of whom I maintain have helped pregnant women with whom they have been involved, emotionally or otherwise, to seek an abortion."

Senators also rejected, 9 yes and 25 no, the amendment of pro-choice Sen. Joe Conroy, D-Flint, that would have required women to be told the cost of neonatal intensive care and social services if they bear the child instead of obtaining an abortion.

Sen. Fred Dillingham, R-Fowlerville, a pro-life point man, exploded at Conroy's amendment: "I sat quietly through most of this debate today, but I just can't sit by quietly when we see an amendment that starts to place monetary value on life. Life is not a cost. Life is productive and produces worth."

The bill sets a 24-hour waiting period between the time a woman is counseled on abortion and the abortion. It requires:

■ "Private, individual counseling."

■ "The patient's informed written consent, given freely and without coercion."

■ "The name of the physician who will perform the abortion."

■ "The probable gestational age of the fetus she is carrying."

■ "What to do and whom to contact should medical complications arise from the abortion."

■ "How to obtain pregnancy prevention information through the Department of Public Health."

■ A written summary of the procedure.

■ "A medically accurate depiction and description of a fetus" at the approximate age of her fetus.

■ "Inform the patient of her right to withhold or withdraw her consent to the abortion at any time before performance."

■ Risks of physical complications of an abortion.

■ Risks of the continued pregnancy.

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The Garden City Figure Skating Club, which has members from Westland and neighboring communities, will hold its 20th annual ice show Thursday through Saturday, May 6-8, at the Garden City Civic Arena, on Cherry Hill east of Merriman. "Media Madness" is the theme of the show, sponsored by the Garden City parks and recreation department. Show times are 7 p.m. May 6 and 8 and 7:30 p.m. May 7. Tickets are available from the department office in the arena and at the door.

Day camp

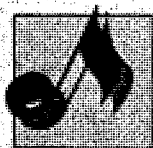
The Wayne-Westland Family YMCA, which serves Garden City, is planning its annual summer day camp for elementary school-age children. The camps will have a different theme each week, starting June 21 and concluding Aug. 27. Fees are \$69 a week for Y members and \$79 for program members. A 25 percent discount is available for the second child in a family. Camp hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays and includes outdoor education, group projects, crafts and field trips. Brochures listing day camp details are available at the Y, 827 S. Wayne Road, Westland, or by calling 721-7044.

Drivers needed

Volunteers are needed to drive meals to home-bound seniors or handicapped persons in a program sponsored by the Wayne County Office of Nutrition Services. The agency has 34 sites, including three in Westland and one in Garden City. Volunteer drivers are asked to work one hour per day for one or more days a week and are reimbursed 21 cents per mile. "There is an urgent need for more volunteers to help deliver these meals," said an agency spokeswoman. For seniors or home-bound persons who want to enjoy the daily lunch, reservations must be made at least 24 hours in advance by calling the local nutrition site. The meals are free but a \$1.50 donation is suggested to help defray the cost of the program. Persons may call 326-4400 to volunteer to be a meals-on-wheels driver.

He's got the beat

Musician strikes up band for 40 years



Disc jockeys represent the biggest threat to live bands, said band leader and musician Phil Gram. He commented that live bands make recordings which are then used by DJs to rob musicians of potential jobs.

BY DIANE GALE
SPECIAL WRITER

After four decades of entertaining, Phil Gram has the enthusiasm of a teenager when he talks about the thrill of making music.

"When you play you lose yourself," the 36-year Westland resident said.

"You forget the worst and best of times."

The 65-year-old retiree took up the drums when he was 13 and never stopped playing.

Even while Gram worked 21 years in public relations at Ford Motor Co., he took on side jobs playing the drums, leading bands and sometimes even singing.

His first love took center court when he retired 10 years ago.

Life is divided in three parts, Gram said with a characteristic burst of laughter. The first is growing up and education, the second is work and the third is meant for enjoying life.

"It's been a great avocation, and I've always been able to make a few dollars," he said adding that his first gig, in the mid-1940s, paid \$7. Today a six-piece band gets between \$800 and \$2,000.

Gram estimates that he earned more than \$300,000 playing country clubs, weddings, proms, banquets, dances, concerts in the park and private parties including the high school graduation one given by retired Chrysler Corp. chairman Lee Iacocca for daughter Lia.

While the big band sounds and

jazz are Gram's forte, he performs a variety of music, including Top 40 songs, depending on the audience.

His band, Phil Gram and his Gramtet, varies since he hires musicians to fit the occasion. With a wink, Gram explained, a quintet is five musicians, and a Gramtet can be a trio to eight musicians depending on the performance.

Gram kept his hand in music even while he was in the U.S. Navy and later with the U.S. Air Force by writing a music column called: "Gram Session" in the "Eastern Air Defense."

After he was honorably discharged, Gram organized his first Big Band, with 17 musicians and he was hired to play "Eastwood Gardens" on the East side of Detroit to follow the likes of Tommy Dorsey and Johnny Long bands.

It was the first time the nationally known entertainment spot hired a local band and to top off the excitement Gram's band was held over a second week.

"I'll never forget that," he said.

Forty-five years later, Gram continues to entertain. Earlier this year he took part in a music series sponsored by Westland, Livonia and Taylor middle schools. He introduced students to the history of music and invited them on stage to play with his band.

The event was one of many entries on his busy schedule. Gram is the longest-serving member on the

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The beat goes on: Phil Gram (right) of Westland and a co-musician in front of the Renaissance Center in Detroit, like performing for local groups.

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The Wayne-Westland Family YMCA, 827 S. Wayne Road, will hold a craft show and sale from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, May 1. Persons who want to rent tables may call the Y, 721-7044 between 8 a.m. and 9 p.m.

OPENING DAY

The Garden City Youth Athletic Association will open its 1993 season at 10 a.m. Saturday at the new East Moeller Field, west of Merriman and north of Ford. The city will also hold a dedication ceremony for the new facility.

RUMMAGE SALE

St. Matthew Lutheran Church and School will hold a rummage sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the school gym, on Venoy north of Ford. Hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday and Friday and 9 a.m. to noon Saturday. Refreshments will be served.

VEGAS NIGHT

Knights of Columbus Council 1536 will hold a Las Vegas Night 7:30 p.m. to midnight Friday, April 30 in Thomas Dooley Hall, Joy between Middlebelt and Inkster Road. Proceeds to color corp. Admission \$2. Maximum pay off of \$500 per person. 455-1450 or 453-0487.

WILDFLOWER WALK

A "wildflower" walk will begin at noon on Saturday, May 1, in Holliday Nature Preserve. Meet at the Ellsworth entrance, Edward Hines Drive across from the Nankin Mill, east of Farmington Road. Brings camera and boots. 476-5127.

SPECIAL EVENTS

DAY OF PRAYER

In recognition of National Day of Prayer, the public is invited at noon on Thursday, May 6, for a short prayer service at St. Theodore Catholic Church, Wayne Road south of Joy. 425-4421.

RECREATION

ICE SHOW

Garden City Parks and Recreation Department presents "Media Madness" at 7 p.m. Thursday and Saturday, May 6 and 8 in Garden City Civic Arena, Cherry Hill east of Merriman. 427-9410.

FAMILY NIGHT

Basketball, volleyball, floor hockey, little tykes toys, etc. recreation for the whole family 6-10 p.m. the first Friday of each month at Wayne Ford Civic League, 1645 N. Wayne Road. 728-5010.

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, during the month

of April to be at St. Simon and Jude Hall, 32500 Palmer, Westland. Wear comfortable clothing and tennis shoes, and bring a mat, towel or 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.

BENEFITS

RUMMAGE SALE

St. Andrew Presbyterian Church will hold a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday, May 7, in Fellowship Hall, 26701 Joy, between Beech Daly and Inkster, Dearborn Heights. 274-3820 between 9 a.m. and noon.

WALK-A-THON

A "Walk-A-Thon" will be 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 8, beginning at St. Matthew Lutheran Church, Venoy north of Ford. The circuit path will be approximately three miles. Half the proceeds will go to the school's Drug Abuse Resistance Education program with the balance to buy new desks and furnishings for the new addition. There will be a Tricycle-A-Thon for the smaller children in a designated area on the Church/School grounds.

METRO WAYNE DEMOCRATIC CLUB

holds Bingo games at 6:30 p.m. Thursdays at Joy Manor, 28999 Joy, two blocks east of Middlebelt, Westland. Proceeds go to help needy people and seniors citizens as well as sponsoring two little league baseball teams every year, and support for the Penrickton School for the Blind. Call Cliff 729-8681 or Carol 422-5025.

BINGO

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

CLUBS

GARDEN CLUB

The Garden City Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 4, in the Log Cabin, in City Park, Cherry Hill east of Merriman. 427-9410.

GARDEN CITY LIONS

The Garden City Lions meet the first and third Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. in the Silver Saloon, 5651 Middlebelt, Garden City. Contact Ivan Nunneley 422-6656 or Henry Tolk 421-4954.

WEEKENDERS

The "Weekenders" family campers meet the second Wednesday of the month in Franklin High School on Joy east of Merriman. 531-2993.

CHILDBIRTH ASSOCIATION

Classes for childbirth preparation are being offered at several Wayne County locations. Morning and evening classes available. Registering new classes every month. Newborn care classes and Caesarean preparation also offered. 459-7477.

WESTLAND JAYCEES

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

CORVETTE CLUB

The Corvette Club of Michigan meets 8 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of each month

in Les Stanford Chevrolet, Dearborn. Glenn Simms, 675-5633, or Paul Jenkins, 981-4254.

FUN-SEEKERS

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

HOST LIONS

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

CAMARO BUFFS

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

HOLY SMOKE MASTERS

Thursdays — The Holy Smoke Masters Toastmasters Club meets Thursday at 6 p.m. in Denny's Restaurant, 7725 N. Wayne Road. 455-1635.

AMBASSADORS

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

SCHOOL GROUP

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

PURPLE HEART

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

EXHIBITS

RAILROADIANA

Buy and swap toys and trains from noon to 4 p.m. Sept. 19 at SS. Simon and Jude Church located at 32500 Palmer, Westland. Preregistered tables \$10, tables at the door if available \$18. Admission \$2 per person or \$4 per family. Norm 595-8327 between 5-11 p.m.

HISTORY ON VIEW

GC HISTORY

The Garden City Historical

Museum is open 1-4 p.m. Wednesdays in the Log Cabin on Cherry Hill east of Merriman. Admission is free.

VOLUNTEERS

BLOOD DONATIONS

The American Red Cross is accepting blood donations: Tuesday, May 4 — 3-9 p.m. in Westland Free Methodist Church, 1421 Venoy. Richard Thomas 326-4459.

A PLACE TO LIVE

Youth Living Centers are looking for families for abused and neglected teens who are in immediate need of a place to live. All teens are supervised by Youth Living Centers a staff and are in school or working. 728-3400.

FOOD DELIVERY

Volunteers are needed to deliver meals to homebound, disabled, elderly people in Westland one hour or more per day, one or more days per week. 326-4444. 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

GIRL SCOUTING

Michigan Metro Girl Scout Council is looking for girls and adults who would like to be involved in Girl Scouting. 964-4475.

SENIORS

DINNERS

Senior dinners will be held at 11:30 a.m. the first Sunday of each month in the Wayne Ford Civic League, 1661 N. Wayne Road. Cost is \$3 for members and \$6 for non-members. The Avalons will perform.

CARD PARTIES

Senior Card Parties will be held at 10 a.m. the last Monday of each month in the Wayne Ford Civic League. Cost is \$2. 728-5010.

DYER CENTER

The Wayne-Westland school district's Dyer Senior Adult Center has activities Monday-Thursday at the center on Marquette between Wayne and Newburgh roads.

Mondays, Senior Chorus at 1:30 p.m.
Tuesdays, arts, crafts and needlework at 9:30 a.m.
Wednesdays, Kitchen Band, 10 a.m., bingo at 1 p.m., and
Thursdays, ceramics, arts, crafts at 9:30 a.m.

HAWAIIAN DANCE

A Hawaiian dance exercise class will be 1 p.m. every Wednesday in the Senior Resources Department (Friendship Center), 1119 Newburgh, Hall A. Instructor is Kammo Oris. Sign up at the front desk or call 722-7632.

SUPPORT GROUPS

MOSAIC

Mothers of Sexually Abused Innocent Children, a support group for parents/caregivers of these children

meets 7-9 p.m. the first and third Tuesdays of the month in Noble Library, 32901 Plymouth Road, one block east of Farmington, Livonia. 427-6957.

GRIEF SUPPORT

Free Grief Support Groups will meet at 1 p.m. the second Saturday of each month and 6:30 p.m. the fourth Monday of each month. The group meets at Hospice Services of Western Wayne County, 6701 Harrison Street, Garden City and 127 South Main Street, Plymouth. 522-4244.

RELATIONSHIPS ANONYMOUS

Relationships Anonymous meet 6-7:30 p.m. on Fridays in the Livonia Counseling Center, 13325 Farmington Road. A 12-step program for men and women dealing with co-dependency in troubled relationships. 535-2196.

SURVIVORS OF SUICIDE

A support group available for family members and friends who have had a loved one die by suicide. The group meets 7-9 p.m. Monday nights in the Westland Convalescent Center, 36137 West Warren. The group is co-lead by a professional and a survivor. Mary Leonhardi 224-7000.

VISUALLY IMPAIRED

A self-help support group for visually impaired and blind adults which meets 1-3 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month in Newburg United Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. Special transportation programs for the blind and other non-drivers are available throughout the area. Michigan Commission for the Blind 256-1524.

MADD

Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD), Wayne County Chapter, Victim Support Group will meet 7 p.m. in the Gabriel Richard Campus Ministry Building, U of M Dearborn campus, 5001 Evergreen, Dearborn. The group meets the fourth Thursday of each month. 422-MADD.

MANIC-DEPRESSIVE

The Manic-Depressive and Depressive Association of Metropolitan Detroit has formed a support group that meets 7:30-9:30 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of every month. Meetings are in Annapolis Hospital Westland Center, Room 1420, 2345 Merriman Road between Michigan Avenue and Palmer, Westland. Marianne, 261-8147.

PARKINSON SUPPORT

Western Wayne Parkinson Support group meets 7 p.m. the second Thursday of each month in the Civic Park Senior Center, 15218 Farmington Road, Livonia. 421-4208 or 459-0216.

EMOTIONS ANONYMOUS

A 12-step program for "A New Way of Life" meetings will be 7:30 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday, and 8:30 a.m. Thursday in Garden City Hospital community health education center, Room 5, 6701 Harrison, Garden City. Bernie, 422-5787, or Aileen, 421-1776.

CYSTIC FIBROSIS

The Cystic Fibrosis Support Network meets at 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at Sinai Hospital, Detroit. 538-9093.

SCHIZOPHRENICS

Schizophrenics Anonymous meet 6-8 p.m. every Wednesday in Margaret Montgomery Hospital, 28303 Joy, Westland. Cathy, 836-9173.

ENCORE

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

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS

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

CARDIAC GROUP

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

MENTAL ILLNESS

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

SMOKERS ANONYMOUS

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

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT

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

WEIGHT LOSS

Why Weight is a support group for adults. The group meets at 7 p.m. every Monday in the Garden City Hospital Medical Building, lower level, Room 3, on Inkster Road near Maplewood. 721-6624.

WEIGHT LOSS

The Beeliners, a self-help support group for weight loss, meets at 11 a.m. every Saturday in Garden City Hospital's new medical office, Room 3, in the basement, 6245 Inkster Road near Maplewood. 261-4048 or 422-3316.

SOCIAL SERVICES

YLC

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

FOSTER CARE

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

YOUTH ASSISTANCE

Garden City Youth Assistance provides free and confi-

dential counseling services to youths ages 7-16 and their families. 525-8836.

JOBS

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

TELECARE

The Telephone Reassurance Program, City of Westland's Department On Aging, is reaching out to senior citizens who are shut-ins, lonely or sick. The Telecare women make 250 calls daily to senior citizens. 722-7660 or 722-2661.

TRAVEL

GARDEN CITY CLUB

The Garden City Travel Club is planning the following trips:

May 25 — Country Fun: seven days and six nights in the Ozark Mountains, Eureka Springs and Branson, Mo., for sightseeing tours, music shows and dinners included. Elenora Anderson, 425-5235. (\$699).

June 16 — Michigan's West Coast: three days and two nights at the Double JJ Resort for horseback trail riding, sand dune rides, entertainment and some meals. Elenora Anderson, 425-5235. (\$239).

TRAVEL GROUP

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

DYER CLUB

The Dyer Seniors' Center Travel Club meets the first and third Thursday of each month in the center, on Marquette between Wayne Road and Newburgh.

SINGLES

WESTSIDE/FRIDAYS

Westside Singles hosts a dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, April 30, 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. Saturday, May 1, in Roma's of Garden City, Cherry Hill, west of Venoy Road. Admission is \$5. Dress code, age 21 and older. 277-4242.

TRI-COUNTY SINGLES

Tri-County Singles will hold an "Astrology Dance" 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Saturday, May 1, at Burton Manor, I-96 and Inkster, Exit 177, Livonia. Admission \$4, women \$2. Casual/dressy attire, no jeans. 842-7422.

SUNDAY DANCE

Sunday Suburban Singles will hold a dance from 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. on Sunday, May 2, in 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.

DIVORCE RECOVERY SEMINAR

A Divorce Recovery Seminar will be 7-9:30 p.m. Friday nights for eight weeks at Northville Christian Assembly, 41355 Six Mile, Northville. Classes begin April 30, registration at the door \$25. Child care provided. 348-9030.

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.

Event:

Date and Time:

Location:

Telephone:

Additional info:

Use additional sheet if necessary

Pitchman Engler pushes tax shift plan to Rotary

BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW
STAFF WRITER

Like a big steel marble in a pinball machine, Gov. John Engler is bouncing all over the place in an attempt to sell voters on the latest property tax relief plan.

Last Monday he bounced into Troy to pitch the plan to the Pontiac Rotary Club and received a standing ovation when introduced by Oakland County Executive L. Brooks Patterson.

The plan, which will be put to the voters June 2 in the form of Proposal A, would:

- raise the state sales tax from 4 cents on the dollar to 6 cents, dedicating the additional 2 cents to education.

- reduce most school district millage levies to somewhere between 18 and 27.

- limit the growth of property assessments to 5 percent, or the inflation rate, whichever is lowest.

and guarantee that every school district will have \$4,800 per student to work with.

Admitting that the current tax structure, featuring double-digit assessment increases, has "driven people right out of their homes," Engler said Proposal A is the last best hope for tax reform. If it passes, homeowners could count on relatively stable tax bills and not worry about being forced out.

Alternative: status quo

The alternative is the status quo, which "will be worse (because) it's not likely we can continue to (subsidize) the districts that are spending the most money in the state."

As an example, Engler points to the Bridgman school district (8 mills, \$6,700 per student) and the Dearborn school district (39 mills, \$4,700 per student). Yet the state still subsidizes Bridgman to

the tune of \$400,000 a year. "I think that's wrong," Engler said.

In an interview with the Observer & Eccentric after his speech, Engler agreed that a lot of folks are leery of Proposal A because they think the politicians will find some way eventually to turn this tax shift into a tax increase.

However, he said he's certain there are no loopholes in the plan that politicians can use to boost property taxes back up. The plan's guarantees, he said, will all be written into the state constitution, meaning they can only be changed by another vote of the people.

"I'm confident there are no loopholes. We nailed all the back doors, the side doors, the trap doors shut."

If Proposal A should be approved, the additional sales tax would go into effect in July, while

the millage reductions would be reflected in the August tax collection, Engler said.

More for students

In Observer & Eccentric communities, 12 of 13 school millages would decline, but per pupil spending would increase in every case. Lost millage revenue would be made up with state subsidies derived from the extra sales tax.

The big winners would be Wayne-Westland school district residents, whose millage would drop from 47 to 27. On the other end of the spectrum is Bloomfield Hills school district, where the millage would increase by 0.5.

Engler admits that voting for Proposal A is not in everyone's

immediate personal interest, "but in the democratic process we sometimes have to put our own personal agenda aside."

The governor believes that by reducing taxes in high tax cities like Detroit and Westland, there will be more incentive for businesses to locate in those places.

"Today there's a huge incentive to move from the core cities and some of the suburbs to the more rural areas because the tax burdens are less," he said. "That disadvantage would disappear a little bit (if Proposal A passes). There may still be a differential, but it would be much less than it is today."

One potential problem down the road with Engler's plan is the

effect on cities, townships and school districts if double-digit inflation comes back. With assessment increases limited to 5 percent, an inflation rate of 10 percent for a few years would undermine the spending power of cities, townships and school districts.

In that case, Engler said, "They could always ask (voters) for more millage." But that might be the least of our problems. "If inflation ever hits 10 percent again there's going to be a lot of trouble in the economy," Engler said. "That's the greatest thief of all. When you talk about robbing someone, inflation will do that quicker than anything. It's going to mean the end of whoever is president."

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AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING
Sat., May 8, 11 AM - 2 PM

DOODLE, DODGE & DOTTIE, THE DINOSAUR FAMILY SHOW, FOOD COURT
Sat., May 8, 2 PM e3 4 PM

MOTHER'S DAY GIFT WITH PURCHASE OF \$50
Sun., May 9, while supplies last at Information Booth

ST. MARY FREE BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING
Mon., May 10, 8 AM - 10 AM

"WONDER WALKER" MEETING, FOOD COURT
Wed., May 12, 9 AM

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING
Sat., May 22, 11 AM - 2 PM

BASEBALL CARD, COIN, STAMP & COMIC BOOK SHOW
Fri., May 28 through Mon., May 31

MEMORIAL DAY, MALL HOURS, 10 AM - 5 PM
Mon., May 31



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SCHOSTAK

Music

from page 11A

Westland Local Officers' Compensation Commission to which he was appointed in 1976. Gram also served from 1985 through 1991 on the Detroit Federation of Musicians' executive board of directors.

He's also president of the men's club at St. Thomas Orthodox

■ 'It's been a great avocation, and I've always been able to make a few dollars.'

Phil Gram

Church in Farmington Hills where he is a member. He's also a booking agent for musicians.

Disc jockeys are the biggest threat to musicians today, Gram said adding that ironically musicians make recordings and disc jockeys use those recordings to take away jobs. The trend, though, he said, is returning to live bands.

Forty years ago, Gram was asked to go on the road with a band, and although he was single, he decided he wanted a more stable lifestyle.

He went on to graduate from the Detroit Institute of Technology with a bachelor's degree in marketing, married Norka and had three children, Marcella, Margeaux and Michele.

Referring to his music and family, Gram said: "Who says you can't have both?"

"I'm glad I can still play and enjoy it," he added.

Art triumphs over disability at festival

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
SPECIAL WRITER

Very Special Arts Southeast Michigan will present its third annual festival to celebrate the power of artistic creativity over physical and mental challenges 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday and Saturday at Laurel Park Place mall, Six Mile and Newburgh in Livonia.

Among the musical performers will be a vocal choir from the Burger Center for the Autistic in Garden City, and the Schoolcraft Players, a chime choir from Redford.

Live musical and dance perfor-

mances, hands-on art activities, demonstrations, and a statewide art exhibition spotlight the uplifting Very Special Arts programs shared throughout the year by children and adults with hearing, sight, mobility, emotional and developmental impairments.

"It's definitely something for the family. We're going to have visual art. They can enjoy the performances, learn about dance therapy, or make something," said festival co-chair, Connie Lott. "We want to invite schools from all over the area to come over and take a look."

Very Special Arts was founded

for children and adults who could not participate in the sports of Special Olympics. The festival serves as a model for the ways that the arts can be used to integrate the disabled and non-disabled in cultural and educational activities, said Lott. It is part of a larger, ongoing program of year-round arts experiences taking place in schools and communities.

Founded in 1973, the Burger Center for the Autistic is the largest public school program in the nation and serves as one of those settings, encompassing the entire Wayne County area.

The Burger Choir will perform 10:30-11 a.m. Friday; the Schoolcraft Players 11:30 a.m. to noon Saturday. The 30 member choir is the only autistic choir in the country, and one of only two in the world. Since forming in 1987, the group has sung the national anthem at Tiger Stadium and presented Christmas concerts at Westland and Wonderland malls.

After recording the school song, "Reaching Rainbows," at a professional studio, interest in autism by the media spurred an appearance on the Kelly & Co. show. "Autism is a developmental disability, a brain disorder, usual-

ly diagnosed by 18 months of age. The choir is to help the child develop communicative skills that will stimulate daily living skills and social skills," said choir director Stan Bialach. "It's not a choir of perfect technique. It's a choir of perfect emotion. It keeps a happy medium of sound in their lives."

The choir, spotlighting vocal and trumpet soloists from within the group, will perform the selections "I Wanna Know What Love Is," "Reaching Rainbows," "Save the Sunlight" and "One Moment in Time."

OBITUARIES

NEIL C. GASCO

Funeral services for Mr. Gasco, 56, of Westland were April 5 in Ziomek Funeral Home, Livonia. The Rev. Roy Forysth officiated.

Mr. Gasco, who died April 3 in St. Mary Hospital, Livonia, was born in Wayne.

Surviving Mr. Gasco are: wife, Barbara; sons, Tim and Gary; mother, Pauline; sister, Barbara Gasco; and three grandchildren.

JAMES K. MOREY

A memorial service for Mr. Morey, 54, of Westland was held today from the Vermeulen Memorial Trust 100 Funeral Home with Rev. Robert Millar officiating.

Mr. Morey, who formerly lived

in Garden City, died April 26 in Savannah, Ga. Born June 14, 1938, in Saginaw, he was an insurance claim adjuster with Gab Business Service, Inc., Birmingham, for 17 years.

Survivors are wife Karen; daughters Lynn Hunley of Canton Township and Sara Morey of Westland; mother Emily Morey of Saginaw; brother David of Blains, Wash., and sisters Carol Collision, Lois Mrozinski, Ronnie Neuman and Mary Ellen Namelis, all of Saginaw.

Memorials may be donated to the American Heart Association of Michigan/Wayne County Unit,

P.O. Box 721129, Berkley, Mich. 48072.

THEODORE RICHARD KUSZYNSKI

Services for Mr. Kuszynski, 68, of Westland were April 27 in St. Richard Catholic Church, Westland, with entombment in St. Hedwig Cemetery, Dearborn Heights. The Rev. John Hall officiated.

Mr. Kuszynski died April 24 in Dearborn Heights. Born Aug. 10, 1924, in Detroit, he was a retired 30-year General Motors employee who worked at the parts division. Survivors are mother, Frances

Kuszynski of Westland; and brother, Robert of Detroit.

Arrangements were by the Vermeulen Memorial Trust 100 Funeral Home, Westland.

Memorials may be donated to St. Richard Church, 35851 Cherry Hill, Westland 48185.

BETTY ANN FUKUDA

Services for Mrs. Fukuda, 60, of Westland are scheduled for Friday at Prospect Cemetery, Prospect, Ohio.

Mrs. Fukuda died April 27 in Wayne.

Born Sept. 6, 1932, in Pittsburgh, Pa., she was a registered

nurse, member of Emanuel Lutheran Church in Marion, Ohio, and St. Matthew Lutheran Church, Westland.

Survivors are sons Karl Dune of Fayetteville, N.C., Greg Dune of Madison Heights and Jeff Dune of Fayetteville; daughter Sharon Sisson of Marion, Ohio; grandchildren, Brian Sisson, Karl Dune, Daniel Dune, Sarah Dune, Joey Dune, Brandon Dune and Dawn Marie Arthur; and sister Carol Paulins of Ohio.

Memorials may be donated to the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation.

Arrangements were by the Vermeulen Memorial Trust 100 Funeral Home, Westland.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

May 13, 1993

CITY OF GARDEN CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Regular Public Hearing will be held by the Planning Commission at the Council Chambers of the Civic Center, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan on Thursday, May 13, 1993, at 7:30 P.M., for the purpose of hearing and considering all comments of all persons interested in or concerned with the following request(s):

Item 5-93-003 Crestwood Dodge/G.C. Auto Mart 93-6 Adjacent to 2071 and 2072 Cardwell

Solicitation of public comments on request for a Street Vacation Right-of-Way at Cardwell Avenue from Ford Road 100' south along 30' right-of-way, in a C-3 (General Business) District.

Legal: Lots 17-24, Birchlawn Subdivision

The applicant's submittal materials are available for public review at the Garden City Planning Office, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan, (313) 525-8882. All persons interested in any of the above are hereby invited to attend this Public Hearing and be heard.

RONALD D. SHOWALTER, City Clerk-Treasurer

Posted: May 1, 1993
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Item 5-93-002

Garden City Hospital
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PC 93-7

Solicitation of public comments on request for a Site Plan pursuant to Zoning Code Section 161.222 to construct a new parking lot, by demolishing existing church, in a PD (Planned Development) District.

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11-02-0009-002 11-02-0145-000
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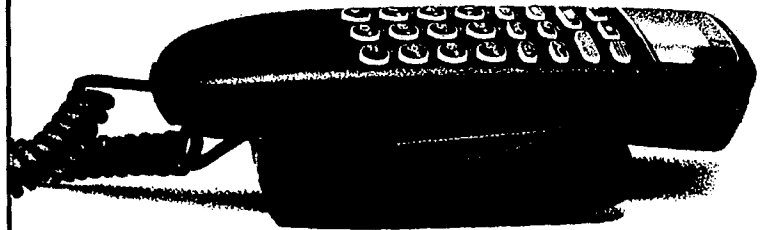
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RAYMOND E. BULLOCK

SKY WATCH
If April qualified as T. S. Eliot's "cruellest month," then May will qualify as one of the most frustrating for skywatchers. The annual Eta Aquarid meteor shower will be disappointing, and there will be an underwhelm-

ing partial solar eclipse. The former has to compete with the full moon, while the latter will be so insignificant from Michigan it will be possible to miss it altogether. On the plus side, it will be possible to see Venus in broad daylight, Mercury will be well-placed for spotting by month's end, Mars enters the "Beehive," and Jupiter has an extremely close encounter with Eta Virginis. (Not to worry about the description that fol-

lows; this is a family newspaper.) Venus will be about eight degrees above the east horizon at 5:45 a.m. on May 1. Sunrise will be at 6:28 a.m., so if you keep track of Venus during that 43-minute interval, you will know where to look to see it once the sun has cleared the horizon. Or you can wait 17 days for the moon to get in position and use it to point the way to Venus. (The moon is easier to find in daylight.)

The planet Mars will be high in the west southwest around 9:20 p.m. (about 45 minutes after sunset) on the 1st; look for a bright red "star." Mars is located in the faint constellation of Cancer the crab and will be the brightest object in that area of the sky. It will cross into Leo on the last day of this month. Jupiter will be easy to locate, in Virgo, on the evening of the 2nd. Jupiter will look like a bright star eight degrees to the left of the

moon. Notice the 4th magnitude star one degree (two full moon diameters) above and to the right of Jupiter. That star is named Eta Virginis (vir GIN is). Raymond Bullock is the former coordinator of the planetarium and observatory at the Cranbrook Institute of Science, Bloomfield Hills. He is now with a Troy laser firm which specializes in displays and special effects. You can leave him a message at 953-2047, Ext. 1852.



Wildflower: Bloodroot is a spring wildflower that grows in rich moist woodlands and blooms for just a few days.

Distinctive leaves help hikers spot bloodroot

NATURE TRAILS



TIMOTHY NOWICKI

In the natural world there are many different kinds of life. There are large trees, medium-sized deer and microscopic pond life. Some of these organisms live a long time compared to the others. Trees, for instance, may live hundreds of years, while at the other end of the scale, microscopic animals may live only a few days.

Though 100 years may seem like a long time for an organism to live, when it comes to geological time, it is very ephemeral. Many spring time events are also ephemeral and must be experienced when the opportunity arises. Walking trails on a regular basis is the best way to make sure these fleeting events are observed.

In spring, forests are alive with life of many forms. Amphibians amble, or hop down to vernal ponds created by melting snow and spring rains. Eggs are laid and young develop in a matter of days before the ponds dry up.

Birds migrating through the area on their way north to breeding grounds only stay around for a few days. They cannot afford to stay long because the breeding period far to the north is shorter than it is in southeastern Michigan.

Flowers, too, are ephemeral. Leaves and stem of a plant may persist for long periods, but because flowers are designed to attract insects, or produce pollen, so that seeds can be produced, they cannot persist forever.

Bloodroot is a spring wildflower that grows in rich moist woodlands and blooms for just a few days. Its 8-16 white petals are striking against the neutral tones of the forest floor.

Leaves of bloodroot are large and distinctly shaped, which makes it easy to identify this plant. If a small part of the leaf is torn and examined carefully, red liquid can be seen oozing from the leaf. Bloodroot derives its name from this red liquid.

American Indians would take extracts of this liquid from the root of the plant and use the red juice for ceremonial paint, an insect repellent and to dye their cloths and porcupine quills. Porcupine quills were frequently used to decorate baskets and other items.

Pioneers used a small amount of the juice on a lump of sugar to serve as a cough medicine. It was also used in medicine to cure sick mules.

Unfortunately, the petals of bloodroot only last a few days, and then all that remains for the rest of spring and into summer are the leaves. But walking trails frequently will allow an observant hiker to enjoy these ephemeral events.

Tim Nowicki is a naturalist at Independence Oaks County Park in Oakland County. He lives in Livonia. You can leave him a message using a touch-tone phone at 953-2047, mailbox 1874.

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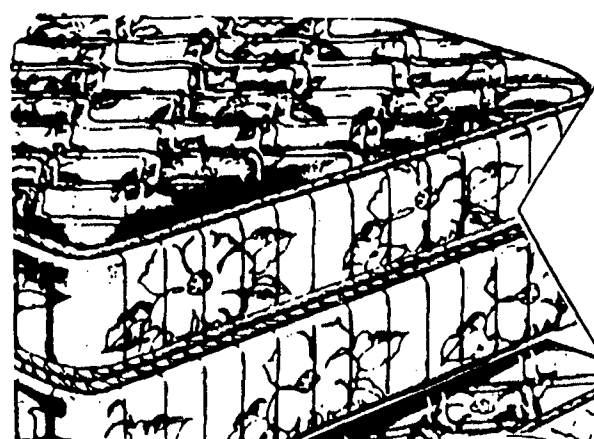
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The seventh Annual Mothers' Peace Day Brunch held by Women's Action for New Directions is dedicated to the mothers and daughters who are rape victims in Bosnia.

Three area women — Althea Grant, Debra Cain and Jan Findlater — will be honored by WAND at 9:30 a.m. Thursday,

May 6 at The Community House, 380 Bates St., Birmingham, for their outstanding contributions toward ending violence against women.

Reservations can be made by calling 332-0844.

Althea Grant is in the front lines as director of the Rape Counseling Center of the Detroit

Police Department. Grant trains police to better respond to rape victims. She is the mentor of many women in the rape crisis movement.

Debra Cain was the longtime director of the Haven in Pontiac, a leader among Michigan's domestic shelters and rape crisis centers. At present, she is director of the Sexual Assault Prevention and Awareness Center at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

Jan Findlater is a law professor at Wayne State University Law School. She played a key role in amending Michigan's criminal sexual conduct statute to make marital rape illegal. She is vice-chair of the Domestic Violence Prevention and Treatment Board that oversees funding for Michigan's domestic violence shelters. The keynote address will be delivered by WAND's national executive director, Susan Shaer is a native of Indiana with degrees from Bowling Green State University and American University in Washington, D.C. During her residence in Massachusetts, she was president of the state League of Women Voters and budget director of the league's national board. Before assuming the directorship of WAND early this year, Shaer was campaign director for Barbara Hildt, who ran for Congress in Massachusetts.

WAND, Women's Action for New Directions, is a national organization with local affiliates. WAND's mission is to "empower women to act politically to reduce militarism and violence and to redirect military resources to human and environmental needs."

Corktown tour planned May 16

Detroit's oldest neighborhood, Corktown, is opening its doors to the greater Detroit community once again. From noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, May 16, the Corktown Historical Society and the Greater Corktown Economic Development Corporation will sponsor the Seventh Annual Historic Corktown Homes Tour at Michigan Avenue and the Lodge Freeway.

there will be a photo exhibit tracing the history of the area, which dates to 1834.

Food booths, and open-air market featuring antiques and collectibles as well as entertainment will add to the festive atmosphere. Tickets are \$8 in advance and \$10 the day of the tour. For more information, or to purchase tickets, contact the Corktown offices at 1459 Bagley or call 962-5660.

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School crisis

Students face painful cuts

The ax has fallen on many Wayne-Westland school district educational programs and services.

From busing for secondary school students to sports, many programs will be eliminated or sharply curtailed.

The board of education, which reluctantly approved the \$14 million in spending cuts Monday night, acted on the recommendation of Superintendent Larry Thomas. The board held two nights of public hearings last week to gain residents' input on how the cuts should be shaped.

The spending cut represents 16 percent of the district's \$86 million budget.

While the cuts may be painful to thousands of students and their parents, it shouldn't be a surprise.

Voters on April 5 overwhelmingly rejected a property tax renewal and a Headlee Amendment tax limitation waiver. Clearly, voters made their decision on how much of a tax burden they can handle. Fair or not, the community spoke.

The next step is to have the board of education decide what type of educational program to offer students.

The Observer applauds the board for retaining the basic academic programs and cutting others. While the Observer has consistently supported fine arts programs, they should not get a higher priority than language arts, math and other academic subjects.

Will the cuts be painful for many and inconvenient for others? Of course, but the voters 3½ weeks ago put a lid on the amount of money available for the school board.

While the school board has the final word on some of the planned cuts, employee groups should consider another recommendation from the superintendent: Freeze pay schedules or take a pay cut. The first in line is Thomas him-

■ The Wayne-Westland school district's financial crisis is worsening in the wake of major budget cuts which will affect nearly every segment of the educational system.

self, hired nearly a year ago.

Employees, particularly the teachers' union, should join in taking wage concessions for several reasons. One is that it's the largest employee group with nearly 1,000 members. Second, the average teachers' salary of about \$47,000 is well above the median household income of local families, which is \$35,000 based on the U.S. Census of 1990.

Employees at all levels should look at wage freezes. The simple economic reason is that in any service organization labor costs make up the largest chunk of expenses. While the board and administration can eliminate management positions to save money, that doesn't go far enough when 16 percent of the budget needs to be cut.

Thomas noted that the cuts are necessary because the district, under state law, must have a balanced budget. The cuts aren't meant to punish voters for rejecting the tax proposals, he said.

The board is wise to reject a suggestion to commit financial and political suicide by taking the same route Kalkaska schools did last month — make no program cuts, spend the money until it runs out and then close schools early.

Wayne-Westland school officials should act more mature and do what they can locally before defying the law and common sense.

In any case, the cuts, while painful, will be implemented and the community will have to adjust.

When in doubt, just hang up

When it comes to suspicious telephone solicitors, let's borrow a tactic (and the phraseology) of the anti-drug zealots, who tell us: "Just say no."

Now the good advice is: "Just hang up." Slam the phone on those pesky, annoying, overbearing — and often unscrupulous — telephone solicitors, if you don't like what you're hearing.

In so doing, you'll be joining authorities from across the state who have launched a "Project Hang Up" campaign to put con-artist callers permanently on hold.

The Michigan State Police Troopers Association, according to press reports, organized the effort after people began complaining about mistreatment from fund-raisers claiming to represent law enforcement groups.

Indeed, many local telephones are rung to raise funds for POA (police union) causes, but very rarely is it a police officer doing the calling and asking. It's probably someone from an independent telemarketing firm on the other end of the line.

Many residents complain about such begging calls. They can be annoying, especially when they come at dinner time. Small business owners and the elderly are favorite targets of the telemarketer, who preys on their fear of crime.

Some boiler-room beggars claim to be raising money for bulletproof vests for cops or playground equipment for kids or drug education programs in schools.

Sometimes special treatment for the giver ("Hey, put our bumper sticker on your car") is implied, or there is a hint that police response

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time won't be as fast without the donor's help.

Some solicitations are on the level, however annoying, but many are unscrupulous. Such scams bilk state residents out of as much as \$15 million a year and damage the image of law enforcement agencies, an Associated Press report said recently.

Now, we're not against police unions soliciting. We're not even against telemarketing with its boiler room operations. You can always say no and . . . just hang up.

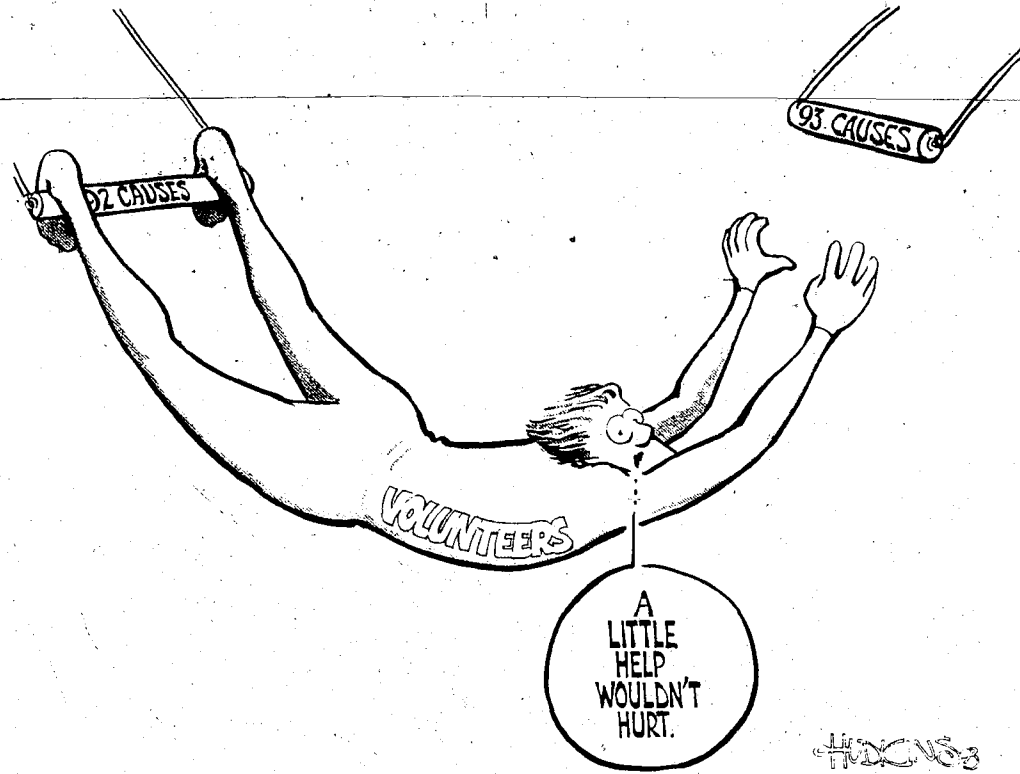
Citizens who are thinking of giving an answer to a telephone plea should feel free to ask plenty of questions if they have any doubt. If the caller is rude or evasive, or if there is the least little suspicion, yep, you guessed it: Just hang up!

A new state law that took effect last December requires solicitors to register with the state and forbids them to say things that might intimidate people to give.

We're happy to have the help from Lansing. But residents should remember that they hold the real power here, hold it in their hands — the hands that hold the telephones.

Oh, was that noise we just heard the sound of a telephone receiver being slammed down?

ARKIE HUDKINS



LETTERS

Cuts: insanity

I sat through about 10 hours of depressing meetings this past week, meetings of the Wayne-Westland school board at which the superintendent was required to recommend a budget which would reflect the loss of some \$14 million due to the April 5 defeat of two millage proposals. I thought of the human cost involved in all these possible changes. Many people would be out of jobs. Programs which someone had grown to value would be eliminated. Some schools might close. Buses might not run. All non-instructional programs might be eliminated.

I am not much of a political animal. Certainly, I am not sophisticated about school finances. I wondered why I was there. I was the only minister present. Presbyterians have always supported public education.

Some of my interest is selfish. My wife is a special education paraprofessional at Roosevelt-McGrath school. Almost daily I hear the stories of this or that child taking one step toward growth and flourishing. She works with the most vulnerable, the severely mentally handicapped. Her work there along with some reading has helped me come up with a definition of a good society: A good society is a place where the most vulnerable of its citizens are enabled to grow and flourish.

As I sat through this meat ax approach to school financing mandated by the public I could not help but wonder that if this is what the community thinks of its children, what does it think of these most strange of its children — its mentally and physically disadvantaged. Leonard Posey, school board president, called it "educational homicide." I thought it was insanity. My fears about the demonic in this community were confirmed.

Our children do not deserve to bear the brunt of public irresponsibility. I hope we will do better in the future. I am not terribly optimistic.

Neil Cowling, Westland

Residency stressed

Regarding the story ("Local residency urged for school officials," printed April 22), I agree with (school board member) Francis Winters' opinion that we need some residency guidelines for our school administrators.

I feel that someone who draws a salary from the district should live in the district.

In the instance of (school superintendent) Larry Thomas, however, my main concern is his residency, but not in regard to salary. How confident can we feel about a school superintendent who doesn't want to live in the district he is responsible for until his own children are finished with their education in a different district?

DeLoa Milbank, Westland

Dems after Engler

Certain Michigan public employees' unions are so blinded by their hatred for Gov. Engler that they are willing to destroy our public schools to prove their point. Some of these unions are distributing anti-Proposal A material.

They must realize that Proposal A is the last and best hope for solving the property tax/school finance issue in this state. The failure of Proposal A on June 2 will release a torrent of taxpayer fury on the unions and the Democratic Party. Failure of Proposal A will likely place the Michigan House of Representatives solidly in Republican hands in 1994. The Michigan Education Association, AFL-CIO, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees and other unions will find themselves with a major investment in a minority party.

Most voters realize that the Democrats and their unions want property tax reform to fail. Engler ran on the promise of property tax reform. The Democratic "Grand Design" is to fight any Engler-backed property tax reform plan. Defeat of property tax reform will, according to Democratic thinking, destroy Gov. Engler's chances for re-election in 1994.

The defeat of Proposal A will plunge the state into political chaos — school districts will be closing all over the state.

To my Democratic friends I would say this: Gov. Engler staked out the high ground on the property tax issue a long time ago. So what! Let's get on with improving Michigan as a place to live and work, and do business. Don't fight the taxpayers!

Walter Warren, Westland Taxpayers Union

Story unfair

We the Wayne-Westland school people, and especially the Adams Junior High School patrons, join in voicing our concern over your April 15, front page article by Darrell Clem, concerning weapons at Marshall Junior High School.

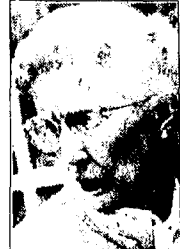
The writer used the last paragraph to cover a late night shooting that took place on the Adams grounds to, I assume, help rile the readers. What audacity to include a non-related incident, degrading Adams Junior High, to help emphasize an article about weapons in schools. Where is the relevance?

Walter Durant, principal

COMMUNITY VOICE

QUESTION:

Should Wayne-Westland school employees accept a pay cut to help combat a \$14-million budget deficit?



"I think they get too much money."
Latha Bosell
Westland



"Yes."
Richard Mohrlock
Westland



"Sure."
Ken Femat
Westland



"I have no idea. I haven't lived here very long."
Cindy DeCoursein
Westland

We asked this question at the Westland Post Office.

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POINTS OF VIEW

Meddlers object to educational new concepts

Some school board races across Michigan remind one of Mark Twain's "Huckleberry Finn" where Pap Finn berates his son for learning to read:

"Who told you you might meddle with such hifalut'n foolishness, hey? The widow, hey? Well, I'll learn her how to meddle. And looky here — you drop that school, you hear? I'll learn people to bring up a boy to put on airs over his own father."

Public education is under attack by a new kind of Pap Finn, sometimes called the "religious right" or "impact evangelicals." Their theme is parental authority in the extreme.

We're not talking about just parental interest (good) but parental attempts to rewrite school curriculum from a narrow, sectarian viewpoint.

On the side of public education is General Motors — but I'm getting ahead of the story.

Take the vehement attack on the

Michigan Model for Comprehensive Health Education signed by Sens. Gil DiNello and Doug Carl of Macomb County and Bob Geake of Northville.

It sees "social engineers" in education trying to take over as surrogate parents. It objects to use of Problem Solving with People (PSP) techniques, concluding: "This has the effect of undermining parental authority." It calls for dismantling the State Board of Education and most curriculum laws.

Objecting to the teaching of decision-making techniques, a Northville mother complained to The Record: "We don't want children to have this much choice; children have to be told what's right and what's wrong."

A Livonia father, writing to the Observer, parrots objections to a local program: "Children are grouped in an inward circle, and they discuss problems (even if they don't feel they have any) and possible solutions. The facilitator is not allowed to pass judgment on



TIM RICHARD

ANY student-generated idea. Supposedly every response is treated as legitimate, whether right or wrong (moral equivalency). The students then vote on the 'correct answer.' . . . That child then begins to question the validity of their developing values derived from parents."

The evangelical line objects to "fostering self-esteem" as against

Scripture. You're shouldn't "feel good about yourself" because "there is a criminal inside that needs to be put to death daily."

Most of us realize the accusations that schools are promoting Eastern mysticism are ignorant nonsense.

What Michigan schools are trying to teach is group problem solving as opposed to the lecture system and rote learning.

Under a recent state law, students are developing portfolios of employability skills, including group problem solving. No wonder the Pap Finns want to abolish state curriculum laws.

General Motors figures into this. Syndicated columnist Mary McGrory wrote last December about GM's Saturn plant in Tennessee:

"(I)t's a whole way of life . . . where GM executives and United Auto Workers professionals work in total partnership . . . Spring Hill's premise is that happy

workers make better products. And why are they happy? Because they are making their own decisions every step of the way. They have 15-member teams that have great latitude and great responsibility in everything from setting their work schedules and choosing their parts suppliers to cleaning up after themselves . . .

The core idea — democracy in the workplace — is, embarrassingly enough, an import from Japan, which figured labor-management hostility a drag."

Most good people see no threat in Michigan's new approaches to learning. The challenge is coming from folks who have been fed an extreme point of view from a nationwide evangelical movement that imagines Satan in every public classroom.

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Reconsider pros, cons of homosexual rights

What consenting adults do in the privacy of their own home is their own business.

That statement applies to politics, religion and sex.

The operative words are *consenting* and *adults*. Forcing someone to do something they'd rather not do, or involving children in illegal or immoral activities, is simply unacceptable.

Having said so, I have reached my limit on articles about gay people.

If you regularly read newspapers and magazines, you'll notice it's been impossible to go for more than 24 hours without reading a story about gay people.

Gay men living together. Lesbians raising children. Awareness of homosexuality. Sexuality classes in schools. Groups that condemn gay lifestyles. Senators who condemn gay soldiers. Companies that offer employee benefits to same-sex partners. Publicly gay men who drag privately gay men into the public spotlight. Gay corporate executives who live in fear of having their lifestyles exposed. Companies that dis-

criminate against employees suspected of being gay. Restaurants that announce they will not hire gay help.

That's not all. I haven't even gotten into the religious arguments yet — gay priests welcomed by their congregations, gay priests kicked out of their churches, heterosexual priests presiding at gay marriages . . .

Enough. The pro- and anti-gay forces are doing themselves more harm than good. Both groups need to retreat, regroup and review the message they're sending out.

First, the anti-gay forces: No one believes for a moment that you lead the prim, squeaky-clean lifestyles you would force on others.

It's great to turn on CNN and watch U.S. senators and "experts" rail against gay soldiers, in particular, and gay lifestyles in general, as though they are a blight on society and a rip in America's moral fabric.

These are the same hypocrites who cheat on their spouses and make a mess of it in public, ruin themselves and their careers, drag their families



PHILIP SHERMAN

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down with them and, just for good measure, embezzle a little tax money on their way out of town. Fine examples all of upstanding American behavior.

And let's not forget the Tailhook convention — an outstanding example of responsible heterosexual behavior on the part of 140 high-ranking Navy and Marine officers. Those officers were representatives of the same military groups that think homosexuals in their ranks will cause all kinds of gender problems.

Second, the pro-gay forces are no better. Apparently it isn't enough to tolerate their lifestyles — they require approval as well.

It doesn't say anything about approval in the Constitution when religion or politics is discussed. It says they must and will be tolerated.

One's sexual orientation is no more or less important than religion or politics. When, for example, the religious fanatics rear up, they get slapped down by a public that says we aren't interested — do as you wish, but do not re-

quire my participation.

Pro-gay forces are absolutely correct to insist on equal standing in this country. They should not have to hide or live in fear. They should not be outlawed. They should enjoy the same rights anyone else does.

That does not mean they should expect anyone to go beyond tolerance and celebrate their lifestyles. Tolerance, on equal footing with the numerous religious and political groups in America, should be enough for anyone.

Overall, both sides need to remember something: We're talking about sex. It doesn't deserve a 10th of the discussion it has generated, and, in fact, is cheapened the more it's discussed.

Besides, no one should be so ignorant as to step up and define what is "normal" in this realm.

Normal is defined by the participants.

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It's back to future for jobs with Guv's revisionist plan

America's — and Michigan's — difficulties in adjusting to a global competitive economy have provoked a sea change in attitude. For the first time in a generation, there now exists a consensus ranging from business leaders to government bureaucrats, from labor leaders to educators, from Republicans to Democrats:

■ Much of America's competitiveness problems comes from the lack of skills in the workforce.

■ American school leaders and workers have fewer work-related skills than our foreign competitors.

■ Jobs requiring low skills can be exported anywhere around the world. Conversely, if Americans are no more productive than Mexican workers, the best wages we can expect are at the Mexican level.

■ We need to attack the skills deficit both for school leavers and for workers who are at risk of being displaced because they possess obsolete skills.

■ Because the skills deficit exists throughout the entire economy, the appropriate remedy is universal and should not be targeted at subgroups such as the poor or minorities.

Recently political history bears out the consensus.

Jim Blanchard, as governor, recognized the skills need when he consolidated management for the maze of job training programs that existed in Michigan. Keyed around the Michigan Opportunity Card, the system sought to offer job training to anybody who needed it, with a minimum of bureaucratic fuss.

The program excited a lot of national attention. It formed the basis for George Bush's Job Training 2000 proposal during the last year of his presidency, and it triggered much of President Bill Clinton's campaign rhetoric last year.

Interestingly, one of John Engler's first acts after becoming governor in 1991 was to tear apart the entire system erected by Blanchard. I criticized this at the time, arguing the program wasn't worthless merely because it wasn't invented by the Engler Administration.

And so nobody was surprised when Engler earlier this year signed a package of executive



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orders that, in effect, re-established the integrated system pioneered by Blanchard. A Michigan Jobs Commission will oversee both economic expansion and workforce development. A Governor's Workforce Commission replaces the old Michigan Job Training Coordinating Council but does largely the same thing.

The phraseology in the press release was striking: "A single user-friendly system that will replace the confusing and wasteful maze of bureaucratic job training programs."

Republican Engler even praised Democrat Clinton's hopes of creating a "new unified job training system." I remember writing stuff like that when I was trying to get the same idea off the ground back in the late 1980s.

Engler has made a sensible appointment to head the Workforce Commission: Juanita Pierman, director of governmental affairs for Kelly Services. She works for a corporation that assesses the skill and then trains more people than any organization in America except the armed services.

The consensus on workforce skills is solid. Whether Blanchard or Engler, Bush or Clinton, the public policy thrust is the same. The real question is whether government can find enough tough-minded results-oriented people to convert public policy prescription into reality.

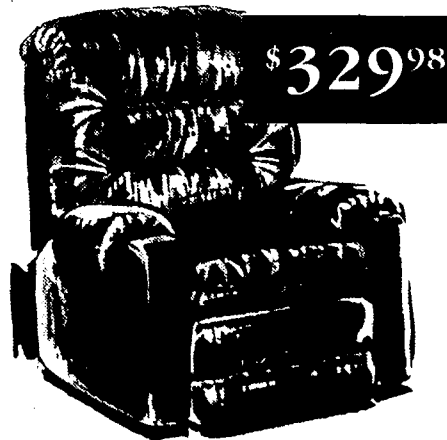
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Retiring SC philosophy prof recalls college's early years

BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW
STAFF WRITER

If Schoolcraft College was a Navy boat, philosophy professor Angelo Chinni would be a plank owner.

In Navy lore, if you were part of the original crew of a new boat, you were entitled to one of the boat's planks when the vessel was decommissioned.

Chinni (pronounced Keeny) started teaching at Schoolcraft in the first year of the college's existence, 1964.

It's unknown if he'll be awarded a Schoolcraft plank upon his retirement April 30, but the 62-year-old first-generation American will settle for a pension and the good wishes of staff and students.

Born 100 percent Italian in Detroit, Chinni graduated from Eastern High School (now Martin Luther King Jr. High School) in 1949.

Bucking the odds, he was one of 10 percent of his graduating class to attend college. Chinni worked his way through Wayne State University and the University of Detroit on a summer job at Dodge Main in Hamtramck paying \$1.50 an hour.

One day at Wayne State, Chinni attended a philosophy lecture on a lark and found his calling. "Students now would find it hard to believe that you would just go in and listen to a lecture," he said.

Philosophy became a serious avocation for Chinni, and he spent the next 13 years or so figuring out how to get paid for it.

Graduating from U-D in 1953, Chinni clerked for three years in the Army, then took an elementary teaching job in the Detroit schools. In his spare time he chiseled away at the courses required for a master's degree in philosophy.

By 1964 he had the degree, and some new-fangled thing called a community college was opening up in Livonia. Chinni reached for the brass ring and came up with a part-time job teaching political

science to Schoolcraft College's inaugural freshman class.

It was something of an atypical political science class in that Chinni often digressed to include a philosophical analysis of politics, leading some of his students to inquire as to the availability of a straight philosophy class the following year.

Chinni pitched it to the administration. "We were young, new, very flexible," he said. "Bang!" Schoolcraft had its first philosophy class in 1965 and Chinni quit the Detroit schools to go full time with Schoolcraft.

"Some of the teachers I worked with in Detroit said, 'What are you, crazy?'" Chinni said. "They made the same mistake most people make. They think of it in

terms of money." At the time Schoolcraft paid less than Detroit schools.

Since then life has been an outstanding success for Chinni. There's no telling how many students have passed through his classroom, but the number is large. Members of that freshman political science class in 1964 are now in their late 40s and early 50s, which Chinni finds "mind boggling."

In retirement Chinni plans to travel the country with wife Mary Rita, and he figures he's getting out at the right time, while vitality still occupies his id.

"I've seen people wait too long (to retire), and they don't want to do anything. It's too much trouble."

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WESTLAND SPORTS SCENE

Observerland May 8

The 23rd annual Observerland Boys Track Relays will be Saturday, May 8, at Redford Union's Howard Kraft Field (Hilbert Junior High), located at the intersection of Puritan and Kinloch, a half-mile north of Five Mile between Inkster and Beech Daly roads.

Defending champion Redford Catholic Central heads the 13-school field.

The Shamrocks will be joined by 1992 runner-up Livonia Churchill, Livonia Franklin, Livonia Stevenson, Plymouth Canton, Plymouth Salem, Redford Bishop Borgess, Westland John Glenn, Wayne Memorial, Garden City, Southfield-Lathrup, Northville and host RU.

Field events get underway at 3:30 p.m. with preliminary running heats starting at 6 p.m. The final heats begin at 7 p.m.

Relay field events scheduled include the pole vault, high jump, long jump, discus, shot put. Running relay events include 400 meters, 800, 1,600, 3,200, 6,400, sprint medley, distance medley and shuttle hurdle. Individual races scheduled include 100, 1,600 and 110 hurdles.

Admission is \$3 for adults and \$2 for senior citizens and elementary school students.

Crusaders finish 2nd

Coach Tim DeBeliso's 18-and-under Crusader Junior AAU volleyball team finished second last weekend at the Aquinas College Tournament with a 5-1 record.

East Kentwood beat the Crusader Juniors, 15-9, 15-11, in the championship match. In the semifinals, Crusader defeated Genesee, 15-8, 15-3.

Members of the weekend tournament team included Patty Diamond and Julie Martin, both of Livonia Stevenson; Daune Koester, Redford Thurston; Kelly McCausland, Redford Union; Debbie Schroeder, Farmington, Toby Cain, Wayne Memorial, Jill Smith, Westland John Glenn; Amanda Baranski, Birmingham Marian; Jennifer Lower, Northville; and Therese Strunk, Harper Woods Bishop Gallagher.

Other Crusader members, unable to attend, the tournament tournament, include Stephanie Storen, Marian; Larisa Grinbergs, West Bloomfield; and Karen Merritt, Troy.



JIM JAGDFELD/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Golden arm: Livonia Churchill's Karen Jose, a junior, has 39 strikeouts in 21 innings while allowing just two hits. The Chargers are off to a 3-0 start.

Chargers make strong pitch



Livonia Churchill has put it all together in the early going of the season. The Chargers' latest victim was city rival Livonia Franklin in a WLA-Western Division game.

BY BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

It's only three games into the softball season, but Livonia Churchill's softball team seems to be hitting on all cylinders.

The Chargers, Observerland's most improved team last year with a 17-6 overall record and a district championship to its credit, made it three straight on the 1993 season with a 5-0 victory Monday at home against city rival Franklin.

Pitcher Karen Jose, a junior right-hander, continued to impress in the early going, striking a one-hitter to go along with 11 strikeouts against the Patriots, who fell to 7-6 overall.

"I was fairly worried because they (Franklin) had 12 games under their belt to our two," Churchill second-year coach Dana Hardwidge said. "I'm really pleased with Karen's consistency. She's really working at it, but it's still early in the season."

In 21 innings this season, Jose has allowed only two hits and a walk while fanning 39.

"She's quicker this year," Franklin coach Joe Epstein said. "If you stay off the high pitch, you might be able to hit her. But the biggest thing is that she doesn't walk anybody."

"She reminds a little bit of my Jenny Mayle (Franklin's former ace). She puts the ball over the plate, and she's fast."

Epstein ought to know a thing or two about pitchers. His Patriots, behind the crafty Tracy Lektka, reached

the 1985 state Class A championship and won it all in 1986. With Mayle on the mound, Franklin gained the 1990 state title game before losing to Jenison.

"Kelly Holmes (of Plymouth Canton) may a better pitcher, but if they (Churchill) can get a few runs, they can beat a team like Canton (1992 state Class A runnerup)," Epstein said. "Churchill's got a good, sound ballclub, no real holes to speak of."

But before Hardwidge, Jose or Churchill concern themselves with Canton next Thursday (at home), the Chargers continue to look for offense vacated by last year's hard-hitting shortstop Vicki Lucas, who knocked in 42 runs during moving on to Central Michigan University.

The Chargers got out of the blocks quickly against Franklin, scoring twice in the opening inning off Patriot hurler Michelle Averill.

Angie Cerne delivered an RBI single, while Jose helped herself with an RBI double for a 2-0 Churchill lead.

The Chargers added another run in the fourth when Karla Karoub singled and scored on Dayna Landry's single.

Churchill added single runs in the fifth and sixth on RBI singles by Jose and Melissa Sochacki, respectively.

"We put our bats on the ball and we played pretty solid defense," Hardwidge said. "I'm pleased offensively. We're getting hits from all part

See CHARGERS, 3B

Rockets' ride bumpy vs. Start

After playing the nation's No. 5 ranked baseball team (by USA Today) on Saturday, Westland John Glenn was glad to be back on safe ground, the Western Lakes Activities Association diamonds, on Monday.

Senior right-hander Jarrod Hura threw a three-hitter, leading the Rockets (7-2 overall) to a 9-0 Lakes Division win over host North Farmington.

Hura struck out five and walked only one in seven innings to gain the victory.

He also received plenty of offensive support.

Aaron Scheffer went 2-for-4, including a double, with two RBI. Greg Nesbitt contributed two hits and knocked in a run, while Derek Besco added a two-run double.

Aaron Shepherd had two hits for North (0-3).

Raiders' pitcher Darin Glasser, who went all seven innings, took the loss.

Glenn won two of three games before losing to nationally ranked Toledo (Ohio) Start in the Ypsilanti Invitational.

Start (11-0) cruised to a 9-3 victory as Besco, the Glenn starter and loser, worked 4 1/2 innings before giving way to Scheffer.

"Their (Start's) No. 2 pitcher was throwing in the 90s (MPH) and their shortstop is getting a full-ride to Ohio State," Glenn coach Norm Hoenes said. "Their outfielders could also throw the ball on a line from the fence."

"We played tentative, and I think we were a little intimidated by them."

Glenn reached the final by whipping Willow Run, 13-1 (mercy rule), as the Besco brothers, Derek and Brian, combined for four hits and six RBI. Derek clubbed a solo homer in the win, while Nesbitt tossed a one-hitter.

The Rockets' Jeromey Cosby and Derek Besco each homered in Friday's 19-8 (mercy rule) victory over the host Braves.

CHURCHILL 7, FRANKLIN 2: Mike Rutherford (3-0) continued his fine pitching Monday, striking out 11 and scattering seven hits in a WLA-Western Division win at Livonia Franklin.

Churchill is 4-0 overall, while the Patriots dipped to 2-7.

BASEBALL

In 17 innings, Rutherford has allowed only two earned runs.

Jason Carter keyed a four-run Churchill second inning with a two-run single.

Bill Morris went 2-for-3, while Mike Marchetti contributed two RBI for the Chargers.

Josh Reynolds led Franklin with a double and single.

Sophomore Brian Crumley (1-1), went the first five innings before giving way to brother Kevin, a senior.

BELLEVILLE 7, WAYNE 6: Wayne Memorial was only one strike away from a victory, but fell Tuesday to the host Tigers in a Wolverine A League game.

Doug Walters walked on a close 3-2 pitch from Wayne hurler Dave Henry with two outs in the bottom of the seventh to keep the Belleville rally alive.

Clint Kesler's double to center, which eluded a diving Shannon Green, tied it at 6-6. Jeremy Gray's RBI single then won it for Belleville.

Wayne, which is 2-3 overall and 1-2 in the league, has now lost four one-run games.

Jeff Tapp belted a solo homer, while teammate Jason Overton doubled and scored twice in a losing cause. Jeremy Cox also added two hits.

Henry, who worked 6 1/2 innings, allowed six hits, four walks and four earned runs.

Ralph Truitt, who went all the way for Belleville, was the winning pitcher.

CVILLE 7, LUTHERAN N'WEST 6: Mark Juncaj tossed a five-hitter Monday, but needed relief help from Carl Holston in the top of the seventh as Livonia Clarenceville (3-2 overall) remained unbeaten in the Metro Conference with a victory over visiting Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest.

Holston came on to get the final out with the bases loaded in the seventh. The senior ended the game on a groundout. Juncaj scattered seven hits and walked seven for Clarenceville, now 3-0 in the Metro.

Mark Skrelja belted a three-run homer in the second inning, while Chris Fryer contributed a two-run single in the first. Holston's double scored Scott Cairns in the sixth to give the Trojans a 7-4 lead.

On Saturday, host Novi swept a twin bill from the Trojans, 11-0 and 9-7.

Clarenceville couldn't hold a 7-0 lead in the nightcap as Holston was greeted by a three-run homer in the fourth to put the Wildcats on top 8-7.

Freshman Rob Ashton, roughed for nine runs on four hits and eight walks, was the losing pitcher in the opener (five-inning mercy rule).

Holston, Ryan McEwen and Brian DeCaire each knocked in runs. McEwen

tripled and DeCaire doubled.

STEVENSON 2, FARMINGTON 0: Pitcher J.J. Rarog held on for the shutout victory Monday as Livonia Stevenson (2-3 overall) turned back the visiting Falcons (3-8 overall) in the WLA-Lakes encounter.

Rarog (1-1) allowed just four hits, a walk and a hit-batsman to gain the victory. He struck out four.

Third baseman Bob Drummond made an unassisted double play to end the game after a Farmington suicide squeeze play went awry.

Brad Morgan and Chris Kondogiani each collected two hits for the Spartans. Morgan scored twice, including a steal of home in the third inning.

Mike Williams and Jeff Drummond each had two hits for Farmington. Ron Salomonson was the losing pitcher.

On Saturday, host Garden City swept the Spartans in a doubleheader at Garden City Park, 11-8 and 13-3.

Bill Bell had a big day for the Cougars with five hits and three RBI.

Stevenson, which collected five hits, couldn't hold a 5-1 lead in the opener. Andy Dattolo was the losing pitcher, while Mark Peterson added a single and double.

In the nightcap, GC winner Alan Trudell fanned nine.

Drummond collected two of Stevenson's seven hits. Peterson added an RBI double.

Matt Cogswell, who lasted on inning, was the losing pitcher.

REDFORD CC 5, COUNTRY DAY 4: Redford Catholic Central overcame a 4-0 deficit after two innings Tuesday and beat host Birmingham Country Day in a non-league game.

CC, which improved to 10-6 overall, scored three runs in the third and added single runs in the fourth and fifth to win the six-inning game. The game was stopped after six innings due to darkness.

Pitcher Andy Slinkster earned the win after allowing four hits, no runs and three walks in three innings of relief of starter Dave Kapla. The Yellow Jackets chased Kapla from the mound after scoring four runs in the first 1 1/2 innings.

Juan Sanchez's two-out single in the fifth drove in the winning run for CC. Sanchez was 3-for-3 with two RBI. Brian Paluk was 2-4 with an RBI and Dave Susalla picked up the save in 2 1/2 innings of relief.

The Shamrocks won another non-league game on Saturday, 13-8, over host Northville.

CC jumped out to an 8-0 lead and starting pitcher Paluk pitched one-hit ball over four innings to earn the win.

Slinkster led CC's 14-hit attack with three hits in four at-bats. Mike Brusseau had a double and solo homer and Sean Wheeler also hit a homer.

Kapla was 2-3 with two RBI and Sanchez was 2-5 with two RBI.

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Sharp adds Cash to bolster program

By C.J. RISAK
STAFF WRITER

The end is in sight. And, as much as anything, that's a surprise.

Madonna University's men's basketball program is taking shape. Again. It's been four years since a men's team took to the court at Madonna. Come November, it will reappear.

Bill Sharpe and his two assistant coaches, Pat Henderhan and Mark Poplawski, have been trying to recruit student-athletes for a program that has never flourished.

In the years when Madonna did field a men's team, it struggled. In short, it was the kind of team with little fan, administrative or financial support. It was the kind of team other colleges added to their schedule as an afterthought, half-tempted to write in a "W" with Madonna's name.

Sharpe knows what he's up against. He knew it when he accepted the position last year. It hasn't deterred him.

Indeed, in a city scoured by basketball coaches from around the country, he has already managed to find what could be the makings of a pretty good team.

A month ago, Sharpe had commitments from seven players. He has added seven more and hopes to complete his recruiting with two more players. "I thought we'd have a good situation," the former University of Michigan-Dearborn assistant coach said of his staff's recruiting efforts. "But we're doing better than I anticipated."

Considering he's starting his program from scratch, that he had to find 15 players — without promising any of them a full scholarship — that he could mold into some sort of team, his efforts deserve praise.

But take note: The job has just begun. The Crusaders haven't played a game yet.

Sharpe's initial recruits were guards Doug Soper, Khari Hairston and Christian Emert, and forwards Mike and Brandon Slone, Andy Irwin and Jaulonni Dimes.

Size was missing. The Slones, at 6-foot-5, were the tallest of the recruits.

Sharpe has solved that problem, sort of. He's added 6-8 center Reggie Cash, a junior

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from Detroit Cooley; 6-5 forward Eric Zwierchowski, a freshman from Center Line St. Clement; 6-6 center Jason McNab, a freshman from Madison Heights Bishop Foley; and 6-4 forward Curt Carlos, a junior from L'Anse Cruse North and Macomb Community College.

Three other guards have also been added: 6-2 Donnell Foster, a freshman from Detroit Osborn; 6-3 Ed Brown, a redshirt freshman from Clewiston, Fla.; and 6-1 Don Dombrow, a freshman from East Detroit.

Cash, who has bounced around at a couple of schools (most recently, he attended Lake Michigan CC), could be Madonna's prize recruit. He has ability, but, according to Sharpe, "he's a little out of shape right now."

Zwierchowski's greatest attributes are his strength and rebounding ability. "And he's not a bad shooter," said Sharpe. McNab is strong and smart but needs to develop, he said.

Carlos is quite the opposite of McNab. "This," said Sharpe, "is a man. He's built like a man. He's the strongest kid I've seen." Defense is what Carlos is expected to supply, and Sharpe believes his shooting is sound, too.

Carlos, Cash and Soper (a sophomore) are the only upper-classmen on the roster thus far. Not surprisingly, Sharpe is expecting something more from them. "I've told them, 'Your job is to help us develop the younger guys,'" the Madonna coach said.

There's plenty to work with. Foster is a shooter with quickness. "He shoots the three unbelievably. He can do a lot — ball handle, play defense and be a leader on the floor."

Brown is a sophomore with freshman eligibility, another good shooter with the ability to play guard or small forward. He, too, has exceptional quickness. And Dombrow has potential at point guard but may need time to develop.

Summing up his team thus far, Sharpe said, "Potentially, we may have the best group of guards in the district."

MU playoff chances suffer after split

Madonna University softball coach Dave Racer summed it up succinctly Tuesday when he said: "Nothing's coming easy this year for us."

True enough. The Lady Crusaders played their final NAA District-23 games of the regular season Tuesday against the last-place team — Grand Rapids Baptist, which was winless in the district.

Until Madonna showed up in Grand Rapids.

The Comets scored three runs in the sixth inning to tie the game, then got the game-winner in the eighth when Madonna second baseman Mandy Armstrong's throw to the plate was wild. The 4-3 victory was Baptist's first in the district after 11-straight losses.

Madonna came back to post an 11-3 win in the nightcap, a game shortened to five innings by the district's eight-run mercy rule. But the Comets did their damage: Madonna ends up with a 7-7 dis-

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trict mark, within reach of Tri-State, which was 3-5 entering play Tuesday.

Should Tri-State win five of its last six games, it would gain the final berth in the four-team district tournament. If both teams end up 7-7, Madonna would qualify because it beat Tri-State twice this season.

Still, it should never have come to this. True, the Crusaders were without three key starters: ace pitcher Dawn Terrasi and left fielder Holly Jondro (batting .348) missed the games because of final exams, and first baseman Hughana Wilkie had the flu.

But it should have been a sweep, nonetheless. The Crusaders had 10 hits in the first game, but "we didn't get the timely hits," said Racer. "We didn't adjust to their pitching."

The three-run Madonna fifth

started with singles by Jennifer Pinter and Michelle Birchmeier, a sacrifice by Gerylyn Kephshire, and a two-run single by Mandy Armstrong. After Megan Armstrong laid down a sacrifice bunt, Jill Burt singled Mandy home to make it 3-0. Birchmeier had three hits in the game; Tracy Parenti had two.

But Baptist tied it in the sixth thanks to a walk, a hit batter, an error and two singles, setting the stage for the eighth-inning rally — which consisted of a double, a fielder's choice and Mandy's error. Lynda Weichel took the pitching loss for Madonna.

The second game was easier for the Crusaders. It was 8-2 after three innings, and a two-run fifth clinched the mercy. Mandy was 2-for-2 with a run scored and two RBIs, while Megan went 2-for-2 with one RBI and two runs scored. Birchmeier and Parenti each had two hits and an RBI.

Kristen Wasil got the win, going all five innings and giving

up three runs on seven hits and two walks, striking out two. Madonna's overall record is 14-24.

CONCORDIA 9-7, MADONNA 6-9: Just three days after a lopsided sweep of Concordia College in a district double-header, the Crusaders found themselves embroiled in a battle just to get a split in a non-district twinbill Saturday.

The Cardinals teed off on Madonna pitchers Wasil and Terrasi for 11 hits in the first game, scoring seven times on Wasil in the first five innings and twice more against Terrasi. A four-run Crusader rally in the seventh made the score more respectable, but didn't change the outcome.

Mandy Armstrong had two of Madonna's six hits — a pair of run-scoring singles, in the fifth and seventh. Tracy Parenti also had two hits.

In the second game, the Crusaders got a two-run single from Burt in the fourth and a two-run double from Wilkie in the sixth in a come-from-behind win. Concordia led 5-4 after three innings, but a three-run fourth put Madonna ahead for good.

Terrasi went the distance to pick up the pitching win. Wilkie had two hits to lead the Crusader offense.

Crusaders take 'huge one' from Spring Arbor

If there was a hurdle Madonna University's baseball team needed to clear to get past being merely respectable, it was Spring Arbor.

In the first 13 meetings between the two schools spanning Madonna's first four seasons, the Fighting Crusaders had managed to beat Spring Arbor just once. It was a trend that needed reversing if Madonna was planning to extend its season beyond the NAA District 23 Tournament.

On Saturday at Madonna University Park, the Crusaders twice battled back in the late innings to pull out 5-4 and 8-7 wins against their greatest nemesis, thus winning the regular-season series three-games-to-two.

"It was a huge one," was how Madonna coach Mike George described the sweep. "Big isn't enough to describe it."

The Crusaders trailed 4-2 after five innings in the first game, but tied it in the sixth. Jeff Pendell and Jeff Miller started the rally with singles. The Cougars tried to get Pendell at the plate on Bill Terksi's grounder, but he was safe, trimming their lead to 4-3.

Shaun Hayward's sacrifice fly scored Miller with the tying run.

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Madonna won it when Rich Roy doubled and Terksi singled him home in the eighth. Roy, who was 15-of-28 for the week to raise his batting average to a team-best .376, had two hits and scored twice. Terksi had one hit and three runs batted in, the first on a ground out in the second inning. Joe Brusseau also singled in a run in the second.

Jeff Kugelmann improved his record to 4-1 with the pitching win, going all eight innings and allowing four runs on seven hits and three walks, striking out eight. Dean Sisk took the loss for Spring Arbor.

In the second game, the Crusaders trailed 6-2 after five innings but rallied with a pair of three-run innings to escape with the win.

Louie McKaig turned in a superb relief pitching performance, entering the game in the fourth for Shaun Hayward and going the final 3 1/2 innings. He gave up one run, a Chris Galloway solo homer in the sixth, on two hits and two walks, striking out two. McKaig improved his record to 5-1.

Roy and Terski again ignited Madonna's sixth-inning comeback. After Pendell reached base on an error and Miller singled, Roy singled in a run and Terski singled in two more, narrowing the Cougar lead to 6-5.

Galloway's homer in the bottom of the sixth made it 7-5, but the Crusaders weren't through. To start the seventh, T.C. Raptis walked, Brusseau doubled and Pendell put down a bunt single, scoring one run. Miller's double scored another, tying the game.

Roy then hit a hard shot down the first-base line that was snagged, with the runner at second doubled up. But Pendell raced home with the game-winner on the double play.

Galloway was the loser for Spring Arbor.

The game was more than a jinx-

ender. The two teams had been tied for second in the district at 12-4; now Madonna is 14-4 (27-15 overall) and just percentage points behind Aquinas (12-3). Spring Arbor is 12-6 (18-11) and Siena Heights is 9-9.

FERRIS STATE 20-4, MADONNA 7-5: Four errors cost the Crusaders in the opening game, but they came back to win the nightcap in eight innings Friday at Madonna University Park.

With two out in the fourth inning, a dropped fly ball led to a seven-run Ferris State rally that decided game No. 1. Chad Zann (0-1) was the losing pitcher, surrendering 10 runs — only three of which were earned.

Roy went 3-for-3 with an RBI and Miller was 2-for-4 with two runs scored and two RBIs.

In the second game, freshman Mike Grahl had a one-hitter and a 3-0 lead going into the seventh, but Bulldog senior outfielder Brent Besbears lined a three-run homer with two out to tie the score and force extra innings.

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Churchill puts pedal to metal, 4-2

By BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

It looked more like the Indianapolis 500 than a girls' soccer game Wednesday night.

Racing up and down the field, host Livonia Churchill zoomed past city rival Stevenson in a battle of state-ranked teams, 4-2.

The turbine-driven Chargers (3-1-2 overall) left Stevenson dazed with a 3-0 halftime advantage.

Churchill got out of the chute early, scoring at 5:47 (Erin Stachurski from Marie Spaccarotella), 15:13 (Spaccarotella on a throw-in from Janes Vartanian) and 25:48 (Andrea Zawislak on a perfect feed up the middle from Aimee Cousino).

"In the first half their forwards just overpowered us,"

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Stevenson coach Mary Kay Hussey said. "We just didn't stay with them. The first half we just stood and watched."

After a few pit stops during the first 19 minutes of the second half, Stevenson got on the board on Holly Kimble's direct kick from 25 yards out.

Churchill countered with 3:09 left when Cousino booted home a rebound after Stevenson goalie Karen Groulx made a sprawling stop by Spaccarotella, the speedy freshman.

Kimble closed out the scoring with another hard drive from 20 yards out with 2:49, but it was too little too late for the Spartans.

"We've been playing well all

year," Churchill coach Nick O'Shea said. "We've just been a little unlucky on some scoring chances, and then we end up giving up a goal on the other end."

Cousino, a junior midfielder, was again Churchill's offensive catalyst.

"She's been the best player on the field every game, including both teams," O'Shea said. "She's scoring as well as setting up goals."

Groulx, a senior goalie, was heroic in defeat. She made 23 saves, while fending off at least six Churchill breakaways.

"The second half we played for pride and dignity," said Hussey, whose team is 4-2 overall. "It wasn't pretty, but at least we showed some enthusiasm for the game."

Blazers surprise Bishop Foley

Livonia Ladywood upset Madison Heights Bishop Foley, the state's No. 2-ranked girls soccer team in Class B, on Monday, 3-2.

The visiting Blazers (3-1 overall) caught fire late in the second half to earn the Catholic League victory.

Senior Amy Yeager's header off a cross from Jamie Colliton with only four minutes to play proved to be the game-winner.

Val Adzima's scored six minutes earlier to knot the game at 2-2 off a scramble in front of the Ventures' goal.

Ladywood jumped out to a 1-0

halftime lead when junior forward Kelli Colliton scored at the 19-minute mark from sister Jamie, a sophomore midfielder.

Foley is 2-2 overall.

STEVENSON 4, FARMINGTON 1: Sophomore forward Laura Fedrigo scored a pair of goals Monday, leading host Livonia Stevenson (4-1 overall) to the Western Lakes Activities Association (Lakes Division) win over the visiting Falcons.

Senior midfielder Michele Brach and junior forward Amy Marcoc each contributed a goal and one assist.

The Spartans, rated No. 5 in Class A (coaches poll), led 4-0 at halftime.

Senior goalie Karen Groulx made five saves.

CHURCHILL 7, WESTERN 0: Freshman Marie Spaccarotella scored a hat trick Monday, propelling Livonia Churchill (2-1-2) to the WLLA-Western Division win over host Walled Lake Western.

Aimee Cousino, Kerri Verardi, Emily Beeton and Kathi Kucharski also tallied goals for the Chargers.

Mary Beeton went all the way in goal to earn the shutout for Churchill, rated No. 7 in Class A.

FRANKLIN 3, W.L. CENTRAL 1: Sue Getsoian, Lenay Truchan and Lisa Deshano scored goals for Livonia Franklin on Monday against Walled Lake Central. The Patriots, 2-3 overall, led 1-0 at halftime.

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of the order, plus we have speed scattered throughout our lineup."

The Chargers swiped four bases in five attempts.

"Their ability to steal, bunt and run will help them," Epstein said.

Churchill catcher Chrissy Daly, a senior, also looked sharp, pick-

ing off two different Franklin runners off a first base.

"I liked the fact that we were aggressive defensively," Hardwidge, whose team went without an error.

Franklin's lone hit came in the sixth when Lisa Craven punched a single down the third base line.

"We're going to have to put the

bats on the ball," Epstein said. "When you put balls in play, things can happen."

Averill, a senior, also went the distance for Franklin. She struck out five and walked three.

"Franklin will win its share of games," Hardwidge said. "Getting two runs in the first inning kind of set the tone for us."

Spartans garner invitational title

Livonia Stevenson captured its own invitational girls golf title Tuesday at Whispering Willows with a 230 total, defeating city rivals Franklin (244) and Churchill (267).

Nicky Meehan of Franklin took medalist honors with a 50.

Rounding out the top 10: Erin Quinn (Stevenson), 53; Nancy Noechel (Franklin), 55; Kim Binder (Stevenson), 57; Kara Carlsen (Stevenson), 58; Kristen Bartholomew (Stevenson) and Sandra Gajor (Stevenson), 62 each; Brandy Bakita (Churchill), 63; Maureen Drabicki (Stevenson) and Erin Murfey (Churchill), 64 each.

The Spartans also won their dual meet Monday against Walled Lake Western at Whispering Willows, 236-250.

Stevenson's Tracy Gorton took first overall with a 53. She was followed by teammates

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Quinn (54), Diana Wright (61) and Carlsen (62).

Stevenson is 1-2 overall. Also on Monday, Plymouth Canton (3-0) downed Churchill at Fellows Creek, 260-273.

Canton's Audrey Meissner was medalist with a 58.

Jenny Bakita led Churchill (0-2 Western Lakes) with a 63, while Brandy Bakita and Murfey each shot 68. Carrie Hutson carded a 74.

On Friday, Churchill finished seventh out of 13 teams at the Monroe-Jefferson Invitational at Raisin River.

Churchill's top scorers included Murfey (111), Heather Steele (112) and Brandy Bakita (116).

TENNIS

NORTHVILLE 7 LIVONIA CHURCHILL 1
Tuesday at Churchill

No. 1 singles: Mark Schwagie (N) def. Martin Knecht, 6-0, 6-2.

No. 2: Matt Schwagie (N) def. Todd Estes, 6-2, 6-4.

No. 3: Brad Smith (N) def. Jeff Durling, 6-2, 6-2.

No. 4: Richard Bell (N) def. Corey Williams, 6-0, 6-4.

No. 1 doubles: Ryan Mork-Jeff Woolfall (N) def. Chris Machniak-Scott Paclero, 6-0, 6-2.

No. 2: Dave Karolak-Matt Eszes (LC) def. Sanjay Nyakwadi-Bryan Russell, 6-3, 6-3.

No. 3: Rob Kukalnis-Matt Tejero (N) def. Kyle Schaeding-Jeff Barnesky, 5-7, 6-0, 6-2.

No. 4: Vik Srinivasan-Derek Motta (N) def. Brett Libby-Mike DeShetter, 6-3, 6-0.

Churchill's overall dual meet record: 3-2.

PLYMOUTH CANTON 5 LIVONIA CHURCHILL 3
Monday at Churchill

No. 1 singles: Martin Knecht (LC) def. Eric Baden 6-3, 6-1.

No. 2: Todd Estes (LC) def. Steve Dale 6-3, 6-3.

No. 3: Scott Boersma (PC) def. Jeff Durling 6-4, 6-2.

No. 4: Chris Bray (PC) def. Jeff Barnesky 6-0, 6-1.

No. 1 doubles: Jeff Fuerst-Alex Warden (PC) def. Chris Machniak-Scott Paclero 6-4, 6-1.

No. 2: Joe Kim-Mark O'Keefe (PC) def. Dave Karolak-Matt Eszes 6-3, 2-6, 7-6.

No. 3: Dave/BJ Mike Ratkewicz (PC) def. Kyle Schaeding-Coley Williams 6-1, 3-6, 6-2.

No. 4: Brett Libby-Mike DeShetter (LC) def. Alan Samouellian-Todd Blakeney 1-6, 6-3, 6-1.

Records: Canton 5-0 overall, 4-0 Western Lakes Activities Association.

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SPORTS ROUNDUP

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

SPARTANS GET GOECKE

Livonia Stevenson High's All-Area swimmer Alex Goecke will remain a Spartan another four years.

The state Class A 100-yard breaststroke champion (56.89) signed a national letter-of-intent Tuesday with Michigan State University (coached by Richard Bader).

Goecke, also a member of Stevenson's second-place Class 200 medley and fourth-place 200 freestyle relay squads, turned down an offer from Florida State to sign with MSU.

"It was one of the biggest decisions of my life," Goecke said. "I'll be able to stay back home with friends. Florida State was just too far away."

"I like the (MSU) team a lot." Goecke will join former Spartan High teammates Bryan Morrison

and Scott DeWolf, along with ex-Plymouth Salem standout Ron Orris.

"Alex is a great kid and a great leader," Stevenson coach Doug Buckler said. "They (MSU) are getting a good young man."

The Stevenson senior, who carries a 3.1 grade-point average, plans to major in commercial art.

GIANTS SIGN HEATON

Toby Heaton, a three-year starter on the offensive line at Michigan State, signed a free-agent contract Monday with the New York Giants of the National Football League.

The 6-foot-6, 293-pound Heaton, who prepped at Redford Catholic Central High, leaves today for the Giants Mini-Camp.

"I was disappointed at not being drafted, but I'm happy where I'm going," Heaton said. "Whether I was drafted or not doesn't make me better or worse as a player. I'm going out to win a job, be physical and play smart."

Heaton, a former state high school heavyweight wrestling champ, went on to make second-

team All-Big Ten with MSU. He was also an All-Big Ten Academic selection.

CARDS 1ST ACE

Barry Houslander, 35, of Livonia, recorded the first hole-in-one of the season Saturday, April 24 at Whispering Willows Golf Course in Livonia.

Houslander aced the 144-yard, No. 17 hole using an 8-iron. He shot 90 for the round. It was Houslander's first hole-in-one since he started playing golf 14 years ago.

Ken Gage, 60, of Livonia, shot a hole-in-one on the 134-yard, No. 5 hole on Tuesday, April 27 at Fox Creek.

UMPIRES WANTED

The Wayne-Oakland Balls and Strikes Association is seeking new and experienced men and women's umpires (18 and over), for the 1993 summer boys baseball season.

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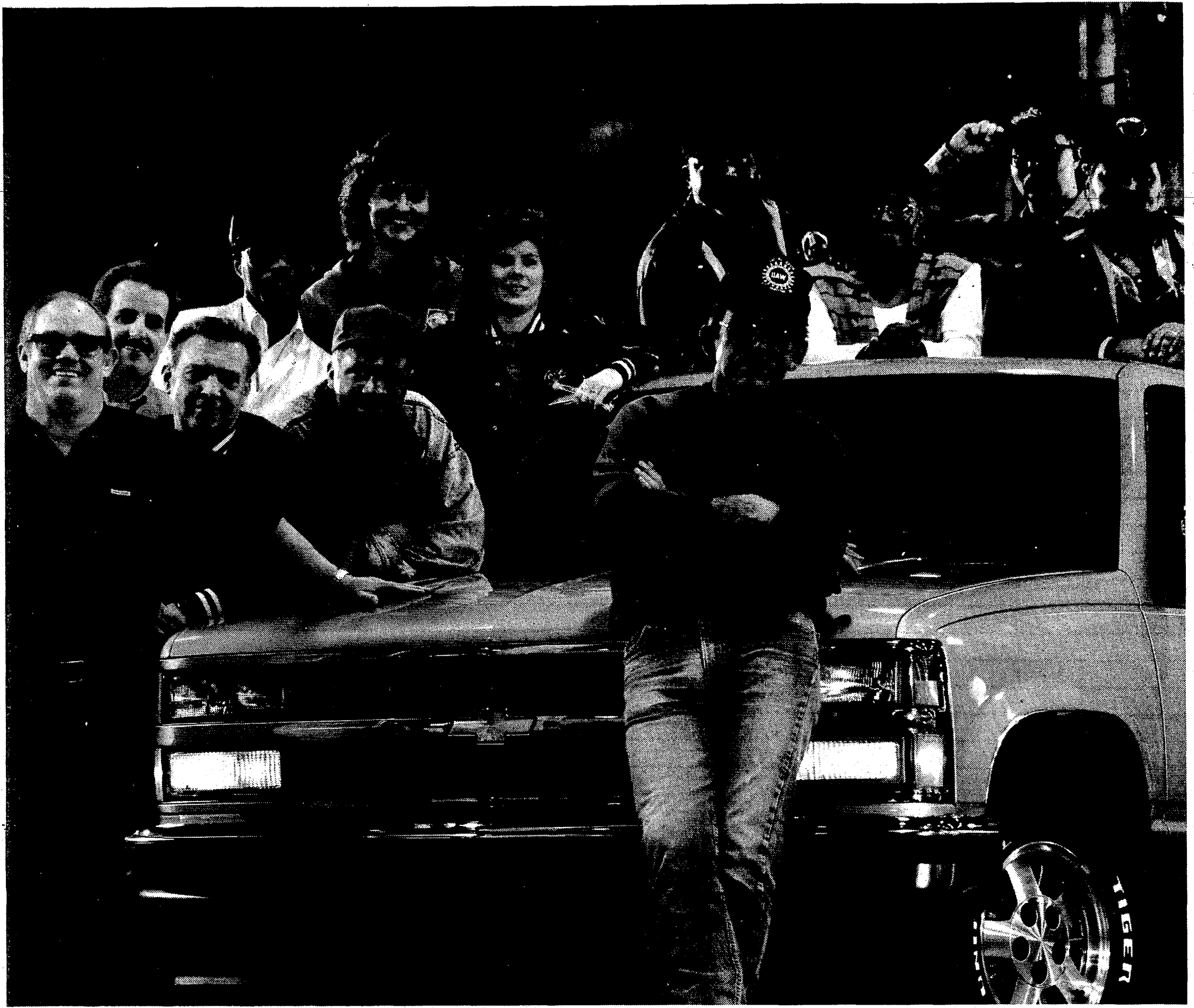
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Sports Stats

GIRLS' TRACK

This is the first installment of the best Observerland girls track times. Coaches can call Livonia Churchill coach Kelly Graham with updates, 7-9 p.m. Sundays, at 416-1430.

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THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP BASEBALL		BOYS TRACK	
Thursday, April 29		Thursday, April 29	
W.L. Western at Liv. Churchill, 4 p.m.		Liv. Churchill at Northville, 4 p.m.	
Liv. Franklin at Northville, 4 p.m.		Liv. Franklin at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.	
N. Farmington at Liv. Stevenson, 4 p.m.		Westland Glenn at Liv. Stevenson, 4 p.m.	
W.L. Central at Westland Glenn, 4 p.m.		W.L. Central at Ply. Salem, 4 p.m.	
Ply. Salem at Farmington, 4 p.m.		Farm. Harrison at Ply. Canton, 4 p.m.	
Farm. Harrison at Ply. Canton, 4 p.m.		N. Farmington at Farmington, 4 p.m.	
Huroq Valley at Ply. Christian, 4:30 p.m.		Greenhills at Luth. Westland, 4:30 p.m.	
Greenhills at Luth. Westland, 4:30 p.m.		Friday, April 30	
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Liv. Franklin at Garden City, 4 p.m.		Liv. Franklin at Garden City, 4 p.m.	
Annapolis at Red. Thurston, 4 p.m.		Wayne at Dear. Fordson, 4 p.m.	
Wayne at Dear. Fordson, 4 p.m.		Redford CC at Bishop Foley (2), 4 p.m.	
Redford CC at Bishop Foley (2), 4 p.m.		Fairlane Christ. at Huron Valley, 4:30 p.m.	
Fairlane Christ. at Huron Valley, 4:30 p.m.		Clarenceville at Luth. Westland, 4:30 p.m.	
Clarenceville at Luth. Westland, 4:30 p.m.		Saturday, May 1	
Saturday, May 1		Saturday, May 1	
(all double-headers)		(all 3:30 p.m., unless noted)	
W.L. Western at N. Farmington, 11 a.m.		Farm. Harrison at Liv. Franklin, 4 p.m.	
Bishop Borgess at O.L. of Lakes, 11 a.m.		Northville at Liv. Churchill, 4 p.m.	
O.L. St. Mary vs. St. Agatha at Redford Union, 2 p.m.		Liv. Stevenson at Westland Glenn, 4 p.m.	
Clarenceville at Flat Rock Inv., TBA		Ply. Salem at W.L. Central, 4 p.m.	
Sunday, May 2		Friday, April 30	
Redford CC vs. H.W. Notre Dame at Redford's Capitol Park, (2), noon.		Westland Glenn at Ypsilanti Relays, 4 p.m.	
GIRLS SOFTBALL		Edsel Ford at Redford Union, 4 p.m.	
Thursday, April 29		St. Agatha at Cardinal Mooney, 4 p.m.	
Liv. Churchill at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.		Friday, April 30	
Northville at Liv. Franklin, 4 p.m.		Saturday, May 1	
Liv. Stevenson at N. Farmington, 4 p.m.		(all double-headers)	
Westland Glenn at W.L. Central, 4 p.m.		Farmington at Lakeland Invitational, 4 p.m.	
Farmington at Ply. Salem, 4 p.m.		Ply. Canton at Chelsea Invitational, 4 p.m.	
Ply. Canton at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.		Bishop Borgess at Redford Tournament, 4 p	

Stevenson girls wear relays crown

Apparently the Livonia Stevenson girls track team got over the disappointment of Thursday's 28-point dual meet defeat to Plymouth Salem in a hurry.

The Spartans captured three firsts and four second places, leading a 19-team field Saturday in the DeLaSalle Invitational meet at Chippewa Valley High School.

Stevenson paced the pack with 77 points, followed by Grosse Pointe South (54), Sterling Heights (46), East Detroit (28) and North Farmington (26).

"We had a real good day and it says something about the Western Lakes (Activities Association) when we can get beaten so badly by Salem, then go over to the other side of town and beat 18 other teams."

The Spartans' shuttle hurdle relay team of Jenn Turbiak, Stacy Prais, Karen Rosinski and Jill Eupizi set a meet record (1:08.4).

Calleen Lesondak and Laurie Hardie tied a meet record in the high jump (9 feet, 9 inches).

The foursome of Bridget MacKinnon, Lynn Knapp, Kelly Prais and A.J. Koritnik added a first in the 4,800-meter relay (16:48.0).

The trio of Rachel Clark, Julia Senghuk and Laura Flanigan added a second in the discus relay (4:41.1), while teammates Cathy Baile, Nicole Lanctot and Turbiak took second in the long jump relay (45-7).

Stevenson's distance medley team of Kelly Prais, Turbiak, MacKinnon and Koritnik finished second (13:41.0), while the quartet of Stacy Prais, Lanctot, Jeannette Stojcevska and Eupizi did likewise in the 3,200-meter relay (4:24.8).

Stevenson also won its non-league dual meet Tuesday against visiting Dearborn, 97-31. The Spartans are 3-1 overall.

Individual double winners included Clark in the shot put (33-1½) and discus (111-11); Koritnik

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in the 800 (2:32.0) and 1,600 (5:23.1; and Bacile, long jump (15-8¼) and 200 dash (28.4).

Other Stevenson firsts: Rosinski, 100 hurdles (17.5); Stojcevska, 300 hurdles (5:08.); and MacKinnon, 3,200 (12:00.0).

MacKinnon, Koritnik, Knapp and Kelly Prais captured the 3,200 relay.

The foursome of Stojcevska, Lanctot, Kim Nelson and Stacy Prais added a first in the 800 relay (1:54.4).

Michele Catenacci joined Stacy Prais, Lanctot and Stojcevska to win the 1,600 relay (4:33.1).

Churchill 2nd at Tiger

Livonia Churchill won two events to gain second Saturday at the Tiger Relays in Belleville.

Ypsilanti Lincoln won the team title with 86 points, followed by the defending champion Chargers (73), Belleville (67), Plymouth Canton (44) and Plymouth Salem (42).

Amanda Burdeno, Kristi Scouro and Jenny Jenkins combined for a first in the shot put relay (87-6), while Amy Place, Becky Couyoumjian, Heather Boni and Burdeno won the 400 relay (54.5).

Boni took a second in the open 100 (13.9) and anchored a runner-up finish in the 800 relay, joining Couryoumjian, Place and Burdeno (1:56.3).

The distance medley team of Carol McCoy, Laura Efursy, Melissa Johnson and Tracey Parker also took second (14:41.0).

Efursy, Karen Dawley, Kim Gruska and Boni added a second in the 1,600 relay (4:29.3).

Jenkins, Liz Lusa and Burdeno combined for 210-0, grabbing second in the discus relay.

Bears claw Wayne

Kim Morrow won the shot put

(36-11) and discus (112-0) Tuesday, but Wayne Memorial couldn't get past host Wyandotte in a Wolverine A League meet, 69-59.

Other Wayne firsts were recorded by Kim Shonce, high jump (4-6); Traneasa Burroughs, 300 hurdles (48.8); Crystal Milliner, 100 dash (12.9); and Nicole Burton, 200 dash (27.8).

Burton, Burroughs, Donna Williams and Nicole Lacroix captured the 800 relay (1:58.2), while the foursome of Burton, Williams, Burroughs and Lateefa Moore added a first in the 400 relay (54.4).

Warriors win squeaker

Lutheran High Westland pulled out a one-point victory Tuesday in a Metro Conference tri-meet at Harper Woods Lutheran East.

Lutheran Westland won it, 71-70, over the host Eagles thanks to the first-place showing of the mile relay team (4:31.0), which included Emily Schroeder, Kate Sernett, Sarah Pfeiffer and Angel Azzopardi. (Grosse Pointe University-Liggett was a distant third with 21 points.)

The foursome of Heather Locke, Sernett, Lici Koch and Azzopardi took the two-mile relay (11:36.0).

Individual firsts for the Warriors (5-1 overall) included Sernett, high jump (4-8); Pfeiffer, long jump (14-4½); and Koch, two mile (14:40.0).

John Glenn holds off Raiders, 11-7

The Westland John Glenn girls softball team scored in every inning Monday and defeated North Farmington, 11-7, at home.

The Rockets, 1-0 in the Lakes Division of the Western Lakes Activities Association, improved to 5-3 overall. North is 2-4 overall, 0-1 in the Lakes.

Lynn Little earned the win for Glenn. Little allowed three hits, struck out one and overcame 16 walks to move to 4-3 overall.

The Rockets managed seven hits off North losing pitcher Melanie Cheney, who walked seven and hit two batters.

Norma Hogg led Glenn with two hits in three at-bats and one RBI. Christi Wrybkowski was 1-for-3 with five RBI. Wrybkowski's two-run single highlighted a four-run fourth inning.

Cheney led North with two hits, two runs scored and three RBI. Renee Ouellette was walked three times, scored three runs and was 1-1 in her official at-bat.

COUNTRY DAY 13, LUTH. WESTLAND 2: Lutheran Westland managed only one hit and suffered its first loss in six outings Tuesday at home against Birmingham Country Day.

The Warriors are 5-1 overall. Shannon Wasil, pitching for the first time since pulling muscles in her rib cage two weeks ago, suffered the loss. Wasil threw 41 pitches, allowed seven hits and nine runs. Amy Gentz

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finished the game in relief. Leslie Turgeon had the only hit for Lutheran Westland. Two walks and Turgeon's infield hit loaded the bases and Suzie Clark's sacrifice knocked in the first run. The Warriors scored their second run on an error.

Lutheran Westland had a breeze on Monday, whipping host Detroit Lutheran West, 22-8, in a Metro Conference game.

The five-inning mercy win improved the Warriors to 2-0 in the Metro.

Wendy Ollinger was the winning pitcher, allowing eight runs, only two earned, five hits and four walks in four innings. Erin Cicero and Clark led Lutheran Westland with two hits each. Cicero had a home run and five RBI and Clark drove in three runs.

The Warriors swept a double-header Saturday from Ann Arbor Greenhills, 14-0, 17-1. Both games ended in five-inning mercies.

Gentz earned the win in Game 1, allowing three hits, striking out three and walking none.

Becky Cannon was 3-4 with two RBI and Turgeon was 3-3 with a walk and four RBI.

The Warriors had a 15-hit attack in Game 2 and Ollinger was the winning pitcher, allowing four hits and only one walk.

Turgeon, Cannon and Tracy Lapum had three hits each. Lapum also made three of the finest catches coach Ron Gentz said he has seen in his 12 years of coaching.

LUTH. N'WEST 12, C'VILLE 4: Livonia Clarenceville couldn't hold on to a 3-0 lead after 3½ innings and lost Monday's Metro Conference game at Rochester Hills Lutheran

Northwest.

The Trojans, who outbit Lutheran Northwest, 5-3, are winless in three Metro games.

Jodi Graham was the losing pitcher, walking 11. Melissa Ufford, Clarenceville's leadoff hitter, was 2-4 with a triple and an RBI single.

FARMINGTON 9, STEVENSON 8: The Falcons scored three runs in the bottom of the ninth inning Monday to defeat visiting Livonia Stevenson, 4-3.

Wendy Novak scored the winning run for Farmington, stealing home with two outs in the ninth.

The Spartans had taken an 8-6 lead in the top of the ninth with a pair of runs.

Stevenson (0-4) also lost a twin bill Saturday at Garden City, 6-4 and 12-2.

FRANKLIN 11, SALEM 1: Livonia Franklin, led by sophomore Jaclyn Deane, posted one win against two losses in Saturday's Monroe Tournament.

The Patriots defeated Plymouth Salem, 11-1, in six innings. Michelle Averill was the winner, allowing five hits, three strikeouts and four walks. Deane, who finished the day with eight hits, had two hits and two runs scored against Salem. Becca Bloch and Ann Bagazinski had two hits each. Bloch drove in two runs.

The Patriots lost to Monroe in their second game, 13-3, as Averill surrendered 12 hits. Deane was 3-3, including a triple, with a run scored. Aimee Brenner and Tammy Schaffer had single RBI.

Taylor Kennedy beat Franklin 7-5 despite being outbit 8-6 by the Patriots. Deane was 3-4 with two RBI and Bloch was 2-3 with an RBI and one run scored.

Churchill growls at Tiger meet

Livonia Churchill earned three first-place finishes Saturday at the Tiger Boys Track Relays in Belleville.

The Chargers finished fifth overall in the team standings with 63 points.

Canton won the team title followed by Ypsilanti Lincoln, Plymouth Salem and the host Tigers.

The trio of Chris Pelczar, Dan Bristow and Dave Elenich combined to win both the discus (349 feet, 6 inches) and shot put (125-9¼) relays.

Churchill's shuttle hurdle quartet of Chris Dibble, Brian Causin, Jason Harden and Jedd Thorderson also finished first (1:10.03).

Dave Watson and Greg Koehler combined for a 20-foot total, good enough for second in the pole vault relay. Koehler cleared 11-9.

Stevenson beats RU

Don MacKenzie won three events Tuesday, lifting Livonia Stevenson (2-3 record) to a 74-63 non-league victory at Redford Union (0-3).

MacKenzie swept the 110- and 300-meter hurdles in 16.23 and 44.45, respectively. He also captured the 200 dash (23.52).

Teammate Scott Creehan added firsts in the 800 run (2:08.95) and 1,600 run (4:46.1).

Other Stevenson firsts were garnered by Cliff Mickelson in the pole vault (8-0) and Eric Bohn in the 400 dash (55.41).

The Spartans also captured the 400 and 3,200 relays in 49.59 and 8:56.2, respectively.

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Two companies supplying acoustical and thermal molded parts to original equipment manufacturers (OEM) are joining together to form Livonia-based Acoustical Components Partnership (JACP) it was announced today by Ronald W. Allan, president of the newly-

formed company. The two companies are Jet Composites Corp., Ajax, Ontario, Canada, and the automotive acoustical insulation business of Manville Corporation. Rowly Martin of Jet Composites Corp. will serve as chief executive officer.

"JACP intends to take a leadership position in the field of acoustical and thermal molded parts for the automotive industry. By combining the resources and assets of these two companies we have created a full-service company offering total system capabilities," Allan said.

JACP will provide innovative, low cost manufacturing, an active research and development program, new material alternatives, design engineering, prototype and testing, and in-house tooling capabilities.

The 400-employee company will manufacture in Ajax, Ontario, and Bluffton, Ind. Design, development and tooling will take place in Guelph, Ontario. Its headquarters and sales and marketing operations will be based in Livonia.

The formation of JACP makes it one of the largest producer of ceramic components in North America.

Plymouth-based Durr Environmental Systems Division of Durr Industries, Inc., announces the new Compact Regenerative

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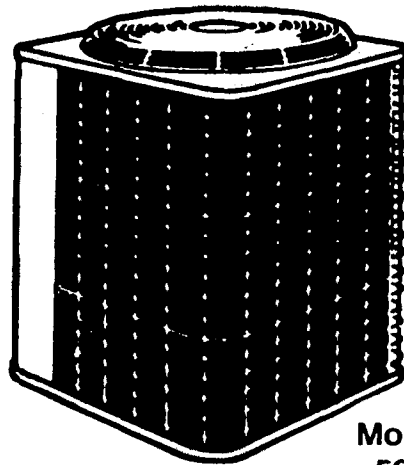
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Amy Plassins, of Livonia has been named a leading district sales manager for 1992 by I.C. System, Inc., a national collection agency.

Plassins ranked twelfth in I.C. System's President's Sales Club.

The rankings are determined by sales volume, number of sales and collection fees derived from their accounts.

Plassins has represented I.C. System since May 1991. TMs was the first Awards Banquet to which she has been invited. Plassins has also earned an Honor Roll for a monthly sales performance.

Livonia representative Dennis A. Wallot, CFP, regional vice president

Frank Kenny, James Tillman, Larry Lumsden, district managers

and Russell Navarre, account executive attended the Money Concepts International Financial Planning Congress recently where Wallot was a featured speaker due to his outstanding achievements the past year.

Kenneth R. Hale, CIC, owner of Cambridge Underwriters of Livonia, has been elected a member of the board of governors of the society of Certified Insurance Counselors, a national not-for-profit organization dedicated to professional insurance education.

Lori A. Buhl of Sports Florists and Green Houses in Plymouth has been certified as a senior designer by Florists' Transworld Delivery Association. Achieving certification means Buhl has completed flower identification and design style identification tests, and passed a series of tests requiring the design of specific floral arrangements from predetermined categories.

Paul Martin, Pella sales representative in Livonia, has been recognized as a Pella Most Valuable Performer for outstanding sales and customer satisfaction.

Mark Evans, of Westland has been promoted to Regional Marketing Manager for the Michigan and Ohio region of Minuteman Press International Inc., the fran-

chisor of over 900 Minuteman Press and International Minute Press full-service printing centers.

Evans is a 9-year employee of Minute man Press International, and was formerly a Technical Representative for the same region of the United States.

The Non-Profit PR Network announced its new officers for 1993, electing Gary Dembs, of The Public Image, as president

David L. Banks, Greater Detroit Society for the Blind, as vice president of membership

Wain Saeger, Ph.D., Renaissance West Community Health Services, as vice president of programming

Susan Floyd Voyles, Family Service Detroit and Wayne County, as secretary, and Joan Witte, Credit Counseling Center, Inc., as treasurer.

In its third year, the Non-Profit PR Network is the only Michigan trade organization dedicated to communications professionals in education, human services, the arts and government.

Community Federal Credit Union announces the 1993 Board of Directors, who were officially inducted at the Annual Meeting held in March at the Northville office.

Four seats on the board were filled at the conclusion of the ballot counting. The election resulted in the return of three incumbent candidates: Albert Berrie, Ronald Griffith and Joyce Willis.

In addition, Elaine Ableidinger was voted into office to fill the vacancy left by retiring director John Genitti.

Genitti, owner of Genitti's Hole in the Wall Restaurant and Samuel H. Little Theatre in Northville, served on the Community Federal Board of Directors for 6 years.

1993 Community Federal Credit Union Board of Directors:

■ Albert Berrie, director of engineering-FAAC Inc., chairperson

■ Phyllis Rediem, legal secretary-Don Morgan, attorney, vice chairperson

■ Daniel Herriman, consultant-

Herriman & Loiselle, treasurer ■ Patricia Reese, psychologist-Plymouth-Canton High School, Secretary

■ Elaine Ableidinger, farmer and retired elementary teacher

■ Kay Arnold, business manager-Colonial Collision

■ Ron Griffith, dean-Schoolcraft College)

■ Larry Groth, fire chief-Plymouth Township Fire Dept.

■ Roger Marquardt, general manager-Hillman Community Center

■ Russ Webster, owner-Penniman Dell and,

■ Joyce Willis, executive director-Ann Arbor Public Schools.

Credit union directors serve on the 11-member board without pay. They are responsible for reviewing credit union policies and procedures.

James Lindsey has been promoted to Acting Assistant Director of Operations-Transportation for the Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transportation (SMART).

Lindsey will be responsible for assisting with day to day transit system operations at all SMART linehaul terminals.

T&N plc has named Rita Grisham president of T&N Industries Inc., holding company for its U.S. operations.

Grisham's responsibilities will include oversight of all operations at the T&N Ann Arbor office, with administrative responsibility for the performance of accounting and finance, insurance, taxation, environmental and legal services. Grisham will report to the directors of finance and personnel for T&N plc in the United Kingdom.

Grisham has served in a variety of personnel, human resources, and sales management positions during her professional career.

Prior to her appointment as president of T&N Industries Inc., Grisham served as director of human resources for T&N Industries from 1990 to 1992, and was vice president of human resources for Ferodo America, Inc., manu-

facturer of friction materials and a member of T&N's Friction Products and Engineering Group -- from 1985 to 1992.

Charles Hooper of Livonia was one of 12 top AAA Michigan agents named to the 1993 President's Council March 13 at the Ritz-Carlton in Dearborn. AAA Michigan President and CEO Ronald L. Steffens (left) presented Hooper with a custom-tailored jacket commemorating the event. The President's Council is designed as a partnership with the specific goal of building a stronger future for AAA Michigan by identifying and meeting the needs of its members and insureds.

Honeywell today awarded Joe Jarczewski of Livonia the company's 1992 Technical Services Citation for his outstanding performance. This award is presented to Honeywell's finest technical people and is the company's highest honor for technical service representatives.

Jarczewski received the award for consistently demonstrating the highest level of professionalism and ability as a technician. He is a senior systems specialist for Honeywell Home and Building Control in Farmington Hills, Mich.

Peter J. Santogade, M.D., gastroenterologist, of Ypsilanti, recently joined the medical staff of St. Mary Hospital in Livonia.

A native of New York City, Dr. Santogade received his medical degree from the University of Wisconsin Medical School in Madison, Wis., in 1978.

He completed his internship at Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital in Philadelphia, Pa., in 1979, his residency in internal medicine at St. Luke's Hospital Site, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, in New York, N.Y., in 1984, and his fellowship in gastroenterology in 1987. Dr. Santogade also served as chief medical resident from 1984-85.

Dr. Santogade was most recently senior staff physician at Henry Ford Medical Center in Westland.

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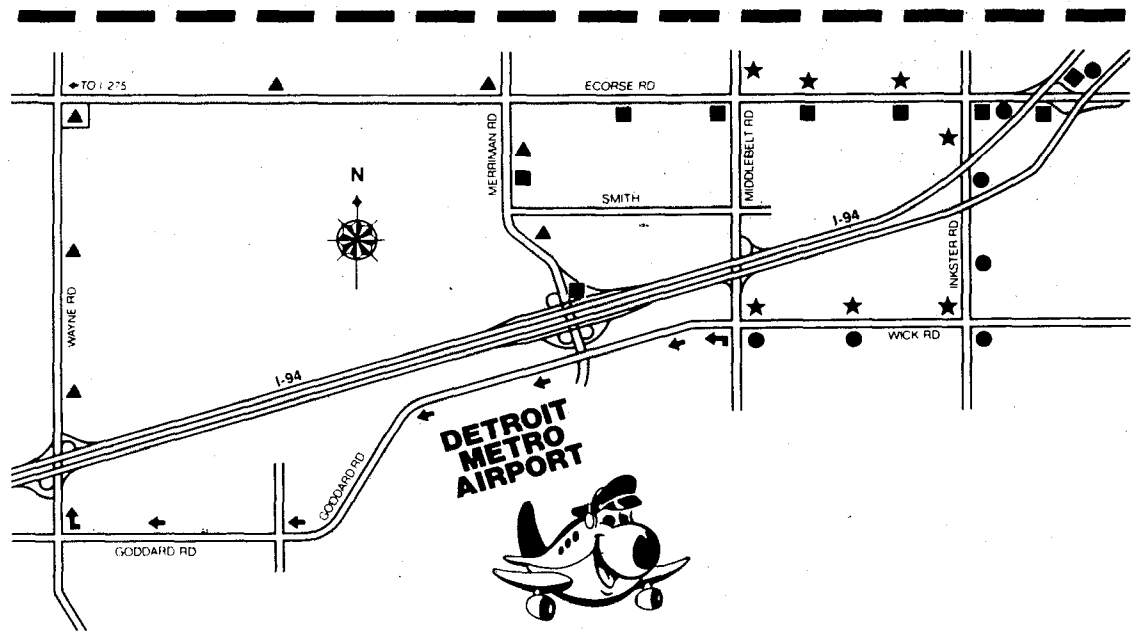
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● The ramp from Middlebelt to EB I-94 will be closed from late April to August - the detour is Wick east to Inkster, Inkster north to Ecorse; Ecorse east to I-94 interchange.

▲ **TO WESTBOUND I-94:** The ramp from northbound Merriman to WB I-94 will be closed from April through November - all Merriman traffic to WB I-94 will detour north on Merriman to Ecorse; west on Ecorse to Wayne Road; south on Wayne to I-94; (traffic to I-275 may continue west on Ecorse to I-275).

↑ The northbound Middlebelt ramp to WB I-94 is closed from late April through November. The detour is west on Goddard to Wayne, north on Wayne to WB I-94.

★ **TO THE NORTH:** Merriman road remains open during construction. Northbound Middlebelt is closed until about Aug. 1 - detour is east on Wick to Inkster; north on Inkster to Ecorse; west on Ecorse to Middlebelt.

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Bank from Next page

Standard Federal provided the construction loans to all residential builders in Detroit's Victoria Park, the first new subdivision of single-family detached homes built in the city in decades.

The bank also has been a sponsor of Homearamas, showcases of idea homes, and the annual home and flower exhibition in the Cobo Center sponsored by the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan.

The bank also has participated in housing rehabilitation programs like Paint the Town in Detroit.

"We try to specialize in those things in a charitable sense that relate to our housing activities," Ricketts said.

Banking has changed tremendously since he started working for Standard Federal in 1956 as a management trainee, Ricketts said.

"It was a simple business when I started. They made 30-year, fixed-rate loans and offered a passbook (savings) account. Now you have a rainbow of activity, any kind of loan that suits you. Savings, checking accounts and every kind of certificate has come to pass.

"There's been an enormous change in technology," Ricketts added. "Things used to be done by hand.

"In the future, I think we'll see a tremendous consolidation. I think the financial field is over-banked. I think we'll see a lot



Thomas R. Ricketts

'I think it does take luck and some skill to guide a firm through different market conditions. There are predators out there and (dangers from) greed in the search for higher yields.'

Thomas R. Ricketts, president



The present: The Standard Federal Financial Center in Troy was completed in 1989 and has 450,000 square feet of office space.

more mergers and acquisitions and banks doing more things." Real estate service was men-

tioned as one possibility.

"Larger institutions should be more efficient and in position to

put on services cheaper," Ricketts said, adding, "As long as there isn't just one."

Job from Next page

Store stock and cashier positions pay \$4.90 to start. New hires will work part time and it helps if they can work flexible hours.

"Things like life experiences are very helpful in the retail environment," Whipple said. "They (older workers) tend to understand the importance of customer service and consistency."

The "Ability is Ageless Job Fair" is scheduled 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

'We get a surprising number of people who are currently employed but under-employed, working part time and temporaries who need permanent positions.'

Terry A. Barclay, president of Operation ABLE

Wednesday, May 5, at the Southfield Plaza Hotel on the Lodge Service Drive between Eight and Nine mile roads.

There is no charge for job seekers. Participants should bring 10 to 15 resumes and dress for a business appointment.

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**SUBURBAN
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Colleen M. Creagh of Northville has been promoted to senior account executive at Farmington Hills-based Marx Layne & Co.

As senior-account executive, Creagh coordinates and supervises marketing and public relations program for clients in the professional services, advertising, and retail industries. Specific responsibilities include media relations, client relations, writing, editing, production and special events planning.



Colleen M. Creagh

Marlo Rojeck has been named Branch Manager of the Livonia office of Manpower of Detroit, the local operation of Manpower Temporary Services. Previously, Rojeck was an Account Representative with Manpower in Dearborn.

As Branch Manager, Rojeck coordinates all sales and marketing activities and directs the recruitment of clerical, light industrial, technical and marketing temporary workers.



Marlo Rojeck

Joseph B. White, the *Wall Street Journal's* Detroit deputy bureau chief a resident of Plymouth has been awarded a Pulitzer Prize, journalism's highest honor, for his coverage of the management turmoil last year at General Motors Corp.

White joined the *Journal's* Detroit bureau in 1987 and was named deputy bureau chief in 1990.



Joseph B. White

To submit materials to this column, please send a brief biographical summary along with a black-and-white photo, if possible, to: Business Editor, *Observer & Eccentric Newspapers*, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. There is no charge.

Bank celebrates 100th anniversary

Starting its operations in an office building basement may have been a humble beginning, but Standard Federal has come of age in more ways than one.

BY DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER

Standard Federal Bank has weathered the worst of times, including the Great Depression of the 1930s and a recession that crippled or destroyed some financial institutions in the 1980s.

It has experienced the best of times, posting record corporate numbers in 1992 and opening a stunning headquarters in 1989.

The Troy-based, publicly-owned federal savings bank recorded a major milestone Sunday — the 100th anniversary of its founding.

"Not many companies make it to 100," said Thomas R. Ricketts, president and chairman of the board. "You go through wars, high interest rates, low interest rates."

"I think it does take luck and some skill to guide a firm through different market conditions," he said. "There are predators out there and (dangers from) greed in the search for higher yields and business in areas we don't understand."

At home with home loans

Standard Federal understands home mortgages. So much so that the bank last year initiated or refinanced some 47,000 mortgages with an aggregate value of \$3.6 billion.

Standard Federal's dollar share of the mortgage market here for November 1992, the last month tracked by Lawyers Title Insurance Co., was more than Comerica and NBD combined, which ranked second and third, respectively.

Quality people paying attention to detail using top of the line computer systems make Standard Federal stand out from the competition, Ricketts said.

"We're not selling widgets or Hula Hoops. We're pretty basic stuff —



S&L site: Standard Savings & Loan built its first headquarters building at Griswold and Jefferson, the site of St. Anne's Church, in 1927 in Detroit. The S&L then had assets of more than \$10 million. Today, as Standard Federal Bank, its headquarters building is in Troy, and assets are approximately \$10 billion.

getting people into homes," he said.

"We want to have a fast response. We have our own appraisers, our own computer experts, our own credit experts. Now, we're working seven days a week."

"We try to work harder, work smarter with more efficiency. We're very fussy about adding staff. If busi-

ness goes bad, you get into layoffs and other unpleasanties," Ricketts said.

That strategy has been good for Standard Federal's financial statements, too.

According to its 1992 annual report, the bank set a record in profitability with net income of \$95.6 million. Deposits of \$6.5 billion and mortgage

closings of \$3.6 billion also broke company records.

A check of the numbers

The scope of Standard Federal's impact on the community can be gauged by another series of numbers provided by Ricketts.

The bank tends to some 757,000 depositor accounts including savings, checking and CDs, 116,000 mortgages, 115,000 consumer loans and 42,000 VISA charge cards.

The bank employs about 2,500 at corporate headquarters and 127 branches in Michigan, Ohio and Indiana.

"They're a first-rate operation," said Justin L. Moran, a consultant to the banking industry. "It's called hustle your buns. It's a matter of having good people working hard."

"They're a very basic community bank. They weren't trying to be go-go, just making mortgages," Moran said. "They give as good service as anybody, better than most."

Standard Federal's level of bad real estate loans at the end of 1992 — \$71.7 million — was less than 1 percent of its assets, well within the range of acceptability in the industry.

Safety first

"The home loan is the safest loan you can make," Ricketts said. "People want to protect their home more than anything else."

"On construction loans, the risks/rewards aren't there," he said. "If you have a bad year, you're really smoked. On commercial real estate, we never considered ourselves expert at it. We've done very little activity."

Over the years, Standard Federal has grown by acquiring or merging with 15 smaller, financially-stable banks, including Birmingham Federal Savings in 1970.

"The customer base is established, presumably, you're in a reasonably-based location," Ricketts said. "In one sense, you've knocked out a competitor and often you get very good people."

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Job fair lined up to provide assistance to older workers

BY DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER

Displaced workers 45 years and older often have a difficult time re-entering the job market.

That's why a job fair has been scheduled just for them Wednesday, May 5, at the Plaza Hotel in Southfield.

Some 2,000 job seekers and 60 employers are expected to attend the seventh annual fair co-sponsored by Operation ABLE of Michigan and the Southeast Michigan Older Worker Coordinating Committee.

There is no charge for lookers who must be at least 45 years of age.

"The scope (of skills) job seekers have is all over the map from welfare recipients to mid-level managers of companies," said Terry A. Barclay, president of Operation ABLE.

"We get a surprising number of people who are currently employed but under-employed, working part time but need to extend their hours to support a family, temporaries who need permanent positions," she said.

About 15 percent of people looking for jobs usually find one within six months as a direct result of the job fair, Barclay said.

There are several reasons why older workers may have a more difficult time finding a job after losing one, Barclay said.

"Unfortunately, the truth of age discrimination is real. While

we're optimistic and see it decreasing, we all carry around preconceived notions of what skills and abilities people of different ages have.

"Oftentimes, people who are older are in a type of position or tend to be concentrated in industries that are downsizing," Barclay said. "They tend to be hit harder and there's less likelihood of going back and transferring skills."

"Oftentimes, people who are older tend to be with one employer a long time. The job of looking for work is very different now than it used to be," she said.

Wes Mewer, director of human resources for ACO Hardware in Farmington Hills, said he's enjoyed success hiring older workers at the job fair.

He expects to offer up to a half dozen part-time customer service jobs immediately with starting pay in the range of \$5-6 per hour.

"We find that some older workers who have done their own repair work know how to do it. They can explain how best to take care of an electrical or plumbing problem," Mewer said. "They're used to dealing with all kinds of people and all kinds of problems."

"Everything I can say about them is positive. They have a work ethic. They're dependable," he said.

Beverly D. Ned, recruiting manager for the Mohn Financial Group, John Hancock Financial

Services in Southfield, will search for sales representatives at the fair.

The nuts and bolts of the business can be learned, she said, but an attitude and perspective gradually develop with time.

"I'm looking for an individual with a very professional appearance, an entrepreneurial spirit rather than a 9-to-5 mentality," Ned said. "I further look for determination, a good work ethic to develop a successful practice."

"I will consider people of all ages," she said. "As people get older, they already have a professional background, experience, a little better understanding of what it takes to be successful."

Candidates offered jobs will earn only commissions during a maximum three-month initial training period, then go on a combination commission, bonus, training salary schedule, Ned said.

David R. Whipple, senior manager for human resources for Kroger in Livonia, said he expects to offer 50 to 100 jobs immediately and within several weeks of the job fair.

"We're looking for store-level employees, but that's not to say we wouldn't consider administrative or management positions," he said.

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Hillary's 'fans' hope for big bucks

Fans of Hillary, Inc. is a new business marketing buttons, t-shirts and sweatshirts honoring the First Lady.

The Plymouth-based business hopes to capitalize on Hillary Rodham Clinton's commencement address on Saturday at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.

"The company is promoting positive energy regarding Ma-

Clinton's position as First Lady, an unpaid professional working on behalf of citizens of this country," said Susan Cameron, president of Fans of Hillary.

"There are a number of jokes circulating about Ms. Clinton's role. It's time to recognize the first lady for the contribution she is making to the administration as an attorney working full time to develop a working plan for

health care."

Hot pink buttons are available (2 inch size) for \$1.25 plus 75 cents handling. T-shirts in white, ash (light gray) or aqua are available for \$12 plus \$3 postage. Sweatshirts are available in the same colors for \$19 plus \$3 postage.

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Kids, laughs are winning combination

You don't have to listen to Bill Cosby or Billy Crystal to get a good laugh. Just listen to your children.

How often have you said "I should have written that down" after wiping away tears of heavy laughter or having your sometimes hard to reach funny bone nudged a bit by that little dickens of a comedian in your circle? The wonders of what comes out of the mouths of babes never cease to amaze.

Children have a remarkable way of putting things into perspective — making it plain. Oh, how wonderful it is to be able to look at the world through the eyes of children — seeing what they see and analyzing the way they do. Yes, children can "make it plain" — so plain and clear that it can be downright funny.

If you could get into the vehicle of childhood, your child's perhaps, ride down those spirited lanes. See the world as most children see it, easy from an egocentric view . . . which can be very amusing to adults. As you ride, keep in mind you're a passenger in the vehicle of childhood; enjoy the ride and observe the sights through their eyes. You have little control over where you go, so take it as it comes.

When you're a child, it doesn't matter much where you're going, you're just happy to be going somewhere — anywhere. In other words, the end result is not what's important to a child.

The filtering or weeding out process to get to a realistic conclusion means little to nothing to a 4-year-old. That's why their solutions to worldly issues can be hilarious. Their sweet "naive" logic can turn on the most guarded laugh box.

Anthony, a 2½-year-old Redford resident, was traveling with his mother in a car. He looked up and said, "Mom, birds." Mom said, "Where are the birds going?" Anthony replied, "To the bird-port."

Troy, a kindergartener from Canton, fears saying the "Pledge of Allegiance," especially when you say "to WITCH it stands."

Darialine, a 4-year-old from Detroit, says "Ms. Lug, I'm so tired." "Why?" asks Ms. Lug. "I had to clean up my mom's house."

Paris, another 4-year-old Detroit, picks up the phone. The caller says, "Can I speak to your mother?"

Paris happily recognizes the voice on the other end. Paris says, "Who I am?" The caller says, "Oh, hi who." Paris responds, "No, who I am?" "You're who." Paris replies, "This is not who. Who is me, Paris."

Dennis, a 2-year-old Inkster resident, was given a whole dollar. Dennis says to Grandma, "I don't like George."

William, a 3-year-old from Dearborn Heights, was asked to recite a Bible verse. When he recited it correctly, he added the sound of a drum roll by saying "Dah Dah Dee Dum."

Take time and think about the funny things kids say. It might include funny things, questions, comments or situations involving your own children.

You can start collecting those funny anecdotes by asking a few of the questions that follow. You can bet that the answers of children 2½ years and older will be interesting as well as humorous.

- Start off with questions like:
- (1) Where do babies come from?
 - (2) Why is it always dark at night?
 - (3) Where is God?
 - (4) Why is Santa fat?
 - (5) Do chicken hurt when you cook them?
 - (6) Where does the rain live?
 - (7) Why is the grass green in the spring?
 - (8) Where does the water in the toilet go after you flush it?
 - (9) How do airplanes stay in the air?
 - (10) Where do teachers, doctors and people working at Burger King and McDonald's live?

If you have a question or comment for Eartha DeYampert, call her at 953-2047, mail box number 1883, on a Touch-Tone phone, or write her at the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

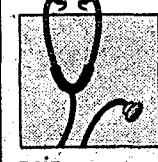
As you ride, keep in mind you're a passenger in the vehicle of childhood; enjoy the ride and observe the sights through their eyes.

Ouch!

Duo finds relief for their chronic pain

Andrea Henley and Jennifer Cray know what it means to hurt as the result of chronic pain. They also know what it means to overcome their affliction and they're sharing the information at an upcoming convention.

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER



Since a severe car accident in January 1990, Andrea Henley hasn't been able to go to sleep without feeling excruciating

pain. "I can't touch the bed to my back, my neck, my face, my stomach, my side," the Cleveland, Ohio, resident said.

Jennifer Cray of Canton, who suffered a spinal injury, has also seen her share of restless nights.

"I can't say I've had a good night's sleep in 15 years without waking up four or five times a night," she said. "Medication isn't the solution either."

Cray and Henley, who met through a physician, will share their solutions with fellow sufferers at a Chronic Pain Convention in Dearborn Saturday, June 5.

Cray and Henley, along with a host of medical professionals, will discuss topics such as "Physiology of Pain," "Prevention of Pain," "What You Should Know About Your Pain," "Psychology and Pain" and "Planning for the Future."

Finding relief

Although some of the techniques they will discuss are considered unconventional, Henley said they work.

"Acupuncture's been around for 5,000 years and it works," Henley said. "For some reason American medicine will not recognize it yet. Chiropractic was voodooism 20 years ago — now it's becoming mainstream."

"We're just trying to wake up the medical community. Our theme is 'The mind is like a parachute — it works better when it's open.' These doctors have tunnel vision." Henley was a single mother and successful businesswoman when she was injured in a January 1990 automobile accident that resulted in a closed head injury, severe cervical and lumbar sprains and post traumatic syndrome.

She often spent 12-18 hours a day in bed for two years; her small children locked in her room with a mother who could barely care for them.



SHERRIE BUZBY/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Suicide seemed like the only way out, she said, until she entered a chronic pain program. In less than two weeks' time she began to find hope and a way to live and overcome her disabilities.

Cray's pain was the result of a spinal injury. Married and the mother of two children, she was a hotel restaurant manager when her symptoms of post traumatic stress, chronic fatigue syndrome and lower back pain became intolerable. Four back and one hip surgeries and numerous physical therapy programs did little to ease the pain.

But like Henley, she finally found medical practitioners who understood her pain and gave her new ways of to cope with it.

"I know my pain is not the same as many others, but there have been days I have felt I could not go on," she said in a letter to Gov. John Engler. "Getting up in the morning was hard. Depression sets in when you

cannot do the things you once did, but I never quit."

According to Henley said, patients must learn to work with doctors in order to heal. Sufferers must not try to treat themselves because that will only further damage the injured areas, they said.

"If I have a pain in my arm, they don't look and see it's coming from the neck," she said. "You need to be educated so you can look. You can say, 'This started when I had whiplash and my neck was stiff.' It's three parts — educating on how the body works, why you have pain and what you can do about it."

Positive attitude

Part of the healing entails keeping a positive attitude, something both of the women admit was hard.

"Depression sets in, anger sets in," Cray said. "If you don't get help, you'll get worse because the

depression sets in and you no longer care."

Henley quietly admitted she felt exactly that way, but she strove to heal so she could care for her two young children, who also suffered.

"Most people don't realize the whole family suffers when someone's in pain," she said. "I had to send both of my children away. I'm a single mother. I struggled to keep them."

Her convention partner in Cleveland, Mary Ann Breisch, had similar problems.

"She laid on the couch every day in mega pain," she said. "Her son thought she was going to die and he thought he was going to die," Henley explained. "The children can actually internalize their pain. They start acting up in school. They start doing things for attention because

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New Year's celebrating the Chinese way

The following is the first of several letters from Beijing, China. The author is Janet Wojtak of Livonia who moved to the Chinese capital late last year when her husband accepted an assignment there as part of a joint economic venture.

Here I am on the other side of the world. I now live in a country where night in Michigan is already the next morning here. The opportunity to experience another culture was presented to us through my husband's company. They have a joint venture with the Chinese, and he accepted a two-year assignment in Beijing, China. We arrived early in December not prepared for the bone-chill-

LETTER FROM CHINA

ing cold winter.

We live in Western style housing with a group of about 25 foreigners at the Lido Holiday Inn and Apartment Complex. Along with a variety of restaurants, the International School, a German school and a Japanese school are all located in our complex.

Most of the people in our company are from the Detroit area. We have met several other of the approximately 2,000 Americans living in Beijing

through the American Club and the Beijing International Society.

Christmas and New Year's Day were celebrated at the complex with dinners and parties for the Westerners, but the highlight of the year here is the Chinese New Year. We are now in the Year of the Rooster.

Chinese New Year fell on Jan. 23 although fireworks were booming from our New Year through Feb. 6, which is the Lantern Festival celebrating the arrival of spring.

On the Chinese New Year's Eve, we went to the top of the Great Wall Sheraton Hotel to watch the fireworks. It was unbelievable to see the huge rockets shooting off all over the city in hackyards and streets. Rockets were even booming from windows and balconies.

On New Year's morning, our hotel set off 50,000 firecrackers all at once. They were hung from the flagpoles in the front of the lobby. As they were exploding, a group of acrobats did a Lion Dance around them and through the hotel lobby.

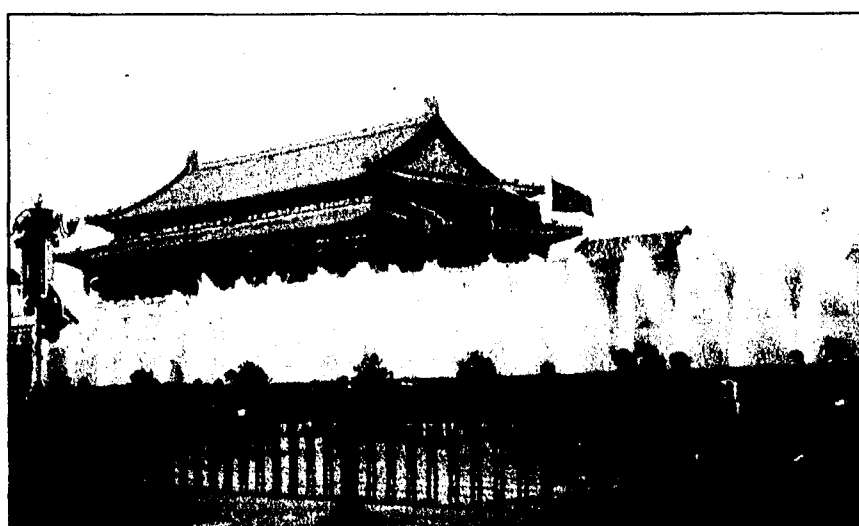
When Lantern Festival Day arrived, only 30,000 firecrackers were lit to celebrate the beginning of spring. The children were each given a red paper lantern with a candle inside. Then, they were paraded through the hotel, led by the Lion Dancers.

The American men, my husband at the forefront, had a great time almost every night of the week with their own rockets and strings of firecrackers. Every morning they would go out to purchase "just a few more."

I am looking forward to the new experiences and opportunities of the next two years. I consider this an adventure that can be told to my grandchildren.

Janet Wojtak

Two-way traffic: Bicyclists cruise by the spraying fountains lining the Tiananmen Gate to the Forbidden City in Beijing.



Pain from page 1C

they're not getting attention at home.

"My son started having neck aches. They start to suffer tremendously."

By participating in chronic pain programs, both have learned to deal with the problems associated with chronic pain.

Learning to cope

"You can learn to cope and make yourself better. What we're providing, I spent \$13,000 in a chronic pain clinic in Cleveland and we're giving it away for \$35," said Henley, a former geologist and business owner. "I'm getting my life back on track and there is help and hope out there. We're finding it and we'd like to show what we've found," said Cray.

■ 'What we're providing, I spent \$13,000 in a chronic pain clinic in Cleveland and we're giving it away for \$35.'

Andrea Henley

The Chronic Pain Convention is the second one Henley has organized. The first, which was held in Cleveland, was a tremendous success, Henley said.

"It was like an awakening for the whole community. (Previously) doctors didn't know where to refer anyone," she explained.

Cray added that with this program patients will see that there's hope for them.

"I've been through a lot of chronic pain and a lot of programs and a lot of let-downs," she said.

"I've been a fighter. I fought back. It's a lot of work and a lot of not giving up and believing that there's a lot of help out there and hope."

The Chronic Pain Convention will be held from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday, June 5, at the Holiday Inn Fairlane in Dearborn. Registration fee is \$35 and includes lunch. For more information, write to the Chronic Pain Convention, P.O. Box 871063, Canton 48187-6063 or call 397-8596.

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William and Esther McCabe



A garden party, hosted by their daughter, honored William and Esther McCabe on their 50th wedding anniversary.

The couple met at a roller rink near the cottage they own along Lake Huron. They were married on Sept. 19, 1942, at Gesu Church in Detroit and honeymooned in Chicago. She is the former Esther Uller.

They celebrated their anniversary a year early by taking a 47-day cruise to South America, but 50 years to the day they said "I do," they repeated their vows at

St. Priscilla Church before the Rev. Kevin O'Brien.

Both retirees, the McCabes have lived in Redford for 36 years

and have a married daughter, Susan Spence and husband Ralph, also of Redford. They also have one grandchild, Kelly.



James and Viola Swegles

It was a golden day for James and Viola Swegles of Wayne, who renewed their wedding vows Nov. 22, 1992, at the First Presbyterian Church of Wayne.

The Swegles exchanged vows on Nov. 21, 1942, in Sumpter Township. She is the former Viola Butler of Romulus.

The ceremony was officiated by the Rev. David Owen. The golden

jubilarian couple also were the guests of honor at a reception at Lerights Banquet Hall in Westland, given by their children — Ron and Gail Swegles of California and Ray and Becky Swegles of Canton. They also have seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

A veteran of World War II, he is a 1980 retiree of Wayne County General Hospital, where he worked in the accounting department for 38 years. Active in the First Presbyterian Church of Wayne, the Swegles also belong to the Wayne Golden Hour and Wayne-Westland Seniors clubs.

Seminar looks at family loss

R.G. & G.R. Harris Funeral Home will sponsor a workshop, "Family Loss and Conflict," addressing the issues that arise when a family suffers a loss.

The workshop will be 8:30 a.m. to noon Saturday, May 1, at the Senior Citizens' Sheldon Park Center, 10800 Farmington Road, south of Plymouth Road, Livonia. Registration will be at 8:30 a.m., with the program to start at 9 a.m. A continental breakfast will be served.

There will be three presentations. The first will be "Dealing With Conflict as a Result of a Loss Within the Family System." Missy Poppenger, community service representative for R.G. & G.R. Harris Funeral Home, will speak.

The second presentation, "Marital Conflict as a Result of the Loss of a Child," will be by Dr. John Canine of Maximum Living in Birmingham. These

McNeil, also of Maximum Living and former administrator for Mothers Against Drunk Driving, will present "Dealing With Both Family and Extended Family Conflict as a Result of a Death."

The program is free of charge. R.G. & G.R. Harris Funeral Home has chapels at 15451 Farmington Road, Livonia, 31551 Ford Road, Garden City, and 15251 Harper Ave., Detroit. For more information, call 422-6720.

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Scout honorees: Three area women have been named Michigan Metro Girl Scout Council Corporate Volunteers of the Year. Joining council president Gloria Lara (top photo, center) were honorees Barbara Schroeder (left), a mail driver for Michigan Bell Telephone, Fern Jensen (right), a peak time teller with Michigan National Bank, and Barbara Ann Porzadek (photo at left), a price analyst for GM's North American Export Sales.



Foster parent class set

Are you interested in being a foster parent? Youth Living Centers is offering a series of foster parenting classes, beginning Thursday, May 6. Classes will be at 6:30 p.m. at the agency's offices at 30000 Hively, off Middlebelt between Cherry Hill and Avondale roads, Inkster. For more information on the program, call Dorothy Murphy at 728-3400.



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FREDRICK and ELIZABETH JASINSKI of Garden City announce the birth of **JORDAN FREDRICK** March 26 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. He has a sister, Jessica. Grandparents are Dave and Phyllis Blevings of Westland and Janice Jasinski of Toledo.

MARTIN and PAMELA RHODES of Westland announce the birth of **ANTHONY MARTIN** March 25 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Phil and Sharon Longley of Canton and Joe and Karen Rhodes of Marquette.

CHARLES and CATHLEEN MOTT of Westland announce the birth of **CHRISTA MARIE** Feb. 8 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. She has brother, Chucky. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Moore of Garden City and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mott of Canton.

MIKE and LYNNE OLDERMAN of Garden City announce the birth of **ZACHARY THOMAS** March 29 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. He has a brother Sean, 3 1/2. Grandparents are Donald and Moira Wilson of Wixom and Bill and Barb Olderman of Garden City.

DAVID and MICHELLE KURKOWSKI of Westland announce the birth of **MEGAN CATHERINE** April 1 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grand-

parents are Jim and Kathy Ball of Garden City, Kent and Nora Herbert of Westland and Jim and Vicki Kurkowski of Livonia.

RICHARD and CAROLYN MADEJ of Garden City announce the birth of **ALYSE KATHRYN** April 14 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. She has a brother, Stephen, 5. Grandparents are Walter and Glenna Tinsley of Garden City and Bill and Sally Madej of Deraborn.

MARK and DIANE ESTES of Livonia announce the birth of **ALLISON CATHERINE** March 13 at Providence Hospital in Southfield. Grandparents are Cindy Heffner of Mt. Clemens, Virginia Estes of Warren and Er-

nie Estes of Canton, N.C.

EDWARD and DALLIE SAWICKI of Garden City announce the birth of **MELISSA IAYE** April 14 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. She has three brothers, Ron, Matthew and Edward. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McNinch of Livonia and Malcolm Clacher of Detroit.

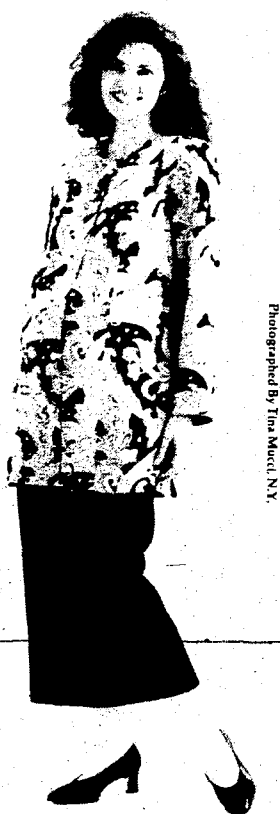
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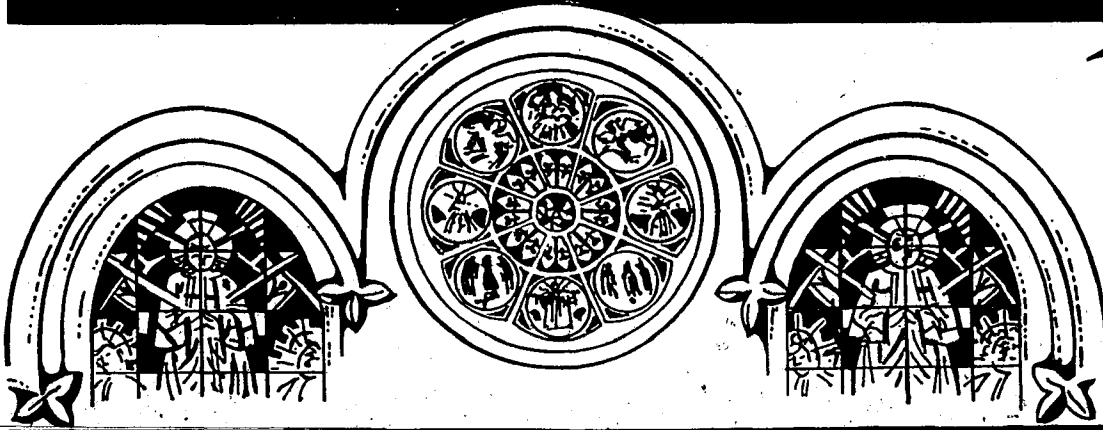
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Redford Baptist Church
25295 Grand River Avenue at 7 Mile Road
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533-2300

Sunday Worship 9:30 A.M. Church School 10:45 A.M.
Midweek Family Program, Wednesdays 5:45

May 2nd
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Pastor Nelson preaching

Pastors: William E. Nelson, Mark E. Summers
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46250 Ann Arbor Road
(1 Mile West of Sheldon)
Plymouth - 453-5252
Worship Service 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
Family Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
K. M. Mehrl, Pastor
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42690 Cherry Hill Road, Canton
981-0286 Roger Aumann, Pastor
Worship 8 & 10:30 A.M.
Bible Class & SS 9:20 A.M.
Week Day School & Preschool

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA

Timothy Lutheran Church
8820 Wayne Rd.
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Livonia - 427-2290
Worship Services: 8:30 & 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Rev. Mary T. Oluwanti, Pastor
261-0766

PRESBYTERIAN (U.S.A.)

Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church, (U.S.A.)
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10:30 A.M. Worship Service
10:30 A.M. Sunday School

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MORNING WORSHIP.....SUN. 11:00 A.M.
EVENING WORSHIP.....SUN. 6:00 P.M.
WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY.....WED. 7:00 P.M.

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Services Every Sunday at 10:30 A.M.
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Song Services - Last Sunday
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WEDNESDAY - KINGS KIDS 6:30 p.m.
BIBLE STUDY 7:00 p.m.

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Aunt Karen and Her Dummy "Tommy Christian"

Dr. S.L. Jenkins, Pastor - Bob Etzel, Assistant

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291 E. SPRING ST.
2 Blocks N. of Main - 2 Blocks E. of Mill
SUNDAY 10:00 A.M. WEDNESDAY 7:00 P.M.
Worship 11:00 A.M. & 6:00 P.M. (Classes for all ages)
(Nursery Provided in A.M.)

Pastor Frank Howard - Ch. 453-0323

St. Paul Ev. Lutheran Church
17810 Farmington Road
Pastors Carl Pagel & James Hoff
261-1360

WORSHIP SERVICES
Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School & Bible Classes 9:45

In Redford Township

Lola Park Ev. Lutheran Church
14750 Kinloch
Pastor Edward Zell - 532-8655

Worship Services
8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Main & Church - (313) 453-6464
PLYMOUTH

Services 9:00 & 11:00 A.M.
Church School & Nursery 9:00 & 11:00 A.M.

David E. Krehbiel Leland L. Seese, Jr.
Interim Sr. Minister Associate Minister
Philip Rodgers Magee Minister Emeritus
Accessible to All

GENEVA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)
5535 Sheldon Rd., Canton
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459-0013

Rev. Bryan Smith, Pastor
Worship & Church School - 9:00 & 11:00 A.M.
Handicapped Accessible
Resources for Hearing and Sight Impaired

WE WELCOME GOD'S MOST ENCHANTING SEASON OF SPRING

Livonia Baptist Church
32940 Schoolcraft - Livonia - 422-3763

SBC
Bible Study for all ages 9:45 AM Sundays
Sunday Worship 11:00 AM & 6:00 PM
Wednesday Service 7:00 PM
Nursery Provided
Pastor Gilbert Sanders Ph D

NORTHWEST BAPTIST CHURCH
23845 Middlebelt 1 1/2 Blks. S. of 10 Mile - 474-3393

Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday Service 7:00 P.M.
Nursery Provided
Rev. Richard L. Karr, Pastor

CHRISTIAN HARMONY DISTRICTS
24230 West McNichols
2 Blocks West of Telegraph
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Friday Praise and Worship 7:00 p.m.
Pastor Donna Lach 532-1000

UNITED METHODIST

ST. MATTHEW'S UNITED METHODIST
30900 Six Mile Rd. (Bet. Merriman & Middlebelt)
Chuck Sonquist, Pastor - David Stiles, Assoc.

10:00 A.M. Worship & Church School
11:15 A.M. Adult Study Classes
Nursery Provided - 422-6038

CHURCHES OF THE NAZARENE

PLYMOUTH CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
4801 W. Ann Arbor Road - (313) 453-1525
Sun. BIBLE STUDY & WORSHIP - 9:45 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday Evening - 6:00 P.M.
Ladies' Ministries - Tues. - 9:30 A.M.
FAMILY NIGHT - Wed. 7:00 P.M.
Mark Barnes, Pastor
NEW HORIZONS FOR CHILDREN: 455-3196

CHRISTADELPHIANS

CHRISTADELPHIANS
Sunday Memorial Service 10:00 A.M.
Bible Class, Wednesdays 8:00 P.M.
Lecture - June 6th at 2:15 p.m.
Will Jesus Christ Return As Promised in The Bible?
36516 Parkdale, Livonia - 425-7610

FARMINGTON HILLS CHURCH
(Independent Baptist)
Sundays 10:00 a.m. Comfort Inn Conference Room
12 Mile Rd. at Orchard Lake Rd. & 596
Farmington Hills, MI (313) 539-0816 or 553-4994

Many Churches teach that lost sinners will believe the gospel if just given the chance to hear it. But the Apostle Paul taught that "the preaching of the cross is to them that perish foolishness" (I Cor. 1:18). The only ones that appreciate hearing the gospel are those that are ALREADY saved! (I Cor. 1:18, 23-24). If you're interested in learning more about the true purpose of the gospel and preaching, come worship with us.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST

MEMORIAL CHURCH OF CHRIST
(Christian Church)
35475 Five Mile Rd. 464-6722
MARK MCGILVREY, Minister
Steve Allen, Youth Minister
Celebrating 50 Years of Service
BIBLE SCHOOL (All Ages) 9:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 9:30 & 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship & Youth Meeting 6:30 p.m.

KENWOOD CHURCH of CHRIST
Celebrating 40 Years
20200 Merriman Road 475-8222
MIKE HAZELTON, Minister
Ray Sanders, Youth Minister
BIBLE SCHOOL (All Ages) 9:30 A.M.
MORNING WORSHIP 10:30 A.M.
EVENING WORSHIP & YOUTH MEETINGS...6:30 P.M.

EPISCOPAL

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
16360 Hubbard Road
Livonia, Michigan 48154
421-8451

Mon.-Fri. 9:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist
Wednesday 6:00 P.M. Dinner & Classes
Saturday 5:00 P.M. Holy Eucharist

Sunday 7:45 & 10 A.M. Holy Eucharist
9:00 A.M. Christian Education for all ages
Sunday Morning - Nursery Care Available

The Rev. Robert Clapp, Rector
Every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.
Phil. 2:11

CATHOLIC

ST. JOHN NEUMANN
44800 Warren - Canton - 455-5910
Father George Charnley, Pastor

MASSSES
Saturday 4:30 & 6:30 p.m.
Sun. 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a.m.
and 1:00 p.m.

SAINT ANNE'S CHURCH (in Redford)
Society of St. Pius X - Traditional Latin Mass
23310 Joy Road
5 Blks. E. of Telegraph - 534-2121
Priests' Phone: 784-9517

Mass Schedule:
Sunday Mass 9:30 A.M.
Rosary & Confession before Mass

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL
1160 Penniman Ave.
Plymouth - 453-0326
Rev. John J. Sullivan

Masses: Mon-Fri 9:00 A.M., Sat. 5:00 P.M.
Sunday 8:00, 10:00 A.M. and 12:00 P.M.

UNITED METHODIST

NARDIN PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
29887 West Elevation Road
Just West of Middlebelt
476-8860
Farmington Hills
Worship & Church School
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.

May 2nd
"An Old Canoe, A Church, and a Star"
Rev. David Penniman preaching

Dr. William Ritter
Rev. David B. Penniman
Rev. Robert Bough
Rev. William Frayer

Clarenceville United Methodist
20300 Middlebelt Rd. - Livonia
Rev. James Kummer, Pastor

Worship Services
8:45 & 11:15 A.M. 6:00 PM
Church School - 10:05 AM
Wednesday Enrichment
Dinner at 6:00, Classes at 7:00
Nursery Provided

INTER-DENOMINATIONAL

AGAPE CHRISTIAN CENTER
41550 E. Ann Arbor Trail
Plymouth, Michigan 48170
(313) 459-6240

Sunday Worship - 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday - Family Night - 7:00 p.m.
Nursery & Children's Ministry at All Services

"A church ministering to today's needs"

Mark B. Moore, Pastor Agape Christian Academy - K through 12

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WATCH "THE BAHAI FAITH" SUNDAYS AT
6:45 p.m. ON CHANNEL 62 FROM 416-5315
416-5515

NEW LIFE Community Church
New Life Christian Academy K-12
34645 Cowan Road, Westland, MI 48185
(just east of Wayne Rd.)
422-5433

Sundays Wednesdays
Celebration of Worship Hours of Inspiration
11 a.m. 7 p.m.

Call for schedule of ministries and activities
Inspiring People to Serve Jesus.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH of the HOLY SPIRIT
9083 Newburgh Road
Livonia - 891-0211
The Rev. Emory F. Gronville, Vicar
The Rev. Margaret Haas, Assistant

Sunday Services
9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
10:30 a.m. Family Eucharist & Sunday School
A Barrier Free Facility for the Handicapped

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Faith Covenant Church
Making Faith a Way of Life
Sunday School for All Ages
Worship Services 8:30 & 10:45
35415 W. 14 Mile Road (at Drake Road)
661-9191

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. Richard A. Porfetto, Pastor
981-6600

Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Mass - Faith Community
Church (Warren Rd. - West of Canton Center Rd.)
Sunday, 10:00 a.m. Mass - Pioneer Middle School
Ann Arbor Rd. between Canton Center Rd
and McCumpha

NEWBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
36500 Ann Arbor Trail
422-0149

Worship Services & Sunday School
9:15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

May 2nd
"Korlan Connection"
Dr. Gilson M. Miller preaching

Ministers:
Dr. Gilson M. Miller
Rev. Steven E. Poole
Nursery Provided

ALDRSGATE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
(Redford Twp.)
10000 BEECH DALY ROAD
Between Plymouth and West Chicago
Redford, MI 48239 937-3170

Worship 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Saturday Evening
Informal Chapel Worship 6:00 p.m.

May 2nd
"Who's Calling, Please?"

Adult Sunday School 9:45
Child Care Available
Children's Sunday School 11:00
Pastors M. Clement Parr and
Bufford W. Coe

First United Methodist Church
45201 N. Territorial Road (Just West of Sheldon Road) - 453-5280
Worship at 9:00 am & 11:00 am (Nursery Provided)
Church School 9:00 am - Children's Worship 11:00 am
Sermon Title for May 2nd

"Partners in Ministry" - Confirmation Sunday
Pastors: John N. Grenfell, Jr., Kevin L. Miles
Dr. Frederick C. Vosburg
Music Director: Michael E. Gross
Organist: Larry A. Vlasor
Director of Education: Linda A. Holtberry
Ministers: The Entire Church

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

Brightmoor Tabernacle
Assemblies of God - Calvin C. Ratz, pastor
26555 Franklin Rd., Southfield, MI, (I-696 & Telegraph - West of Holiday Inn) - 352-6200

9:15 am Family Sunday School Hour * Wednesday 7:30 pm "Family Night"
Saturday, 6:00 pm "Saturday Nite"

10:30 am "The Suffering Servant"
Musical Guest: Lily Knolls
6:30 pm Rev. Huldab Buntain - missionary to India

Tri-City ASSEMBLY
2100 Hannan Road - Canton
326-0330

Morning Worship
8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 a.m.
Praise Celebration
6:00 p.m.

Family Night Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

Rocky Barra
Pastor

Come Sense The Freshness

RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the following Thursday's edition.

PASTORS' SPOUSES

Women married to ministers are invited to the Plymouth-Canton pastors' spouses group that will meet for fun and fellowship at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 29, at the home of a member. For information call Lisa at 455-7053 or Mary at 459-4490.

RUMMAGE SALES

St. Matthew Lutheran Church and School, 5885 Venoy, north of Ford, Westland, will hold a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday and Friday, April 29-30, and 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, May 1, in the school gymnasium. Refreshments will be available. The Ladies Christian Fellowship of Hossana-Tabor Church will have a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at the church, 9600 Leverage, between Beech Daly and Inkster roads, Redford. Snack bar will be open and there will be a bag sale at 1 p.m.

The Episcopal Church Women of St. Elizabeth's Episcopal Church will have a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at the church, 26431 W. Chicago, between Inkster and Beech Daly roads, Redford.

Church of God of Prophecy will have a rummage sale 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 7-8, at the church, 28563 Pardo, Garden City. Donations are being accepted and can be made by calling the church at 427-5524, Lynn Draper at 728-3903 or Mary Eades at 287-4614 after 5 p.m.

MIRACLE CRUSADE

Evangelists Alfonso and Terry Vargas will lead a crusade Friday through Sunday, April 30-May 2, at the Garden City Christian Center, 33111 Ford Road, west of Venoy Road, Garden City. Residents are invited to experience the appointed preaching and teaching of the Word of God by the Vargas. The sick will be ministered to at each service at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday and at 10 a.m. Sunday. Child care will be provided for the Sunday service only. For more information, call 421-2585.

MEN'S RETREAT

Unity of Livonia will have a men's retreat 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at 28660 Five Mile Road, Livonia. Registration for "Success Without Stress" will be at 9 a.m. An offering of \$10 is requested. The program includes discussion groups, relaxation techniques, instruction for meditation and lunch. The keynote speaker will be Nick Blakley who has been practicing Unity Principles for more than 40 years. Gene Sorensen will also provide instruction on how to meditate as well as leading a meditation. For more information, call 421-1760.

CHAI DINNER

Congregation Beit Kodesh will have its 34th annual Chai dinner at 5:30 p.m. Sunday, May 2, at the synagogue, 31840 W. Seven Mile, Livonia. Folk singer Judy Goldstein will entertain with English, Hebrew and Jewish songs. For more information, call Sandra Gibbings at 421-1017 (evenings).

SPRING CONCERT

"The Glory of Spring," a mixture of religious, popular and folk music, will be presented by the Our Lady of Grace Church Adult Music Ministry at 4 p.m. Sunday, May 2, at the church, 1160 Penniman, Plymouth. The concert of free of charge and will feature John Rutter's "Gloria," performed by the more than 60-voice Parish Choir, accompanied by percussion and brass. For more information, call 453-0326.

SOCIAL JUSTICE

Rev. John Castelot, educator, theologian and author, will speak about Jesus and social justice at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 4 and 11, at St. Linus Parish, 6466 Evangeline, Dearborn Heights. The presentation is sponsored by the Peace and Justice Committee. For more information, call 274-7735.

DAY OF PRAYER

Members of the Plymouth-Canton community prayer group will participate in a Meet at City Hall as part of the National Day of Prayer Thursday, May 6. The group will be joining other members in communities throughout the country to pray for the moral rebirth of America.

Participants will meet at the flagpole of Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main St., and at the flagpole of Canton Township Hall, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, 12:20-12:40 p.m. Churches and in-

dividuals interested in participating can call Karen at 454-9011 or Barbara at 459-9595 for Plymouth or Barbara at 981-3442 or Claudia at 981-0178 for Canton.

People in Livonia also are invited to join in the prayer program 12:12-12:45 p.m. that day. Participants will meet near the flagpole at the Livonia City Hall, Farmington and Five Mile roads, Livonia. For information, call Judi Ellis at 522-1840.

CARD PARTY

The St. Hilary Rosary Altar Society will host a spring card party at 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 7. There will be plenty of prizes and dessert table. Men welcome. For more information, call 533-9197.

ILLUSIONIST

Christian illusionist Toby Travis will perform at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 7-8, at the Tri-City Assembly of God Outreach Center, Michigan and Hannan Road, Wayne. His show, "Illusion and Beyond," features a contemporary blend of humor, music, illusion and audience participation that results in a delightful experience for all ages. Tickets are \$3 (buy two, get one free). For more information, call 326-0330.

BLOOD DRIVE

Good Shepherd Reformed Church, 6500 N. Wayne Road, Westland, will have its semi-annual Red Cross blood drive 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 8. Walk-in donors welcome. For more information, or for a donation appointment, call 421-9097.

WALK-A-THON

St. Matthew Lutheran Church and School will have a walk-a-thon 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 8. Walkers will follow a three-mile route — Beachwood to Farmington to Hunter to Wayne Road to Forad Road to Farmington Road. Money raised from the walk will go for the school's DARE program. There also will be a tricycle-a-thon for smaller children on the church/school grounds. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call Ron Trygg at 525-5678. St. Matthew's is at 5885 Venoy Road, Westland.

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. For more information, call 349-0911.

BIBLE 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.

SENIOR FELLOWSHIP

Bethel Baptist Temple, 29475 W. Six Mile, Livonia, sponsors meetings for senior citizens and retirees the first and third Tuesday of the month. For more information, call 525-3664 or 261-9276.

PRAYER GROUP

St. Edith Church, 15089 Newburgh, at Five Mile in Livonia, has charismatic prayer group meetings 7:30 p.m. Thursdays in the church meeting room. (Use rear entrance No. 2.) For more information, call Sandy at 462-2243.

There also will be prayer group meetings 6 p.m. Sundays in Patio Classroom 1 of Madonna University, Schoolcraft and Levan in Livonia. Singing will be included. The meetings are open to the public. For more information, call Julie at 464-4566.

ALCOHOLICS

The Alcoholics for Christ, Meet Your Needs Group, meets 7 p.m. each Tuesday at Tri-City Assembly of God, 2100 Hannan in Canton. Alcoholics for Christ is a non-denominational, non-profit Christian fellowship for alcoholics and their families. The group's chief goal is to direct alcoholics, family members and other concerned people to a dedicated, sincere relationship with Jesus Christ. For more information, call the church, 326-0330.

Church fests mean fun, finances

BY DIANE HANSON
SPECIAL WRITER

You can sink your teeth into a juicy kielbasa, savor the flavor of a chicken dinner, relish the butterflies-in-the-stomach feeling of the Ferris wheel and the Tilt-O-Whirl while the fragrant wind surges through your hair.

Or, if you prefer, you can try your luck in the Vegas tent against the blackjack dealer or "The Wheel." Bingo is another option or you might even find the bargain of the year at one of the area's largest garage sales.

Spring is here . . . YES! And as certain as the appearance of those red-breasted feathered friends, church festivals likewise mark the beginning of the eagerly anticipated warm weather.

For some area churches, the revenue generated by the festivals is a definite budget booster. For other churches, it's a matter of simple survival.

"Without the festival, I think the doors of the church would be closed," said the Rev. Ron Babich, pastor of St. Hilary Catholic Church in Redford. "For us, it's survival. We're getting to the danger point."

The church, at Telegraph and Plymouth roads, is in an area reflective of the migration of younger families to the western suburbs. There are currently about 320 registered families and singles at St. Hilary.

"In our heyday, we had about 1,600 registered families," said Babich, who has been pastor since 1987. That was during the 1960s. Nine hundred students attended preschool through eighth grade at St. Hilary School at the time. Because of the dwindling enrollment, the school was closed at the end of the 1991-92 school year.

"When we closed the school," said Babich, "we were down to 132 students and there were only two families with children in the school from our parish."

The church was established in the 1950s and was also one of the founding parishes of Bishop Borgess High School. That and other debts incurred over the years for



Sky high: When Mother Nature cooperates, business booms at St. Hilary's festival, held in the spring on the grounds of Bishop Borgess High School and the parking lot of Detroit Diesel Allison in Redford.

needed repairs on the church and school have put a financial strain on the struggling parish. Coupled with the usual expenses incurred in running a parish, it has resulted in a real "cash flow problem," according to Babich.

Needed revenue

The good news is the much-needed revenue generated by the festivals which have been an annual event for many years. Previously, the festival was held on the church grounds and the parish netted around \$30,000. Four years ago, they moved to Bishop Borgess High School, and some years they are allowed to use the adjoining Detroit Diesel property. The 1992 festival netted its highest earnings yet, \$69,000.

This year's festival, held last weekend, was co-chaired by Jerry Bowser and Lou Kisic, and also had access to the DDC property

where the big carnival rides were set up. Since it's one of the first festivals of the year, "we hope the people have cabin fever and they're really ready to get out," said Babich.

The festival has grown in attendance and revenue nearly every year, according to publicity chairwoman Cindy Porter. "Last year we had festival visitors from 125 different ZIP codes and we've had greater and wider support from the community than ever before." Many local businesses also donate goods and money.

"It's also an excellent opportunity for the people of the parish to come together," Porter said. "We could call it fellowship. We could call it service to the community. It really is a wonderful blend of people coming together for a common goal. This is our No. 1 annual activity."

Fellowship is also one of the important pluses that has evolved from working on the festivals at St. Richard Catholic Church in Westland, according to Thelma Chaussee, treasurer in charge of finances at the church. The Rev. John Hall is pastor of the 31-year-old church.

"What this festival has done is to get people involved and they've met new people, made new friends; we've gotten a warmer atmosphere and it has brought the people together into a working relationship," said Chaussee. "It has also brought in people who don't have time to get involved on a regular basis and given them their once-a-year thing. We do everything except the rides ourselves."

They also have a lot of community and business support. Bob

Evans Restaurant on Ford Road in Canton prepares and transports meals to help out with the festival that runs Friday through Sunday, June 11-13, this year.

Covering expenses

The festivals were initiated nine years ago to help pay for major renovation work done on the church that year. It averages around \$30,000 supplemental income each year from the festival.

"One of our people figured out, without our weekly bingo and without our festival, we would be short of paying our expenses for the year," said Chaussee.

One of the last festivals of the summer will be held at St. Raphael in Garden City Friday through Sunday, Sept. 17-19.

The festivals have taken place annually for more than 20 years at the 61-year-old church and last year was the best year ever, according to Dennis Karczynski, chairman of the festival for the past five years.

"When I took over about five years ago," said Karczynski, "I think we gave the church about \$28,000." Last year, after paying expenses, they were able to present the Rev. Edward Prus, pastor, with a check for \$63,000. This year, along with co-chairpersons John Garland and festival secretary Joanne Shankin, they hope to repeat that success.

While more than doubling the revenue from the festival in the past five years, the money still represents less than one-tenth of the annual budget, according to the church's financial administrator Janet Potter. Thirty percent of

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Banner, banner: Banners announce businesses supporting the efforts of St. Richard's Church in Westland.

Judges show devotion to public trust

MORAL PERSPECTIVES



RABBI IRWIN GRONER

May 1, Law Day, is a holiday dedicated to supremacy of law in a democracy. In a society without rules, there would be no safeguards for liberty, no property rights, no protection for the weak, no basis for commerce or business or industry.

The central figure in the legal system is the judge, measured by more exacting standards than others.

The Pennsylvania Supreme Court affirmed this in a recent decision: "For generations . . . it

has been taught that a judge must possess the confidence of the community; that he must not only be independent and honest, but equally important, believed by all men to be independent and honest . . . Without the appearance as well as the fact of justice, respect for the law vanishes in a democracy."

Some may respond that this establishes a standard that is very difficult and onerous, namely the avoidance of the appearance of impropriety. It demands so much more of a judge than of any other occupation or profession. Some judges have lamented this demand and consider themselves, therefore, second class citizens.

The deeper truth is that judges are very special people to whom

much has been given in the way of power, status, prestige and above all, the opportunity to set the moral tone of the legal system of the community.

Much is expected of them in return.

Most judges understand that the values dealing with the avoidance of impropriety and self-restraint are not a burdensome yoke, but a joyful celebration of a great heritage.

Judges are not like legislative and executive officials. These people are evaluated by their political decisions and by the practical success of their proposals and programs. Judges are appraised by the examination of their decisions: Are their decisions trusted as impartial, fair, and in accord-

dance with law?

The Greeks thought deeply upon the issue of justice. Socrates said: "Four things belong to a judge: To hear courteously, to answer wisely, to consider soberly, and to decide impartially."

We have reason to recognize with gratitude the judges of our state who reflect in their conduct the high standards of the judiciary that are the foundation of our legal system. We acknowledge their leadership and their devotion to the public trust.

Rabbi Irwin Groner is with Congregation Sharey Zedek in Southfield. If you have a question or comment for him, call him at 953-2047, mailbox number 1862, on a touch tone phone.

Spring Break to help women soar

The Women's Council of Memorial Church of Christ will hold its second annual Ladies Spring Break on Friday and Saturday, April 30-May 1. The theme will be "Increasing Your Wingspan."

The guest speaker will be Kim Jackson, who serves as youth minister at First Christian Church in Jacksonville, Ill. Armed with an outstanding Christian education, she has served as a guest speaker for conventions, churches, clubs and camps in 18 states and Canada.

She also researched and developed numerous presentations for youth retreats, ladies' events, teacher training and appreciation,

singles events and church and civic groups.

As a writer, Jackson has been published in "Christian Standard," "HIS," "The Lookout," "Youthworker Journal" and "Ideas," as well as curriculum and education resources for Standard Publishing.

The planned program has been designed to increase participants' wingspan. Five workshops will be offered to help women gain altitude in their Christian life: "Talking Without Squawking — Honest Parent/Child (Adolescent to Teen) Advice," "Smooth Flying at High Speeds — Realistic Approach to Stress and Time Man-

agement," "Helping Others to Soar — Ways to Navigate through Terminal Illness, Becoming a Caregiver and Coping with Death," "Clipped Wings — Handling Crisis Pregnancies and Abortions" and "I'm Flying As Fast As I Can — Encouragement Could Make the Difference in Being Grounded or Airborn."

A \$10 registration fee includes lunch on Saturday. Child care will be available for children, infant through age five. For registration and more information, call Memorial Church of Christ at 420-2375. Memorial Church is at 35475 Five Mile Rd., Livonia.



Kim Jackson

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the church budget goes to support St. Raphael's 350-student kindergarten through eighth grade school.

While the St. Raphael festival doesn't have the big carnival rides, it does have kiddie rides and lots of children's activities. They try to keep it very family-oriented. They also have a craft show and undoubtedly one of the largest garage sales in the area. The parishioners "donate everything they don't want at their house," said Karczynski. The proceeds from the garage sale are also a significant part of the festival's revenue.

Last year, although discouraged from booking their wedding on the festival weekend due to the noise and activity, one couple still opted to tie the knot that Saturday. For a wedding gift, Prus gave the newlyweds a gift certificate for

the garage sale. The bride and groom happily selected items for their home together.

The noise and commotion of a festival could be a problem for the families living in the homes surrounding St. Raphael. To promote goodwill, those families are given free meal tickets — one free meal for each family member. The day after the festival, Karczynski takes a group of kids and covers a two-block radius, picking up the trash.

"There's nothing worse than seeing stuff from the festival a block or two away," he said.

Takes dedication

Planning and putting the festivals on takes a tremendous amount of dedication and involvement by the parishioners. It takes 250-400 people to man the various festivals and many of

them work more than one shift.

"They really work hard at this festival," said Potter of the St. Raphael group. "They've got to love this parish a lot to do all that. I mean, they just practically live over here. Not to mention the things that go on planning it for months before."

That's pretty typical of all the parishes and the results certainly show a pay-off. They offer something for everyone. Bake sales, crafts, bingo, Vegas tents and mouth-watering meals are common fare.

For those who like to take an occasional chance, there are some terrific raffles. St. Richard's first prize is \$3,000 and St. Hilary offered a \$10,000 Savings Bond as its first prize. Food prices are reasonable and the entertainment is free.

St. Raphael will sponsor the Laredos, a vintage '50s-60s group that popularized the song "Romeo and Juliet." Honey Radio, WHND, will do a live broadcast. There will be a polka Mass at noon Sunday, with songs sung in Polish.

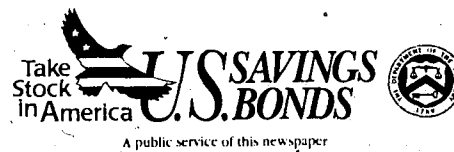
St. Richard will have a karate group perform as well as the Laredos with Honey Radio. Duane Malinowski with the Polka Jam-boree Plus will be there on Sunday.

St. Hilary's festival featured a country-Western hand, two polka

bands, rock band Tommy C. and The Gaylords, and a comedy team that has done commercials and worked at Las Vegas and at the Top Hat in Windsor.

With the festival season under way, entertainment in the Detroit area should be no problem this summer.

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Youth theater

Bloomfield Players Youth Theatre will present two productions at Andover High School, 4200 Andover Road at Long Lake Road, one block west of Telegraph, Bloomfield Hills, on April 30 and May 1. "The Tales of Hans Christian Andersen" will be presented 7 p.m. Friday, April 30, and 1 p.m. Saturday, May 1. "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown" will be presented at 8:15 p.m. Friday, April 30, and 2:15 p.m. Saturday, May 1. Tickets are \$2 and may be bought at the door. For more information, call 433-0885.

Avon Players

Avon Players will present "A Chorus Line" weekends starting 8 p.m. Friday, April 30, through Saturday, May 22, at the playhouse in Rochester Hills. For ticket information, call 375-1390.

Auditions

Nancy Gurwin Productions is holding auditions for "Phantom of the Op'ry," ages 8 to 17, 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, May 2, in Room 131-132 at the Jewish Community Center, 6600 West Maple Road, West Bloomfield. All roles available. Processing and audition fee \$5. For more information, call Nancy Gurwin, 354-0545. Also auditioning for a rehearsal accompanist for "Phantom," and music director for Camp of the Arts at the center this summer.

Birmingham Concert

Birmingham Concert Band presents "A Spring Fling" at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 2, at the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, 1800 West Maple, Birmingham. Concert will feature music to shake the winter doldrums. Free-will offering.

Casting call

Junior Actors of Ridgedale Players will audition youngsters ages 8 to 18 for a variety of roles in "Heidi," at 1 p.m. Saturday, May 1 at the playhouse, 205 W. Long Lake Road, Troy. Play dates are June 25, 26, 27. For information, call 549-2571.

Outdoor dining

The Wooden Horse Inn, 5725 Rochester Road, Troy, has unveiled two outdoor dining areas which increase the historic farmhouse's seating from 250 to over 350. The newly restored Wooden Horse Inn features a ground floor outdoor patio with a view of Sylvan Glen Golf Course and second-floor deck overlooking Rochester Road. The inn specializes in traditional American inn cooking. Hours are 11 a.m. to midnight Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 1 a.m. Friday and Saturday, and 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. Sunday. For information, call 879-1555.

Show warmly recreates gospel sings

"Smoke on the Mountain" continues through May 16 at the Meadow Brook Theatre on the campus of Oakland University. For ticket information, call 377-3300.



HUGH GALLAGHER

Hallelujah! Meadow Brook has a winner with an unusual theatrical presentation that neatly combines gospel music, gentle comedy and wry insights into rural American family life. Alan Bailey conceived "Smoke on the Mountain" from warm childhood memories of all night gospel sings. In the program notes he writes that he always admired those traveling gospel singing families who always seemed so perfect and happy compared to his own family.

"Smoke" recreates one of those gospel sings but reminds us that all families share troubles. Bailey and writer Connie Ray have fun with the style of Baptist worship but show deep respect for the message. This delicate balance is maintained by a perfect cast who seem to have stepped whole out of the hot June Carolina night of 1938 when the performance is set.

The Rev. Mervin Oglethorpe prepares his congregation for a special night at the Mount Pleasant Baptist Church. The Sanders Family Singers are performing again after a long hiatus. Unfortunately, as the play opens, the family is late returning from their meal at the Eat and Run. They finally arrive in a state of disorder, their bus having turned over into a ditch.

This incident sets up the main premise that perfect families in perfect harmony are an illusion. The Sanders include Burl and his hefty good natured wife Vera, Burl's recently returned brother Stanley, and Vera's three children, the lively twins Denise and Dennis and the shy June.

As the evening unfolds we are treated to some foot-stomping white Southern gospel music, some of it au-



Gentle comedy: Don Bryant (Stanley) (left), Barbara Larsen (Vera) and Richard Glover (Burl) appear in "Smoke on the Mountain" at Oakland University's Meadow Brook Theatre through May 16.

thentic and some written for the show. The actors are all excellent musicians and the arrangements by Mike Carver and Mark Hartwick are authentic to the style, even when the lyrics sometimes have a tongue-in-cheek quality. Musical highlights include "I Wouldn't Take Nothing for My Journey Now," "I'm Taking a Flight," "Christian Cowboy" and "I'll Fly Away."

But the best thing about this show is the interplay among the performers as each gets to testify about their lives and their beliefs. David Hemsley Caldwell is hilarious as the red-faced, over-eager Rev. Oglethorpe who is desperately trying to fit in with his new congregation. Richard Glover is a

solid, philosophical Burl, the family's anchor and not a little resentful about it. Barbara Larsen brings a sweet voice and an endearing ditzy-ness to mama Vera.

Don Bryant Bailey shows us the dark side of redemption and what religious revelation is supposed to be about in his richly nuanced performance as troubled brother Stanley.

All is not well with the children and this, too, is handled with humor and insight. Jennifer Piech is non-stop, happy motion as Denise, the pretty daughter who is hot to trot and go Hollywood but returns to the shelter of her home. Piech is a riot in her testimony to the lures of David Selznick. Lucinda Blackwood gives a

tender reading to the plain, untalented June who has her resentments but also her strengths. Jeffrey Currier is the other twin who must struggle with the "call" and finally finds his voice. Currier is a talented musician who takes his turn on several instruments including a clarinet.

Mike Nichols' set puts us right into the church near the Blue Ridge Mountains. The "congregation" on opening night was clapping its hands, stamping its feet and calling the "family" back for more.

Hugh Gallagher is an assistant managing editor, copy desk, at the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, Inc.

Groups celebrate National Music Week

"A Better World Through Music," is the theme of the 70th annual observance of National Music Week sponsored by the National Federation of Music Clubs Inc. The Birmingham Musicales and Farmington Musicales will jointly celebrate National Music Week, by offering morning, afternoon and evening concerts, Monday, May 3 through Thursday, May 6 at Twelve Mall, Telegraph at 12 Mile in Southfield.

All performances are free and open to the public.

Monday, May 3 — 10:30 a.m. Derby

Middle School Chorus, 10:45 a.m. Derby Middle School Orchestra, 11 a.m., Derby Middle School 7th and 8th grade bands; 11:15 a.m. The Rainbow Girls of Birmingham Musicales; noon, The Milford Musicales Chorus; 1:15 p.m. The Singing Seniors; 3 p.m. Harrison High School Jazz Band and Ensemble; 5:15 p.m. Carl Reyes, pianist; 6 p.m. The Chime Ringers of Southfield; 7 p.m. Grace Ward, soprano, Joan Bowes, accompanist; 8 p.m. City of Royal Oak Bell Choir.

Tuesday, May 4 — 11:15 a.m. Irene

Muttutat and Marion Siatczynski, piano duo; 12:15 p.m. Greenfield Grade School Honors Choir; 2 p.m. The Junior League Chorus; 2:30 p.m. Elaine Vermiglio, pianist; 3:30 p.m. Connie Randall, soprano, Elaine Vermiglio, accompanist; 5:30 p.m. Dorothy Duensing Cormie, lyric mezzo soprano, Maxine Zeitz, accompanist; 6 p.m. Livonia Youth Symphony of Michigan Stringed Orchestra.

Wednesday, May 5 — 11 a.m. Power Middle School Orchestra; 11:30 a.m. West Maple Middle School Band; 12:30 p.m. Birney Middle

School Varsity Chorus and Birney Middle School Music Workshop; 1:30 p.m. The Silver Tones; 5:15 p.m. Young at Heart Senior Chorus of Livonia; 6:15 p.m. Judy Reger, soprano; Suzanne Frederick, accompanist; 7 p.m. Farmington Musicales Chorus.

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Plymouth Oratorio Society to perform

The Plymouth Oratorio Society will perform George Frederic Handel's Coronation Anthems No. 1 and 2, and John Rutter's "Requiem," 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 2, in the newly enlarged sanctuary of St. John Neumann Catholic Church, 44800 Warren Road, Canton. There will be no charge for admission, but a freewill offering will be taken. For more information, call 761-2991 or 453-4765.

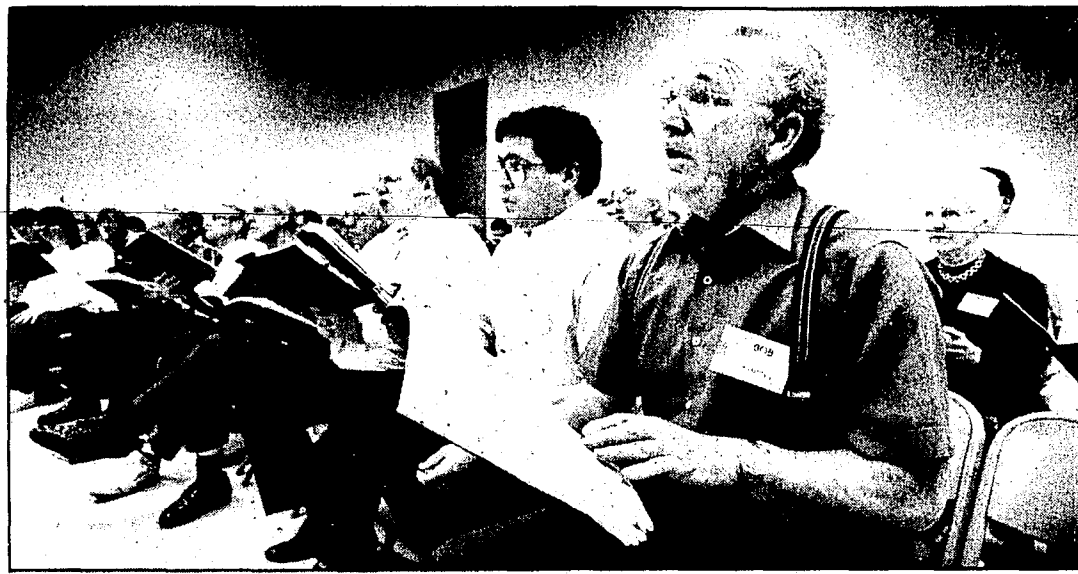
This is the seventh season for the Oratorio Society, a community choral group which performs a major work each spring. The society has more than 100 members who hail from 15 different communities in western Wayne, Washtenaw, Oakland and Livingston counties.

Artistic director Robert Pratt is also conductor of the Chancel Choir at First United Methodist Church of Ann Arbor. He is a graduate of Oberlin Conservatory of Music and the University of Michigan School of Music.

The Plymouth Oratorio Society will be performing with the Michigan Sinfonietta, an orchestra comprised of some of the finest professional musicians in mid-Michigan who have worked together for many years in a variety of settings. The players share a wealth of experience in both chamber and symphonic music, as well as accompanying ballet, opera and sacred and secular choral works.

The two choral works being performed this season are strikingly different in character, said Pratt.

Handel's Coronation Anthems were composed in 1727 as ceremonial music for King George III and his wife, Queen Caroline. The presence of brass and timpani gives both works an exciting, festive air, and should remind listeners of some parts of Handel's



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Concert rehearsal: Plymouth Oratorio Society members Bob Cassidy, Buzz Bozell and Hank Naasko rehearse with other members for the May 2 concert at St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Canton.

"Messiah."

John Rutter's "Requiem," written in 1985, is a contemporary work dedicated to the composer's father. Following the practice of Brahms and Faure, the piece is not strictly a setting of the Requiem Mass as laid down in Catholic liturgy, but instead is made up of a personal selection of texts, some taken from the Mass and some from the 1662 Book of Common Prayer.

The seven selections of the work form an arch-like meditation on the themes of life and death — the first and last movements are prayers on behalf of all humanity, movements 2 and 6 are psalms, 3 and 5 are personal prayers to Christ, and the central Sanctus is a ringing affirmation of divine glory. The work as a whole has an almost ethereal air of serene faith.



Conducting: Artistic director Robert Pratt helps the Plymouth Oratorio Society prepare for their May 2 concert.

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The theater is 10 minutes south of Metro Airport at 32044 Huron River Drive in New Boston. Tickets are \$9 adults, senior citizens and students \$8. Call 782-5380 for information.

"Jesus Christ Superstar," features music by Andrew Lloyd Webber and lyrics by Tim Rice. Okins, 19, who has the leading role, is a student at Henry Ford

Leading role: Rick Okins stars in the Huron Civic Theatre production of "Jesus Christ Superstar."

Community College in Dearborn. He attended Lutheran Westland High School.

Upcoming classical concerts noteworthy

Here is a round up of the classical music concerts being presented this month. Make a note of these upcoming performances.

■ Scott Holden, a 1989 graduate of Bloomfield Hills Lahser High School and December 1992 graduate of the University of Michigan School of Music, will present a concert 8 p.m. Friday, April 30, at the Recital Hall of Evola Music Center, 2184 S. Telegraph Road, Bloomfield Hills. Ticket, \$6. Call 646-9773.

■ Composer Lettie Beckon Alston of Lathrup Village will be participating in the Detroit Symphony Orchestra Hall's Unisys African-American Composers Forum April 29 to May 1.

Her work, "The Eleventh Hour," was one of four selected to be performed by the Detroit Symphony Orchestra during an open reading session that is open to the public, 12:30-2 p.m. Thursday, April 29, at Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward, Detroit. There is no

charge to attend.

After this session, one of the works will be selected to be performed at Detroit Symphony Orchestra subscription concerts on April 30, May 1 and May 2 at Orchestra Hall. For ticket information, call 833-3700 or Ticketmaster, 645-6666.

Alston will perform "Moods for Piano," in a premiere performance at the 1993 Unisys African-American Composers Forum and Symposium Chamber Music Concert 8 p.m. Thursday, April 29, at Orchestra Hall. This concert is also open to the public.

■ The Livonia Symphony Orchestra will present Alexander Zonjic and Friends at the final concert of their 1992-93 season 8 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at the James P. Carli Auditorium, Churchill High School at Newburgh and Joy roads in Livonia. Guest artist, Aaron La Vere, trombone, 1993 LSO Young Artist Competition winner. Tickets \$10

general admission, \$6 seniors ages 62 and over and students ages 16-21, \$3 children age 15 and under when accompanied by an adult. For information, call 458-6575 or the Livonia Symphony office, noon to 4 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, 421-1111.

■ Southfield Symphony Mother's Day Concert 7 p.m. Sunday, May 9 in the Southfield Civic Center Pavilion, on Evergreen at Civic Center Drive. Guest artist virtuoso violinist Reiko Watanabe. For ticket information, call 354-4717.

■ Art of Poland Associates, an auxiliary of the Detroit Institute of Arts Founder's Society, presents cellist Paul Ledwon in recital at the DIA 1:30 p.m. Saturday, May 1. For information, call 833-0247, 642-2730 or 352-1968.

■ The Rochester Symphony Orchestra will present their final concert of the season 8 p.m. Friday, May 14, at Varner Hall on the campus of Oakland University in Rochester. Featured per-

former is pianist Neil Eisenstelf, performing "Rhapsody in Blue" by Gershwin. Tickets \$10, children under 12, \$8, available at the door or by calling 651-4181.

■ The final Detroit Symphony Orchestra Hall Volunteer Council West Side Preludes Concert 12:30 p.m. luncheon, Friday, May 7, 1:30 p.m. concert, at Temple Beth El, 14 Mile at Telegraph, Birmingham, will feature DSO Associate Conductor Leslie Dunner on clarinet with Paul Wingert, cello and Robert Conway, piano, playing Brahms' Clarinet Trio. Tickets \$17.50, luncheon and concert, \$5 concert only. Call 962-1000.

■ The Michigan Flute Festival, featuring various flute ensembles, the Michigan Flute Orchestra, Mass and flute choirs with more than 300 participants from all around Michigan, will be 3:30 p.m. Sunday, May 23, at Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward, Detroit. Call 833-3700 for ticket information.

Exchange tickets for George Burns Theatre

In case you haven't heard, the George Burns Theatre for the Performing Arts in Livonia is temporarily closed. They are seeking to reorganize and reopen.

Although they are not able to provide refunds, tickets for the George Burns Theatre will be

honored and may be exchanged, one to one, for selected performances at the Palace of Auburn Hills and the New Pine Knob beginning May 15.

A listing of these performances will be available, beginning May 15, at the Palace box office.

Seminar helps singers

Livewire, a Livonia-based music and audio post facility specializing in commercial film production, is establishing — "I Can't Hear You," a program that will enable singers to realize their full potential.

The orientation and enrollment date for the first installment of the series is 2-5 p.m. Sunday, May 2, at the Novi Hilton, I-275 at 8 Mile. For information, call 591-3342.

COOKING CALENDAR

Send items to be considered for publication in *What's Cooking* to: Keely Wygonik, Entertainment editor, the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

■ **PLYMOUTH LANDING**
Plymouth Landing Restaurant, 340 North Main, Plymouth, 455-3700 will celebrate Cinco de Mayo the Mexican national holiday on Monday, May 5 with an all-day Mexican fiesta. Authentic Mexican music 7-10 p.m. Hours 11 a.m. to 2 a.m. Food service until 11 a.m.

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■ **HOA KOW**
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■ **TOG'S DOWNUNDER**
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Performance features Up With People

Up With People, an international music group of young adults will conduct a performance 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 4, in North Farmington High School Auditorium, 32900 W. 13 Mile, Farmington Hills.

Tickets are \$12 adults, \$10 students under 16, and senior citizens, and will be available at the door. Tickets are also available at Veens Hallmark, 37598 W. 12 Mile, Farmington Hills. For information, call 661-1778.

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The 150 cast members will be staying with host families in the Farmington Hills area. Staying with the various families encourages work toward the aim "Understanding among all Nations."

UPCOMING THINGS TO DO

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VOCAL MUSIC

LANGSFORD SINGERS
Langsford Singers will perform a program of choral music featuring Randall Thompson's "Frostanina," and selections from "Les Miserables" 4 p.m. Sunday, May 2 at St. Anselm Catholic Church, 17650 W. Outer Drive, Dearborn Heights, and 7 p.m. Saturday, May 8 at North Congregational Church, 26275 Northwestern Highway Southfield. Tickets \$8, seniors, students, advance sales, \$6. Call 682-5028.

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MADRIGAL CHORALE

Madrigal Choral will perform selections from R. Vaughan Williams' Mass in G Minor, 4 p.m. Sunday, May 16 at St. Ives Catholic Church in Southfield. Tickets \$10 adults, students and senior citizens, \$5. Call 737-5035 for information.

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JEWEL HEART
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Plymouth home tour: lifeline for symphony

It's a home decor lover's delight. The Plymouth Symphony League's home tour happens every other May. This year's version runs 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, May 21. Call Mary Thomas for tickets: 453-3016.

A financial lifeline for the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra, the tour sold 853 tickets and raised \$10,000 in 1991. That's 40 percent of the league's annual fund-raising goal of \$25,000.

Dubbed "Town & Country," the 1993 tour will showcase seven homes. It will feature traditional, country, eclectic, contemporary, Oriental, English accent and American antique decors.

"We'll have a little bit of everything, including one condo decorated in a classic and traditional mix," said Judy Lore, tour publicist.

The tour should appeal to anyone caught up in architecture, history or furnishings. Said Jill Licata, league president: "There are lots of homes in the area that people would like to see on the inside because they're so interesting on the outside."

This year, the league hopes to sell 1,000 tickets at \$15 each — and raise \$15,000. Members will serve as hostesses and docents. Local florists will place arrangements in each home. A garden boutique next to one tour stop will feature a perennial and statuary sale. A leisurely tour should take a half a day.

The Mayflower Hotel, Cafe Bon Homme, Plymouth Landing, Penniman Deli and Main Street Deli — all situated within the heart of Plymouth — will give a 20-percent discount for lunch or dinner on tour day.

Raising money for the 47-year-old, 85-member symphony is its major purpose. But the home tour also introduces non-residents to Plymouth.

"Many people forget about Plymouth as a suburb of Detroit," Licata said. "The tour introduces them to the kinds of homes in our neighborhoods. It also lets them know Plymouth has a lot to offer as far as being a quaint little town to have lunch or go shopping."

With few costs beyond a small gift to each homeowner and publicity for the event, the home tour ranks as one of the PSO's biggest fund-raisers.

Moneymakers abound

To reach its annual fund-raising goal, the 125-member league aggressively flexes its volunteer muscle in hosting a variety of events.

It's not about to wait for corporate sponsors. Top fund-raisers are the home tour, two antique shows and a luminary sale. Other moneymakers include card and game parties, a tea and fashion show, a sweetheart ball and auctions.

Preceding this year's home tour is Positively Pasta II, a pasta and dessert demonstration and dinner, at 6:30 p.m. Monday, May 3, in the Round Table Club in the historic Mayflower Hotel. Tickets are \$20; call Cindy Alain: 451-5681.

The league is the nonprofit symphony's guardian angel. Without it, the PSO, under the magical wand of conductor Russell Reed, probably couldn't survive.

For the 1992-93 10-performance season, the league will bring in 25 percent of the symphony's \$99,000 in revenue. The state is expected to chip in \$4,600. The society must generate another \$76,400 through tickets and contributions.

Kiyo Morse, Plymouth Symphony Society's administrative coordinator and a former home tour docent, calls the league "one of the major stabilizing factors as far as our budget goes." She said members "always bring in what they say they'll bring in — and sometimes more."

Towns lucky enough to have a symphony should go out of their way to preserve it. Cultural arts help define a community. They give it diversity and dimension — and make it well-rounded.

Cultural pillars

Through community symphonies like the PSO, skilled amateur musicians strike up the music to blend their string, wind, brass and percussion instruments into a captivating orchestral sound.

Such symphonies give music students, music teachers and music lovers a chance to hone their skills, and maybe experience their first on-stage opportunity, alongside veteran musicians unable, for whatever reason, to make music full time.

From humble beginnings, community symphonies have developed into sources of widely appealing concert entertainment, from Beethoven to Bernstein. Keynotes range from classical to jazz to pops. Guest performances often highlight home-grown talent like dancer Dawnell Dryja.

The bridge such symphonies extend to introducing young people to live performances of high-quality music at economy prices is invaluable.

The PSO draws 300 to 600 folks for a typical concert to 1,000 for seasonal performances of Tchaikovsky's "The Nutcracker." That level of support spotlights the symphony's success in uplifting the community's cultural spirit.

So take in the home tour — and help keep the music playing.

Bob Sklar is assistant managing editor for special sections. To leave a message, call 953-2113.



BILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Decorative: Glass artist Kimberley Seely produced this work with birds and flowers after handcrafting her first sun-catcher.

Pastels enrich her architectural glass

Kimberley Seely designs decorative glass to fit a client's environment. As an art born of light, her stained glass thrives on the space it will inhabit.

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
SPECIAL WRITER

Kimberley Seely uses a light hand to color her decorative glasswork. In fact, most of the glass in her windows, panels and sidelights shines crystal clear.

"When most people think of stained glass, they think of the deep jewel colors: the reds, violets, blues, the darker tones," Seely said. "I'm softer than that. I like the pastels. I like the effect of the clears, the textures."

Seely creates commissioned glasswork from the business she opened March 8 in Plymouth Township, Emperor Stained Glass and Antiques.

As an art that's born of light, stained glass depends on architecture and the interior in which it will exist. The first step in creating a glass piece for a home or business is to learn more about the client's environment.

"I talk to them, try to get as much

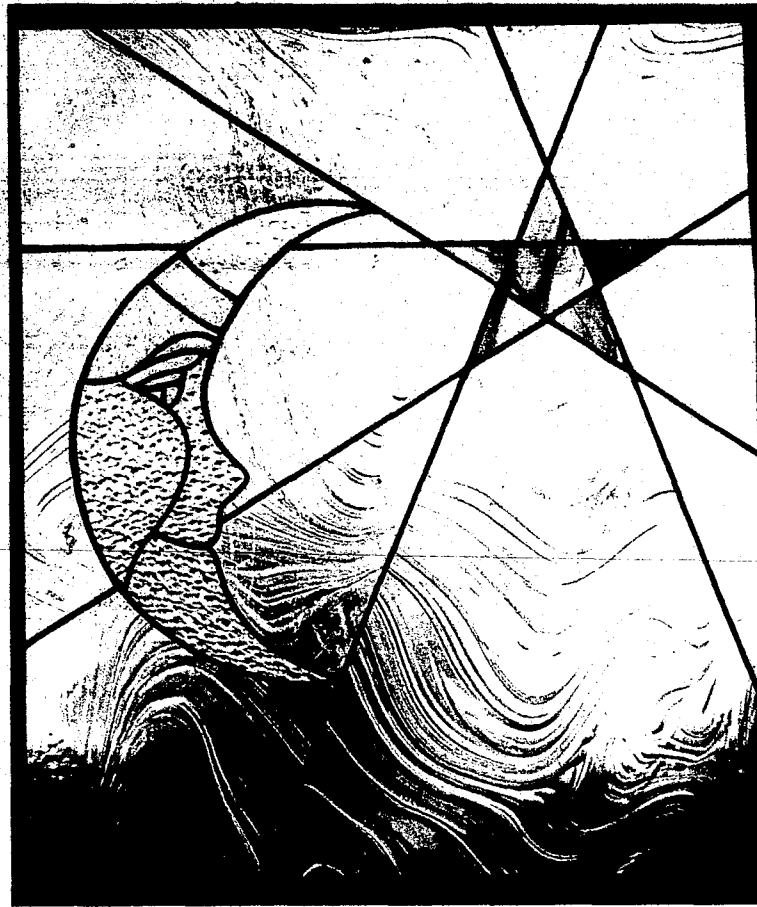


as I can of their personality, their colors," she said. "I ask, 'Is it an airy open house?' Where is it going to go? Are they prone to change the color scheme?"

Seely then begins to make sketches. After perfecting the final design, she makes a blueprint of the pattern.

"You have to have a great deal of patience to create a glasswork. It's a challenge to take this empty glass and empty piece of paper and put it together," Seely said. "Once the glass is cut and wrapped in the copper foil, I take it apart and put it together again and again till it's right."

See **EMPEROR, 2D**



Glass dreams: In this panel, "Man in the Moon," Kimberley Seely uses bubble glass, baroque, clear iridescent and glue chip.

Gallery to showcase 11 working artists

BY JANICE TIGAR-KRAMER
SPECIAL WRITER

A first-ever open house at Galt's Gallery in Garden City will give showgoers a chance to see 11 artists in various stages of their crafts.

Gallery owners John and Patricia Fowler came up with the idea for this working exhibit to celebrate the gallery's first anniversary and to give visitors something different to see, said John "Butch" Fowler, who'll dis-

play and build his own Colonial and Shaker-style furniture.

The show is noon to 5 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at Galt's Gallery, 6254 Middlebelt, just north of Ford Road. Original art, priced from less than \$10 to several hundred dollars, includes mostly Colonial-style furnishings and accessories and some transitional pieces. Best of all, admission is free and artists will award door prizes hourly.

Besides Fowler's reproduction furniture, showgoers will see the works of eight other Garden City artists: Judith Buresh, pottery; Gary Couzens, stained glass; Judy Cain, fabric jewelry boxes; Lucia Creamer, quilts; Cindy Deere, children's clothes; Doug and Joe Lee, wooden Revolutionary War dolls; and Donna McMullens, Colonial-style dolls. Greenfield Village tinsmith Max Hesselgrave of Westland and Nancy Rutkowski, a

Hartland basket weaver, also will show their wares.

Patricia Fowler, a teacher at Garden City's Memorial School, also will be on hand, weaving rugs on her mother's old loom. She started weaving in college and since then has learned chair caning and upholstery, which she does for some of John's pieces.

See **GALT'S, 2D**

Artbeat features vignettes from the suburban arts scene. Write: Artbeat, Creative Living, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

For details and reviews of musical performances, please turn to the Entertainment section.

GARDEN GREENUP

Master Gardener Association of Wayne County will offer gardening classes 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at the Wayne County Extension offices, 5454 Venoy, Wayne.

Classes will cover summer bulbs, container planting, wildflowers, trees, plant propagation and lawn pests. Full- and half-day sessions are available at a cost of \$17 and \$12, respectively. The full-day price includes a box lunch. To register, call Bill Kropog at 336-7392.

Art Beat

ANTIQUÉ APPRAISAL

Detroit-based DuMouchelle Art Galleries will host an antique appraisal clinic 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 1, in the Canton Township Administration Building meeting room, 1150 S. Canton Center.

Cost is \$4 for an oral appraisal and \$6 for a written one. Appraisals for items worth more than \$1,000 will cost \$10.

DOLL TALK

German doll artist Eveline Frings will show 10 of her pieces 7-10 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at A Victorian Doll Shoppe, 117 N. Center, North-

ville. The exhibit runs to May 16.

Most of her fine works of art are owned by private collectors, such as Demi Moore, and are occasionally seen in European museums.

A one-of-a-kind wax doll appears on the cover of the May issue of Contemporary Doll Magazine. An exclusive story about this creator of wax and porcelain dolls runs inside.

ARTISTIC WOMEN

An exhibition featuring select works by "Women of Artistry" will be held May 1-29 at Frame Factory, 2931 Carpenter, Ann Arbor.

"Women of Artistry" features Julie Giordano of Northville (oil, watercolor), Sharon Dillenbeck of Canton (watercolor), Susan Argroff of Livonia (marblizing), Carol McCree of Westland (watercolor) and Norma McQueen of Garden City (acrylic).

Woodworker:
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STAFF PHOTOS BY GUY WARREN

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The Fowlers, who exhibited John's furniture at local shows for years before opening the gallery, say they want showgoers to see more than tables of art for sale.

"You don't usually get a chance to see the artist at work," said John Fowler, who divides his time between the gallery and his Dearborn-based machine shop. "Even if people don't buy that day, they'll see something more than displays of art."

Fowler started furniture making just four years ago when work at the machine shop began to slow down. By August, he plans to run the gallery full-time. He says going from metal to wood work was a logical transition, even though he'd never had a great interest in furniture design.

"What I love is the precision of the work. I feel a tremendous sense of satisfaction when I'm building," Fowler said. "I'm like a kid eating candy."

Fowler will display his own designs made from hard woods and pine along with pieces modified from patterns customers have brought to the store. His latest work includes an oak and maple porch swing, an oak coffee table, a Shaker wall cabinet and a lap desk. There also are cedar chests, lamps, accent tables and a children's table and chairs. For \$7, he sells an authentic Shaker fruit basket.

Gary Couzens says learning to do stained glass classes through a Channel 56 auction and asked Couzens to come along. He quickly caught on and now does his own designs as well as glass repairs for many historic Detroit-area homes. Eventually, Couzens, an inspector for Milford Fabricating Co., wants to make and repair stained glass full-time. For now, he says it's a "very enjoyable paying hobby."

For the show, Couzens will work on stained-glass panels used as window hangings. They sell for about \$50 to \$60 at the gallery. He places many in old picture frames and uses copper foil or lead glass channels. He also takes special orders for custom-made side panels and inserts for doors.

"Stained glass is like a living picture," Couzens said. "Hues of light are constantly changing the color of the glass."

When the Fowlers discovered Nancy Rutkowski's woven

"What I love is the precision of the work. I feel a tremendous sense of satisfaction when I'm building."

John Fowler

baskets, they wanted her work on permanent display at the gallery. Rutkowski, who calls her work *Naturals* by Nancy, uses "anything that can be soaked or woven."

Rutkowski and her four children regularly scout their 15 acres for grapevine, Virginia creeper, gourds, shells, dried plants, horsehair, cattails and even deer antlers for the artist to use in her woven baskets.

A self-taught weaver, Rutkowski will do traditionally styled baskets, but she prefers to recycle the found materials because they allow her more freedom.

She uses black walnuts and green tomatoes to make natural dyes and includes dried plants or other organic material in almost every basket. Her work sells for \$10 to \$100.

"I used to give the baskets away but now it's my work," she said. "But I wouldn't call it a job. It's still fun."

Judith Buresh will bring her potter's wheel to the gallery to demonstrate throwing and shaping.

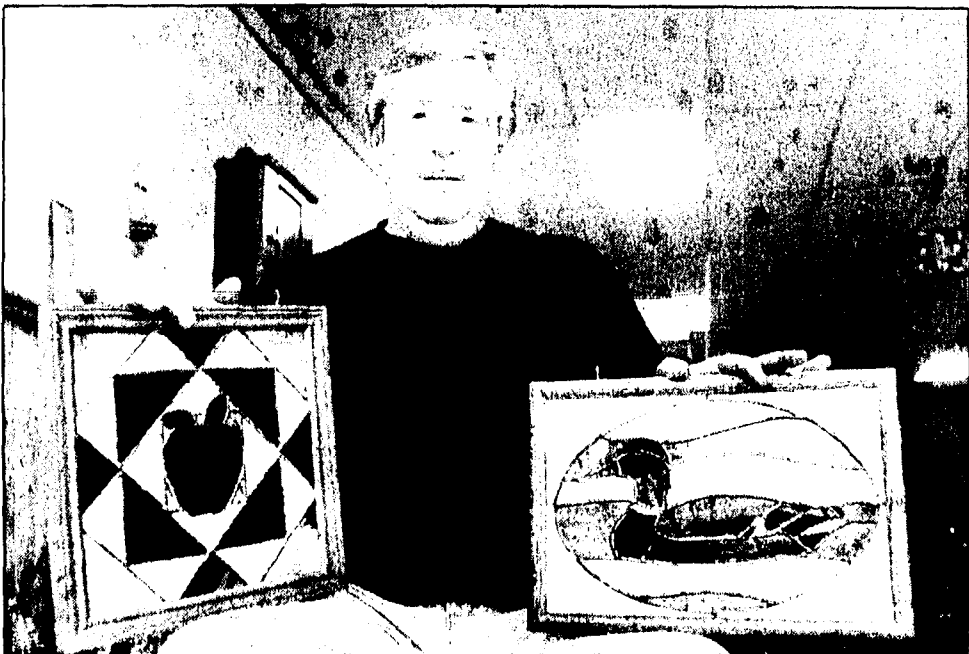
Buresh, who's known for her brilliant-colored glazes made from natural oxides, will show her latest series called *Amazon* vases. Each one, which goes through three firings, has an image of jungle foliage created with crackled glaze, copper oxide and red Spanish iron. Vases are 14 to 17 inches high and are priced from \$120.

Buresh started the series with just two pots and liked the image well enough to continue experimenting.

"When I start working, I let the pot and clay dictate how the piece will finally look. I didn't plan the series," said Buresh, who even plays a tape of rain forest music when working on the new collection.

For more information, call Galt's Gallery at 261-7370. Hours are 2-5 p.m. Tuesday to Friday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday.

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The sun didn't always light the stained glass shop. When a friend gave her the money to buy the business in mid January, the interior was dark and dingy.

Seely and her father, John Pippin of Garden City, gutted and rebuilt the interior.

"I like to work with my hands," said the mother of two. "I helped build this store. I have no problem hanging drywall or hammering things. I love this. This is a lifelong dream."

Seely creates one-of-a-kind glasswork. When she finishes a commission, the pattern is destroyed and returned to the owner minus a few key pieces.

The average cost for the stained glass art produced by the Plymouth resident is \$95 a square foot. A commissioned piece generally takes two months to complete.

"I'll put stained glass anywhere anybody wants it," Seely said. "You can put in the ceiling, cupboards, regular windows, octagon windows, side lights, half-wall inserts. I'd really like to do a skylight someday."

'When I create a piece myself, you feel it in your soul. You put your whole being into it.'

Kimberley Seely

Seely became interested in stained glass three years ago, after a girlfriend talked her into taking a class. Her first project was a suncatcher. She went from working small directly to a wall panel.

"When I create a piece myself, you feel it in your soul. You put your whole being into it."

Sue Belts of Plymouth commissioned her to create a wall panel of hummingbirds, trumpet flowers and vines. The piece will be set in above the bathtub.

"I was talking to my decorator and I thought a stained glass window would be nice since I didn't want to drape it or blind it," Belts said. "The window faces north. It still lets all the light in."

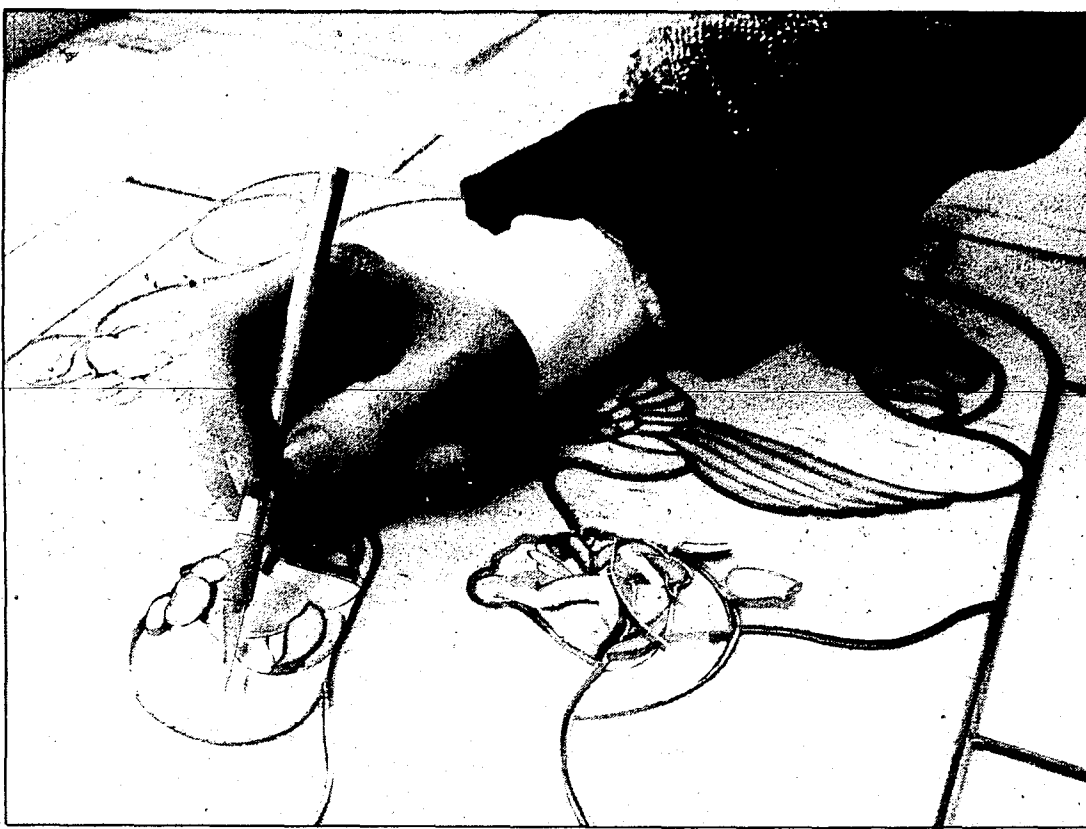
Antiques also offers classes, supplies, tools, antiques, country dolls and bunnies. It also offers black and white photographs by Larry Siedel of Novi.

Classes run \$25 a person for two-hour classes held once a week, or \$35 for two people. Class size is limited to six.

"I'm trying to make this affordable," she said. "Stained glass can be a very expensive hobby. As long as they're in my classes, they can use my tools."

Seely also does stained and beveled glass restoration on the premises. Repairs are a priority.

Emperor Stained Glass is at 40540 Ann Arbor Trail, between Haggerty and Hix. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday.



BILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Crafty puzzle: In the final stages before soldering, Kimberley Seely works to make the pieces fit together.

Canton artist paints way to top Farmington prize



Proud artist: Connie Lucas of Canton displays her winning painting in Farmington Artists Club competition.

Connie Lucas of Canton Township won first prize in Farmington Art Club's fall show.

Her painting is an example of the artwork available in the FAC spring show and sale to be held May 14-18 in the Spicer House in Heritage Park, Farmington Road, north of 10 Mile, Farmington Hills.

An opening reception is scheduled for 7 p.m. Thursday, May 13.

At a time of life when many people become grandparents, Lucas started college and received her degree. She then went on to complete her master of arts in painting at Eastern Michigan University. It took her 15 years to earn her degrees.

Lucas' work — "Threads of Memory" — was inspired by a drawing and art history trip she took to complete her master's degree in Italy. She saw a small mask shop in Florence that in-

trigued her.

A man and his wife made hand-crafted masks, which they created from papier mache and hand-painted.

The masks have a medieval and Renaissance flavor that is unique. The border of postcards is from actual artworks seen by Lucas on her trip.

The written postcards are of her personal experiences while there. The work is created in the demanding medium of watercolor.

The work is rich with many layers relating to art history and visual play of elements within the composition between the masks and ribbon weaving throughout the work.

Lucas has been a longtime member of the Farmington Artists Club, Michigan Watercolor Society, Detroit Artists Market, and Ann Arbor Women Painters. She also teaches watercolor.

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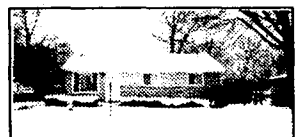
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LIVONIA CIVIC CENTER LIBRARY
Continuing — Livonia Arts Commission presents a retrospective of 40 watercolor and oil paintings by artist/architect/author Louis G. Redstone through May 15 in the Art Gallery. Vibrant watercolors in the tradition of representational abstraction, although nonobjective abstract also is represented here, dominate the exhibition, which spans more than 60 years. Oil and watercolor from the 1930s and '40s sound a somber note in keeping with the times. Farmington Road and Five Mile. Hours: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday and 1-4 p.m. Sunday.

LIVONIA CITY HALL
Continuing — Livonia Arts Commission presents the Palette Guild spring art show and sale through April 29 in the lobby. The 110-piece exhibition showcases a variety of media, including watercolor, acrylic, oil, pastel, colored pencil, pen and ink, graphite and collage. The show was judged by West Bloomfield watercolorist Christine Unwin. Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 7-9 p.m. April 20-21 and 26-27. Farmington Road and Five Mile.

NELSON'S GALLERY
Continuing — Livonia painter Edward Ferguson exhibits a retrospective of his work "29 Months — But Who's Counting?" through May 14. The show consists of acrylic and oil paintings with some mixed media. It features selections from two of Ferguson's series dealing with social and environmental issues, "Affairs of the Heart" and other abstract concepts, "Messages from God: the Habitat Paintings" and other recent work. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. Terrence Corners, 16376 Middlebelt, Livonia.

WETSMAN COLLECTION
Thursday, April 29 — "Quilts as a New Art Form 3," focusing on four leading contemporary quilt makers: Linda MacDonald, Nancy Crow, Elizabeth Busch and Terrie Hancock Mangat. Mangat will discuss her work informally in the gallery Friday and Saturday. Reception 5:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday, May 6. Using a framework derived from traditional geometric quilt patterns, Crow explores unusual color relationships with hand-dyed fabric. MacDonald begins her quilts by painting on cotton fabric, then airbrushes, dyes and stitches the fabric. Treating her quilts as a canvas, Mangat layers them with fabric, applique and painted, often embellished with such objects as spoons, toys and beads. Current events can inspire Bush, but some pieces are quietly beautiful explorations of contrast in temperature, materials and methods. To May 28. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 132 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 645-6212.

CROSSWINDS MALL
Thursday-Sunday, April 29-May 2 — Crosswinds Mall Springfest Antique Show features art deco, art glass, baseball cards, bronzes, furniture, jewelry, lamps, linens, silver, and Victorian and paper items. Hours: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, Orchard Lake and Lone Pine roads, West Bloomfield.

JAW-QM HUMAN RESOURCE CENTER
To April 30 — "Automobiles and Art," an exhibit by 13 artists and designers, including John Krieger of Plymouth and Roger Hardnock of Westland. Hours: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday, 2630 Featherstone, one-half mile east of Opdyke in Auburn Hills, 377-6526.

ATRIUM GALLERY
To April 30 — Northville artist Bill Thelan presents his new line of steel bird sculptures for the yard and Milford artist Dee Segula exhibits her artistically appointed wood birdhouses. Also, works by Birmingham glass blower Stan Megdall. All colors of the rainbow are shown in his perfume bottles, vases, three-footed bowls and platters. Some are done in tortoise shell and foam wraps. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, noon to 4 p.m. Sunday and by appointment, 109 N. Center, Northville, 349-4131.

MESA ARTS
To April 30 — Southwest furniture is featured. Handcrafted, handpainted furniture is treasured for its whimsical yet elegant look. Selected furniture artisans use the colors of the sky, mountains and sunsets and the imagery of indigenous animals either painted or carved on chests, nightstands, headboards, mirrors, cupboards, chairs and lamps. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 32800 Franklin Road, Franklin, 851-9949.

PARK WEST GALLERY
To April 30 — "Modern Masters: Picasso, Chagall, Miro" features more than 80 works from 1907 to 1979 and touches every significant aspect of these remarkable artists as printmakers. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, 29469 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, 354-2343.

ARNOLD KLEIN GALLERY
To April 30 — Color pencil and watercolor works by Karen Anne Klein. The show covers American Indian artifacts, rocks and feathers, represented in inventive ways. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 4520 N. Woodward, Royal Oak, 647-7709.

SANDRA COLLINS
To April 30 — "Hot Glass!" features works by

Ginger Kelly, Michael Jaross and other artists in celebration of Michigan Glass Month. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 470 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 642-4795.

JUDITH DRESNER GALLERY
To April 30 — Raku pieces by Hannelore, multimedia works by Audrey DiMarco, pottery by Carole Berhorst and watercolors by Jerry Follock. The gallery is in the Claymoor Building at 29260 Franklin Road, Suite 123, Southfield. Call 352-1166.

POSNER GALLERY
To April 30 — In celebration of Michigan Glass Month, the gallery presents works by Frank Gallo, Kurt Rundstatter, Toland Peter Sand, Victoria Palazzolo, Willsea and Brand. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, 32407 Northwestern Highway, Farmington Hills, 626-6450.

ELIZABETH STONE GALLERY
To April 30 — "Birds, Beasts and Fishes," a collection of original art by children's book illustrators from animal stories. Featured artists in the exhibit are Laura Almada, Shannon Cartwright, Arthur Geisert, Deborah Haefele, Michael McCurdy, Wendell Minor, Robin Spowart and Jane Briskin Zalben. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 580 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 647-7040.

MICHIGAN COUNCIL FOR ARTS AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS GALLERY
Friday, April 30 — "Michigan Kids on Paper," works by kindergarten through sixth grade students, will be exhibited through July 23. The show celebrates the creative expression of elementary school students and is representative of works presented at Wendy's restaurants during Youth Arts Month. It is one of three partnership projects of the MCACA and Arts Foundation of Michigan. Hours: are a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, 1200 Sixth, Detroit.

SUSANNE HILBERRY GALLERY
Saturday, May 1 — "New Wall and Sculptures" by Jun Kaneko will continue to June 12. Opening reception to meet the artist 3-6 p.m. Saturday. Hours: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 555 S. Woodward, Birmingham, 642-8250.

BARCLAY'S
Saturday, May 1 — "Celebration of Spring," a fine collection of original, antique, handpainted botanicals by Paxton, Andrews and Curtis, will be featured May 1-30. The exhibit will open with an English garden tea noon to 5 p.m. Saturday. Hours: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday, to 8 p.m. Thursday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, 280 Merrill, Birmingham, 645-5430.

COACH HOUSE GALLERY
Saturday, May 1 — Works by Karen Carter Van Gamper, Else Pedersen and Ann Loveland. Opening 2-5 p.m. Saturday. Hours: noon to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday or by appointment, 7828 Van Dyke Place, Detroit, 821-2850.

MICHIGAN GALLERY
Saturday, May 1 — Michigan clay artists Frank Hartlieb and John Murphy. Murphy's work is highly refined geometric forms that relate to the universal shapes of sphere, cube and pyramid. Hartlieb is a master of raku processes and will display many recent organic forms. Reception: 6-9 p.m. May 1. 2661 Michigan Ave., Detroit. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday.

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Saturday, May 1 — Student exhibition will include 2,000 works by students in five departments: art and design, fine arts, graphic communication, industrial design, photography. To May 16. Kresge-Ford Fine Arts and Design Arts Buildings, 201 E. Kirby, Detroit. Hours: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekends.

ETON GALLERY
To May 1 — An exhibit of large-scale sculptural collages by Hans Neleman continues. The gallery, which opened this month, serves as a showcase for both fine art photography and digital imagery. Hours: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday or by appointment, 151 N. Eton, Birmingham, 649-4951.

HILL GALLERY
To May 1 — New paintings by Andrew Young. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 163 Townsend, Birmingham, 540-9288.

LEMBERG GALLERY
To May 1 — "Wait of Solitude," an exhibit of new paintings by Detroit artist Holly Branstner. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 538 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 642-6623.

SYBARIS GALLERY
To May 1 — "Borne With A Silver Spoon," a traveling exhibition and sale featuring 125 functional and sculptural contemporary spoons by 45 leading American metalsmiths. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 301 W. Fourth, Royal Oak, 544-3388.

RUBINER GALLERY
To May 1 — "Victor Pasmore: Recent Graphic Work." The exhibit features a collection of aquatints, etchings and lithographs, many in very large sizes, by the renowned British artist. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday or by appointment, 7001 Orchard Lake Road, Suite 430A, West Bloomfield, 626-3111.

O.K. HARRIS/DAVID KLEIN GALLERY
To May 1 — The new work of Gabrielle Senza and Carole Zak. Senza's paintings consist of industrial landscapes on distressed, recycled materials. Zak juxtaposes paint and aged, printed paper on canvas, in conjunction with three-dimensional objects. Hours: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 430 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 433-3700.

Meet VAAL artists at reception on Sunday

A reception to meet the artists in the Visual Arts Association of Livonia's spring show will be 2-4 p.m. Sunday, May 2, in the Livonia City Hall lobby, Farmington Road and Five Mile. V. Janus Benda of Farmington Hills took the top two honors. She won the Livonia Arts Commission Hills award and Best of Show for her watercolor "Switzerland." The artist was able to capture the mood of the place. It has a very serene feeling. Fantastic use of patterns and shadows to produce excellent composition," said judge Gwen Tompkins. First-place category winners were Irene Kallas of Dearborn ("Still Life with Eggs"), Eileen Bibby of Livonia for watercolor "Fayette" and Beverly Johnson of Livonia for mixed media "Apples & Turnips". Second-place winners were Evelyn Henry of Redford Township for her oil "Days End", Anne Atherton of Bloomfield Township for her watercolor "Beside the Window" and Marsha Weigand of Northville for her mixed media "Market Place." Third-place winners were June Weidel of Livonia for her oil "The Dreamer", Diane Tasselmeier of Westland for her watercolor "Train Time" and Gail Smith of Inkster for her "Splash #2."

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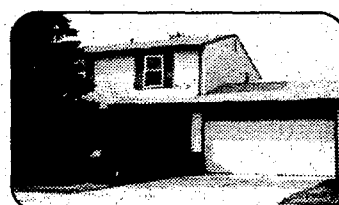
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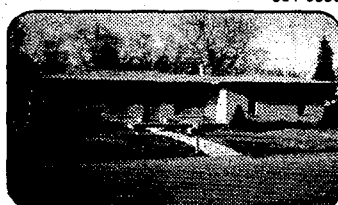
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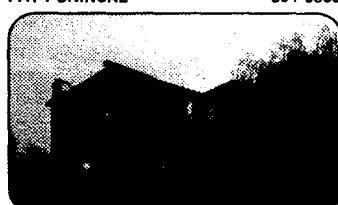
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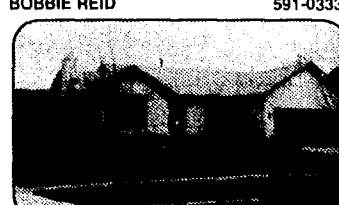
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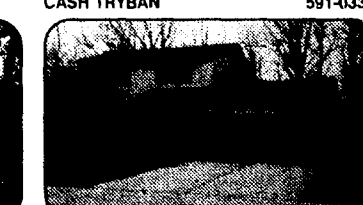
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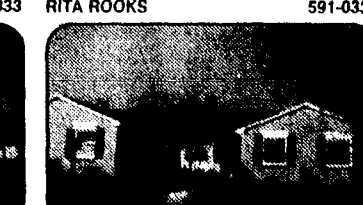
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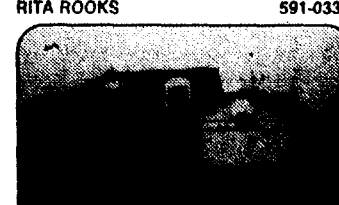
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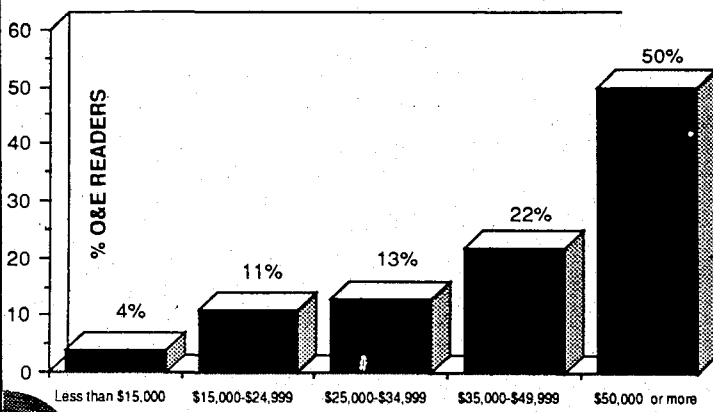
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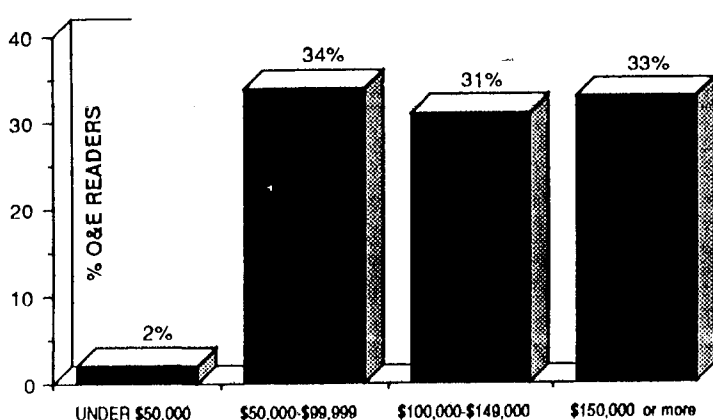


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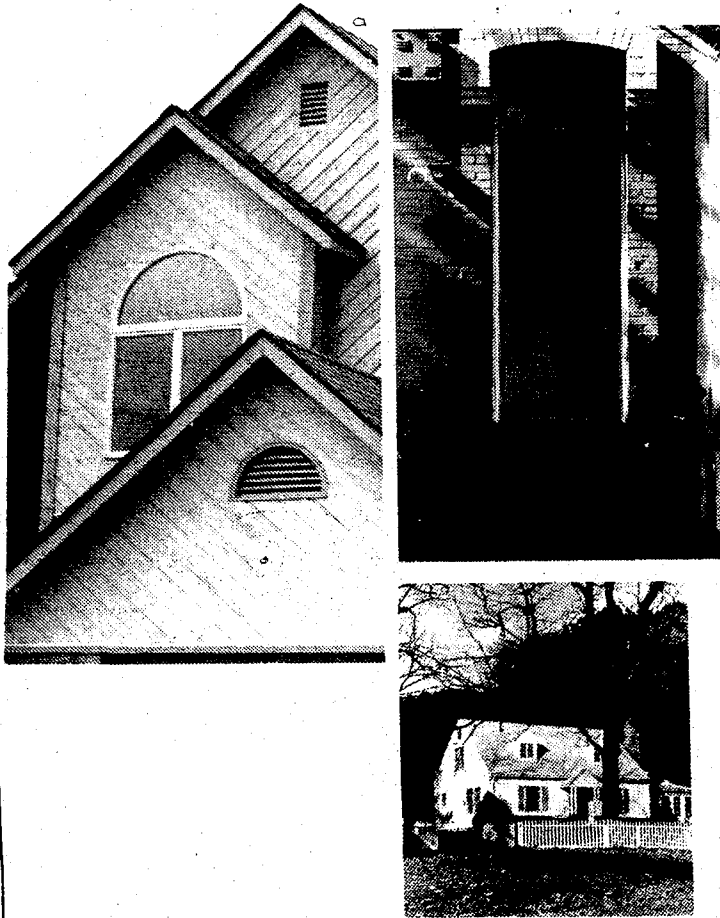


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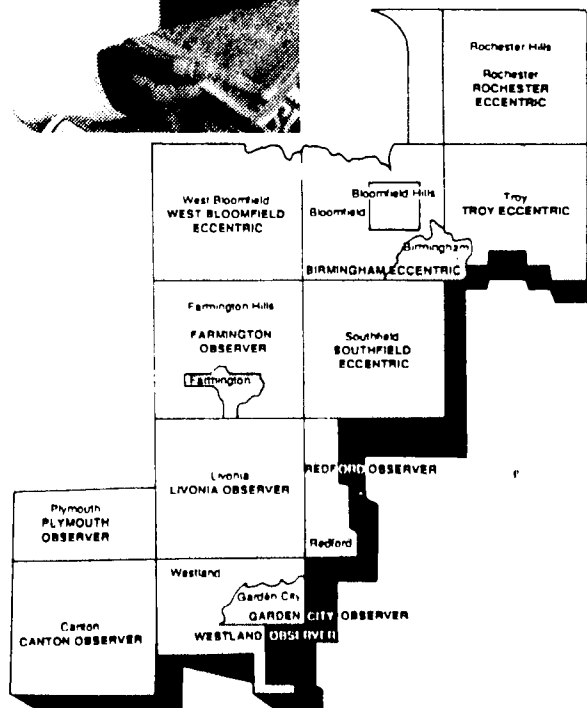
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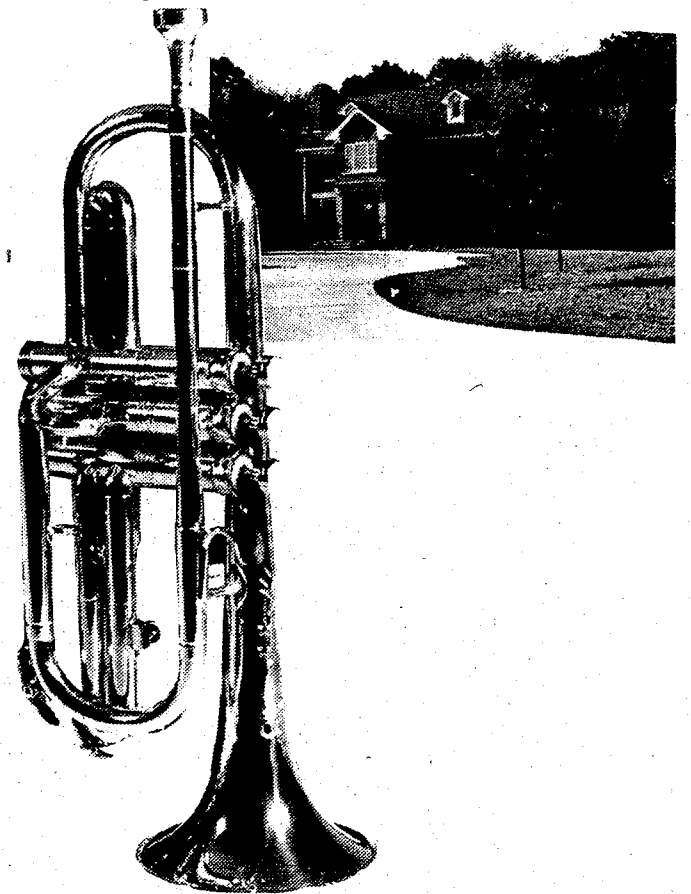
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REAL ESTATE NEWS

Affordability squeeze may prompt income housing

BY DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER

George Amber, a West Bloomfield resident who made his fortune building and managing apartments, believes that the time is ripe for a return to income houses — upper and lower flats and duplexes.

So he's written a booklet to promote the concept.

"You have income houses and out-go houses," Amber said. "Ninety-nine percent accept out-go where money is going out."

That is, money is going out in the form of mortgage payments.

Amber suggests that ownership of two-flat houses with money coming in — not exactly a new concept in some older communities like Dearborn — is especially timely today for lots of reasons.

"They're cheaper per square foot to build. Every house has a foundation, roof, furnace and water heater. The same one can handle two families as well as one."

Buyers who live in one flat and rent the other also will have an easier time financing their housing with rents in addition to their own funds.

Another selling point, according to Amber — renters would much more want to form relationships and put down roots in a neighborhood than in an apartment complex.

"It worked well years ago," he said. "I think the economy calls for it now. If out of 100 people who want to buy a new house maybe only three want income, that's still a lot of people."

Amber, 72, a visionary during

'If he can do it in a price range people can afford, it would be terrific. Unless both (marriage) partners are working, it's difficult to qualify for starter homes from \$60,000 to \$80,000.'

Jay Hughes
Mayfair Realtors

his heyday, was among the first to include balconies and fireplaces in his apartments.

Amber may be on to something, said Jay Hughes, partner in Mayfair Realtors in Livonia and a longtime real estate agent.

"If he can do it in a price range people can afford, it would be terrific," Hughes said. "Unless both partners are working, it's difficult to qualify for a home, starter homes from \$60,000 to \$80,000."

The major stumbling block to the two-flat plan is zoning, or land use regulations, Amber and Hughes agree.

Some owners believe that a neighborhood of other owners rather than renters is more stable, safer and more conducive to maintaining property values.

Historically, a mix of owners and tenants has fostered a sense of community, Amber argues. Plus, on-site owners who also rent

are right there to keep an eye on their properties.

"By tradition, two-flat houses are on half-mile roads," Amber said. "What I see beyond that is subdivisions dedicated to this. Any house builder can do it. Technically, it's not challenging. What it takes is a willingness to do it."

Existing two-flat houses and duplexes generally are snapped up immediately when they become available, Hughes said. Investors and owners who want to provide housing for other family members, especially immigrants, covet them.

But it looks like it may be a slow go getting new two-flats built.

"I don't think the generation we're dealing with now is familiar

enough with the opportunity to have someone help pay for it," Hughes said. "They need to be educated."

John Bollen Jr., a Troy builder, isn't sure there's a big enough market for Amber's proposal.

"I agree it sounds great," Bollen said. "It's an old concept that's been around a long time. Primarily, I don't see it as a viable lifestyle now."

"It might be a good concept in scattered situations . . . and, in other areas of the country (with more dense population), it may be workable," he added.

Large apartments currently offering all kinds of services and incentives and the possibility of condominium ownership are more attractive to renters and buyers today, Bollen said.

Adverse possession claim on boundary issue may have merit



ROBERT M. MEISNER

We purchased some property approximately 30 years ago. Our real estate agent told us that the left boundary line was a road. Actually, it turns out that our next door neighbors own that property.

During the last 30 years, we have, in our opinion, established a claim to the property because we posted a no trespassing sign and did not let the neighbors use the land. Do we have a claim by way of adverse possession?

Michigan courts have enunciated two basic principles in regard to adverse possession. The first states that when the land owner takes possession of land of an adjacent owner with the intent to hold to the true boundary line,

the possession is not hostile and adverse possession cannot be established.

In your case, a similar Michigan court has indicated that the second principle applies since you claim possession to the road that was manifested by your exclusive use of the property, the posting of no trespassing signs, and your denial of permission to your neighbor to use the disputed parcel. Chances are you would be successful in an adverse possession proceeding.

We are a cooperative that is threatened to be sued for alleged civil rights violations on the basis of race. Can you tell me in general terms what other requirements must be met by such a claimant?

The Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals has held that the same standard of proof is required for both the Fair Housing Act and the Civil Rights Act as it relates to any alleged violation of one's civil rights in an action against a cooperative.

Courts have held that a plaintiff establishes a prima facie case by proving that he or she is a member of a racial minority, that he or she applied for and was qualified to rent or purchase certain property or housing, that he or she was rejected and that the housing or rental property remained available thereafter. If these criteria are not met, there is no basis for a claim. But you should consult with legal counsel to get an opinion on the particulars of your case.

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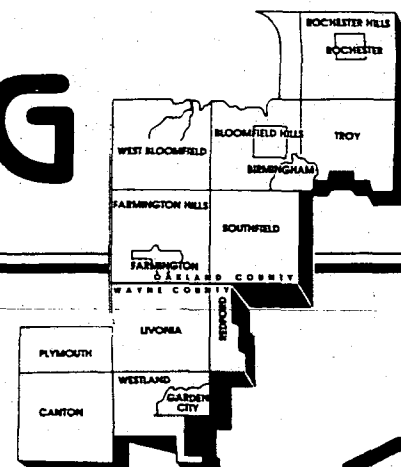
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OPEN MAY 1 & 2, 1-5PM
 LIVONIA-ROSEDALE GARDENS- 9824 Cranston; E. of Farmington, S. of Plymouth; 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath cape cod, 1 1/2 lot, new windows/trim, large master, remodeled kitchen, hardwood floors, fireplace, partially finished basement. \$129,900. Call for appointment: 427-1103

OPEN SUN. 1-4
 BLOOMFIELD HILLS TUDOR
 1730 Golf Ridge
 W. off Franklin
 Terrific price cut
 4700 + sq. ft. Golf lake view \$519,900

BEVERLY HILLS COLONIAL
 18757 Walmer
 N. off 13 Mile
 W. of Southfield
 Birmingham schools
 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths
 1st floor laundry \$188,000

FARMINGTON HILLS COLONIAL
 28184 Hemlock Ct. E. of Middlebelt
 N. of 10 Mile
 A family delight
 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, Family room Orchard Lake \$145,000

ROYAL OAK RANCH
 702 N. Blair
 S. of Gardenia
 E. of Main
 Pleasant yard, treasured
 3 bedrooms, 2 baths
 2.5 car garage \$94,600

N.W. FERNDALE BUNGALOW
 1873 Central
 N. off Nine Mile
 W. of Pincrest
 For young moderns
 4 bedrooms, 2 baths
 New kitchen \$79,900

SOUTHFIELD RANCH
 27679 Spring Arbor
 S. off 12 Mile
 E. of Southfield
 Just reduced!
 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, Full basement \$72,500

Mortgage Loan Officer
 On site with current financing options and pre-qualification available. Courtesy of: Pacific World Mortgage Co. OFFERED BY: FLEEN MICHALAK RED CARPET KEIM BIRMINGHAM 645-5800

OPEN SUN. 1-4
 SALEM TWP.
 5851 Pincrest Estates Dr.
 New custom estate home to be completed by July 1. Still time to choose flooring, cabinets, colors, etc. 2 acres. \$274,900.

5877 Götfredson
 Simply stunning 3 bedroom brick ranch on 1.5 acres. Sunroom with skylights, extra large garage. Plymouth/Canton schools. Motivated sellers. \$125,000. CALL FRANK JULIAN 406-6017 COLDWELL BANKER Schweltzer Real Estate

OPEN SUN 2-5
 582 OVERBROOK
 S. OF LONG LAKE - W. OF LAHSER
 Quality built 4 bedroom Colonial on large park-like lot. Walk-out lower level. Too many features to mention. Must see. Asking \$401,199. CALL LAURA PERREAU 409-9080 CENTURY 21 TODAY 855-2000

LIVONIA - OPEN SUN 2-5
 15153 KIVONSON. S. of 5 Mile Rd., off of Newburgh Rd. 2 1/2 baths, beautiful, 3 bedroom brick ranch in great neighborhood. Huge living & family room. Large country kitchen with breakfast area. Beamed cathedral ceiling & skylight in family room. Full finished basement, 2 car attached garage. Mint mint condition. A dream buy! \$123,900. HMA Realtors. 353-7170

LIVONIA - 2,040 sq. ft. tri-level, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, updated kitchen, 2 car garage, 1990. Call Sun 2-5, 29511 Oakview, S. of Linden, W. of Middlebelt. 421-4310 HMA Realtors.

MADISON HEIGHTS - Open Sun 2-5
 26052 CAMEO CT. S. of 11 Mile, E. of Southfield. 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath brick w/vinyl ranch. 2 1/2 car garage, 1989. \$125,900. Sun 1-5pm. 344-0907

ON THE COMMONS OPEN SUN. 1-4
 S. of Cherry Hill, E. of Sheldon. EEEEMACULATE. Move-in ready location. 4 bedroom, 2 bath, family room on quiet, safe, low traffic court. \$119,900. Call FRANK O'CONNOR

Remerica HOMETOWN REALTORS 459-6222
OPEN SUNDAY 12-4
 9544 Winston
 Redford Twp.
 This 3 bedroom brick ranch has been beautifully updated. Dream kitchen, finished basement, central air, garage. All for only \$72,500. Call LAURA PERREAU, 459-5016 RE/MAX Countryside

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
 BLOOMFIELD HILLS
 4260 Woodbine Drive South
 S/Long Lake, W/Kingston
 End unit ranch condo overlooking fairway of Wakelee Golf Course. 2 bedrooms & den. 642-2400 \$249,000

FRANKLIN
 30850 Franklin
 S/13 Mile, W/Telegraph
 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick ranch. Bath w/whirlpool, Berber carpet, natural fireplace. Central air. \$149,000. COLDWELL BANKER Schweltzer Real Estate

OPEN SUNDAY, 1-6PM
 24624 Orangevale, West Redford
 3 bedroom brick ranch, family room, fireplace, 2 1/2 car garage, newer carpet, move-in condition. \$75,900 533-5257

OPEN SUNDAY 1-5
 5427 DEERFOOT CT
 West Bloomfield
 S. of Pontiac, T. W. of Orchard Lk
 4 bedroom walk-out ranch on wooded ravine lot. Two baths, two lavs, designer kitchen, Jenn-Air appliances, new roof, sprinkler system. Come see this beautiful home at 10809 Aqua Lane, 2 miles W. of Pontiac Trail, N. of 9 mile. 277-7779

OPEN SUN. 1-4PM
 35948 CHARTER CREST
 S. of 11 Mile, W. of Drake
 Prestigious independence Commons Sub. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, brick colonial with many updates just to move right into. Newer kitchen & roof, hardwood floor, large family room with fireplace, library, formal dining room, 1st floor laundry and lots more. Owner transferring. Bring offers. \$203,900. Call EIKE PERREAU, 409-9080 THE PRUDENTIAL GREAT LAKES REALTY

LIVONIA - OPEN SUN. 1-5
 8951 Norman at Hix & Joy, Beautiful 1989 3 bedroom brick ranch, attached 2 car garage, 3 baths, great room w/fireplace, 1st floor laundry, air & more. \$164,500. 464-8456

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
 11755 Leightwood
 Dearborn Beacon Trail Sub. 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath brick ranch. Spacious master suite with private bath, room with natural brick fireplace, master suite with private bath. Finished basement, central air, Theodor's 2 car garage, 1989. Call Plymouth Schools \$187,800. Call Chris Knight 453-HOME

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OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
 11011 Melrose
 LIVONIA, S. of Plymouth, W. of Farmington. Gorgeous Rosedale Gardens bungalow has been beautifully updated - 3 bedrooms, beautiful master bedroom, finished basement, brand new kitchen, fireplace, formal dining room, central air, 2 car garage - What a showplace! \$117,900. MICHELLE MICHAEL RE/MAX EXECUTIVE 737-8500

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
 15826 Lexington
 N. of 5 Mile, E. of Inkster
 Get ready for summer! Marvelous pool with deck, 3 bedroom bungalow with finished basement, garage. Great price & terms & location. \$67,900. Call Pam Demaree: 344-3801

OPEN SUN. 1-5, FARMINGTON HILLS
 30255 Greening, N. of 13 Mile, E. of Orchard Lake. 1800 sq. ft., quad-level, quiet setting, 3 bedrooms, large family room/living area, large lot. \$145,000 855-5491 Orchard Lake

OPEN SUN. 1-4pm
 3455 WARDS POINTE
 N. of Commerce, W. of Orchard Lake Rd. A great buy! Updated contemporary 3 bedroom ranch, walkout lower level, beautiful woodwork, \$229,500. Ask for...

Audrie Friedman Esther Shapiro REAL ESTATE ONE 644-4700

PLYMOUTH - OPEN SUN. 2-5
 792 FOSTER
 S. Ann Arbor, E. of Main
 This is it! Beautiful 4 bedroom cape cod with deck, 3 bedroom living and dining room. Newly updated bath and kitchen. New furnace, newer roof, completely updated electrical service. Full basement. 2 1/2 car garage. \$124,850. HMA Realtors 353-7170

REDFORD - OPEN SUN. 2-5
 26763 ROSS DRIVE, S. of 5 Mile, W. of Beech Daly. Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick ranch. Living, family & dining rooms. Full finished basement. Stunning backyard with waterfall in pond. Many extras. \$147,000. HMA Realtors. 353-7170

ROCHESTER HILLS - OPEN SUN. 2-5PM
 516 ROLLING GREEN CIRCLE
 NORTH, N. of Walton Blvd., E. off Adams Rd. Beautiful brick & limestone dutch colonial, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room with wetbar. Fireplace, central air, 18 ft. master bedroom with bath. A must see! Owner moving out of state. \$169,900. HMA Realtors. 353-7170

SOUTHFIELD - Open Sun. 2-5
 17397 CORNELL RD. S. of 9 Mile, E. of Southfield. 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath brick Colonial, fully appointed kitchen with new floor, full basement, 2 car garage, \$99,900. 353-7170 HMA Realtors.

SOUTHFIELD OPEN SUN. 2-5
 29424 FALL RIVER
 N. of 12 Mile, W. of Southfield.
 A real treasure in Cranbrook Village. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 2,900 sq. ft., level. Sensational interior. Elegant dining room. Beautiful large Florida room. 3 car attached garage. Bloomfield Hills schools. Perfect for executive family. \$219,000. HMA Realtors. 353-7170

WEST BLOOMFIELD OPEN SUN. 2-5PM
 N. of Lone Pine Rd. E. of Middlebelt Rd. A treasure on huge 135' x 160' ft. professionally landscaped lot. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, 2,900 sq. ft., level. Sensational interior. Elegant dining room. Beautiful large Florida room. 3 car attached garage. Bloomfield Hills schools. Perfect for executive family. \$219,000. HMA Realtors. 353-7170

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR!
 You're invited to view this 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath Colonial in popular Plymouth Sub. New carpet throughout, hardwood floors, new kitchen & bathroom, ceiling fans, finished basement, lot backs to woods. Don't miss it! Open Sun. 1-4. \$133,900. Call DEBBIE LYNCH

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PLYMOUTH TWP. - OPEN SUN. 1-4
 3 bedroom updated ranch w/central air, 11316 Parkway, N. of Ann Arbor, E. of Haggerty. BRUCE ROY REALTY 349-8700

ROYAL OAK Condo, Open Sun. 1-4
 1522 W. Webster. 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, hardwood floors, appliances included. \$71,000. 288-4527

TROY: BY OWNER! Open Sun. 1-4
 Beautiful 4 bed Quad, attached garage, family room, fireplace, 2 baths, screened patio, pool. More! Troy Schools. \$134,000. 2331 Cumberland, 2 Bks. N. of Wixom, E. off John R. Call, 528-0192

TROY - OPEN SUNDAY 1-5
 New Listing - 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial, great room/living area, finished basement, spectacular backyard, \$203,000. S. of South Blvd. between Crooks & Coolidge, Lake Forest Park Dr. to 1812 Elm Dr. 428-3589

WEST BLOOMFIELD OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
 6550 INKSTER RD. S. of Maple, W. of Inkster. Positively gorgeous, like new 3 bedroom brick ranch. Marble foyer & fireplace. Skylights, and elegant neutral decor. Glamour kitchen, 120' x 150' lot. Huge, private backyard. Birmingham Schools. A pleasure to see. \$149,900. HMA Realtors. 353-7170

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 6550 INKSTER RD. S. of Maple, westside of Inkster Rd. Positively gorgeous, like new 3 bedroom brick ranch. Marble foyer & fireplace. Skylights, and elegant neutral decor. Glamour kitchen, 120' x 150' lot. Huge, private backyard. Birmingham Schools. A pleasure to see. \$149,900. HMA Realtors. 353-7170

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314 Plymouth
BY OWNER - Exceptional, immaculate 3 or 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2200 sq. ft. home...

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Motivated seller is waiting for your offer...

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An One's playground on the corner...

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With a too small home? Spread out with this Colonial!

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LIVONIA SCHOOLS BRAND NEW
3 bedroom Cape Cod located on large lot!

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WELCOME TO BEAUTIFUL RIDGEWOOD HILLS
OPEN HOUSE MAY 2, 2 PM-5 PM
N. of Ann Arbor Road - W. of Beck

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48571 Normandy Ct. E. Mich. Group Realtors \$267,500
48716 Harvest Dr. Coldwell Banker \$239,000

314 Plymouth
Seller Transferred
wants to make a deal on this lovely 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath condo...

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PLYMOUTH - 3 bedroom ranch walking on close to 2 acres within walking distance...

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Premium Location
In Beacon Estates. Absolutely gorgeous 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath Cape Cod...

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4 bedroom Colonial. A must see home w/spacious family room...

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This delightfully large architect designed home deftly combines older home tradition and charm with the amenities and utilities of a modern home...

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Stunning 2,460 sq. ft. 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home features 2nd floor living room, nice yard, 2 car garage...

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A LOT FOR A GREAT PRICE
This beautiful bi-level in Novi is specifically for that person who needs a Move right into this 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, super clean home...

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FAMILY ROOM
Adjacent to master bath jacuzzi, island counter, stucco ceilings, fieldstone hearth, \$160,000...

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OPEN SUN 1-4
43457 GENUINE DRIVE in Timber Ridge Estates. Attractive contemporary colonial with fireplace, large family room, oak foyer, formal dining room, living room, library, sun room with nook, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths...

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ERA RYMAL SYMES
Redone 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick ranch in lovely suburb. Finished basement, 2 car garage. Transferred & very motivated, and much more...

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ROOM TO ROAM
In this spacious 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home situated on a country setting, includes country kitchen, 2 fireplaces in living room & family room, cedar Florida Room & 2 car garage...

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An One's playground on the corner make this a great investment for your family...

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NEW LISTING
3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath bi-level, custom quality throughout, new carpet, 2 car garage with doors, sun dining room, family room and master bedroom...

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316 Westland Garden City-Wayne
ALL BRICK 3 bedroom Ranch in prime Garden City location. Nice family neighborhood, updated oak kitchen, spacious basement, all new windows, oversized 2 1/2 car garage...

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One Way Realty 473-5500
BEST BUY - 1991 Millpointe Colonial, 2 1/2 bath, vaulted ceilings with skylights \$113,400...

316 Westland Garden City-Wayne
ALREADY REDUCED
Neutral neat & clean 3 bedroom ranch, king sized master bedroom, oak kitchen, 2 car garage...

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A WARM WELCOME
A warm welcome to this elegant 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath Northville home. The magnificent beauty of the premium lot is ready to burst forth its spring colors...

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ATTENTION: FIRST TIME BUYERS & Investors, cute 2 bedroom ranch with many appealing features. New kitchen, nice yard, carpet, located in Westland, Cal. RED CARPET KEIM OF WESTLAND - 729-2500

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DOLL HOUSE
Ready to move right into this 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath ranch in prime Garden City location. Also, has first floor laundry, 2 1/2 car garage, really nice finished basement, new windows, very, very large kitchen & more, more, more...

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THIS ONE IS SPECIAL
4 bedroom Colonial in beautiful location, master bedroom with cathedral ceiling and fireplace, 2 full baths, family room with fireplace, 2 decks, master bedroom, 2 car garage, 2 car garage, 2 car garage...

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EXTREMELY NICE HOME
Newly remodeled kitchen with light oak cabinets and Manning silver roof top, 2 full baths, 2 car garage, 2 car garage, 2 car garage...

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CENTURY 21 ROW
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GARDEN CITY 3 bedroom brick ranch, just reduced \$6,000 to \$66,900. MUST SELL! Huge kitchen with fireplace, 2 decks, 2 car garage, all updates...

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GREAT LOOKING BRICK \$77,500
4 bedroom Colonial in beautiful location, master bedroom with cathedral ceiling and fireplace, 2 full baths, family room with fireplace, 2 decks, master bedroom, 2 car garage, 2 car garage...

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PICTURE THIS
your future in this 3 bedroom ranch with new center air, furnace, electric, windows, carpet & updated bath plus 2 1/2 car garage in basement & half bath...

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1928 CLASSIC
was a beauty and can be again. 4 bedrooms, full basement, double lot, formal dining room, newer furnace, hot water heater, new plumbing just waiting for buyer to upgrade exterior. Priced to sell. Handyman's dream. Call for your chance to make this yours now!

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WHAT A BEAUTY
located about 1/2 mile from downtown 1500 sq. ft. ranch. New windows, kitchen, oak trim throughout, 1 yr. old roof on house & 2 car attached garage. Doorway to deck & private back yard. Home also has hardwood floors. Don't miss out - \$79,900

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THIS DOLL HOUSE IS AFFORDABLE
and you can own it! Unique floor plan offers great room open to dining area for family communication, 3 bedrooms with loads of closet space, large ceramic bath & vanity, double formal dining room, oak cooks dream kitchen, 6x10 utility plus oversized 2 car garage - \$64,900

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4 BEDROOM COLONIAL \$81,900
This home has full finished basement, 2 car attached garage, newer roof, formal dining room, pool, large kitchen & much more...

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UNIQUE ONE OF A KIND
This home is a beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath ranch in prime Garden City location. Also, has first floor laundry, 2 1/2 car garage, really nice finished basement, new windows, very, very large kitchen & more, more, more...

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LOOK NO MORE
Spacious 4 bedroom home has family room with fireplace & newer bay window, formal dining room, oak on has snack bar, woodbeams overhead in living room & family room, 2 car garage with electric & work bench. A must see!

316 Westland Garden City-Wayne
INVEST IN THE BEST
Quality built, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath ranch home. Open and airy with downhill to large deck. Central air, 2 1/2 car garage. Better than new at \$84,500.

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BUYER'S CONNECTION
WAYNE - 3 bedroom brick ranch, 1 1/2 baths, approximately 1200 sq. ft. low down, land contract available. \$58,500.

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CENTURY 21 ROW
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LARGER LOT, 4 bedroom Ranch, 2 fireplaces, many updates, but still needs a little work. \$78,000. HELP-U-SELL of NWCC 454-8881

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CENTURY 21 ROW
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LIVONIA SCHOOLS - 3 bedroom Ranch, newer windows, updated kitchen & bath, spotless. \$74,900. HELP-U-SELL of NWCC 454-8881

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LEONA - 2810. Super 3 bedroom ranch, formal dining room, family room with wood burner & doorway to deck, newer windows & furnace, 2 car garage, large lot, N. of Cherry Hill, E. of Middlebelt

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WESTLAND - 29206. Fantastic 3 bedroom Cape Cod, 2 full baths, family room, finished basement, 2 1/2 car garage, home warranty, \$74,900. S. Ford, E. of Middlebelt

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CENTURY 21 ROW
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LIVONIA SCHOOLS - 7432 LATHERS - brick 3 bedroom ranch, 1 1/2 baths, family room with fireplace, 2 car garage, large lot, home 3 beds, 2 1/2 baths, N. of Warren, E. of Middlebelt

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OPEN 12-3. CAMBRIDGE - 31511. Spectacular 3 bedroom brick ranch, 1 1/2 baths, family room with fireplace, finished basement, newer windows, 2 car garage, home warranty - \$95,900. E. of Warren, W. of Merriman

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FIRST TIME BUYERS - ranch on large lot, spacious bedrooms, Florida room, gas BBQ & patio, now is the time, low interest rate lowers the payments - only \$54,900

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BELOW MARKET - value & very low move-in costs. Brick 3 bedroom ranch, 1 1/2 baths, finished basement, all appliances, central air, central air, 2 car garage - \$59,900

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THE SMART COUPLE
Wouldn't you rather own a home than rent? This is a beautiful 3 bedroom ranch in quiet but family neighborhood. Cathedral ceilings, granite kitchen with snack bar, new windows, sliding & R. At \$64,900

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NOVI - LAKEWOOD
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NOVI LOCATION CONDITION
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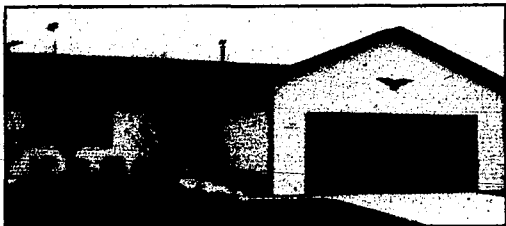
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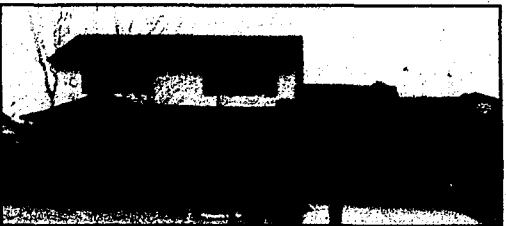
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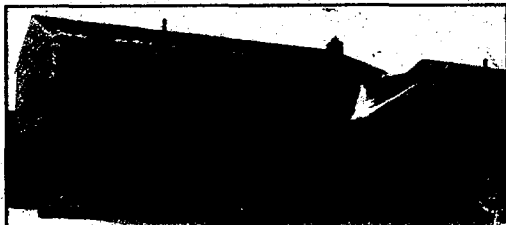
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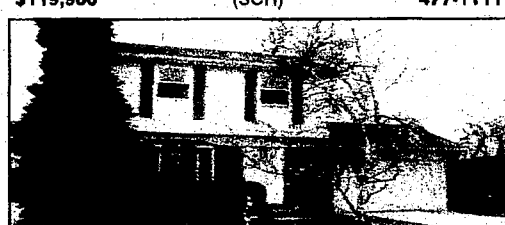
CANTON

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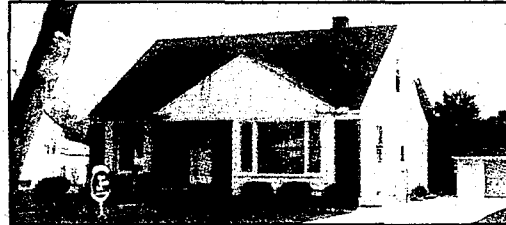
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PRIME LOCATION - Move in condition. Home backs to woods, professionally landscaped, winding staircase, family room with fireplace and wet bar, sprinklers, new furnace, master bath, large lot, central air. **\$122,900 326-2000**



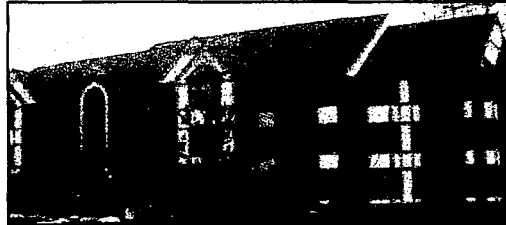
NORTHVILLE

EXECUTIVE ELEGANCE GREETS YOU in this Northville charmer! Move right in! Large family room has cathedral ceilings, deck off rear, backs to open area. Must see this 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath Colonial. **\$264,900 (MAP) 348-6430**



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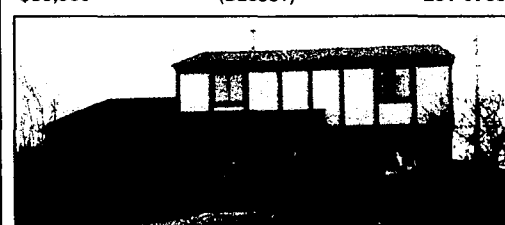
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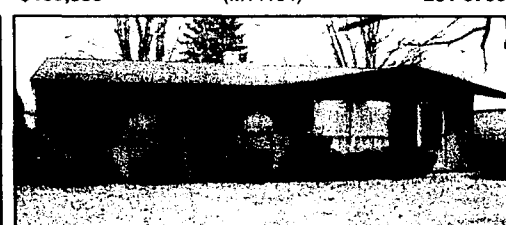
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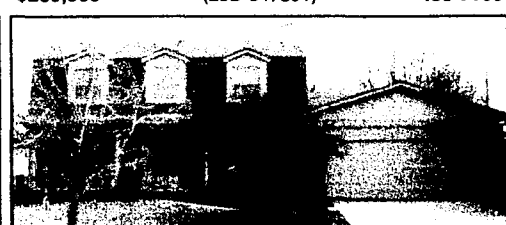
LIVONIA

LUXURIOUS COLONIAL - Spacious living! Family room, bedrooms galore, master bath, his and hers closets, finished basement, central air, newer roof, furnace and hot water heater. Bring your offer! **\$139,900 (S32377) 261-0700**



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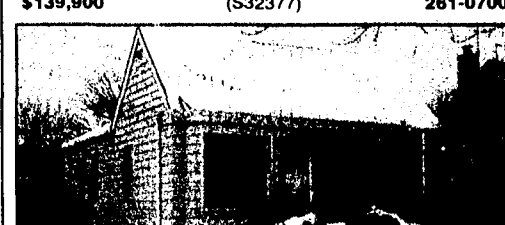
PLYMOUTH

PICTURE PERFECT!!! Beveled glass entry door greets guests to this gracious 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath Cape Cod with first floor laundry, office/den, breathtaking cathedral ceiling family room. **\$194,900 (23C-9632) 455-7000**



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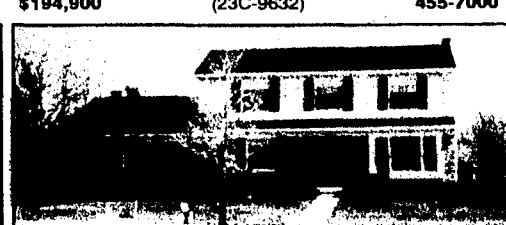
REDFORD

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- Some apartments with den available
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COMFORT - A SWIMMING POOL
 \$595/1 BEDROOM
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Plymouth Manor Apts

spacious
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 private entrances
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Plymouth - Newly decorated 1 bedroom. Blinds, all appliances including washer/dryer. Walk to town, \$450 + utilities + security deposit. 464-8938 after 8pm or 837-4317

Plymouth - Nice large 1 bedroom. close to downtown, with lots of storage. Available June 1. No pets. \$485 per month. 453-1774

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TMP promotions

Six members of the staff of TMP Associates, Bloomfield Hills, have been promoted.

David Larson and Stephen Smith were appointed principals of the firm. Larson is director of the design staff. Smith has served as project designer or manager of major commissions including the West Bloomfield Post Office.



Larson

Rocco Romano was promoted to director of operations and is responsible for coordinating all production staff and scheduling of projects.

Nick McGee, a project manager, was named senior associate, and Jim Bowers and Doug Horner associates.



Romano



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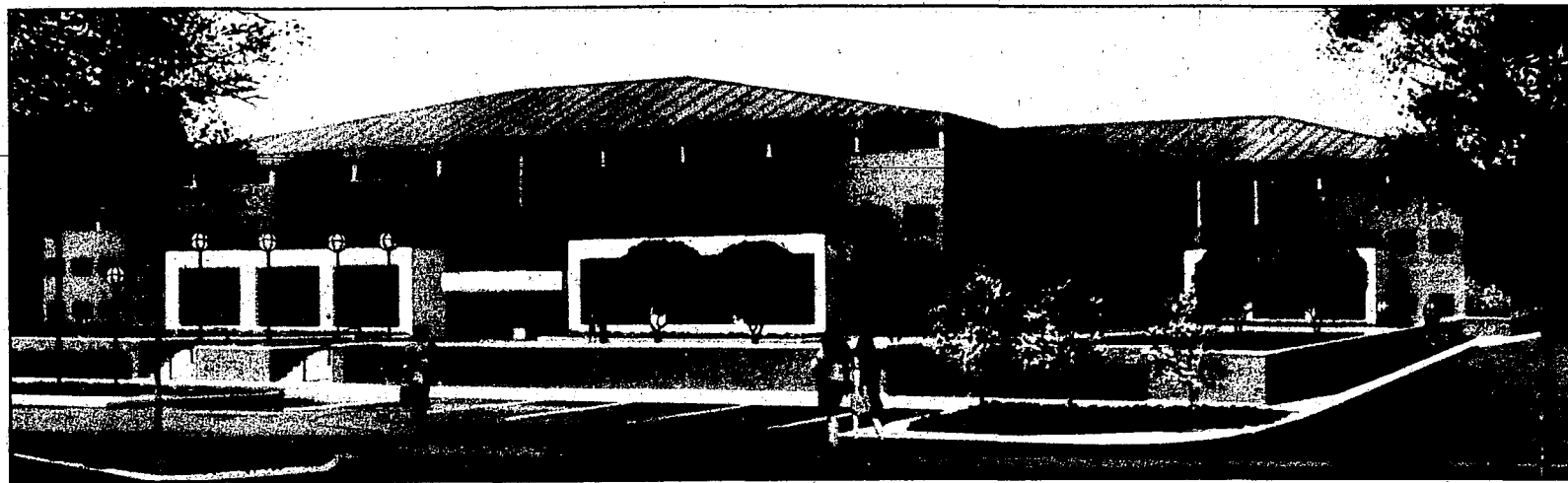
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Kramer promotions

Roger Kramer & Associates has promoted Jeff Gourlie from property manager to vice president in charge of the east side property management division. Cathy McGregor has been named personnel director while holding her position as office manager.

Roger Kramer & Associates is a real estate property management firm specializing in management of apartment, cooperative and condominium properties. It is headquartered in Troy with a Farmington Hills office.



Artist's rendering: A prestige location is a major selling point for Bloom-Wood Centre.

Address assures success in leasing

■ Stable absorption, higher rates and falling office vacancies tell the story in Bloomfield Hills where a new office building is under way.

BY DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER

It's ironic that the only sizable office building currently under construction in metro Detroit is owned by a shopping center magnate who until now has had little experience building offices.

Jay Kogan, 71, a Bloomfield Hills resident and owner of the Oakland Mall and several other strip centers in Troy, is the force behind Bloom-Wood Centre at Woodward and Long Lake roads, Bloomfield Hills.

Work on the three-story structure of some 145,000 square feet with two levels of underground parking began last August. The first steel girders appeared in February and the initial tenant is expected in November.

"We have a prime tenant and we feel this prime tenant is taking a large space and will be an inducement for other tenants," said Kogan, who declined to specify.

That and the prime location induced him to build now, Kogan said.

"Jay is the kind of man who when he wants to do something . . . he wants to do it the best," said John A. Hamburger, executive vice president for Parliament Co. of Bingham Farms, a development/management company that's expediting the project for Kogan.

"From our perspective," Hamburger added, "while there's plenty of vacancies around the city . . . there's always room for someone else who makes a better widget."

Construction and tenant build-out costs were estimated at \$17 million by Jack D. Hamburger, Parliament chairman.

"Based on conversations and calls we're getting, I'd say we'll be appreciably leased by the end of this year, certainly in excess of 80 percent," he said.

Parliament currently is talking with three major prospects, none of which the Hamburgers would identify.



Going up: Construction workers toil on the structure of Bloom-Wood Centre set for completion in November.

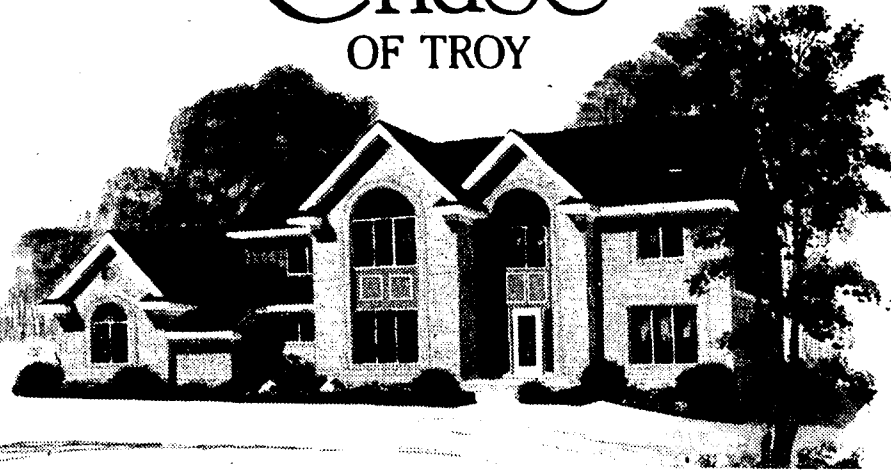
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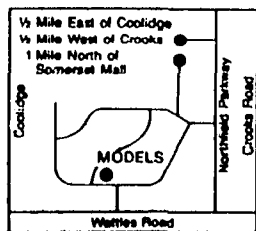
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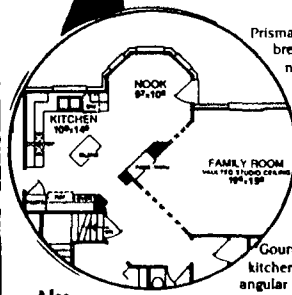
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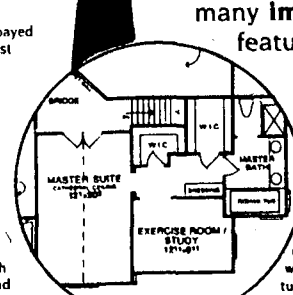


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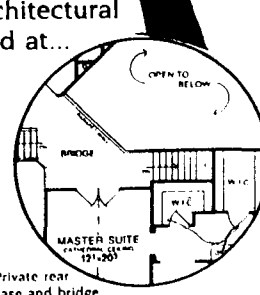
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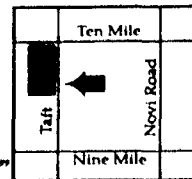
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Rooms with a view for a good cause

(AP) — Spring arrives and decorator show houses pop up around the country as reliably as the daffodils.

The show house is the decorator's chance to shine. Generally, the house is on loan to a charity. The charity assigns each room to a different designer who decorates it without constraints of client budget or wishes. The decorator donates his time and talent and usually borrows the furnishings — often expensive antiques.

Once fully decked out, the home is opened for public viewing for a specified number of days for an entrance fee.

The house pulls in money for the charity, potential clients for the decorators and possible buyers for the furnishings. It also provides a wealth of ideas and a couple hours' entertainment for the oglers who can cluck at what they don't like and sigh over what they adore.

If decorator show houses didn't exist, designers would have to invent them, says Chris Casson Madden, author and lecturer on design.

"Designers see the show house as the perfect platform to show off their best work," Madden says. "So if a charity doesn't bring it

up, they plant the seed themselves."

A show house is the ideal place for someone decorating a home to get ideas because it's three-dimensional, Madden says. Her new book, "Rooms With a View," (PBC International, 1993, \$45), covers two decades of rooms from the Kips Bay Decorator Show House in New York.

"People come to Kips Bay each spring from out of town and even as far away as South America to see the rooms," Madden says.

It takes 2

Madden, who has been through dozens of decorator show houses, says you need to go through each house twice to get your money's worth.

"I'm overwhelmed the first time I go through," she says. "But I go through the rooms a second time and make notes in the journal of the things that appeal to me."

The fact that you can't afford to duplicate the rooms shouldn't keep you from borrowing good ideas, she says. Her journals include scribbled entries on various ways to roll towels in a bathroom container and to arrange flowers.

Though not every house has so many internationally famous decorators or expensive art as Kips Bay, most offer a chance to see

the elements of design used in novel ways.

At Kips Bay, rooms sometimes dictate the latest design trends. There are always unusual window treatments to ponder, and you can see what you like and don't like in period and furniture styles. Finally, many Kips Bay show houses are done in architecturally interesting spaces, normally closed to the public.

Madden says the idea of decorator show houses has spread to London, Paris and various locales in "South America." But it's an American innovation.

The first modern show house appears to have opened in April 1958 in San Mateo, Calif., to raise money for the Coyote Point Museum for Environmental Education. In June of that year, another in Menlo Park raised money for a children's aid society.

By the early 1970s, show houses opened in Boston and St. Louis. Kips Bay, which is the best known, opened in April 1973 when the Women's Committee decided to substitute it for the regular spring dance. The show house and benefit gala now generate about \$500,000 annually for the Kips Bay Boys & Girls Club Inc., a youth center for inner city kids.

The first Kips Bay show house attracted 4,000 people at \$3 apiece, to look at the works of 15 interior decorators and one landscape designer. Madden was among the crowd, as she has been each year since. The 1993 edition (now through May 16) is expected to welcome 20,000 at \$15 each.

History of decorating

Show houses reflect the decorating preoccupations of their era. In the 1970s it was minimalism. Black-and-white schemes, see-through plastics and shiny, hard-edged Eurostyle furniture were the last word in modernity. Bright colors such as lime green were attention getters, and the latest technology was prominently displayed.

The 1980s brought the opulent look. Electronics were behind closed doors so nothing could detract from the luxury of fine antiques. They also brought an ever-softening color palette as pastels and glazed walls were featured.

The 1990s have begun with the dawn of the age of ecology. Designers put recycling centers in show house kitchens that will never generate garbage and use nature's green as an emblem of their attachment to the environment. But the specifics really don't matter.

Office from page 1F

"We are looking for substantially high-identity tenants who are financially capable," Jack Hamburger said. "I think you'll find a majority of tenants who get into a building like this would normally be law firms, brokerages, financial services."

Rents, which include everything except telephone and electricity, will start in the low to middle \$20 per square foot, he said.

"In the present day economy, we're certainly on the high end compared to other prestigious locations," he said.

"What they're paying for is a prestige location," John Hamburger said.

The exterior of Bloom-Wood Centre will be similar to that of

the Bloomfield Centre building owned by Jonna Companies directly south on Woodward.

Jonna had received site plan approval for two office buildings. Jonna completed one office, some 137,000 square feet which opened in January 1989, then sold the other parcel of land to Kogan.

"We decided we had our hands full with what we were doing and it was best not to take additional risk," said Gary Steven Jonna, executive vice president of that company.

Brick and stone will mark Bloom-Wood's exterior. Some windows will be surrounded by brick, others will be extend across the structure in curtain wall fashion. A walk-up plaza with brick-scape and some natural landscap-

ing will lead to the main entrance from the parking lot behind the building.

An atrium will extend through much of the building all the way to the roof. The ground floor, in addition to tenant space, will have a restaurant, sundry shop and an automatic teller machine.

"All interior furnishing will be top of the line," Jack Hamburger said. "The lobby floor will be all granite, two kinds, Baltic brown and black. We're using cherry wood in the lobby. All hardware on the elevator doors will be brushed bronze."

Kogan said he's currently financing construction out of his own pocket, but he will be looking

for a construction loan and a permanent mortgage a little further down the line.

Office building activity has ground almost to a halt in the metro area as a whole due to a vacancy rate in the range of 16-18 percent depending on the survey.

"We're fully leased, so we don't see it (Bloom-Wood) as an impact," Jonna said.

"That building will be leased fairly quickly," predicted Dennis R. Burnside, senior vice president of Grubb & Ellis, a Southfield commercial real estate firm.

"There's not much space available in Bloomfield Hills, such a desirable address," Burnside said. "It's a small, tight market."



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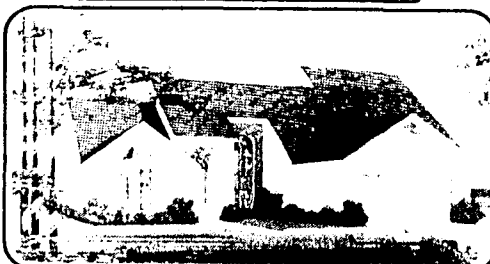
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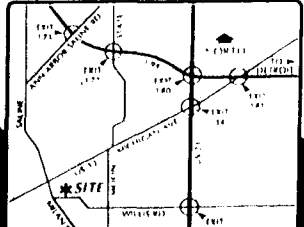
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Countdown to family on the move



On the move: A box of items that you'll need even before the moving van arrives should be kept with you.

Moving a family and a household of furniture and goods can be an overwhelming experience. One way to ease the anxiety of relocating is to properly plan for the move, according to Robert Fleisher, CEO of Allied Van Lines.

"To help families prepare to locate, Allied Van Lines has developed a checklist that begins two months before the big day," he said.

■ **Eight weeks before the move:** Contact your mover for information and an estimate. Compile an inventory of all household and personal possessions to be moved. Order a newspaper subscription from your new town to familiarize your family with the news and events in the community.

■ **Six weeks before:** Write the chamber of commerce in your new town for information on schools, parks and recreation. Obtain school, medical, tax and legal records. Ask for referrals.

■ **Four weeks before:** Start using items that are not transportable like frozen food or cleaning supplies. Obtain a change-of-address kit from the post office, complete and mail forms. Contact utility and related companies (cable companies and garbage collectors) for service disconnect and connect. Keep utilities connected in your current home through moving day. If you are packing yourself, arrange to obtain boxes. Pack seldom-used or out-of-season goods that won't be missed before moving day. Make travel arrangements for your moving trip for you and your pets.

■ **Three weeks before:** Hold a garage sale to be rid of unwanted items or donate usable items to a charitable organization. Arrange to close and open bank accounts. Begin to pack in earnest. Reconfirm all arrangements with the moving company. Service your car. If the building you are moving out of or into has an elevator, schedule time to use it for your move.

■ **One week before:** Empty safe deposit box. Drain fluids from lawn mower and other equipment. Prepare specific instructions for your van foreman. Include itinerary and emergency phone numbers.

■ **Two to three days before:** Pack items you will need the first few days in your new home such as linens, towels and soap into a "survival box" to be taken with you on the move. Defrost and clean the refrigerator and freezer. Notify moving company of any last-minute changes. ■ **Moving day:** Hire a babysitter to watch young children. Read your bill of inventory carefully before signing. Make final inspection of house to check for belongings and to check locked windows and doors. For a free copy of Allied's 28-page moving brochure, "Guide to a Good Move," write to Allied Van Lines, P.O. Box 11759, Chicago, Ill. 60611.

Survivor box limits moving day stress

There are few things more frustrating than settling into a new house, ready to unpack sealed boxes, only to discover that the family scissors is packed away in one of dozens of sealed boxes.

To prevent a similar situation, put together a survivor box before packing your household possessions.

Here's what the box should include:

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- Toilet paper.
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- Pen and paper.
- Telephone.
- Small radio.

Age influences reaction to moving

Whether moving across the country or across the block, parents need to make special efforts to help their children adjust to new surroundings, says a family psychologist.

"Moving is hard on children no matter what the situation," says Dr. Brenda Wade, author of "Love Lessons: A Guide to Transforming Relationships." "But there are steps parents can take to make the transition easier.

Children under 7 years of age need their lives as familiar and routine as possible during and after a move.

As soon as the family has relocated, set up the child's room as it was before the move, with the child's favorite toys, pictures and blanket in full view.

"Now is not the time to redecorate a small child's room," Wade says. "Younger children have a very small world and can become disoriented easily. The same attention should be given to the youngster's schedule.

Continuity is the key. Structured times in their routine, like the family dinner hour and bedtime, should not be changed immediately following the move.

For children over 7, a different approach should be used.

"It's important to be up front with older children when discussing the move. Include them in the decision-making process," Wade says.

Once a home and school have been selected, gather the family to discuss specifics. If a trip to the area is not possible, compile information on the neighborhood and school to show to older children.

Ask them how they would like to redecorate their new bedroom and provide a layout of the house.

Teens may be the most concerned about leaving classmates and close friends. Parents should encourage exchanging telephone numbers and addresses and setting aside time for formal good-byes.

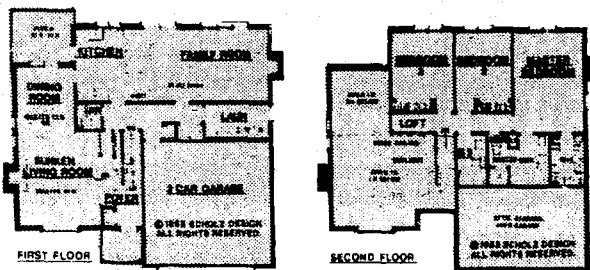


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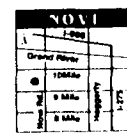
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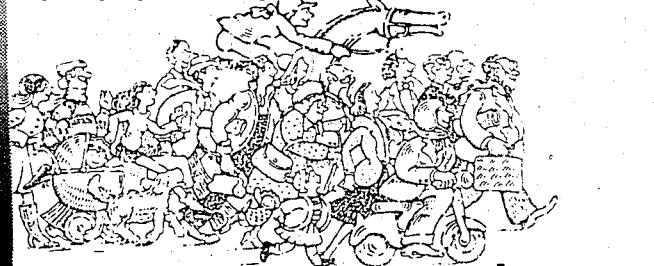


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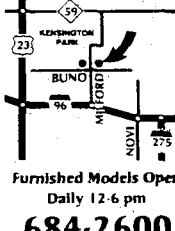
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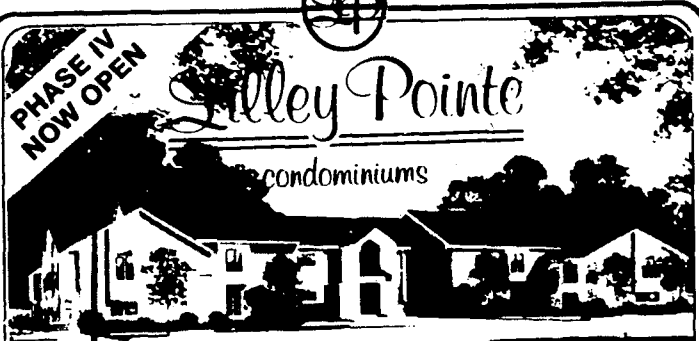
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But if your attic is crisscrossed with roof supports, you have a webbed or truss system and you cannot make any changes at all. Only attics with conventional framing can be converted.

Determine future use adding new bedrooms is a good use of a converted attic. Gaining extra sleeping quarters is the reason most people convert an attic. If you do create bedrooms, it's handy to add a bath as well. Try to locate a new bath above an existing bath to use the same vent stack and plumbing lines.

An attic can also often be converted into a separate apartment for an older relative. Some people plan an "adult" family room in the attic. Hobby rooms and workshops make as good sense in the attic as in the basement. A play-

room is a natural addition, especially if children's bedrooms are nearby.

Whatever your decision, consider consulting a builder or architect while developing your plans. A professional can tell you whether your budget is reasonable, and what permits, inspections and variances you will need.

Before you begin your planning, check your local building codes. Codes typically set minimum standards in the design of living space that do not apply when an attic is just a storeroom. More than likely, conforming to the code will pose no great difficulty. But it pays to be sure.

Have a professional check the house's foundation and utility systems. A finished attic adds a story to the house; the structure must be able to support the extra load. (Some codes require strengthening the walls of the stories.)

If you are on a septic system, adding a bedroom — even without adding a bath — may mean having to increase the size of the tank

and the drainage field. This, too, will be specified in the building codes.

Remember that the floor joists must support the increased load. You may have to strengthen them by repairing, doubling or adding joists. Again, building codes have prescribed minimums to use as a guide. You may need to install or enhance a permanent staircase — folding attic stairs are not adequate for daily use.

Plan a second exit for emergencies. When choosing the kind of windows you want and where you want them, keep in mind that they may serve as emergency exits.

Before you begin, be sure to get a building permit. Order building materials in sufficient quantity to complete the entire job. Select a place beforehand to store your materials until you need them. If necessary, consider building a simple shed to protect them. Or simply stack them on a platform and cover them with a tarp.

Installing studding and ceiling joists, insulation, windows and doors, flooring and finishing the

walls and ceilings are some of the jobs that many do-it-yourselfers can do. Plumbing and electrical needs should be left to licensed plumbers and electricians.

If the attic needs more floor space or windows, dormers will have to be added. This means cutting into the existing roof and building an extension. Unless you have considerable construction experience, this task should be left to a skilled contractor.

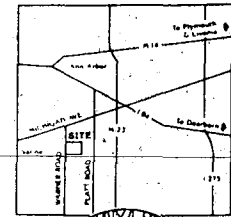
To heat the attic, you can either hook onto the central heating system or install an electrical baseboard heating system with its own thermostat. Hooking onto the existing heating system is easiest if your home is equipped with forced-air heating. Generally, all you need to do is add lengths of hot-and-cold air ducting and join them to the existing system.

Before doing this, check with a heating contractor to ensure that your existing furnace blower has sufficient capacity to heat the additional space. Seek similar advice regarding the hot-water system capacity.

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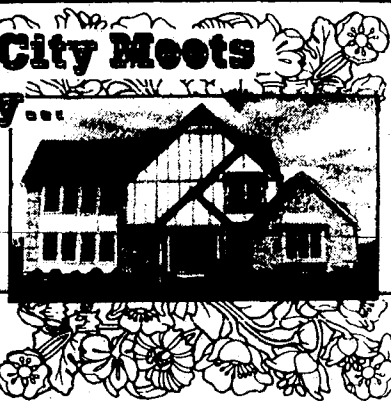
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You can fix them now, for a few dollars, or you can fix them later — for hundreds more. Once water penetrates the tile grout, wall damage can be extensive.

The problems almost always begin with damaged grout joints, and for one of two reasons. In to-

day's housing market, installers need to move through a job quickly. The problem is that tile-work resists speed with two obstacles. The first is that tile mastic cures too slowly, the second is that grout cures too quickly.

The mastic used to glue tile to walls will set in a day, but takes days longer to cure. If the spaces between the tiles are grouted too soon, the gases that must escape in curing create tiny pinholes in the grout.

As for curing the grout, the best approach is a wet cure, where the normal drying rate is prolonged. When cured properly, the grout

becomes hard and water resistant.

If allowed to dry too quickly, the grout will have a soft, chalky surface that absorbs water. As the water is absorbed, the grout swells, fractures and falls away. In either case, water reaches the drywall behind the tiles and destroys it.

How do you know when your ceramic tiles need help? To begin, look for discoloration in the grout. Dark spots in grout suggest that water is penetrating, either because of pinhole openings or because the grout is loose.

As water penetrates these gaps, molds grow in them, holding more

water and further weakening the grout in those areas. Where water mineral levels are high, the dark spots will be surrounded by lighter, yellow-orange discolorations. Of course, if small strips of grout have already fallen out, you'll have little time to waste.

You should also closely examine the caulked seams in the corners and where tiles meet the tub. Where you find spots of dark discoloration or cracks, a repair is in order.

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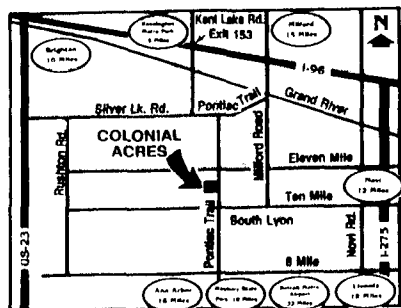
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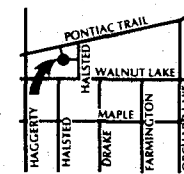
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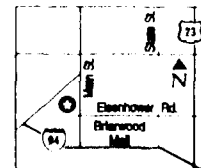
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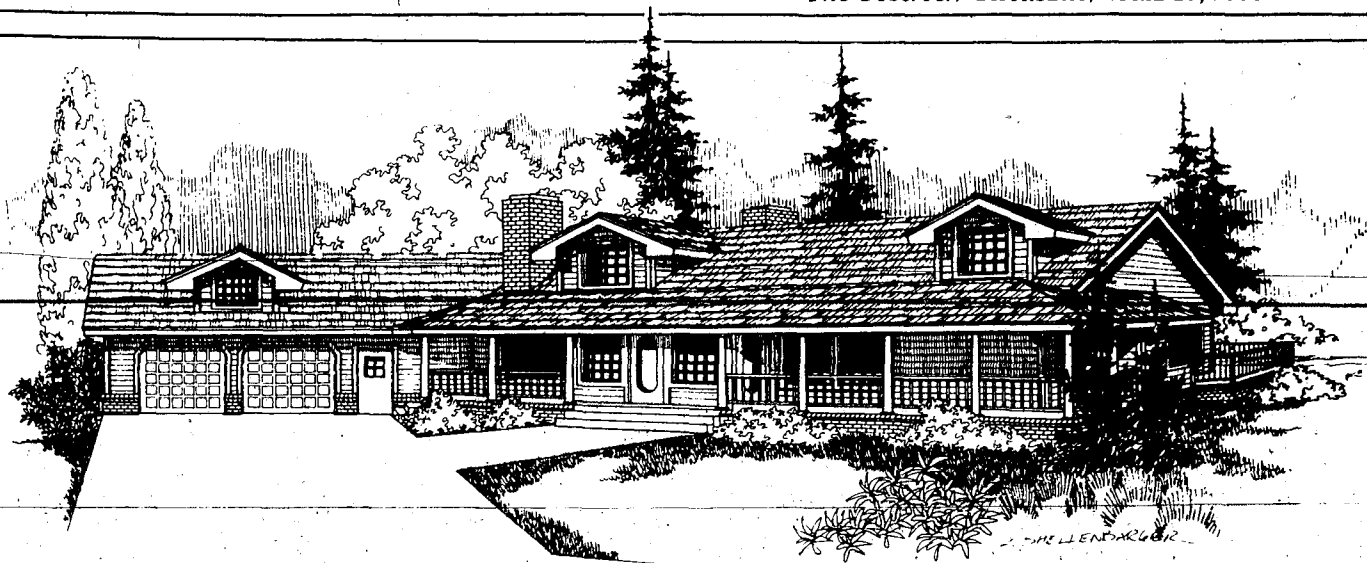
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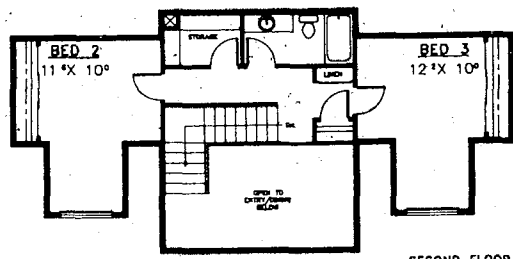
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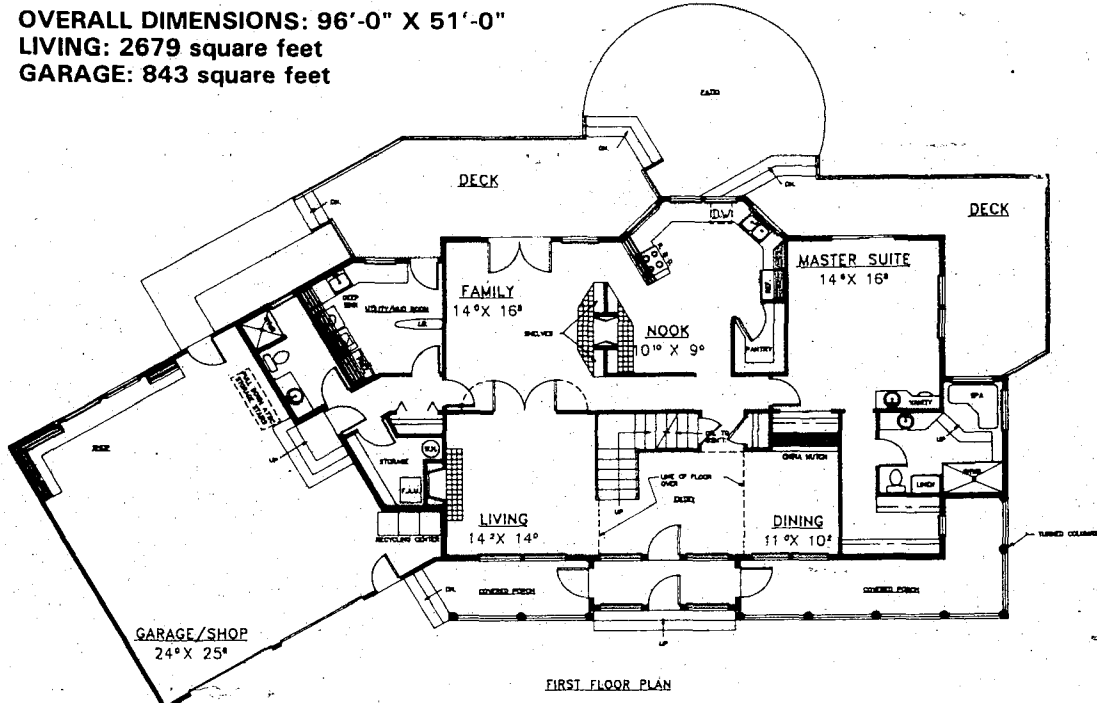


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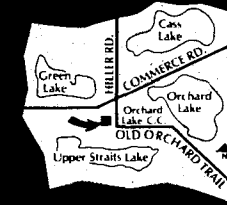
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HARD WORKING, dependable position needed...

HOMEMAKERS/STUDENTS & RETIREES - We are seeking hard working...

ATTEND OUR ON-THE-SPOT INTERVIEW - 30020 Grand River...

HOTEL - Signature Inn, Plymouth, is now accepting...

HOUSING OPP. - We offer benefits and a pleasant working environment...

HOUSING OPP. - The Clarion Hotel has immediate openings...

HOUSEKEEPER - Experienced, Full time. Benefits. Apply at...

HOUSEKEEPERS - Nov. Village in upscale apartment complex...

HOUSEKEEPING SUPERVISOR - Limited service hotel is seeking experienced...

HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGER - Strong HR Generalist with Union and non-union experience...

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hotel The Comfort Inn of Farmington Hills has openings...

INSURANCE - Full & Part-time - Full Time Afternoon/Weekends...

HOUSEKEEPING/JANITORIAL - Part-time customer service position...

INSURANCE - Large Troy business individual with 3 years experience...

INTERVIEWERS - Birmingham P & C Agency has openings...

JANITORIAL - Evening hours, part time. Many openings available...

JANITORIAL EVENING HOURS - 1 or 2 people in the area of Wilcox...

JANITORIAL FLOOR MAINTENANCE - Mon-Fri, part-time, Livonia...

JANITORIAL HELP - Mon-Fri, 8pm-9pm. Grand River & Halsted...

JOB COACH/Community Aide - needed with MOCR training & computer programming expertise...

INSURANCE - TPA has immediate opening for an employee who is experienced...

INTERVIEWERS - Dynamic Marketing Research Firm is seeking motivated, experienced interviewers...

INTERVIEWERS - (DAYS, EVENINGS & WEEKENDS) Qualifications: Excellent Phone Skills...

INSURANCE - You'll enjoy flexible schedules, merchandise discounts, competitive pay...

LANDSCAPE HELP - \$5/hour to start. Farmington Hills, W. Bloomfield area...

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INSTALLER TRAINEE - Position open for a person who is willing to work hard & learn...

JANITORIAL/OFFICE Cleaning - JANITORIAL/OFFICE Cleaning - 5 days/wk. Plymouth/Canton area...

JANITORIAL - Part-time in Even., 2 hrs. per night/5 nights per week...

JANITORIAL - Immediate opening. Farmington Hills & Troy area...

LABORERS - Carpenter/contractor looking for laborers/women...

LABORERS - Developer needs Punch-Out Person/Laborer for new construction project...

EXPERIENCED LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE & LANDSCAPE LABORERS...

LANDSCAPE HELP NEEDED - Call Mon-Fri, 3-4pm. An Equal Opportunity Employer...

LANDSCAPE LABORERS & CDL holders needed in well established firm...

LANDSCAPE Labor/Philly area. Must have transportation...

LANDSCAPE MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL - competitive wages, must have professional experience...

LANDSCAPERS - Full & part time. Hardworking, clean cut people...

LANDSCAPING/Flower Planting - Full time mid week thru June. Part time as needed thereafter...

LANDSCAPING - Full time help wanted, \$6/hour. Rochester/Troy area...

LARGE FURNITURE COMPANY NOW HIRING - Driver/setup. Shipping & receiving...

LEASING CONSULTANTS - Full time, part time leasing consultants needed for Wayne County...

LEASING AGENT part time, for luxury high rise apartments...

LEASING AGENT - retired or semi-retired person to work weekends...

LEASING AGENT needed for Farmington Hills community for weekends...

LEASING AGENT - part time for Westland apt. community...

LIGHT MANUFACTURING - Apply in person. 5555 Tradewind, Wayne...

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LANDSCAPING/Lawn Maintenance - Full time, experience preferred. Plymouth area...

LARGE APARTMENT community in Southfield seeking Lifeguards for full & part time...

LATHE HAND MILL HAND - Machining shop in Farmington Hills looking for a person...

LATHE OPERATOR - Minimum 4 yrs. tool room experience. Manual & CNC...

LAWN CARE COMPANY, in Plymouth, seeks licensed fertilizer applicator...

LAWN CUTTING CREW CHIEF - experienced, Good pay. Start now, Bloomfield area...

LAWN MAINTENANCE aggressive company hiring full & part time help...

LAWN MAINTENANCE/grounds keeper needed for Livonia area...

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MACHINE OPERATOR Opening available immediately for progressive, experienced machine operator. Good pay & benefits. Apply at: Landis Manufacturing Co., 2035 Hilton Rd., Ferndale, MI 48220.

MACHINE OPERATORS \$6/HOUR

Individuals needed to run high volume production in Farmington Hills. Must have machine operating experience. Must have ability to read micro-meters. Days, afternoons, and midnights. Call 478-7212

MACHINING

Good opportunity established growing company in 1275 corridor. \$8.80/hr. part time on freight shift, machining background preferred. CNC a plus. Send resume in confidence to: MACHINING, Box 936, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia MI 48150

MACHINISTS: boring mill, lathe & machine tooling. Good pay & benefits. Michigan is now accepting applications for a few dependable people. UNLIMITED POTENTIAL. Drive time included plus we furnish the new auto. Medical benefits. Paid holidays/vacations. Advancement opportunities. Call 478-9300

MAINTENANCE ASSISTANT For luxury apartments in Birmingham. Respond with qualifications to: P. O. Box 3040, Birmingham, MI, 48012-3040

Maintenance Electrician (Lighting) National company seeking experienced Electrician with both indoor and aerial truck experience. Full time with benefits. Call 422-8490

MAINTENANCE Full time position available for experienced apartment complex maintenance person. Must have own tools. Immediate start. Send information to: MAINTENANCE, 28250 Franklin Rd., Southfield, MI 48034

MAINTENANCE/GROUNDS HELP Needed full time for large apartment community in Belle Harbor. Reliable transportation and tools a must. Call 10am-4pm, 697-9156

MAINTENANCE Help - experienced and mature person wanted for a fast growing church. Reliable transportation and tools a must. Only serious workers need apply. Call 9-5pm 358-3541 or 532-4400

MAINTENANCE/JANITORIAL Part time positions open for mature, dependable people. Retirees welcome. Apply in person at: Business Office, Laurel Park Place Mill, 37700 W. 6 Mile, Livonia, MI, 8:30am-5pm

MAINTENANCE MAN WANTED 40 hours a week. Must have own tools and transportation. Apply at: Parkway Apts., 35740 Shawwassee, Southfield, 357-2503

MAINTENANCE PERSON For large apt. community in Canton-Westland area. Must have own tools and transportation. Apply at: Parkway Apts., 35740 Shawwassee, Southfield, 357-2503

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MAINTENANCE General building upkeep. Able to trouble shoot and repair basic plumbing, mechanical and electrical problems. Some knowledge of heating & cooling systems. Must have good driving record and valid Michigan driver's license. Send resume to: Teresa Schwartz, Jewish Vocational Service, 26609 Southfield Rd., Southfield, MI 48076

MAINTENANCE Mature, responsible person to perform required maintenance in luxury suburban apartment community. This is not a live-in position. Candidate should be experienced in plumbing, heating and electrical. Salary position. Call 9-11am 352-3800

MAINTENANCE MECHANIC Stable property management company desires maintenance person for upscale apartments in Royal Oak and Troy. Must possess good hands-on plumbing, electrical and mechanical experience and be dependable. Excellent benefits. \$7.15 per hour depending on qualifications and experience. Drug screening required. To apply call: 1-800-344-1947

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MANAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES In financial services industry. Earnings \$2000/month. Call 473-8823

MANAGEMENT Specialty store seeks aggressive management candidates for Detroit market. Retail or sales experience preferred. Benefits include commission and/or bonus. Please send resume to: Box 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia MI 48150

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MANAGEMENT SALES MANAGEMENT TRAINEE The Custom Shop Shirtmakers/Tailors, America's largest manufacturer and retailer of men's custom-made shirts, offers this immediate opportunity to qualified candidates who possess a keen sense of detail, a flair for fashion, and good management instincts combined with excellent interpersonal skills. We would prefer a college degree and/or recent retail experience (men'swear a plus).

We offer a very competitive salary, fringe benefits and a benefits plan which includes a 50% employee discount and company-sponsored pension plan. To arrange an interview at our store in the TWELVE OAKS MALL, please call MR. BERG: (313) 347-1155 THE CUSTOM SHOP An Equal Opportunity Employer

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MAINTENANCE SUPERINTENDENT Property management company is seeking maintenance superintendent for large apartment community in Bloomfield Hills. Must be a self-motivated professional and highly qualified in all aspects of multi-family maintenance. Need good supervisory and resident relations skills. Must live on-site. Send resume and salary history in confidence to: Manchester Properties, Inc., 36001 Clubhouse Lane, Harrison Twp., MI 48045

MANAGEMENT ENTRY LEVEL Ground Floor Opportunity Growing Company that has built from 6 to 120 employees in 3 yrs. is looking for career minded people. Must be aggressive self-starters willing to learn the business from the ground up. College degree a plus. Some management experience preferred. Training provided to those who lack experience. Excellent benefits. Send resume to: Operations Manager, 20300 Civic Center Dr., Ste. 207, Southfield, MI 48076

MANAGEMENT TRAINER Midwest's largest furniture rental co. has career development opportunities. energetic, sales oriented person. This is a highly visible position with an excellent opportunity for advancement. Competitive salary & full benefits package. Send resume to: STORE MANAGER, GLOBE FURNITURE RENTALS, 3743 GRAND RIVER FARMINGTON HILLS, MI 48335

MECHANIC/DRIVER Light construction equipment repair. Salary open. Must have good driving record. Call Jan 7am-5pm daily: 348-7270

MECHANIC Machine repair/retail/rental. 5 yrs experience minimum. centerless, internal, etc. (313) 771-4570

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METAL FINISHER Looking for a polisher with some experience willing to learn. Temporary for approximately 4 months. No benefits. Please call 722-2510 for an application.

MIG WELDERS Now accepting applications by mail only at Draw-Tite, Inc., Canton, for approximately 4 months. No benefits. Please call 722-2510 for an application.

MORTGAGE BANKING Republic Bancorp Mortgage Inc., one of Michigan's largest residential mortgage lenders, is seeking experienced SERVICING PERSONNEL. Candidates must have one to two years mortgage servicing experience and a valid driver's license. Please submit resume and cover letter to: Republic Bancorp Mortgage Inc., 37899 W. Twelve Mile Rd., Ste. 100 Farmington Hills, MI 48333

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MORTGAGE UNDERWRITER/UNDERWRITER needed for expanding mortgage bank. We offer a full benefits package. Apply at: 455-7850

MOVERS (Local) \$8 an hour to transport business boxes, summer help and drivers needed. Call 722-6683

MUSIC DIRECTOR Grasse Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church is seeking person with excellent musical background to direct choirs and develop music program. Salary \$15,000. Send resume and references to: Personnel, 19505 Mack Ave., Grasse Pointe Woods, MI 48236

NEW HOME CONSTRUCTION GREETER WANTED For substitution in Farmington Hills. Call 8am-4pm (313) 227-3115

NIGHT AUDIT - experienced only, must be available to work weekends & holidays; apply in person between 5pm and 11pm in Southfield, 26555 Telegraph

NO LAY-OFFS In the real estate business, the only requirements for calling me are: willing to work hard, be trained, and like people. Flexible hours. Earn while you learn. Call Terry Rhodes 348-6877

OFFICE CLEANERS Evenings, Southfield/Troy area. Call 2pm-5pm 352-3320

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PACKERS & LOADERS For House-hold goods, needed for major Allied Van Lines Agent, in the Canton area. Experienced required. Full-time position. Please call: Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia MI 48150

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MANAGER ASSISTANT - Full time position available for mature, responsible individual at CAR WASH located in Northville. Full time. Retail or mechanical experience helpful. Days & Weekends. Excellent benefits. Call: 28530 Orchard Lake Rd., Farmington Hills, MI 48334

MASS MERCHANDISER REPRESENTATIVE For a National Building Products company with offices in Troy, Michigan. Position accountable for administering a program that services major mass merchandisers. Customer contact, solving problems, and other various customer service functions.

Must have excellent communication skills and familiarity to an on-line or computerized system. Self-starter who works well in a team, willing to accept extra duties as they arise within the department. Opportunity to grow within the organization.

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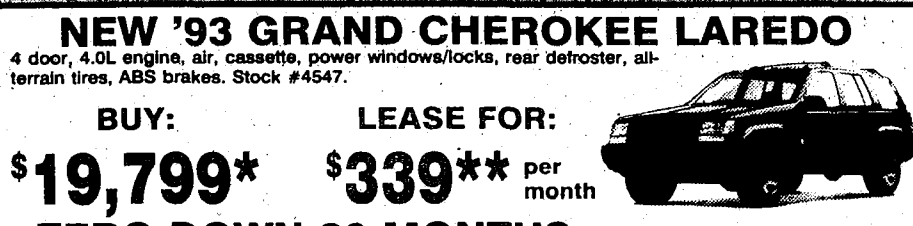
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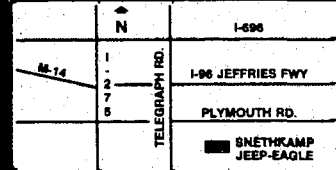
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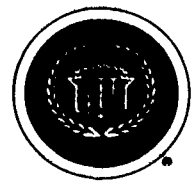
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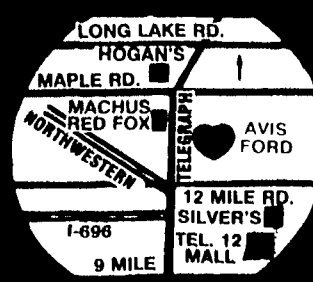
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 <p>NEW 1993 TAURUS GL 4 DOOR SEDAN Stock #12850 Was \$19,476 IS \$15,320*</p>	 <p>NEW 1993 TAURUS LX 4 DOOR SEDAN Stock #12101 Was \$19,936 IS \$15,901*</p>	 <p>NEW 1993 CROWN VICTORIA LX Stock #11418 Was \$24,030 IS \$18,141*</p>	 <p>NEW 1993 MUSTANG GT CONVERTIBLE Stock #12091 Was \$23,076 IS \$19,221*</p> <p>25 AVAILABLE</p>	 <p>NEW 1993 TAURUS SHO 4 DOOR SEDAN Stock #13009 Was \$26,849 IS \$20,642*</p> <p>50 AVAILABLE</p>

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 <p>NEW 1993 ESCORT GT 3 DOOR Stock #12687 Was \$13,544 IS \$10,431*</p>	 <p>NEW 1993 MUSTANG LX 2 DOOR HATCHBACK Stock #12687 Was \$14,928 IS \$11,505*</p>	 <p>NEW 1993 PROBE Stock #12383 Was \$15,633 IS \$12,422*</p>	 <p>NEW 1993 THUNDERBIRD LX Stock #12672 Was \$17,030 IS \$13,996*</p>	 <p>NEW 1993 PROBE GT Stock #10826 Was \$18,222 IS \$15,170*</p>

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A DOMINANT white man, 39, seeks adventurous, white woman. Curious? 44973
ADVENTUROUS, attractive, tall, single white male, 40, very outgoing, seeks sensual female companion for discreet or open relationship. 45067
ADVENTUROUS, attractive, funny single white male, 40, very outgoing, looking for single white female, 25-35 who likes golf, tennis, outdoors, music, Greektown. 44134
AFFECTIONATE nice-looking single white male, 40, very outgoing, looking for single white female, 25-35 who likes golf, tennis, outdoors, music, Greektown. 44134
ENJOYS golf, biking, movies, dining out, non-smoker. Seeking white female 42-50 for friendship or possible relationship. 44134
ASTUTE Mickey Rourke type guy (Sweden/44/No moods) seeks Kim Basinger type girl (Trinidad/Fit) for at least 9999+ weeks. All answers! 44134
ATTRACTIVE, affluent Oakland County married executive, white male, 50's, 6', kind, caring. Seeks discreet female companion age 30-45 for fun relationship. 44189
ATTRACTIVE, affable Italian single white male, Ph.D., athletic, romantic, seeks married/divorced white female, 22-38, for non-threatening intimate fun, pillow talk & romance. Schedule, some days. 45058
ATTRACTIVE Professional Engineer seeking a lady who eventually will become my best friend for romantic relationship. I'm single white male, 30, non-smoker, who likes skiing, sky-diving, running, Vic Tanny, alternative to classical music & Christian dancing, movies and surprise romantic adventures. Is the relationship in the movie "Ghost" possible? 45078
ATTRACTIVE, sandy hair, blue eyes, 5'11", trim & built, twenty-something. Loves life, the outdoors & summer fun. Would appreciate someone special. 45068
ATTRACTIVE, single, white male, 38, 5'8", 155 lbs. athletic, honest, sincere, white male, attractive, slim, mature female for serious relationship. 45068
BLACK BROTHER Seeks white woman for fun times Call for details for the excitement of your life! 44101
BOLTA BOWM Botta groom, maybe. Single Jewish male, 32, playful, handsome, creative, positive, fun, seeks single, white female, cute, body builder, attractive. 45021
CONFIDENT, sensuous, white, married college business professor, 49, 6'4", 225 lbs. Seeks attractive female 25-38, for discreet, romantic relationship. 45068
DIVORCED CHRISTIAN white male, 48, 5'8", 155 lbs. non-smoking, non-drinking, likes dancing, Hawaii, & loves the Lord Seeking Christian woman who also is non-smoking/drinking, a good dancer & sincere. 44118
DIVORCED white male, 30, 180lbs, 5'10, athletic build, attractive super dad, two kids, enjoys movies, baseball, Seeks shapely woman, 25-45, who likes children. 44148

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ATTRACTIVE, 42, white male, fun loving, caring, white male, 40, very outgoing, looking for single white female, 25-35 who likes golf, tennis, outdoors, music, Greektown. 44134
AUTHORITATIVE - successful professional white male 40's seeks sophisticated female for romance, respect, love. 44059
A VERY good looking, 33 year old white male who, enjoys sports, dining out, travel & romantic evenings looking for attractive, petite, white female, 22-32. 45007
BLACK GENTLEMAN - 37, 6' ft., tall, would like to meet slender lady to build a friendship on honesty, trust, respect & communication. Non smoker 44046
DISCRETE interracial relationship wanted. I'm black, 29, handsome, have afternoons free. You're white, pretty, passionate. 44102
DIVORCED white male, 5'8", 148 lbs., 40 yrs. old, looking for white female who is responsible & secure & a good sense of humor looking for a good one on one relationship. 44988
DIVORCED WHITE male, 52, 5'11", 188 lbs, blond, professional. Loving, caring, honest, affectionate, non-smoker/drinker, seeks female similar attributes for relationship. 44127
DIVORCED white male 42, professional with a zest for life, travel, the outdoors, theater. Long term relationship possible after friendship. 44128
DREAMY, VERY, single black male, 40, very fit, eyes, single, caring, looking for single/divorced white female, tall attractive. 25-35. Lets talk! 45078
EASY GOING 6' white professional man. Enjoys good conversation, good times. Looking for trim white female 25-35 who enjoys similar lifestyle. Looking for a fun partner. 44762
FAMILY ORIENTED - affectionate single white male 41, 5'10", 175 lbs. seeks single white female 30-45 who has a home life even if pursuing career/degree. Like most adults, open to new. 45111
FANTASY - tell me your secret desires & I'll tell you mine. White male, 47, clean, active, thin, discreet. Serious replies only. 45020
GOOD looking, white male, 18, 5'11", 172 lbs. looking for pretty lady, 17-22, interested in swimming, dining out or quiet evenings at home. 45015
HANDSOME, TALL, slim male, dark hair/eyes, 35, financially secure, likes home-life, dance, swim, cars, 18lbs. is caring & sensitive, varied interests. Seek white female 26-39 for long term relationship. 45157

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NICE LOOKING physically fit white male, professional, 43, 5'8", 150lbs. Secure, sensitive, honest, affectionate. Enjoys skiing-exercise-tennis, & romantic evenings. Seeking a lady like to do. Looking for lady with similar qualities, & a long term relationship. 44125
NICE LOOKING, white male, 5'11", 170 lbs, average height, creative, athletic, outdoorsy, adventurous, sense of humor, seeks trim female 25-40. 44114
NON-CONFORMIST, adventurous white male, 40, very outgoing, looking for single white female, 25-40 who likes to travel, try new things, seeks attractive, creative single woman, no dependents to explore life. 45064
PROFESSIONAL, SINGLE white male, 40, very outgoing, looking for single white female who loves to laugh, for long term relationship. Won't be disappointed. 44154
SINGLE WHITE male, seeks woman to help her learn to enjoy life. I have many things, but no one to enjoy them with. Call me! 45088
SINGLE WHITE male, slim, shy, 38, seeks fun-loving white lady between 32 & 40 yrs old who enjoys dancing, movies, outdoors for relationship. 41881
SUBMISSIVE, eager to please white male, 44, attractive, clean, discreet, thin. Anxiously seeks dominant female to satisfy. 44832
SUCCESSFUL BUSINESSMAN 47, 5'10, white, seeks sincere woman w/ sense of humor for dining, dancing, travel, & fun. Looking for a friend, first, possible relationship. 44181
THE celebration of man: single white male, 31, 5'8", brown hair, blue eyes, nice looking, honest, caring, single white female. 45143
SINGLE & affectionate, healthy, married, 36 yr. old father of 2, 6'4", 220 lbs., educated, seeking lady size 4-10, non-threatening, caring, fun, exciting relationship. 44031
VERY HUMOROUS, 35, extroverted professional engineer, 35, attends invitation to women 25-30, with effervescent personality, for friendship and more. Educated preferred. 45005
WELL ADJUSTED, blue-eyed, 5'8", 39 year old, Farmington professional seeks compassionate, humorous, fun-loving, single white female, 25-40, who is a relationship based on mental & physical happiness. 44191
WHITE MALE, 41, 5'10, slim, attractive, easy going, down to earth, affectionate, fun loving, romantic, seeking a lady with same attributes. 44126
WHITE MALE, 45, educated, seeks female who tries not to look back in anger nor ahead in fear, but around in awareness. 44438
WHITE male 5'7", brown eyes/hair, intelligent, sincere professional seeks slim attractive white female 20-35. Sports, movies, outdoor activities. Will answer all ads. 44130
WIDOWED WHITE male, 40, 5'9", 170 lbs, no dependents. If you are a white female, 35-43, slim, looking for honest, caring, one woman, please respond. 45028
65 YR OLD White Male, 6', 225 lbs, widower, intelligent, neat dresser, social graces as required. Financially comfortable. Not religious nor outdoorsy by conventional beliefs or traditional customs. Have a happy, active social life. However, have lost interest in the dating of bouncier women. Desire a liaison with an intelligent equally open minded female, any age, for a contingent/ confident relationship. 45061

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621 Women Seeking Men

BEAUTIFUL, DIVORCED, white female, "Stand out in the Crowd" type woman. Catholic, traditional values. 50. Seeking divorced, white male, 50-57, 5'10" or taller for relationship. 44188
CUTE & CUDDLY single white female, 42, 5'2", full figured, non-smoker, affectionate fun seeker, 40-50 for lasting relationship. No games. Westland area. 45004
CUTE, single white professional female, 38 lbs., 5'9", grown children, 25-35, seeking for positive, successful, high morals, interesting male, 44-55. 44896
DEGREE PROFESSIONAL - White female, 38 yrs, physically active, no children, Farmington. Seeking for degreed professional, white single, physically active. 45034
DIVORCED single black Christian woman, 44, 5'8, 140 lbs, looking for someone to fill this void & loneliness in my life. Only serious need to call. No game playing, please. 44152
DIVORCED white female, 50, 5'11", seeks tall, single white organized professional man for relationship, bowling, bingo, kids & animals. No self pity types. 45073
LIBERAL, attractive, educated, affirmative, divorced white female (TLC & fun loving) with 50's gentleman who loves life & has the time & means to enjoy it. 45017
OBESE, more of me to love "legally separated" white, 32, 2 children, seeking emotionally and financially secure, family oriented, loves dining, movies, camping, travel. 45090
PRETTY GREEN EYED brunette, 27, 5'5, 118 lbs seeks very attractive white professional male, 27-30 who is honest, single & has no dependents. 44124
PRETTY, VERY successful entrepreneur, 55", very loving, giving, full figured, seeking male, 46-60 yrs. who can love me for the person I am. 44978
PRETTY, WHITE female, 47, loves to dance, sing, have fun & do different things. Looking for honest, caring, energetic man for friendship & lasting relationship. 45074
BRUNETTE cutie seeks good dancer for partner. White gentleman, 30-50 for fun, fitness & friendship. 30-50 for fun to dance. Smoker, caring country man. 45079
CLASSY, vivacious, attractive, non-smoker, 50-60, to share special moments, family & friends. Loves dancing, movies, etc. 44952
DIVORCED ATTRACTIVE white female 40, 5'4", seeking good looking white male, non-smoker, honest, faithful relationship. Friends first, marriage Westland. 45056
MARRIED black female 45, attractive, Christian values, non-smoker/drinker, race no barrier, seeking energetic man for friendship & love & share my life. 44072
DIVORCED, plump, very pretty female, 42, well read, laughs, red hair, seeks tall, white, white professional gentleman 30-50, for friendship, possible relationship. 45121

621 Women Seeking Men

SINGLE, 50's, trim and attractive, works afternoons, enjoys non-smoker or drinker. Enjoys horses, beach, quiet times and travel. Milwaukee area. 44179
TALL, WHITE, 47 female, single, looking for Mr. Nice Guy. Honest, sincere, tall, 47-50 a must. Dining, dancing, motorcycles, picnics. No phone games. 44185
WANTED SUE MATE: Fun loving, easy going, creative, 32, 5'4", varied interests. Looking for someone with similar interests & a strong set of values. 45071
WHITE female, 30, blonde, pretty, fun, shapely, slightly full figured, romantic. Seeks single white male, 28-40, medium/tall, stocky built, honest, nice & working. 45066
WIDOW seeking white male, good caring partner. To dance, dining & movies. I am 57 & attractive. Like the outdoors, bowling, etc. 45092
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