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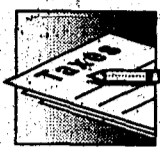
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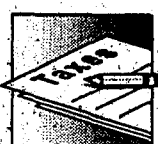
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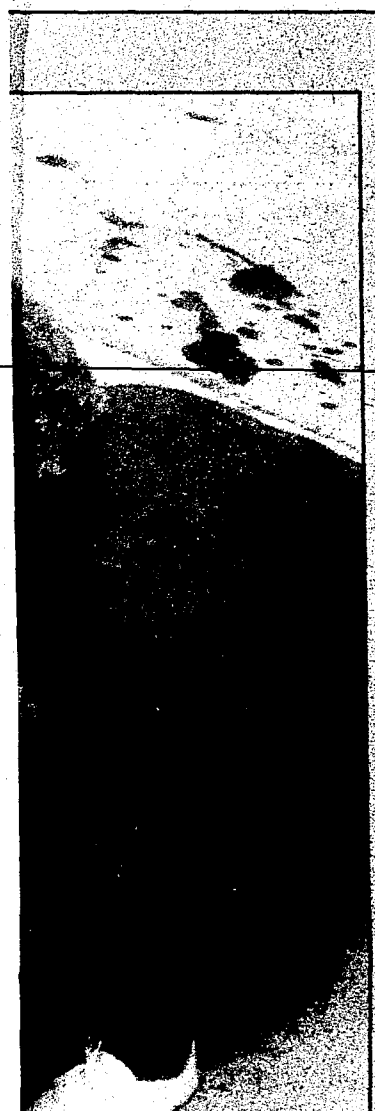
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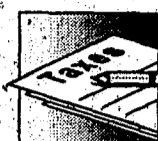
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Inkster police contacted the humane society, which sent emergency rescue workers to transport the severely burned kitten to the veterinary hospital on Marquette, just east of Newburgh Road.

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The veterinarian appeared encouraged that Scotty would sur-

vive, however. The tiny kitten has been eating food and drinking water, Ferguson said, "and he can kind of get around on his own."

Scotty can still see and hear, Ferguson said. He was being watched by the veterinary staff for signs of infection, which would cause complications.

"He will remain under their constant and watchful care until he has recovered and can be placed in a permanent home," Berry said.

Some potential owners already have indicated a willingness to accept Scotty, even though he will require long-term care if he survives.

"We already have a few people interested in his fighting spirit, you might say," Ferguson said.

Witnesses saw the Inkster teen set the cat afire with a pocket lighter, Berry said. The teen has been identified and is expected to

face a charge of maliciously injuring an animal, punishable by four years in prison and a \$2,000 fine.

Ferguson said she sees two or three cases each year in which animals are burned.

"It seems to be one of the more common forms of animal abuse," she said.

Many times the animals die. But Ferguson and others at the animal hospital are hoping that Scotty will be different.

Mayor unveils plan to fight drug abuse

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Mayor Robert Thomas has formed a task force to combat drug and alcohol abuse and the problems it causes in the city — crime, auto accidents, spouse and child abuse, school behavioral problems and workplace underproduction.

"We're going on the attack," George Gillies, the mayor's executive assistant, said Wednesday in unveiling the city's latest drug-fighting plan.

Thomas has invited 49 people — police officers, school district representatives, city officials and other community leaders — to join the task force. Twenty-five members have signed up.

The effort comes during an election year in which Thomas is seeking a second four-year term. Still, Gillies said the administration hopes to keep politics out of the project.

In its kickoff meeting, the task force recently suggested a flurry of drug-fighting proposals. Among them:

- seek state legislation giving a 5-percent reduction in workman's compensation premiums to businesses certified as drug-free workplaces;
- develop a Westland resource book to inform parents about various drugs, their effects and where to find help for drug and alcohol abuse. The manuals would be placed in schools, doctor's offices and other highly visible places;
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- enforce a residential party ordinance that would "strengthen the home";
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Some of the proposals would cost money, such as publishing the community resource book. For that project, Thomas wants to seek monetary support from local businesses.

The task force cited concerns about drug-related problems such as crime, auto accidents, spouse and child abuse, the family breakdown, declining property values and business underproduction.

The panel also discussed how the task force could complement — not duplicate — drug-fighting efforts already in place, such as self-help groups, treatment facilities and DARE.

"We hope to enhance the quality of life for all who live and work in Westland," Gillies wrote in minutes of the task force's first meeting.

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QUESTION TWO: If Proposal A fails, would you have another local tax election this summer to reinstate program cuts? What would you place on the ballot?



CANDIDATE:

EMPLOYMENT/EDUCATION:

ACTIVITIES:



John Brady
Age: 38
Has lived in community 13 years

- Employment: attorney
- Education: juris doctorate, Detroit College of Law

Wildwood PTA, Wayne-Westland Youth Athletics Association.

"I think we're going to have to go at it one more time." But the district should be more efficient and try to build public trust. A line-item budget review would precede decisions about a ballot proposal.



Patricia Brown
Age: 29
Has lived in community 20 years

- Employment: self-employed, Magic Medib Communications
- Education: Bachelor's degree in public relations, Eastern Michigan University

covered school board, city of Westland as a former Westland Eagle news editor. Participated in district curriculum audit and town meeting.

"Yes, I'm definitely for that. There is no other choice. You have to try to reinstate the programs. I would try for 7 to 7.75 mills."



Sharon Felan
Age: 45
Has lived in community 15 years

- Employment: past Realtor-associate
- Education: high school diploma

appointed to school board vacancy last July, Schweitzer Elementary PTA president, Public Act 25 school improvement team, Schools of Choice committee.

"Yes, I do support running another millage election, but in the late summer or early fall. I would support a 6-mill proposal." She would not support another attempt to override the Headlee Amendment, which rolls back millage rates to keep taxes in check with inflation.



Mathew McCusker
Age: 57
Has lived in community 16 years

- Employment: Ford Motor materials handling at Rouge complex frame plant
- Education: Wayne State University, Art School for the Society of Arts and Crafts

former 8 1/2 year school board member, Michigan Association of School Boards, John Glenn Football Boosters.

"I had suggested going back on the June 14 ballot. I'm definitely in favor of putting (a tax proposal) back on the ballot, probably the 7.75-mill plan" that won voter approval for two years in 1991.



Roberta Paquette
Age: 46
Has lived in community 19 years

- Employment: part-time at Mervyn's and First of America
- Education: high school diploma

YMCA, Stottlmyer PTA, started John Glenn High boys swim team.

"It would be a necessity to have another tax election," but streamlining the budget and employee wage concessions should come first. "I would support less than 6 mills on the ballot."

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Parade fans: Joelle Willhite (right) and Hilery Santiago waved a flag while huddling for warmth during the annual Memorial Day parade Monday morning.

Weather chills marchers

The annual Wayne-Westland Memorial Day parade had everything its planners wanted — colorful marching bands, decorated cars and floats and the traditional holiday ceremony.

But there were two things present that the parade committee didn't want: a drizzle and chilly temperatures.

With parents and marchers wearing unseasonable warm clothing, the hundreds of participants took part Monday in the annual tradition which ended with a ceremony in downtown Wayne's Peace Park.

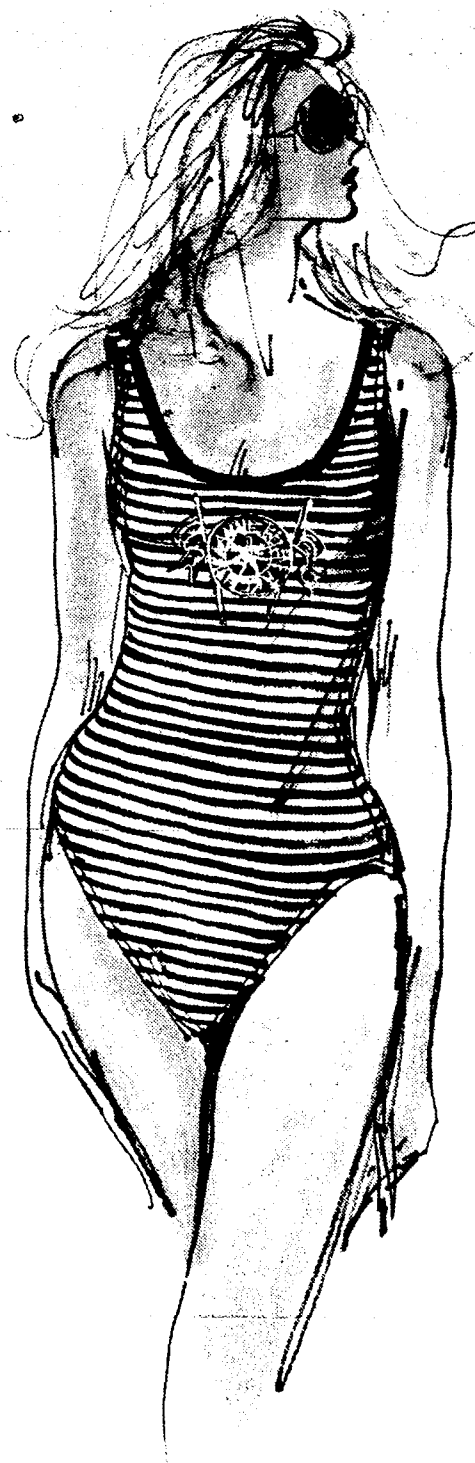
In the two-mile parade, which started from the Westland Kmart store parking lot at Wayne Road and Cherry Hill, were bands from local senior and junior high schools, veterans groups, Cub Scouts and the Spiriters baton twirling unit.

Reflecting the chilly weather, the John Glenn High School Rockets' marching band wore rain slickers for the parade.

At the ceremony in Peace Park, speakers urged the audience to remember the service men and women who have died in past wars.



Rockets protected: The John Glenn High School Rockets marching band was in rain gear for Monday morning's Memorial Day parade, which began at Wayne Road and Cherry Hill and ended in downtown Wayne's Peace Park.



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The only other alternative will be for school officials to schedule a Wayne-Westland tax election this summer or early fall. But voters already spoke loudly on April 5 by crushing a local tax proposal.

During a school board meeting last week, Westland resident Walter Warren urged officials to fight relentlessly until Wednesday to win votes for what he called a "once-in-a-lifetime opportunity" to lower property taxes and secure school finances.

School officials also have won support from Westland Mayor Robert Thomas, who said he favors Proposal A.

"It will give them funding for education, and it will not come out of property taxes," Thomas said.

Thomas supports the plan even though the city of Westland would lose \$350,000 if it maintains an operating tax rate of 7 mills in the next budget. Losses could top \$1 million if the city reduces its tax rate to 6.84 mills, which Thomas said has been considered.

"It's not the best thing in the

world, and it's going to hurt a little bit," he said of Proposal A, but added that the burden for paying for public schools must be lifted from property owners.

Voter turnout, meanwhile, is expected to be no more than 20 percent of the city's 51,469 registered voters, said deputy clerk Patricia Gibbons. She also said 2,400 absentee ballots have been mailed out.

Last week, some residents told school officials they are concerned that opposition to Proposal A may be growing. Warren, a Westland attorney and landlord, said he has heard widespread opposition in local coffee shops.

At least two groups, the Wayne-Westland Citizens for Education Committee, and the Westland Democratic Club have also opposed the proposal.

Paul Krarup, Democratic Club board member, announced that the group last week had board of directors and 12 members oppose Proposal A because the sales tax harms poor while property taxes will continue to increase.

Glenn choir back from New York

BY LEONARD POGER
Editor

John Glenn High School's choir took a big cultural bite of the Big Apple during the Memorial Day weekend.

The 38-member choir was scheduled to return home Monday night (May 31) after five days in New York City. Highlight of the trip was a Sunday performance in famed Carnegie Hall. They were part of a 160-voice choral group. Others were from a Southfield high school, a church choir as well as out-of-state singers.

When the choir, accompanied by eight adults, were greeted by state Rep. Justine Barns, D-Westland, at Detroit Metro Airport shortly before they left Thursday morning for New York City.

Barns read a House-Senate resolution to the group honoring it for its efforts.

With Barns reading the prepared resolution, students raised



ART EMANUELE/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Manhattan-bound: John Glenn High School choir members and adults unfurled a banner as they left Metro Airport Thursday morning.

a large banner designed for the occasion which depicted a large apple, New York City's symbol, with its mouth opening, emulating a singer during a performance.

The resolution said the choir is having a "chance of a lifetime" in performing in Carnegie Hall and that the group of "dedicated and talented vocalists worked diligently to earn this honor."

The performance "brings pride to their school, community and families," the resolution concluded.

Choir director Judith Premin

said that the trip for 46 persons costs \$40,000, all paid with private funds. But the students and adults spent most of the past year raising money through numerous benefits. About 30-35 percent of the cost was raised through candy bar sales, car washes, a bowlathon and bottle collections with most generated at an auction in Mid-March, Premin said.

Besides the Carnegie Hall performance, the students and adults enjoyed other cultural activities in Manhattan. One was a supper at Asti's restaurant where Jul-

liard School of Music students work as waitpersons and sing operatic selections for patrons.

Another was attending a Saturday night concert by John Rutger, who conducted one of his compositions. They also dined at Hard Rock Cafe, attended a "Phantom of the Opera" performance and dinner on a cruise ship while enjoying the view of New York Harbor.

Their trip concluded Monday with a walk through Central Park and its zoo.

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SC to raise tuition \$3 per credit hour

BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW
STAFF WRITER

Schoolcraft College trustees tended to a tower of business last week, raising tuition, adopting a tax levy, adopting a budget and raising the salary of 66 employees.

By unanimous vote, trustees Mary Breen, Michael Burley, Winifred Fraser, Harry Greenleaf, Steve Ragan, John Walsh and Patricia Watson raised tuition for in-district students from \$40 a credit hour to \$43, a 7.5 percent increase.

In the 29 years since Schoolcraft was founded in 1964, trustees have raised tuition 17 times. Fourteen of those increases have come in the 15 years since 1978.

Trustees also raised non-resident tuition from \$60 to \$64.50 and out-of-state tuition from \$87.50 to \$94.

However, Schoolcraft tuition still compares favorably with other suburban area community colleges. Next fall, students at Henry Ford, Oakland and Wash-tenaw community colleges are expected to pay \$41, \$45 and \$47 per credit hour, respectively.

The reason tuition has risen so dramatically, Schoolcraft officials say, is that the state government's annual subsidies to all community colleges haven't kept pace with inflation. Years ago, the state subsidy accounted for roughly one-third of Schoolcraft's budget. Property tax revenue and tuition comprised the other two-thirds.

In the \$32 million budget for 1993-4 approved last week, the state subsidy accounts for 26 percent, property taxes 39 percent and tuition 34 percent. The state subsidy fell by 0.78 percent in dollars, but by more than 3 percent if inflation is factored in.

The \$1 million increase over last year's budget comes entirely from additional property tax revenue generated by new construction and by the tuition increase.

Trustees last week saw no alternative to raising tuition short

of cutting programs. Greenleaf said the board will have to "take a concentrated look at the whole cost-containment area" in the next few years because the state subsidy isn't expected to rise any-time soon.

Ragan was more blunt. "Some universities are looking at drastic cuts in salary," he said. "We're going to have to look very hard at that."

Yet just a few minutes later trustees voted unanimously to raise the pay of the 12 top administrators and 58 clerical employees by 4.5 percent, effective July 1. Schoolcraft president Richard McDowell said the raises are consistent with what the unions at Schoolcraft are getting this year.

The top three salaries in that group of 12 are:

■ \$88,000 for vice president for instruction Conway Jeffress.

■ \$81,000 for vice president for business service Adelard "Butch" Raby.

■ \$81,000 for vice president for student services Barbara Geil.

McDowell, whose salary the board will consider raising later this year, currently gets \$95,000 a year.

The board also set the next fiscal year's millage levy, reducing it from 1.9231 to 1.8521, in accordance with the Headlee Amendment to the state constitution. The Headlee Amendment says a taxing body has to reduce its millage levy if assessment increases rise faster than the rate of inflation.

Technically, Schoolcraft's authorized millage has been 2.27 since 1986 when voters approved the addition of 0.5 mill.

Although Headlee has reduced that millage levy almost every year since, new construction in the district and inflation have boosted Schoolcraft's tax collection from about \$8 million in 1986 to more than \$12 million this year.

House party bills heading to Senate

BY TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

Adult hosts of teen drinking parties face jail, and drunk drivers who seriously injure others could have their vehicles confiscated, under bills heading to the state Senate floor.

"I call it the 'house party' bill," said Sen. Fred Dillingham, R-Fowlerville, sponsor of Senate Bill 154.

He listed teen deaths along old Grand River Avenue that occur every spring, adding, "There's nothing to prosecute the adult who had served alcohol in his home. This will send a strong message."

The bill, approved 3 to 0 Thursday by the Senate Judiciary Committee, would apply to adults in social gatherings in meeting halls, hotels, conference rooms, their homes, cottages, mobile homes, apartments and even tents. Penalties: up to 90 days in jail and a fine of \$500.

Dillingham said the Senate had passed his bill twice in the past, only to have it bottled up in the House Judiciary Committee by chair Perry Bullard, D-Ann Arbor. Bullard has left the Legislature. "We won't get into the no-love-lost between Rep. Bullard and myself," said Dillingham.

"Is a \$500 fine enough?" asked Sen. Virgil Smith, D-Detroit.

"It makes the point," said Dillingham.

His bill was supported by the Michigan State Police and Michigan Council on Alcohol Problems. MICAP chief Alan B. Rice said city ordinances prohibiting teen parties have been effective in Saline, Traverse City and Grosse Pointe.

Vehicles only

Sen. Michael Bouchard, R-Birmingham, sponsored SB 555 to authorize prosecuting units of government to seize the vehicles of drunk drivers who caused someone's death or long-term disabling injury.

The state Crime Victims' Fund would share in 25 percent of the vehicle's value.

Smith asked whether it would allow confiscating someone's home. "I told you I have my reservations about taking someone's home," he said.

Adult hosts of teen drinking parties face jail, and drunk drivers who seriously injure others could have their vehicles confiscated, under bills heading to the state Senate floor.

Bouchard said the bill would apply only to vehicles as "the instrumentality of the crime." He added, "Where they've gone after a person's property, they've done it under the provision to take proceeds of drug activity."

MICAP's Rice also supported the bill, which the Judiciary Committee reported out under another 3-0 vote.

Bills delayed

Chair William Van Regenmorter, R-Jenison, delayed a hearing on his bill to ease some penalties for drunk driving.

His SB 631 would make it a felony for a drunk driver to cause "serious injury." Current felony law applies to "long-term incapacitating injury."

But the penalty for a third offense would be reduced from one year to 30 days.

A Senate Fiscal Agency impact statement said the bill would result in more convictions but a cost savings for the prison system. "In 1990, 42 individuals were sentenced to prison under this section of law with an average minimum sentence of 1.7 years. If, in the future, judges chose to sentence only half as many people to prison, annual costs for the Department of Corrections could decrease by \$535,500," said the SFA.

Van Regenmorter canceled a hearing on SB 394 to reduce the definition of drunk driving from 0.10 percent blood alcohol content to 0.08. The 0.10 percent law has been in effect since 1972.

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Lawmakers fail to curb state corrections spending

BY TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

Hold down soaring prison costs, the state house of representatives warned Gov. John Engler last week as it passed a record corrections department budget.

The vote was 78 to 18. Conservatives tried many amendments and succeeded on two.

"The fastest-growing category of state government in the last decade was corrections," said freshman Rep. Greg Kaza, R-Rochester Hills, a "no" vote.

"Corrections spending increased from about \$200 million in the early 1980s to \$1.15 billion in this appropriation. This trend

is expected to continue through the 1990s.

"So why is Lansing spending \$1.2 billion on free college education for maximum security prisoners when so many law-abiding families need tax relief to pay for their own offspring's education? Why are we debating today how to make it easier for prisoners to receive welfare upon their release, when so many working men and women need tax relief to feed their families?" said Kaza.

Rep. Kirk Profit, D-Ypsilanti, voted no for different reasons. "I do not support using 37.1 percent of all new revenues for (fiscal) 1994 for the department of correc-

tions," said Profit, one of the inner circle of Democratic leaders.

Profit said the new money should go for "job creation efforts, environmental protection, educational opportunity, mental health and other, more positive, investment-oriented state efforts."

Engler warned

On final passage, all area lawmakers but Kaza voted yes and sent the bill to the Senate.

The real battle was over amendments.

Profit and Republican Bill Martin of Battle Creek won voice approval of an amendment to restrict prisoner workers: "The de-

partment shall not allow prisoners to perform any work that would require a license if performed by anyone other than a prisoner."

A second Martin and Profit amendment warned Gov. John Engler and Attorney General Frank Kelley "not (to) enter into a consent decree or judgment concerning the operation of a correctional facility without prior approval" of legislators. It passed by a voice vote.

It was the lawmakers' way of saying they were angry that \$84 million in new spending was imposed by federal courts.

Vorva, Jamian lose

Freshman Reps. Jerry Vorva, R-Plymouth, and John Jamian,

R-Bloomfield Township, lost their efforts to amend the bill.

The House rejected Vorva's amendment to require the corrections department to "implement programs to recover the cost of imprisonment and education" by "recovery of costs from tax refunds, wages, judgments" and other payments.

The vote was 44 to 50.

Yes votes were cast by Republicans Penny Crissman of Rochester, Jamian, Kaza, Vorva and Deborah Whyman of Canton.

No votes were cast by Republicans Lyn Bankes of Livonia, Barbara Dobb of Union Lake, Jan Dolan of Farmington, and Shirley Johnson of Royal Oak; and Democrats Maxine Berman of South-

field and Richard Young of Dearborn Heights.

Missing the vote were Democrats Justine Barns of Westland and William Keith of Garden City.

Jamian, a second-term member, teamed with David Jaye, R-Utica, in a losing effort to add: "If a prisoner performs tutorial services for another prisoner, half of the funds appropriated . . . shall first be used to pay any amount of restitution owed by the prisoner or used to reimburse the cost of the prisoner's incarceration."

Jamian's amendment failed, 52 to 48, with 55 needed for passage.

Yes — Republicans Bankes, Crissman, Jamian, Kaza, Vorva and Whyman.

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McNamara saves tax dollars in commission contract snafu

BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW
STAFF WRITER

Oops! It was recently discovered that the Wayne County Commission approved a contract in February with Belle Tires of Allen Park for a service the county already had a contract for with RAO Wholesale of Detroit.

All it took to set this error in motion, according to an April 23 agenda for the Committee of Roads, Airports and Public Services, was "a change in staff assignments" in the Purchasing Division.

The three-year \$217,000 RAO

Wholesale contract was approved in April 1992. But, according to commissioner Bryan Amann, D-Wayne, someone erroneously posted a one-year "purchase order" for the contract.

A year later, another purchasing division employee noted the soon-to-expire purchase order, assumed the contract was of one-year duration, and set the wheels in motion to accept bids for another contract.

Then last Feb. 18, just 10 months after the RAO contract was put in effect, a second contract for the same thing was approved with Belle Tires.

Luckily for county taxpayers, county Executive Edward McNamara hadn't signed the new contract when "RAO said, 'Hold it. We've got a three-year contract,'" Amann said.

Deputy Executive Michael Duggan said "the mistake was caught before it did any damage." The county commission is expected to officially rescind its approval of the Belle Tire contract at its next meeting.

Amann, an attorney, said the commission can rescind the contract without fear of a lawsuit from Belle Tires because McNamara never signed the contract.

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Belle Isle attracts fans of all ages

Hands down holding flags of encouragement—the usual montage of smiling faces trying to squeeze into the camera view at major sporting events. However, this year at First of America Free Prix Day on Belle Isle, you may see a number of fans shy away from the camera.

Since the event is annually held on a Friday, many of the expected 60,000 race enthusiasts will be escaping from a day of work or school hoping not to be caught by the watchful eye of the camera. Dedicated fans are expected to travel from as far as Canada and northern Michigan to enjoy a day of racing excitement.

"I am completely enjoyed by the turnout into Free Prix," said Detroit Grand Prix President Robert McCabe, sponsor of the three-day race. In addition to the record-setting number

nearly 45,000 are expected to view the Grand Prix race on Sunday.

Race fans range in age and social backgrounds, from high-powered businessmen and women to fathers and sons reliving memories of past generations of racing legends. "The attraction of Indy car racing seems to stem from inside race fans and isn't definable by gender, race or social status," commented McCabe. "The diversity of the audience itself plays a major role in the success of racing."

McCabe hopes track conditions continue to be as favorable as in past years. Race officials assisted volunteers in rescuing the bewildered animal.



Hart opposes Senate bill to deregulate state trucking

BY TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

Two area state senators will battle soon over a bill to "get Michigan out of the way of entrepreneurs in the trucking industry."

On the side of deregulation is Sen. David Honigman, R-West Bloomfield, sponsor of Senate Bill 581. He calls state regulations "a Byzantine nightmare" that forces truck companies over the border to Toledo and raises consumer costs.

Favoring continued regulation is Sen. George Z. Hart, D-DeARBORN, whose district includes Garden City. "If intrastate (within Michigan) trucking is deregulated, smaller businesses will enter the industry, hiring non-union, inexperienced drivers.

"These drivers will receive less wages and longer hours. Smaller businesses will seek maximum profits at the expense of safety," said Hart.

With Hart dissenting, Honigman's Senate Labor Committee last week reported out SB 581 for full Senate action. The Capitol corridor outside the second-floor Senate chamber is likely to be full of truckers, Teamsters, lobbyists and lawyers when the bill comes to a vote.



George Hart

nette told a packed hearing room last week. "Every mile I travel in Michigan is empty coming back."

To Honigman, that regulation was wasteful — millions of miles traveled burning fossil fuel with no return cargoes.

"Five thousand operating authorities have been issued since 1982," countered Farmington Hills attorney Bob McFarlane for the Transportation Lawyers Association. "His (Vannette's) is the only one I'm aware of where an application has been denied since 1982."

Ron Thompson, traffic services manager for Spartan Stores of Grand Rapids and Plymouth, said the grocery chain's trucks log five million empty miles on return trips.

Honigman asked McFarlane, "What's your rationale for making Spartan Stores go back with empty trucks?"

"By making Spartan more efficient, you make other companies less efficient," said McFarlane. He added that Spartan is approved for carrying only commodities.

Helps minorities

John James of OJ Transport in Detroit, a certified minority auto parts hauler, said "Regulation helps minorities compete with the large companies. Big companies can't use predatory pricing to put small companies out of business."

James said Michigan would do more for trucking by cutting workers compensation rates and taxes. He said Michigan truckers pay 2.5 times as much for workers compensation than Indiana truckers. "Ohio and Illinois (truckers) don't pay sales tax on the equipment used in interstate commerce," James added.

Honigman liked those ideas. "We'll have you back when we do workers comp, unemployment comp and the single business tax," the senator said.

Honigman argued that Michigan regulations make it cheaper for a trucker to cross a state line for an interstate trip than to ship entirely within Michigan.

"Georgia Pacific Co. showed it pays 20 percent more to move goods from Detroit to Grand Rapids (149 miles) than from Toledo to Grand Rapids (174 miles)," he said.

Honigman said a small Lansing moving company, Two Men and a Truck, was hit by complaints from nine big truckers when it sought PSC approval to expand beyond Lansing. "Unable to afford the expensive legal fees to fight those challenges, Two Men and a Truck backed off," he said.

Hart said the federal trend toward deregulation has cost trucking more than 160,000 jobs since the early 1980s and resulted in the bankruptcy of 2,000 interstate carriers in 1991 and 1,600 in 1990.

Corrections from page 6A

No — Republicans Dobb, Dolan and Johnson; Democrats Ber- man, Keith and Young. Democrat Barns missed the vote.

3 new prisons

The budget measure proposes the opening of three new prisons that had been built but mothballed for lack of operating revenue.

It also was a one-year appropriation, though Gov. Engler had proposed a two-year budget.

Jaye, the Utica conservative known for his desire to upset the Lansing appellation, cited a long list of objections to line items in the bill.

"The budget gives Michigan prisoners free college education with no repayment requirements, provides a \$500,000 indoor exercise facility at each prison, provides for \$200,000 annually for each prison to operate an electronic law library, free health care, free room and board, free laundry services and free entertainment.

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■ The House rejected Rep. Jerry Vorva's amendment to require the corrections department to "implement programs to recover the cost of imprisonment and education" by "recovery of costs from tax refunds, wages, judgments" and other payments.

that mashed potatoes are served hot and Jell-O is served chilled.

"Michigan convicts are overloading court dockets and squandering \$5 million annually with hundreds of frivolous lawsuits against the state. A rapist actually claimed he lost a clearinghouse sweepstakes because the state mailed his entry form too late. . . . Over 34 state-paid attorneys handle 4,008 inmate lawsuits now pending."

Meanwhile, lawmakers are moving to curb court appeals by inmates. The senate has approved a constitutional amendment lifting the automatic right to appeal of convicts who have pleaded guilty.

The house has yet to act. If placed on the 1994 ballot, voters will decide whether to limit prisoners' court appeals.

PSC regulates

The Michigan Public Service Commission (PSC) approves truckers' routes, certifies which products they may haul and regulates the rates they charge.

Competitors may challenge a company's application — as happened to Jim Vannette of Holland Special Deliveries, a 12-vehicle company hauling automotive parts and supplies.

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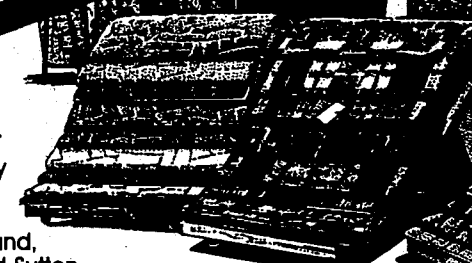

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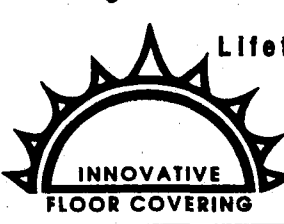
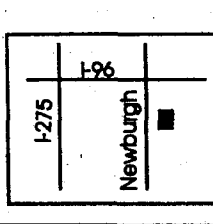
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threatening decisions throughout a challenging three-hour race, displaying a level of concentration worthy of any athletic event.

Brayton set his sites on car racing early in life. The son of former Indy car driver Lee Brayton, Scott has been racing cars since he received a go-cart for his fifth birthday. Scott moved up from racing go-carts to open-wheel formula cars and the Formula Ford series. In 1981, Brayton, who hails from Coldwater, Mich., began racing

ing a test of athletic ability? The car expends all of the energy, not the driver.

The rationale becomes clear when you examine the word "athlete." An athlete is someone who takes part in competitive sports. No one can deny that racing cars is a competitive sport. So although race car drivers like Scott Brayton, for example, may not be able to run a mile in under five minutes or bring in the winning run in the ninth inning, they can make hundreds of life-

Brayton started his Indy car career by driving partial campaigns almost exclusively for his family's team. However, he made his mark in 1985 when he set a track-record lap time of 214.99 mph and qualified with a four-lap average speed of 212.354 on opening day of the Indy 500. This year, Scott, sponsored by First of America Bank, will drive No. 22, Amway's Winning Spirit Indy Car in the Detroit PPG Indy Car race, the Indianapolis 500, the Milwaukee 200 and the Michigan 500.

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Lawsuits: 'It's what a civilized society should do'

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

Alleys and fists aren't the way to resolve conflicts.

"We are a country based and founded in law," said George Googasian, president of the Michigan Bar Association.

That means conflicts should be resolved in the legal system, including taking a fight to court, if necessary. "It is what a civilized society should do," Googasian said while speaking recently to the Canton Economic Club.

The head of the organization, which represents Michigan attor-

neys, bemoaned lawyer bashing and the general poor attitude toward the legal system. He referred to former vice president Daniel Quayle's complaint about how the 18 million civil lawsuits filed in the United States makes this the most litigious society.

"That is a lot of litigation. But there is in America more freedom," Googasian said.

Consider that fewer lawsuits are filed per capita today than in colonial America. Also consider that of the 18 million lawsuits filed, only 1.8 percent are for negligence or personal injury,

Googasian said.

Admittedly picking on General Motors, Googasian said auto officials have complained that costly lawsuits hurt American corporations trying to compete in a global economy.

"There is no serious student of economics who thinks that Americans are buying Japanese cars because of what lawyers do," Googasian said.

When NBC stung GM with a contrived story about exploding gas tanks on its trucks, the automaker went straight to court. "They can't get equity in the newspaper. They can't get justice on TV."

As far as Googasian is concerned, going to court is the thing

to do. "That is the forum in which it should be resolved."

Lawyers, Googasian said, have been unfairly blamed for many of America's problems, including the cost of health care. Health care costs increase 10-12 percent annually. But less than 1 percent of the total costs are due to legal costs.

"When it is time to be critical, lawyers are the ones who take the hit."

Despite his complaints about lawyer bashing, Googasian admitted the profession and the legal system has its shortcomings. He also acknowledged that some of the public's poor impression of attorneys comes from some of the less-than-quality advertising,

particularly on late night television.

According to a study, approximately 36 percent of the population has negative feelings about lawyers because of advertising. Yet only 2-3 percent of the population finds a lawyer through those advertisements, while 12-13 percent find one through the Yellow Pages.

The state bar, however, is working to regulate advertising. "We want to keep advertising tasteful. We want to keep advertising truthful. We want to keep advertising meaningful," Googasian said.

Other efforts by the state bar include a task force on domestic violence, as well as a law school

for legislators so they understand how they affect the already overburdened legal system with some of their legislation.

Initiatives also include finding ways to help children, a great many of whom sooner or later will find themselves in the legal system. In 1940, teachers said the top problems with children were gum chewing, noise, running in the halls and problems with following the dress code.

In the 1980s, teachers say the big problems for children are suicide, rape, drug and alcohol problems and pregnancy. "You can obviously see this a society where our children are in crisis," Googasian said. "The burden falls on the legal system to come up with some answers."

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NITA P. LOUNSBERY

Services for Mrs. Lounsbery, 87, of Garden City were May 29 from Santeiu and Son Funeral Home, Garden City, with burial in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West Cemetery, Westland. Pastor Ralph Fischer of St. Matthew Lutheran Church officiated.

Mrs. Lounsbery died May 25 in her home. Born in Kingsley, Mich., she was a homemaker.

Survivors include: daughter, Marie Bernal Lafferty; son, Jack; grandchildren, Dawn Bogard, Frank Bernal, Terry Johnson, Cheryl Frusti, Dan Lounsbery, Doug Lounsbery, Denis Sharp and Dean Lounsbery; nine great-grandchildren, and sister Dorothy Smith. Preceding her in death was husband Earl.

Memorials may be donated to the Hospice of Western Wayne County or the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

DAVID T. TROST

A memorial service for Mr. Trost, 38, of Howell was May 26 from the Hermann Funeral Home, Brighton. His remains were cremated. The Rev. Ben Walls of the Brighton Church of the Nazarene officiated.

Mr. Trost died May 22 in University of Michigan Hospital, Ann Arbor. Born Sept. 15, 1954, in Garden City, he was a graduate of Franklin High School in Livonia,

free lance technical illustrator, and member of the Brighton Church of the Nazarene.

Survivors include: wife, Cecelia; daughters Jacqueline and Stephanie; paternal grandparents Arthur and Vera Trost of Florida and maternal grandmother, Margaret Thatcher of Livonia.

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Richard DeVries
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coached boys baseball 1966 to 1992. Coached Churchill High School debate team 1985 to 1992. Member of Livonia Optimists Club. Member of Livonia Arts Commission.

"Evaluation of program is a continuing process and the curriculum will change as new job opportunities become available. There may be a problem in the class scheduling. I want to make sure that the present class selection be offered in a greater variety of times, weekdays and sometimes weekends."



Winifred Fraser
Has lived in Northville 10 years

- Employment: retired faculty member from Wayne State University
- Education: Wayne State University bachelor's, master's and doctorate in psychology.

Child Youth Initiative of Detroit/Wayne County Policy Board, peer counselor at Schoolcraft's Women's Resource Center, Visiting Nurse Association, Mental Health Association, former member of Western Michigan University Board of Trustees, former member of Livonia Family YMCA Board of Trustees.

"I hesitate to advise in these since there are 34 citizen advisory groups composed of members who are experts in their fields already offering such advice. The college also has a well organized and structured system of program evaluation which includes enrollment data. This system of program evaluation should take care of the out-of-date courses. The only course that I would like to see added would be one in robotics."

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Catherine Broadbent
Has lived in Westland 5 years

- Employment: human resource director for Plymouth Township
- Education: Madonna University bachelor's of science in business management. Associate degree in business administration from Schoolcraft.

volunteer for Plymouth Community United Way, Madonna University Kresge Foundation Challenge and Michigan Metro Girl Scouts.

"I feel that the college should explore offering the following programs: materials management, environmental science (i. e. solid waste/recycling), international business transfer program, public safety dispatch certificate program. College courses should be offered as long as enrollment supports the offering."



Linda Chuhran
Has lived in Canton Township 21 years

- Employment: senior accountant with General Motors
- Education: Madonna University master's of science in business administration. Five associate's degrees from Schoolcraft.

member of National Association of Accountants.

"College should adjust course structures to coincide with four-year institutional programs allowing students to get the maximum credits for course study. Specialized skilled training for transitional employees should become a strong emphasis in curriculum design and involvement. Work toward enhanced program structuring with high schools and community employers."



John Walsh
Has lived in Livonia 12 years

- Employment: attorney with Lewis, White & Clay of Detroit.
- Education: Wayne State University law school graduate.

member of Livonia Chamber of Commerce since 1989. Member of Livonia Jaycees since 1990. Member of Wayne and Oakland County Young Republicans since 1990.

"Schoolcraft should consider offering a paralegal program, given the growing need for such professionals. Courses designed to prepare students for international business should also be added as we move towards a global economy. Courses presently offered are designed to fulfill the needs of our diverse community and should be limited based only on demand and budget constraints."



Patricia Watson
Has lived in Northville 5 years

- Employment: psychologist at Providence Hospital in Southfield
- Education: Aquinas College bachelor's degree, St. Francis College master's degree, University of Detroit Doctorate in clinical psychology.

member of League of Women Voters. Member of Northville Business and Professional Women's Club. Consultant to the Salvation Army.

"Through market research, a constant assessment of the job market should be done. College should prepare for programs of study which address the job-seeking and job retraining needs of the state. We need to focus on high-skills work-force needs. Schoolcraft is in the best position to assist manufacturing business by educating a younger work force. Promote life-long learning. Promote course development tailored to four-year schools. Explore dropping robotics, corrections and medical lab tech courses due to trend decreases. Before dropping any program assess marketing attempts."

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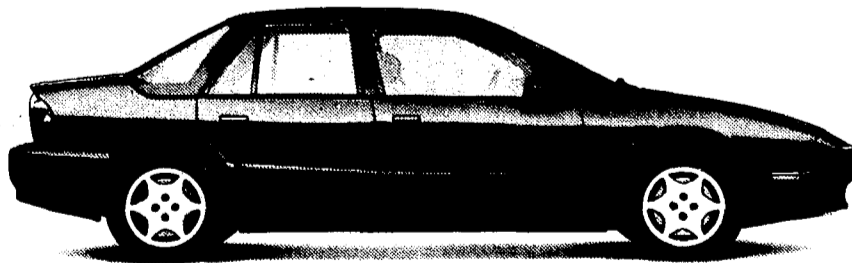
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POINTS OF VIEW

Proposal A ought to cure tax complaints

BY MICHAEL DUGGAN
SPECIAL WRITER

Maybe it's just that we like to complain. Sometimes I think Michigan residents are getting like that. Whether it's the ongoing closing of our auto plants, our long and icy winters, or the annual collapse of the Red Wings in the playoffs, we're always complaining about things we can't change.

I understand those complaints — somehow they make us feel better. What I don't understand is the constant complaining about things we can change — as if we can just stay busy enough complaining, we'll have an excuse for not solving our problems.

From the time I was in grade school in Livonia, the people of Michigan have complained chronically about escalating property tax bills and about the unfair fund of our schools. "Blame Lansing," has been the cry for years.

Twenty years later, we're still complaining and nothing has been accomplished.

"Do something about school funding," people demanded in 1989. Governor Blanchard and the Legislature did. They put on the ballot Proposal A to raise the sales tax 1/2 cent for schools. In November 1989, the voters overwhelmingly rejected the plan. "We don't want higher taxes!" they said.

And the voters blamed Lansing for drawing up a bad plan.

"Do something about property taxes," people demanded in 1992. Governor Engler and the petition gatherers did: They put on the ballot Proposal C to cut property taxes and cut state spending. Last November, voters overwhelmingly rejected this plan. "We don't want the cut in services!" they said.

And the voters blamed Lansing for drawing up a bad plan.

Then in 1993 all hell broke loose.

Double digit property tax assessments drew outrage and people poured into city halls across Michigan in record numbers to appeal. At the same time, a school district in Kalkaska actually closed for lack of funds and even

wealthier districts like Livonia, Plymouth-Canton and Westland face serious layoffs and cutbacks.

"Do something!" the people of Michigan, urgently demanded of Lansing. And, in a display of bipartisan cooperation rarely seen in these parts, Governor Engler and the Democratic leadership in the Legislature did.

They came up with a plan that rolls back the assessment increases, cuts property taxes, shifts the burden of school funding to the sales tax and then locks all the money from the sales tax increase into funding our schools.

And the people of Michigan reacted skeptically. "If it came out of Lansing, it can't be trusted," they're saying.

And we wonder why, 20 years later, nothing has been done. Maybe the problem isn't all with Lansing.

Ed McNamara and our administration are strongly backing Proposal A — not because Wayne County will get more money (we won't) and not because we support John Engler (we don't).

We're supporting Proposal A because it's a good plan. We're supporting Proposal A because it gives the biggest tax cuts in Michigan to those who now have the state's highest school taxes — most of the communities in Wayne County.

Under Proposal A, Livonia get five times the tax cut of Birmingham.

Westland, Plymouth and Canton get more than six times the tax cut of Bloomfield.

Garden City and Redford get seven times the tax cut of Novi.

We get bigger cuts because we now pay higher tax rates.

The McNamara administration is supporting Proposal A because it means you can tear up the double digit assessment increase you received in February. You'll get a new assessment, rolled back to 3 percent, cutting your tax payment this July. And your future increases will be capped to inflation, no higher than five percent.

We're supporting Proposal A because the money from the sales tax increase is constitutionally guaranteed

to go to schools.

I'm not saying Proposal A is the perfect plan — it's the product of much compromise and we all have something we would like to change. But it does eliminate double digit assessment increases, it does cut property taxes and it does stabilize school funding. In short, it's an improvement — a big improvement — over what we have today.

In the seven years I have owned my home in Livonia, my assessment has gone up nearly 50 percent. Many have had it worse than I have. I'm done complaining.

In the last month, I've done more than 40 presentations all across Wayne County in favor of Proposal A. On June 2, I'm going to vote "yes".

This proposal may not pass, but at least I've got the satisfaction of knowing that this time, I did more than just blame Lansing.

Michael Duggan is deputy county executive for Wayne County. You may reach him at the 350 Wayne County Building, Detroit.

LETTERS

'A' is analyzed

Let's try to understand this Proposal A:

Property taxes rolled back to 3 percent for 1993; sales tax up 50 percent; school millage rolled back to 18 mills; properties sold or transferred to be assessed at current market value; sales tax and lottery fund put into Constitution for schools.

Now, from the way I see it, the hidden facts are: property tax and millage rollback means: less taxable write-off; sales tax increase means no deduction; sales for big ticket items like cars or boats go down; job cutbacks due to lost sales; more money for the state; millage rollback means "cap of 27 mills" a joke and millage increase allowed to cover deficits and bonds; allowance for 9 additional mills with voter approval; current market value assessments means: Assessment made at 50 percent of purchase price; no more state equalized value; buyer pays more taxes than

neighbor for same type of property; big tax increase for first-time buyers.

Also more money for the state; sales tax and lottery in Constitution; sales tax goes to general fund for two and a half months until state gets to fulfilling promise. Lottery still in general fund after 20 years. Sounds like same old song and dance.

Also there is no break for renters; considerable loss of Homestead Credit for senior citizens; attempt to eliminate Headlee Amendment, and a wide-open door for future tax increases by state.

I suggest the state put the lottery back the way it was and Constitutionalize it before trying to tax the people anymore. Then we can talk.

Doesn't it seem strange that this proposal comes on the heels of some of the highest assessments in Michigan in a long time? Looks to me like more green for them, more in the red for us.

Evidently Gov. John Engler and company think the residents of this

state are so stupid that they can pull the wool over our eyes. I hope not.

Seems they need to be reminded who pays the wages and who their employers really are. We are watching you.

Timothy Polidori, Westland

'A' gives schools hope

For years, people who are touched by educational funding, whether they be property owners, parents, employees, journalists, school board trustees or legislators, have seen a system that is broken.

The inequities between school districts, property taxes, per pupil spending and communities are driven by it.

That is why I am so very excited about Proposal A. This proposal will fix it.

How? It will put everybody back into the formula. Everybody is so busy figuring out how much this will cost

them, or save them, from high income, to senior citizen, to low income they are missing the point. We the people have the perfect opportunity to point our state in the right direction. We are finally "The Special Interest."

By equalizing the millage rate with other districts, the percentage of income will be the same as well. We will no longer be expected to go back to the voters for more millages because we won't be able to. We will also be expected to control our costs by this constitutional change for the same reason.

The long term effect of Proposal A is being questioned by many people. I don't understand this reasoning. Maybe it's the income factor of the increase in sales tax, but everyone knows the sales tax revenue does go up every year. There is long term effect for property taxation, equity in spending and school finance.

Successful passage of Proposal A will allow us to restore all programs that have recently been cut and in-

creases our revenue by 3 percent. I think every voter in the Wayne-Westland school district should be behind this proposal 100 percent and thank the state government for finally doing something about funding education and fixing something that is clearly broken.

Vote yes on June 2.
Laurel Raisnen, Wayne-Westland Board of Education secretary

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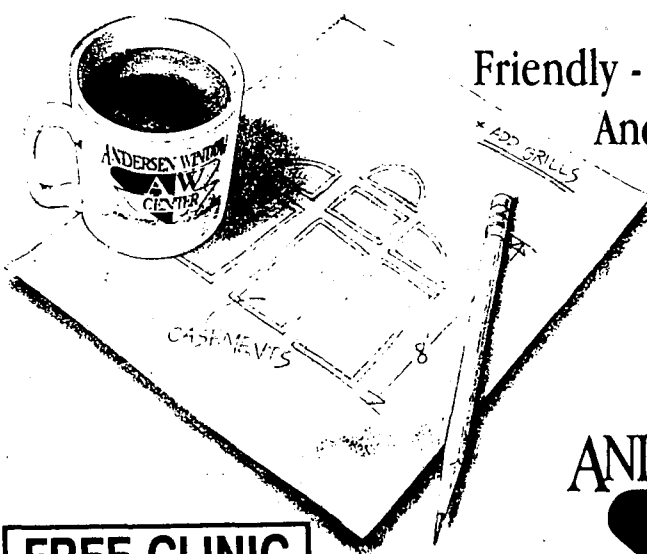


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Exec opts for new juvenile training building

BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW
STAFF WRITER

When local mayors and supervisors talk, Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara listens.

Because most of the county's mayors and supervisors were against him, McNamara gave up his plan to fund a program for juvenile delinquents with money that, according to the 1988 ballot language, was supposed to "acquire, build and operate a juvenile work/training institution."

The money, about \$2.5 million a year, comes from one-tenth of a 10-year, 1-mill tax voters ap-

proved five years ago.

Until recently, McNamara has clung to a legal opinion rendered by his attorney that says juvenile "programs" are the same thing as "institution."

County commissioners and the Conference of Western Wayne have long contended that an institution is a building, not a program.

"We decided to go along with their wishes," said deputy executive Michael Duggan. "These mayors have been our biggest supporters."

The Conference of Western

Wayne, an alliance of 18 mayors and supervisors from western Wayne County, recently opposed McNamara's plan and called for a second ballot proposal to ask voters what should be done with the money.

McNamara met with a CWW committee, including Westland Mayor Robert Thomas and Plymouth Mayor Robert Jones, but couldn't convince them that he was right and they were wrong.

Duggan said that McNamara's juvenile program, which would permit non-violent juvenile offenders to stay at home under

strict supervision instead of being locked up in a juvenile jail, will continue.

The building might not be a brand-new structure, Duggan said, but perhaps an existing one the county would rent or buy. He has no idea where, when, or what that might be.

The program, Duggan said, might be run in conjunction with the institution, whereby some kids would be kept there all the time and other kids be permitted to go home at night.

"We're exploring all the possibilities,"

Part of the problem is that all but \$6.6 million of the money collected to date has been spent. McNamara has claimed in the past that \$100 million would be required to put up the work/training institution.

McNamara's decision came as a surprise to CWW members. "The county officials have continually told us that building a facility would be too expensive," said CWW director Daniel Gilmartin.

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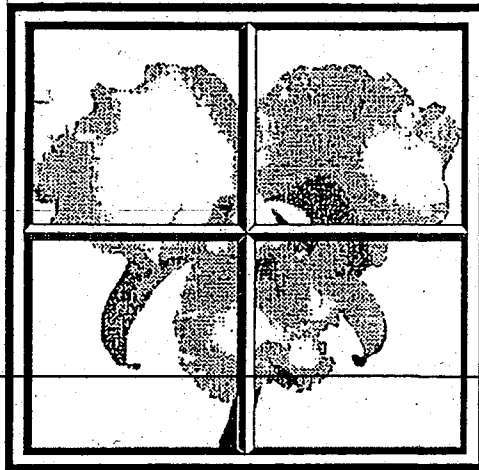
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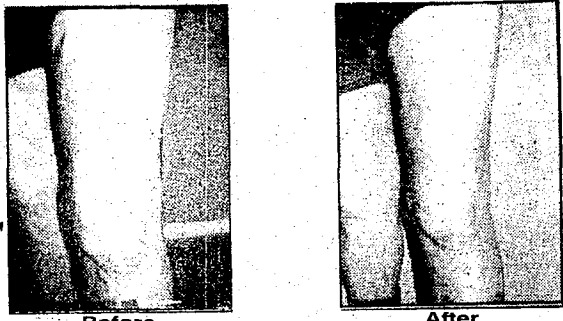
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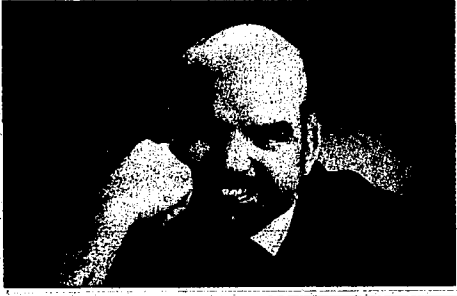


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You can drop me a note in care of this paper or you can call my Voice Mail number listed at the end of the column. Either way, rest assured that I do return all my calls and that sooner or later, your questions will be answered.

Laura Montambo called with a hot recipe that called for fresh cranberries. She couldn't find any and called for help.

Sorry Laura, I called three wholesale fruit vendors and they all agreed that fresh cranberries are unheard of this time of year.

I located some frozen cranberries at Erwin Farms in Novi, but your best bet are the dried cranberries which are available at most specialty food markets, including Merchant of Vino, and health food stores.

Soak them in water, wine or cranberry juice to plump, then drain well and use as directed. They might be a bit powerful since once dried, their sugar content goes ballistic. Cranberries freeze well so when October rolls around, you might want to flash freeze some for next summer.

Bernie Zachari, Brigitte O'Brien and a host of readers called about my mentioning a few restaurants that are personal favorites. Unfortunately, space does not allow me to go into great detail but I will tell you that DePalma's Restaurant is in Livonia, 31735 Plymouth, 261-2430.

Giovanni's Ristorante is at 330 S. Oakwood Boulevard, Detroit, 841-0122.

Zosia's is now called The Polish Village Cafe, and it's at 2990 Yemens Street in Hamtramck, 874-5726.

Momma's pork chops

Christine LaBelle and a host of other readers called in response to the story of my momma which ran on May 10. Rest assured I give momma a big kiss "everytime" I see her. I've included a smothered pork chop recipe culled from her old recipe box in this column.

Jeff Williams called to say that he misplaced a recipe that ran three years ago that was a sweet and sour sauce served with Chinese Pot stickers. I found a great source for home-tasting pot stickers at the Oriental market at Newburgh and Six Mile in the Laurel Commons strip mall in Livonia. They come frozen but are nothing short of spectacular when pan fried or steamed.

Last but certainly not least, I really appreciate all the messages received after my somewhat derogatory story on New Orleans cuisine. I had no idea there were so many crawfish and "Louisianne" coffee lovers out there. I'm headed back there in the fall and this time I'll bring my own coffee and cockroach spray. Bon Appetit!

SWEET AND SOUR POT STICKER DIPPING SAUCE

- 1 tablespoon fresh ginger, chopped fine
- 1 clove garlic, chopped fine
- 3 tablespoons light soy sauce
- 1 tablespoon red wine vinegar
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon hot pepper oil or sesame oil (optional)

Combine all ingredients and mix well. Serve at room temperature with the hot dumplings.

MOMMA'S SMOTHERED PORK CHOPS

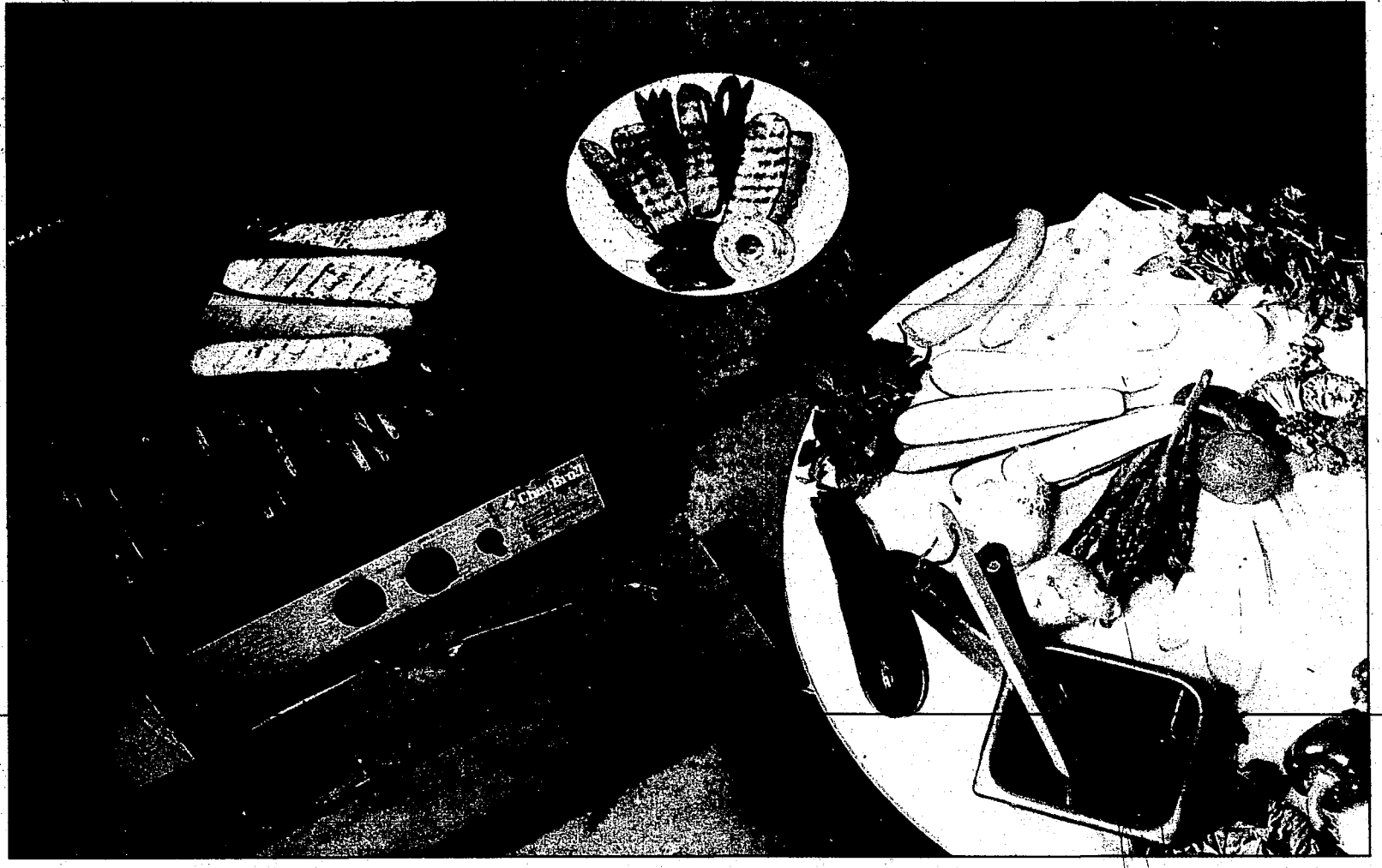
- 6 1/2-inch pork chops, trimmed of most of the fat
- 1/2 cup all purpose flour
- 1/2 cup fine bread crumbs (dry)
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 1/2 teaspoon paprika
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1/4 cup Parmesan cheese, grated
- 4 tablespoons oil or bacon drippings
- 2 cups homemade gravy

Rinse and pat dry pork chops. Set aside. In a bowl, combine flour with bread crumbs, pepper, paprika, salt, garlic powder and Parmesan cheese. Mix well.

Roll chops in coating while heating oil or bacon drippings in a heavy skillet. Place coated chops in hot fat and brown on both sides for 4-5 minutes. Remove from skillet and place chops in a shallow oven-proof baking dish.

Cover with gravy. Preheat oven to 375 degrees F. Cover casserole dish with foil and bake in oven for 1 hour. Serves 4 to 6.

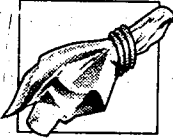
To leave a Voice Mail message for Chef Larry Janes, dial 953-2047 on a touch-tone phone, then mailbox number 1886. Be sure to tell him what city you live in, and leave a phone number, and time you can be reached for a return call.



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Grilled vegetables: Colorful and flavorful grilled balsamic vegetables are a delicious side dish. Take your pick of vegetables — squash, zucchini, mushrooms and pepper. Cook directly on the grill, or assemble cut vegetables on skewers for easier handling.

Rekindle flame safely



Keep it simple, hold the sauces, choose leaner cuts of meat and try to prevent that "charred look" by avoiding prolonged exposure to flames for healthier barbecuing. Remy Berdy of the Kingsley Inn and other area chefs offer tips for safe grilling.

BY ROBERT STRIKS
SPECIAL WRITER

Healthy barbecuing is a contradiction in terms. At least that's what doctors and researchers would have you believe.

"How to barbecue has become at least as important as what to barbecue," said Chef Remy Berdy of the Kingsley Inn in Bloomfield Hills.

"People are much more conscious than ever before about what they eat and how their foods are cooked. Today, when we barbecue, we need to pull back from the flames a bit and lighten up."

For healthier barbecuing, gas grills

are preferred. There are basically two styles. The less-expensive type features visible gas jets with lava rocks to conduct and diffuse heat.

The other style features gas jets hidden under bars that allow fats and oils to fall through into a collector. The popular grills in this category come from the Weber "Genesis" collection. Retailing for around \$500, they're considered among the best and safest when it comes to healthy cooking.

But what is "safe?" And what is it that we are trying to avoid when we

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Experts offer grilling tips

Here are some tips for healthier barbecuing from Chef Remy Berdy, Chef Marcus Haight, Chef Rocky Rachwitz, and Leslie Lundmark, registered dietitian.

Make sure your grill and utensils are clean before you barbecue. That means soap, water, and a wire brush for most grills. This is most important because carcinogens have a cumulative effect if allowed to build up on cooking surfaces.

If you are using charcoal, don't cook until the coals are white hot. That way, you're certain not to get

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Healthier barbecuing: Chef Remy Berdy of the Kingsley Inn in Bloomfield Hills, grills yellow squash, and zucchini marinated in a blend of sesame oil, vinegar and herbs.

Burgers — don't beef about same old grind

BY KEELY WYGONIK
STAFF WRITER

Burgers on the grill are everyone's favorite, and we're not just talking "hamburgers."

"Shopping for ground meat used to mean one thing: hamburger," writes Rick Rodgers, in "365 Ways to Cook Hamburger and Other Ground Meats," (HarperCollins Publishers, \$16.95).

"But America's love affair with new flavors and a healthy, vital interest in good nutrition has given rise to a variety of ground meats never before available."

"Twenty years ago if you made a burger from hamburger people would say it was tasteful and good," said Jack Trabue of Word of Mouth Foods and The Porterhouse Meats in Plymouth. "Hamburger is fatty, there's a lot of flavor, but tastes have changed, and people aren't accustomed to eating it."

"Technically, hamburger is ground meat blended with additional fat, seasonings, and flavorings. These additives can supply up to 30 percent of the hamburger's weight," writes Rodgers in his book.

For better burgers, Trabue recommends using either ground round, which averages 85 percent lean, 15 percent fat. Or ground chuck, which averages 80 percent lean, 20 percent fat.

His "ultimate" burger is made with 50 percent ground chuck and 50 percent ground sweet Italian sausage.

"Just buy a pound of ground chuck, and a link of sausage. Take the sausage out of the casing and mix it with the ground chuck. The taste is unbelievable," said Trabue. "I like to baste my burgers with barbecue sauce. Brown both sides of the burger,



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American classic: The ever-loved cheeseburger is a winner for serving family and friends. When grilling burgers, top with the cheese of your choice during the last minute of cooking.

then add barbecue sauce."

If you're counting calories, try burgers made with ground turkey. But read the labels, some ground turkey products are high in fat.

"Make sure you buy ground turkey made with boneless, skinless turkey breast," said Trabue. "You might

want to add a little water to keep them moist."

Cook ground turkey over medium heat to retain moisture. Because of the low fat content, sometimes as low as 7 percent, ground turkey tends to dry out. Your burger is done when the meat is white, not pink, through to the center.

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barbecue? "Smoke and carbon are our biggest enemies when we barbecue," said Chef Marcus Haight of The Lark restaurant in West Bloomfield.

What Haight is referring to are carcinogens, cancer-causing agents believed to be in smoke and in chemical reactions that take place when we barbecue.

"You can get a terrific smoked flavor in foods without prolonged exposure during cooking," said

Haight. "And the carbon build-up, that 'charred' look, is easily avoided."

Healthier barbecuing involves making important substitutions. "Select meats that are naturally lower in fat like poultry and veal. And if you choose beef, try to find cuts that don't have much visible fat," said Chuck "Rocky" Rachwitz of Livonia, chef/owner of Rocky's in Northville. For example, choose tenderloin over sirloin.

"All fish are healthy choices for

barbecuing — even fattier fish because they are full of omega-3 fatty acids," said Leslie Lundmark, a clinical dietitian for Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak.

"Omega-3 fatty acids have an effect of maintaining proper triglyceride levels in the blood. These fish oils may reduce the risk of heart disease by making blood less 'sticky' and therefore less likely to clot."

Haight puts healthy barbecuing in its proper perspective. "My

feeling is that barbecuing is, in itself, healthier than other forms of cooking because people tend to keep it simple," he said. "You don't use heavy sauces, and you generally don't use foods that are high in fats and calories."

It's easy to barbecue healthier. All it takes is a little planning, and a bit of common sense. Remember to have all your ingredients ready to go, and think safety first.

See recipes inside.

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take up to 24 hours to thaw completely.

To defrost a pound of ground meat in the microwave — set temperature to medium-low, microwave 3 minutes, turn meat over, microwave another 2 to 3 minutes or until defrosted.

For more information on hamburger care or safe food handling, call USDA's Meat and Poultry Hotline 1-(800) 535-4555, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays.

Or write to: "Hamburger," 1165 South Building, Washington, D.C. 20250.

See recipes and tips for making the perfect cheeseburger inside.

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any lighter fluid taste in your food.

Make sure your grill is super hot before placing food on it. Then, wipe down the grill with a bit of oil to prevent food from sticking.

If your meat or fish have been marinated, drain off all marinade and pat dry. Then, just before placing the food on the grill, light-

ly brush the marinade on the food.

You never want to cook in flames so watch out for using too much oil. If flames arise, quickly and carefully move the food to another part of the grill until they subside.

Don't mash foods that are on the grill. This forces fats and moisture out and can cause flare-ups. Mashing also causes grilled

foods to be dry and less flavorful.

Firm seafoods such as swordfish, mahi-mahi, tuna, shrimp, lobster and salmon are best for grilling, but they are higher in fats. Other flakier and less-fatty fish may be cooked in or on the grill through direct heat. This is done by creating an open aluminum foil pouch in which the fish sits on top of diced carrots, celery and onion. You then place this

pouch on or in the grill where the seafood will pick up the barbecue flavor during cooking.

If you plan to use flavoring chips such as mesquite, hickory or chichory, soak them in water first.

Try sprinkling small amounts of herbs such as rosemary and thyme directly over the heat to season foods.

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See related story on Taste front. Recipes from — "365 Ways to Cook Hamburger and Other Ground Meats," (HarperCollins Publishers, \$16.95) by Rick Rodgers.

TRUCKSTOP MEATLOAF BURGERS

- ½ cup fresh bread crumbs
- ½ cup ketchup
- ¼ cup minced onion
- 1 egg
- 2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- ½ pound ground chuck
- ½ pound ground veal
- ½ pound ground pork
- 5 hamburger buns
- Optional: Crisp cooked bacon slices, ketchup, mayonnaise, mustard, sliced tomatoes and onions, shredded lettuce

Prepare a hot fire in a grill or preheat broiler. In medium bowl, combine bread crumbs, ketchup, onion, egg, Worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper; stir until mixed. Add ground meats and working as quickly and gently as possible, mix with seasons until blended. Lightly form into 5 patties about 3½ inches in diameter and ¾ to 1 inch thick.

Place patties on a lightly oiled rack and grill or broil about 4 inches from heat, turning once, until just cooked through but still juicy, 8

to 10 minutes if grilled, 6 to 8 minutes if broiled.

Toast buns on sides of grill or under broiler, 1 to 2 minutes. Place cooked burgers in buns and let everyone choose their own fillings. Serves 5.

POTATO CHIP BURGERS WITH GRILLED ONIONS

- 1½ pounds ground round (85 percent lean)
- 1 cup crushed no-salt potato chips (about 4 ounces)
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- 2 large onions, sliced ½ inch thick
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 4 hamburger buns or Kaiser rolls
- Optional: Mayonnaise, ketchup, mustard, tomato slices, shredded lettuce

Prepare a hot fire in a grill or adjust broiler rack about 4 inches from source of heat and preheat broiler. In a medium bowl, working as quickly and gently as possible, mix ground round with crushed potato chips, salt and pepper. Lightly form into 4 burgers about 1 inch thick.

Brush onion slices with olive oil and place on an oiled grill set 4 to 6 inches from coals or place in broiler. Cook, turning once, until lightly browned and tender, 5 to 7 minutes. As onion cooks, transfer to a plate and cover with foil to keep warm.

Place burgers on grill or broiler and cook, turning once, until outside is well browned but inside is still pink and juicy, about 8 to 12 minutes for rare to medium-rare, or longer if desired.

Meanwhile, split open buns and toast on side of grill or under broiler until warm and lightly browned, about 1 minute. Place cooked burgers in buns and top with grilled onions. Let everyone choose their own fixings. Serves 4.

SALSA TURKEY CHEESEBURGERS

- 1½ pounds ground turkey
- 1 cup tomato salsa, well drained
- 1 tablespoon chopped cilantro
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ¾ cup shredded Cheddar cheese
- 4 hamburger buns
- Optional: Mayonnaise, shredded lettuce, avocado slices, red onion slices, additional salsa

Prepare a hot fire in a grill. In a medium bowl, combine ground turkey, salsa, cilantro, and salt. Using wet hands, form into 4 patties about 1 inch thick.

Place patties in center of an oiled grill set 4 to 6 inches from coals. Grill, turning once, until browned on both sides, about 4 minutes. Transfer burgers to outside edge of grill and continue to grill until burgers are cooked through and meat springs back when pressed

lightly with a finger, 10 to 12 minutes. Just before removing burgers from grill, sprinkle cheese over tops of burgers, cover grill and cook until cheese melts, about 1 minute. (Never cook turkey burgers less than medium well-done).

Meanwhile, open buns and toast on sides of grill until warm and lightly browned. Place cooked burgers in buns and let everyone choose their own fixings. Serves 4.

TURKEY BURGERS DIJON

- 1½ pounds ground turkey

- 1 scallion, chopped
- 2 tablespoons Dijon mustard
- 1 teaspoon tarragon
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- 4 French or Italian rolls

Optional: Mayonnaise, sliced tomatoes, shredded romaine lettuce

Prepare a hot fire in a grill. In a medium bowl, mix ground turkey with scallion, mustard, tarragon, salt and pepper. Using wet hands, lightly form into 4 rectangular pat-

ties about 1 inch thick, shaped to fit into French rolls.

Place patties in center of an oiled grill set 4 to 6 inches from coals. Cook, turning once, until browned, about 4 minutes. Transfer burgers to sides of grill and continue to cook, turning once, until burgers are cooked through and meat springs back when pressed lightly with a finger, 10 to 12 minutes.

Meanwhile, split open rolls and toast on sides of grill until warm and lightly browned. Place cooked burgers in rolls and let everyone choose their own fixings. Serves 4.

Top burgers with a variety of cheese

From Minneapolis to little Rock and Los Angeles to Washington D.C., great-tasting burgers are on the grill. Even President Bill Clinton likes cheeseburgers, which makes them the unofficial "first food."

To create your own presidential-style burger, don't be conservative; take advantage of the growing variety of delicious cheese offerings. Here are some suggestions from the American Dairy Association.

■ The Deli Cabinet — The supermarket deli offers a wide selection of cheeses that can be sliced to order. Request extra-thick slices of Muenster or Swiss or ask the deli to slice a block of smoky sharp Cheddar or hot pepper cheese.

For one-stop shopping, pick up other innovative burger condiments such as roasted vegetables or coleslaw at the deli counter.

■ The Burger Mandate — Surprise your "House" with cheese-filled burgers. Use two

hamburger patties (about ¼ inch thick) for each burger and place shredded Cheddar or the cheese of your choice in the center of one patty and top with the other.

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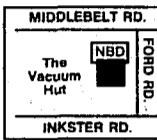
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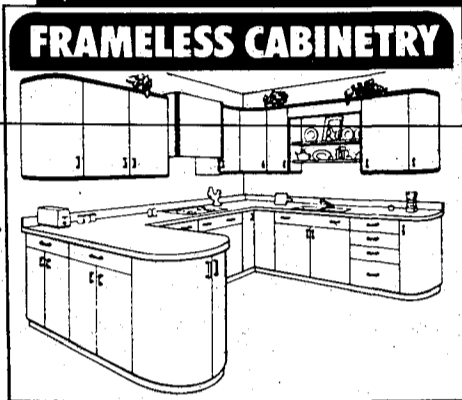
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Fish, vegetables on the grill tasty

See related story on Taste front.

CHEF MARCUS' SEAFOOD MARINADE

- 1/2 cup white wine
- 1/2 cup fresh lemon juice
- 1 cup olive oil
- 2 tablespoons chopped parsley

Combine all ingredients and marinate fish in refrigerator for no more than two hours.

CHEF ROCKY'S GRILLED SWORDFISH WITH CITRUS-HERB MARINADE

- Four 8-ounce swordfish steaks, 3/4-inch thick

- 1/2 cup olive oil
- Juice of 1 orange
- Juice and zest of 2 limes
- 2 tablespoons freshly chopped basil
- 1 tablespoon freshly chopped cilantro
- 3 tablespoons minced red onion
- 1/2 teaspoon ground pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon salt

Combine all ingredients and marinate swordfish steaks in refrigerator for one hour. Place swordfish on hot grates. Cook for 2-3 minutes. Rotate steaks 90 degrees to make a crisscross design. Cook 2-3 more minutes. Turn fish over and cook another 3-4 min-

utes until done. Serve with grilled red skin potatoes.

CHEF REMY'S GRILLED BALSAMIC VEGETABLES

- Marinade:**
- 1 cup sesame oil
 - 1 cup Balsamic vinegar
 - 1/2 cup red wine vinegar
 - 1 tablespoon lemon juice
 - 2 tablespoons finely chopped parsley
 - 2 tablespoons minced shallots
 - 2 tablespoons minced red pimento
 - 2 tablespoons minced green pepper
 - Dash garlic powder

Vegetables:
Yellow squash cut in half lengthwise
Zucchini cut in half lengthwise
Baby carrots, blanched
Whole mushrooms
Onions cut into wedges
Red pepper to taste
Yellow pepper to taste
Mix all marinade ingredients together and marinate your choice of vegetables for about 10 minutes prior to grilling.
Vegetables may be placed directly on grill or assembled onto brochettes (skewers) for easier handling.
Grill for about 2 minutes on each side.

Crescent chicken square recipe corrected

There was an error in the Crescent Chicken Square recipe in the Recipe Makeover on May 24. Here is the corrected recipe.

CRESCENT CHICKEN SQUARES

- 3 ounces fat free Philadelphia cream cheese, softened
- 2 cups cooked, cubed boneless, skinless chicken

- breast
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 5 tablespoons skim milk
- 1 tablespoon chopped chives or onions
- 1 package filo dough
- 3/4 cup fat-free bread crumbs
- Cooking spray

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.

In medium bowl blend cream cheese, chicken, pepper, skim milk, chives or onions.

Place a layer of filo dough in the bottom of a non-stick 8 by 8-inch pan. Spread mixture over dough. Top with another layer of dough. Spray top of dough with cooking spray (about a 2 second spray). Sprinkle bread crumbs on top. Bake

on middle rack of oven for 20 to 25 minutes or until golden brown. Serves 4.

Send recipes to be considered for makeovers to Keely Wygonik, Taste/Entertainment Editor, the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or fax recipes via 591-7279.

Keep a cooler in the car when you shop

"Spring has arrived and sometimes it is easy to forget that it is warm outside," said Sylvia Treitman, home economist for the Oakland County Cooperative Extension Service. Most cars retain heat so well that even a pleasant spring day of 70 degrees can actually be too hot for food to be left in the car for longer than an hour.

It's a good idea to keep an extra ice chest in your car for summer grocery shopping. Cold foods can be kept safer this way. Often unplanned emergencies arise and you end up making several stops along the way home.

Here are a few more food safety tips for hot weather.

- Put groceries away immediately after shopping — perishables need to be refrigerated first.
- Perishable foods should not be left out more than two hours.
- Defrost all frozen foods in the refrigerator — never at room temperature.
- If you are eating outdoors never leave food out in the hot sun. Pro-

vide a source of cooling such as a bowl of ice to set food in and keep food in a shaded area.

If you have other food safety, food and nutrition or food preservation questions, call the Food and Nutrition Hotline, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, 858-0904.

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June offers prime conditions for spotting planets

June is the month of good news and bad news. The good news: Summer officially arrives. The bad news: It's all down hill from here as the amount of sunlight we receive begins to decrease.

This will be an excellent month for spotting planets; all five of the naked-eye planets will be visible. Mercury will be especially well-placed for locating, Venus reaches maximum elongation from the sun, and Jupiter continues its extremely close grouping with the star Eta Virginis.

You can't miss brilliant Jupiter; it will be high in the south southwest 45 minutes after sun-

set. (Sunset on the 1st will be at 9:07 p.m. EDT.) Jupiter, located within the constellation of Virgo, is a mere four arcminutes from the star Eta Virginis.

These two objects will appear to be so close together, the star will look like one of Jupiter's moons when viewed through a telescope or binoculars. At least that will be the case until June 7, after which Jupiter's motion will have carried it far enough away from the star to end the illusion. In actual fact, Eta (the seventh brightest star in Virgo, hence the distinction of the seventh letter of the Greek alphabet) will be much

brighter than Jupiter's moons and easy to identify.

Notice the star five degrees to the left of the moon on the evening of the 1st. This is Alpha Librae; it is the brightest star in the constellation of Libra, hence it is designated by the first letter in the Greek alphabet. It also has a "proper" name, one that is much more interesting to say: Zuben el Genubi (ZOO ben el gen YOU be).

Zuben el Genubi means, the "southern claw." This star was once considered to be a part of the neighboring constellation to the east, Scorpius the scorpion. Above and to the left of Zuben el Genubi is Beta Librae, also named Zeuben Eschamali (ZOO ben es sha MA lee), the "northern claw."

On the evening of the 3rd, the moon will be located three degrees (six full moon diameters) above Antares (an TAR ees), the "heart" of Scorpius. Also known as Alpha Scorpii, this is the 15th brightest star in the sky. (Notice that the "alpha" star in Scorpius is considerably brighter than the "alpha" star in Libra.) Antares,

which means "rival of Mars," has about the same color and brightness as the red planet. The moon will be approaching Antares once again at the end of the month.

Full moon will be at 9:02 a.m. on June 4. The moon will be located behind the earth, as seen from the sun, and will be fully lighted. In fact, the moon will be exactly behind the earth, and it will pass through our planet's shadow, resulting in a total eclipse of the moon. That's the good news; now for the bad. Since the moon is opposite the sun, where do you think it will be located at 9:02 a.m., which is about three hours after sunrise? That's right: the moon will be below the horizon. Obviously the eclipse will not be visible from Michigan. If you want to see it, you'll have to try Hawaii.

Incidentally, since the full moon is always opposite the sun, and since the sun is at its highest point in the sky in June, the full moon that occurs in June has the LOWEST trajectory of any full moon during the year. The June full moon was called the "Rose Moon," "Flower Moon" and

"Strawberry Moon" by various Native American Indians.

The week beginning with June 7 will be the best for spotting Mercury in the evening sky. Use binoculars and look eight degrees (16 full moons) above the west northwest horizon, about 45 minutes after sunset. Once its location has been spotted with binoculars, it should be possible to see it with the naked-eye. (If the ancient skywatchers could see it, so can you!) The moon will pass Mercury in two weeks and help in locating the planet, but by then Mercury will have faded considerably in brightness.

Look for Mars in the west southwest on the evening of the 8th. It will be located in Leo, about eight degrees to the right of Regulus (REG u lus), the "heart" of the lion. Mars will be moving about one-half of a degree (with respect to the stars) from night to night. The two objects will be less than one degree apart in two weeks.

Venus will be at its maximum

elongation (greatest angular distance) from the sun on June 10. It will be 46 degrees east of the sun, and will be 15 degrees above the horizon 45 minutes before sunrise. If you look at Venus with a telescope, you may be surprised to discover it will look like a last-quarter moon. (This is best done after the sky has begun to brighten with morning twilight to reduce the contrast between the bright planet and dark sky.)

Venus, which gets its light from the sun like all planets, goes through phases! The planet will remain visible for the next several months, during which time telescopic views will show it slowly changing into a crescent.

Raymond Bullock is former coordinator of the planetarium and observatory at Cranbrook Institute of Science, Bloomfield Hills. He is now with a Troy firm which specializes in laser displays and effects. You can reach him at 953-2047, mailbox 1852, from a touch-tone phone or by fax at 644-1314.

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ROLL CALL REPORT

House approves global catalyst bill

Here's how *Observer* & *Eccentric-area* members of Congress were recorded on major roll call votes in the week ending May 21. The Senate conducted no roll call votes.

Global Competitiveness: By a vote of 243 for and 167 against, the House sent the Senate a bill (HR-820) using government as a catalyst to make U.S. manufacturing companies more globally competitive.

The bill authorizes \$1.54 billion over two years on programs such as Commerce Department outreach centers, financing large-scale research and development consortia, and providing research assistance and federal aid to individual companies.

Supporter Don Johnson, D-Ga.,

HOUSE

called the bill "a major contribution toward restoring the manufacturing base in this country to world-class competitive standards," particularly helpful to job-producing small and medium businesses.

Opponent Robert Walker, R-Pa., said the bill "looks, sounds and smells like industrial policy. The bill subsidizes the commercial development of a relatively limited number of federally chosen technologies (and) increases deficit spending."

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

To Reject Cut: By a vote of 208 for and 213 against, the House rejected an amendment cutting 10 percent, or about \$150 million, from legislation (above) using an array of government programs to improve U.S. global competitiveness.

Sponsor John Duncan, R-Tenn., said "this amendment gives members an opportunity to do more than just pay lip service to doing something about the deficit."

Opponent Tim Valentine, D-N.C., said the amendment would "deny the president the opportunity to carry out his mandate" to revive the American manufacturing base.

A yes vote was to trim 10 percent from the \$1.54 billion measure. **Area representatives voting yes were: Knollenberg. Voting no: Klidde, Levin and Ford. Not voting: Carr.**

"gets us over into immigration policy of the United States."

A yes vote was to limit competitiveness aid to U.S. citizens and legal residents. **Area representatives voting yes were: Carr, Knollenberg. Voting no: Klidde, Levin and Ford.**

Forest Land: By a vote of 317 for and 101 against, the House sent the Senate a bill (HR 873) authorizing acquisition of 80,000 wilderness acres just north of Yellowstone National Park for \$12 million to \$20 million. The government would use exchanges or cash to acquire the land from a private company that could soon begin harvesting its timber. The acreage would be protected as part of Gallatin National Forest in Montana.

Sponsor Pat Williams, D-Mont., said "if this legislation isn't enacted, we face a public lands disaster on Yellowstone National Park's northern border" in the near future.

Opponent Dan Burton, R-Ind., said "the world is not going to come to an end if the government does not buy another 70,000 acres when we already own one-third of the nation (or) if they develop that and put some housing up there in a responsible, ecologically well-thought-out way."

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

Benefits for Citizens: The House adopted, 263 for and 156 against, an amendment preventing the \$1.54 billion competitiveness bill (above) from directly paying for those who are not U.S. citizens or legal residents.

Sponsor Mac Collins, R-Ga., said "if we are going to expend this kind of money... we ought to expend (it) on people who are citizens of the United States of America."

Opponent Tim Valentine, D-N.C., objected that the amendment

Madonna writers win awards

Madonna University has announced the winners of the second annual Student Writing Competition.

Senior Denise Dilworth of Westland, majoring in English/speech and sign language studies, won first place in the creative writing category for three poems, "The Trade," "Daedalus" and "A Leap of Faith."

Freshman Tammy Bauer of Livonia received honorable mention for her story, "The Dance with the Invisible Ones."

Senior Ken Ferrari of Livonia, majoring in computer information systems, won second place in the academic writing portion of the competition for his paper, "Bartering: Why Buy When You Can Trade?"

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A healthy walk: Pat Kananer, (left) and Pat Geiseman, members of the Canton TOPS, exercise together at the Plymouth-Salem High School track and support each other in the weight loss program. Canton and Plymouth also offer two other TOPS groups.

Group sheds weight sensibly

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

In the first quarter of 1993, they collectively lost 181 pounds. In February alone, they lost 94 pounds. But they are not Christie Brinkley wannabees.

"We don't want to look like her because we're not her," said Kim Lehmer, a member of Canton TOPS — Taking Off Pounds Sensibly — which meets Thursday evenings at a western Wayne County church.

"What they are are woman — about 18 active members — ranging in ages 20-60 who are sensibly losing weight and working to change their attitudes about food and its emotional role in life.

"There's a food focus to everything you do," said Mary Barry-Bodine, group leader and a registered nurse at University of Michigan Hospital.

Sometimes the problem is also with time management, even laziness. "For women, a lot of the times it's emotional. When our emotions run rampant, we overeat," Lehmer said. Member Pat Geiseman agreed. "We need

to overcome the reasons why we overeat."

TOPS members are working on that. Most members use a 1,200 calorie exchange diet. Members are encouraged to diet under medical supervision. The group also concentrates on exercise, food plans and support.

"We feel the support comes from people knowing we have a weight problem," said Lehmer, who is also a registered nurse.

When members, the majority of whom have become friends, are having a bad day, they phone each other; they meet to talk and exercise. Each knows what the other is going through.

"We've been to all the other weight loss program," said Geiseman, a homemaker. "Here we talk to each other. It's more personal. We talk about the things that affect me, like going to the refrigerator and wanting to eat."

Sure. Losing weight and keeping it off is tough work. But TOPS members are having fun. At their weekly meetings, they have contests, such as Babe Bingo. It's just like regular Bingo but

the square on the cards pertain to losing weight.

Members can make a pledge to help themselves. They can pledge to lose let's say one pound per week. If they do, the group's \$1 weekly fee is waived. If they don't, the fee is \$2.

"Many contests are incentives. And they work well for people like me who are motivated by money," Lehmer said.

The group also encourages members to use food charts. Members plot what they have eaten and how much they exercised throughout the week. "You bring that to the meeting and you can realize what you're doing to yourself," Geiseman said.

Unlike other weight loss programs, members say TOPS is more of a club than a money-making venture. The non-profit national TOPS uses its money for obesity research, Barry-Bodine said.

Members, particularly those who have tried other programs, say TOPS allows them to lose the weight that is good and safe for them, as well as ensuring their privacy and their dignity.

Chorus wins competition

Metropolitan Detroit's Spirit of Detroit Sweet Adeline Chorus and its director Sylvia Karpinsky returned from their recent regional competition in Grand Rapids with their 84 members wearing first-place blue ribbons.

Composed of women from 41 communities in and around Detroit, the chorus is now entitled enter international competition in Reno, Nev., in the fall of 1994.

Local women also took honors in quartet competition.

Winner of the quartet contest was "Accolade," comprised of Dottie LaMarte of Waterford,

Sue Gleason of Waterford, Jeanne Lundberg of Plymouth, and Lynn Clevenger of Ann Arbor.

Spirit of Detroit invites women of all ages to visit rehearsals at 7 p.m. any Tuesday night at the VFW Hall at I-96 and Inkster in Redford Township. For more information, call 534-4468.

Watch for dates of outdoor concerts this summer, when the Spirit of Detroit Sweet Adeline Chorus will perform for free under the stars in area parks.

Concert-goers are welcome to bring lawn chairs and blankets and enjoy picnic dinners as they

listen to four-part harmony, barbershop style, designed to appeal to music lovers of all tastes.

Dorothy Davenport of Plymouth was installed for a second term as Spirit of Detroit's president at the chorus's spring banquet. Other officers include Ruth Pencak of Union Lake, vice president; Grace Roberts of West Bloomfield, corresponding secretary; Mary Lou Howlett of Walled Lake, recording secretary; and Pam Lauer of Westland, treasurer. Board members installed for new terms are Linda Clements of Plymouth; Jan Dillon of Redford.

Gastroenterologist joins hospital staff

Peter J. Santogade, M.D., gastroenterologist, recently joined the medical staff of St. Mary Hospital in Livonia.

A native of New York City, 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 in 1979,

his residency in internal medicine at St. Luke Hospital Site, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, in New York, N.Y., in 1984, and his fellowship in gastroenterology in 1987.

Santogade also served as chief medical resident from 1984-85.

He was most recently senior staff physician at Henry Ford Medical Center in Westland. Prior to this position he was the gastroenterology fellowship training

director in the combined St. Luke/Roosevelt Hospital Center Program in New York.

Santogade is a member of the American College of Physicians, the American Gastroenterological Association, Physicians for Social Responsibility and Alpha Omega Alpha honorary fraternity.

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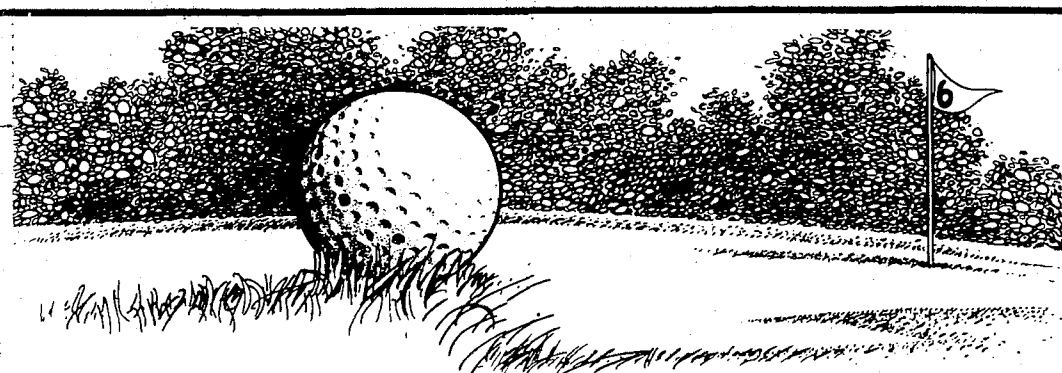
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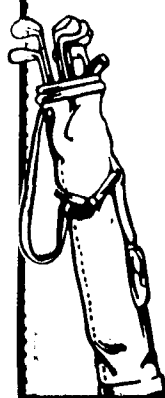


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Heading east: The ramp from northbound Merriman to I-94 east is closed until August. Detour: Wick east to Inkster, Inkster north to Ecorse, Ecorse east to I-94 interchange.

Heading west: The ramp from northbound Merriman to I-94 west is closed through November. Detour: Merriman north to

Ecorse, Ecorse west to Wayne Road, Wayne Road south to I-94. (Traffic to I-275 may continue west on Ecorse to I-275.)

The northbound Middlebelt ramp to I-94 west is closed through November. Detour: Goddard west to Wayne Road, Wayne Road north to I-94 west.

Heading north: Merriman will be open during construction. Middlebelt north is closed until about Aug. 1. Detour: Wick east to Inkster, Inkster north to Ecorse, Ecorse west to Middlebelt.

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SC plans piano program for youth

Schoolcraft College is accepting registrations for "Project Piano For Youth," a piano preparatory program for beginning, elementary school-age students in grades one through four.

Students attend a 60-minute group session and 30-minute private

lesson weekly. The group lesson provides the basic learning situation, while individual needs in technique and musicianship are enhanced in private lessons.

Early registration is advised. Call 462-4448.



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Ground breaking: Frank Doczi, president of Home Quarters Warehouse, throws the first shovel of dirt at the company's first site in the metro area.

Home store chain breaks ground here

Home Quarters, an upscale chain of home improvement warehouses, used a groundbreaking ceremony in Livonia last week to announce a new concept for its metro area stores.

"We are very excited to be in the Detroit market," said Frank Doczi, president of Home Quarters Warehouse Wednesday at groundbreaking ceremonies at its site in Livonia at 13700 Middlebelt (corner of I-96).

The warehouses in Livonia, Roseville, Madison Heights and Southgate will be modeled after a new prototype which stresses intensive customer service.

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Students win top honors in TV contest

Madonna University students took the top three positions at the statewide Television Public Service Announcement competition recently sponsored by the Michigan Cable Television Association.

Judges of the contest, titled "Cable from the capitol," sought out originality, technical accomplishment and creative presentation. The theme of the 60-second announcements was positive issues surrounding government.

Students in Madonna's advanced editing workshop worked individually on original ideas and together on the technical aspects such as camera work, lighting and audio. The course was taught by the husband and wife team who produce the nationally distributed talk show "Madonna Magazine," Sue and Dan Boyd.

"We all brainstormed collectively and once we decided what we wanted to do, we would turn to Dan and say OK, how do we do it?" said Sue Boyd.

The winner of the contest was Stephen Geresy of New Boston, whose announcement was titled "Freedom for everyone." His piece focused on a young boy flipping the pages of a coloring book where images turn to video clips of Americana. Geresy was awarded \$500 for himself and \$500 toward Madonna's video communications program.

Madonna also took the two finalist positions with Scott Lemerand of Trenton's "Voters awareness test" featuring a takeoff on the emergency broadcast sound alert test to "get out and vote."



Madonna winners: Scott Lemerand, Stephen Geresy and Judy Reyes took top honors at the statewide public service announcement competition recently. The trio attend Madonna University.

Judy Reyes of Westland, whose video was titled "Threads that unite," focused on allegiance, unity and freedom presented through the imagery of the United States flag.

Other Madonna participants were Linda Leone of New Baltimore and Mike McEvoy of Farmington Hills.

"We're very proud of all our students," said Dan Boyd.

Suburban reps say KKK threat unlikely

BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW
STAFF WRITER

White suburban Wayne County commissioners recently disputed the claims of a black Detroit commissioner that the Ku Klux Klan is alive and well in Wayne County.

Although the discussion never became openly angry, sprinkled as it was amidst more weighty deliberations at the commission's May 20 meeting, the comments of commissioner George Cushingberry, D-Detroit, obviously frosted suburban commissioners.

While expounding at great length and volume on the meaning of some 1988 ballot language, Cushingberry referred to the Klan's presence "out there," allegedly in western Wayne County.

After four suburban commissioners took issue with Cushingberry's off-the-cuff assertion, he countered with, "In Wayne County we have a significant Klan/Nazi operation."

Commission chairman Ar-

thur Blackwell, D-Detroit, who is black, told Cushingberry that if he did not intend to imply that the Klan thrives in Wayne County suburbs then he should apologize to the suburban commissioners.

Commissioner Thaddeus McCotter, R-Livonia, said, "As an Irish-Catholic I've never met a klansman in western Wayne, nor would I want to." (McCotter also represents Plymouth and Plymouth Township.)

Commissioner Bryan Amann, D-Wayne, said, "I'm like commissioner McCotter. I don't want to meet one either." (Amann also represents Canton Township.)

Commissioner William O'Neil, D-Allen Park, said he's lived in western Wayne for "41 1/2 years and I have yet to meet a klansman in my life."

Commissioner Andrew Riehner, R-Grosse Pointe, weighed in with, "There are, to the best of my knowledge, no klansmen in (my district), although I haven't met everyone yet."

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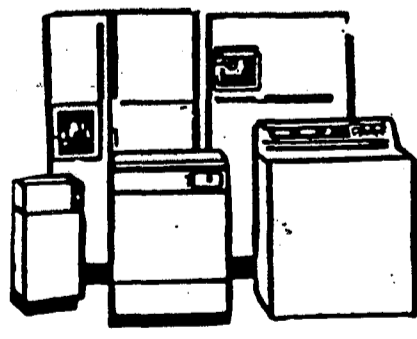
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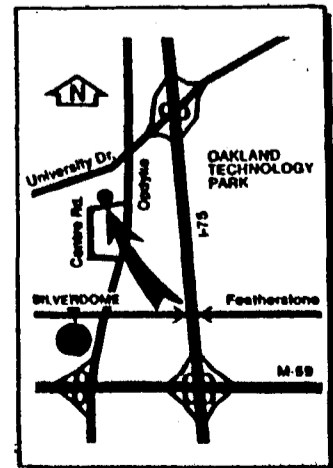
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MCC baseball honorees

Clint Straub, a senior at the University of Detroit-Mercy, and Lawrence Scheffer, a sophomore outfielder for the Titans — both from Westland John Glenn — were honored by the Midwestern Collegiate Conference for their baseball performances this season.

Straub, a pitcher/outfielder, was an all-MCC selection at designated hitter. Straub hit .412 — the first-ever Titan regular to clear the .400 plateau since 1984 — with 12 doubles, three triples, seven homers and 32 runs batted in. He was also 4-3 on the mound with a 3.61 earned run average.

His nine-for-17 performance, with three RBI, three runs scored and one home run, earned Straub a spot on the MCC all-tournament team.

Scheffer, a second-team All-MCC pick, led U-D Mercy with eight homers. He also batted .322 batting with 11 doubles and 34 RBI.

The Titans finished with a 29-21 record.

Kapla showcased

Scott Kapla, a freshman at Eastern Michigan University, is one of four Michigan players selected to play in the National Amateur All-Star Baseball Tournament, showcasing the country's top 100 16-18 year-old players, June 24-27 in Battle Creek. (The title game will be televised on ESPN.)

Kapla, a Plymouth native who graduated from Redford Catholic Central High, will play on the American Amateur Baseball Congress national squad.

Cystic Fibrosis outing

Miami Dolphins kicker Pete Stoyanovich will headline the first annual Cystic Fibrosis Celebrity Golf Outing, Tuesday, June 15, at Whispering Willows Golf Course in Livonia.

Registration begins at 6:30 a.m. with a shotgun start at 7:30 a.m.

The cost is \$100 per person (includes green fees, golf carts, hors d'oeuvres, trophies and dinner).

For more information, call Stoyans Restaurant at 261-5500.

Barker 3rd on tour

Steve Barker of Livonia finished third with a score of 171 (13-17 handicap division) at the 36-hole Great Lakes Amateur Tour qualifying school tournament, May 22-23 at Tanglewood Golf Club in South Lyon.

The Great Lakes Tour's first tournament, the "Caddy Shack Classic," will begin at 11:30 a.m. Sunday, June 13, at Dunham Hills Golf Course.

Hurricane swim tryouts

Tryouts for the Hurricane Swim Club, co-sponsored by the Westland Parks and Recreation Department and the Garden City Public Schools, will be from 7-8 p.m. Monday, June 7 and 7:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday, June 10, at the Garden City High pool, located on Middle Belt (south of Warren).

Any boy or girl in grades K-12 who can swim 25 yards of any stroke is eligible.

The cost for the summer season is \$40 per child (\$10 off each additional family member).

For more information, call Jim McNellis at 981-7578.

Twisters win zone

The Livonia YMCA Gymnastics Team (Level 6) recently captured its second straight Great Lakes Zone Championship with a total of 172.2 in Fremont, Ohio. They took first on vault (44.75), floor exercise (43.73), bars (43.0) and second on beam (40.7), edging out Blue Ash, Ky. (169.05) and Cambridge, Ohio (166.95).

They will compete July 4-7 in the National Gymnastics Festival in Tampa, Fla.

In the Cadet Division (10 and under), Alise Scott finished second on floor (8.95) and third on vault (9.05). She was second all-around (34.7).

Heather Wnuk added a third on beam (8.4) and was fourth all-around (34.1). Stacy Thompson finished third on bars (8.75).

In the Prep Division (ages 11-12), Liesl Switzer was second on vault (9.1) and fifth overall (33.75). Emily Legros added a third on beam (9.0) and fourth on vault (9.0) and floor (8.8). Jessica DeGraw added a fifth on beam (8.2).

In the Junior Division, Jennifer Martus placed second on bars (8.9) and was third overall (33.1).

In Level 8 (Cadet), Erin Lizura of the Twisters finished first on bars (7.55), second on vault (7.8) and was third overall (29.8).

In Prep, Missy Sledell was first on vault (8.2) and beam (8.25). Teammate Denise Hartsock also placed on vault (7.6).

WMU scholar-athletes

The Mid-American Conference has honored 79 student-athletes from Western Michigan University by choosing them for the Academic Honor Roll.

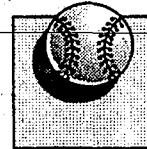
Among the honorees:

Jason Ries, a sophomore soccer player from Livonia (Catholic Central HS), with a 3.29 GPA in communications; and Sarah Adzima, a senior volleyball player from Canton (Ladywood), with a 3.51 grade point average in occupational therapy.

Shamrocks lose Catholic final, 5-1

■ Redford Catholic Central and Warren DeLaSalle met for the Catholic League baseball championship for the second straight year and this time the outcome was reversed.

BY STEVE KOWALSKI
STAFF WRITER



The Madonna University baseball program is getting a pitcher who is undefeated at Tiger Stadium.

Warren DeLaSalle senior right-hander Kurt Wilczynski, who signed last week with Madonna, tossed a four-hitter Friday as the Pilots beat Redford Catholic Central 5-1 for the Catholic League A-B championship at Tiger Stadium.

Wilczynski, who played third base when DeLaSalle lost 3-2 to CC in last year's A-B final, allowed only one runner to reach second base after the second inning.

Wilczynski struck out five and walked four and also contributed two hits and two RBI. He is 3-0 in starts against CC and 8-1 overall.

The Pilots are 28-8 overall. "Kurt can pitch, play second base, third, is a great hitter and a hell of a competitor," said DeLaSalle coach Brian Kelly, who would have trouble finding more adjectives in Webster's Dictionary. "He's been hot lately (allowing only one run in his previous three starts)."

The Shamrocks' top four batters were a combined 1-for-13, and Wilczynski also received strong defense. Third baseman Derek Brackon made consecutive plays on tough ground balls in the fourth, and right fielder Matt Mlynarek made the play of the day when he made an over-the-shoulder catch near the warning track to rob Jeff Gutt of extra bases in the sixth.

"With the defense I have, I don't



GUY WARREN/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Safe: DeLaSalle's Ryan Soldan dives safely into second base as the ball gets away from CC's Mike Brusseau. The Pilots rounded the bases five times in the victory.

worry about anything," said Wilczynski, who added he got stronger as the game progressed. "If I give up many runs, it's in the beginning. That's when I get going (in the late innings)."

CC took a 1-0 lead in the second inning and the Shamrocks almost had two runs, had it not been for a controversial call at home plate.

With two outs, Dave Susalla singled to score Aaron Babicz from third base. Eric Justice, who led the Shamrocks with two hits, also tried to score on the hit but was called out after elbowing catcher Andy Rama in a collision at home plate.

Rama dropped the throw but Justice was ruled out for interference.

"It looked to me like Eric didn't have enough room (to touch home

plate)," CC coach John Salter said. "It changed the momentum, but we still didn't play that well."

Susalla, the first of four CC pitchers, suffered the loss in three innings of work. Susalla won his previous start against DeLaSalle to clinch the regular season Central Division championship.

But after holding DeLaSalle scoreless in the first two innings, the Pilots scored two runs in the third, thanks to a pair of hits and two CC errors.

Susalla's error on a sacrifice bunt attempt by Brackon put two runners aboard and Wilczynski delivered a two-run single with one out.

Senior right-hander Brian Paluk relieved Susalla but got in trouble in the fifth.

Leadoff batter Jim Kerr doubled and came home one out later on a single by shortstop Don DeDonatis to put the Pilots ahead 3-1. Paluk was replaced by Jerry Nozowski and the first hitter, Ryan Soldan, hit into a fielder's choice to force DeDonatis at second.

After a walk to Greg Peterson, Soldan came home on an error by Babicz, CC's first baseman, for a 4-1 lead. The Pilots scored a run in the fifth without the benefit of a hit. Rama walked, was sacrificed to second and came home on consecutive passed balls for a 5-1 lead.

"They're a good hitting team and we gave them extra help," Salter said. "Give them credit. Their third baseman made two good stops and the right fielder made a great play."

Salem, Canton 1-2 in Western Lakes

BY DAN O'MEARA
STAFF WRITER

There was a little more suspense to the Western Lakes Activities Association girls track meet Wednesday, but the outcome was still what everyone expected.

The host Plymouth-Canton schools dominated the meet again, winning 11 of 17 events between them, and heavily favored Salem captured its second straight championship.

The Rocks won by a much slimmer margin than last year, 142 to 136½ over Canton. Salem scored 170 and the Chiefs 137 last year, but a change in the scoring format to 10-8-6-5-4-3-2-1 partially accounted for that.

But the team finish was nearly identical, with Livonia Stevenson (96), Walled Lake Western (53) and North Farmington (51) rounding out the top five once again.

"It was a great team effort this year, because we scored in places we were not real sure of our scoring potential," Salem coach Mark Gregor said. "On this team, everybody wants to make a contribution even if it's one point. You win championships with a team and not a group of individuals."

The winner was not decided until the final event, which made every point more valuable and the contest

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more suspenseful.

Going into the 1,600-meter relay, the Rocks led 132-130½ over Canton. A first-place finish for the Chiefs would have given them the title, but Salem won the race and Canton was third.

"We had a shot; we gave them everything we could and just came up a little short," Canton coach George Przygodski said.

The Chiefs were leading by several points midway in the meet, but Salem had a strong finish in the final seven events. The Rocks won three of them and scored a lot of points in all but the 3,200 run.

"We came to the meet to win and we were not surprised at all to be in that position," Przygodski said. "Salem is just so strong when it comes to the 400 on up. You're running right into the strength of their team."

"We're confident once we get to the 400 dash that we can put up some heavy numbers and we did," Gregor said. "The 400 dash, 300 hurdles and 800 run) have carried us the last few years, and we're pretty confident

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JOHN STORMZAND/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Distance queen: Senior A.J. Koritnik of Livonia Stevenson took first in the 3,200-meter run and second in the 1,600 run at the WLAA meet.

Churchill advances to regional tourney

BY DAN O'MEARA
STAFF WRITER

Nick O'Shea and Mary Kay Hussey were coaching opponents Saturday morning when their girls soccer teams met to decide a district tournament championship at Southfield High School.

But they had to quickly bury the hatchet since they were paired together that afternoon in brother Danny O'Shea's wedding party.

"We made a pact at the rehearsal dinner last night to keep it easy and Lisa's day no matter what happened here on the field," said Livonia Churchill's O'Shea after his Chargers defeated Livonia Stevenson 2-1.

"But this makes it easier for me to smile. It will make it easier to meet her half way in the aisle and grab her arm than if we had lost the game."

The Chargers (11-5-2) advance to the regional tournament at Northville High School and will play Plymouth Canton (17-1-1) at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. The final is Saturday afternoon.

Churchill dominated the first half and finally

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broke a scoreless tie with 3¼ minutes left in it.

On a restart in front of the Stevenson goal, the Spartans used a trap play and moved their defenders up, hoping to catch Churchill offside.

But Erin Stacherski lifted the ball over the defense, and three Chargers were alone in front with only the keeper to beat. Freshman Marie Spaccarotella scored her team-leading 24th goal.

"We spent 25 minutes yesterday working on that exact play because we knew they did it," O'Shea said. "The first thing the girls said when they came off the field was 'It's a good thing we worked on that.'"

The Spartans, with the wind at their backs in the second half, were on the offensive more and tied the score in the 55th minute. Amy Marcoe turned the ball out from the corner to Holly Kimble, who lofted a shot from the sideline over the keeper's head.

"Our mids got tired," said O'Shea of the second-

half reversal. "If we don't get any pressure on their mids, it makes for a long day. Our system is designed for working hard and when we're tired it can't work."

"They put their top two players (Michele Brach and Laura Fedrigo) on our forwards to keep the score down. They didn't want to get into a run-and-gun game, and it worked for all but the last five minutes."

Emily Beeton scored the winning goal with six minutes left, tapping in a cross from Spaccarotella, who outmaneuvered a defender to advance the ball on the right side.

Stevenson, with 18 freshmen and sophomores on its varsity, finished with a 10-6 record.

"Obviously, when we come back (after losing 4-2 in the regular season) to give them a run for their money, we've played a better game," Stevenson's Hussey said. "Am I accepting the loss because we have a young team? No. Maybe in a month, yes; but we had two seniors playing today and we came here to win."

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when we get there we'll do well." Senior Tonya Wheeler and sophomore Sarah Hamilton were key players in the Salem victory.

Wheeler won the 400 with a meet-record time of 57.9 and was sixth in the 200. Hamilton was first in the 200 and second in the 400. Both helped the Rocks win the 800 and 1,600 relays, also.

"Sarah is the heir apparent to the track queen around here (Wheeler), and she's a worthy athlete to pass that title along to," Gregor said.

Salem junior Sarah Makins won the 100 hurdles, and the

Rocks also got first in the 3,200 relay. Stacy Witthoff and Courtney Sheldon were on the 3,200 and 1,600 relay teams, too.

"Sarah Makins has become one of the elite hurdlers in the state in the 100s," Gregor said. "I think she can go faster, and that could mean some points in the state meet."

"That would be nice because she's such a hard worker and an enjoyable young lady. You like to see good things happen to those kids."

Canton junior Ndu Okwumabua set a meet record with a win-

ning high jump of five feet/four inches, won the 100 dash anchored the winning 400 relay.

"Ndu was tremendous. She had a great, great day," Przygodski said. "We talked about stepping up to the next level, and Ndu certainly has done that this year."

The Chiefs also had first places from Selena Bastine in the discus and Lana Boroditsch in the 1,600.

Stevensop had two winners and both ran impressive races in the finals. Stacy Prais edged Makins in the 300 hurdles, and A.J. Koritnik ran away from the field in the 3,200.

Koritnik ran 11:21.4 to finish ahead of such fine runners as North Farmington's Emily Shively, teammate Bridget MacKinnon and Boroditsch.

"Eleven-forty is as fast as (Boroditsch) has ever run," Przygodski said. "Koritnik is just a tremendous runner and so are Shively and MacKinnon. You run 11:40 and finish fourth, what does that say about the level of competition?"

The other winners were April Boyce, Western (800); Wendy Forster, Northville (long jump); and Lisa Rankey, Westland Glenn (shot put).

GIRLS' TRACK

WESTERN LAKES ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION GIRLS TRACK MEET

TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Plymouth Salem, 142 points; 2. Plymouth Canton, 136½; 3. Livonia Stevenson, 96; 4. Walled Lake Western, 53; 5. North Farmington, 51; 6. Northville, 43; 7. Westland John Glenn, 32; 8. Farmington Hamilton, 25; 9. Livonia Churchill, 18; 10. Farmington, 17½; 11. Walled Lake Central, 6; 12. Livonia Franklin, 4.

FINAL RESULTS
High Jump: 1. Ndu Okwumabua (Canton), 5 feet, 4 inches (meet record); 2. Andrea Salyer (Farmington), 5-2; 3. Corbeen Lesondak (Stevenson), 5-2; 4. (tie) Melissa Hopson (Salem) and Nicole Van Hees (Salem), 5-1 each; 7. (tie) Elizabeth Quenneville (Farmington) and Stephanie Gray (Canton), 5-0 each.
Long Jump: 1. Wendy Forster (Northville), 16-9½; 2. Courtney Brown (John Glenn), 15-7; 3. (tie) Nicole Jacques (Western) and Cathy Baele (Stevenson), 15-4 each; 5. Sarah Makins (Salem), 15-11½; 6. Janaya Smith (John Glenn), 15-8; 7. Krista Snow (Hamilton), 15-7½; 8. Caryn Kosinazawa (Canton), 15-5¼.
Discus: 1. Selena Bastine (Canton), 110-3; 2. Kathryn Ryan (Salem), 108-4; 3. Rachel

Clark (Stevenson), 106-1; 4. Dina Belleperche (Stevenson), 99-9; 5. Jenny Sekenka (Northville), 99-9; 6. Maureen McQuiston (Hamilton), 95-8; 7. Lisa Rankey (John Glenn), 95-7; 8. Becky Baigrie (Canton), 94-9.
Shot put: 1. Lisa Rankey (John Glenn), 34-9; 2. Alisha Gordon (N. Farmington), 34-6; 3. Selena Bastine (Canton), 33-7; 4. Rachel Clark (Stevenson), 33-0; 5. Amanda Berg (Hamilton), 32-3½; 6. Karen Potempa (Franklin), 31-8; 7. Stephanie Gray (Canton), 31-2; 8. Christy Sosniak (Western), 29-11½.
3,200-meter relay: 1. Salem (Stacy Witthoff, Kelly Stankov, Courtney Sheldon and Lynda Sebestyen), 9:40.1; 2. Western, 9:47.1; 3. Stevenson, 9:56.8; 4. Canton, 10:11.0; 5. Harrison, 10:30.0; 6. Central, 10:39.8; 7. N. Farmington, 10:52.0; 8. Churchill, 10:53.8.
100 hurdles: 1. Sarah Makins (Salem), 15.2; 2. Karina Kiipeianen (Canton), 15.6; 3. Krista Snow (Hamilton), 15.7; 4. Jill Euppi (Stevenson), 15.9; 5. Angela Fountain (Canton), 16.4; 6. Alison Gordon (N. Farmington), 16.7; 7. Amber Reverson (Farmington), 16.7; 8. Lori Trusser (John Glenn), 16.8.
100 dash: 1. Ndu Okwumabua (Canton), 12.6; 2. Vanessa Benning (Salem), 12.7; 3. Felicia Barty (John Glenn), 12.8; 4. Nicole Jacques (Western), 12.8; 5. Heather Boni (Churchill), 13.1; 6. Olive Ikeh (Canton), 13.2; 7. Carie Datzel (Northville), 13.7; 8. Kim Cole-

man (Farmington), 13.9.
800 relay: 1. Salem (Sarah Hamilton, Dana Driscoll, Marisa Parker and Tonya Wheeler), 1:46.6; 2. Canton, 1:47.5; 3. Northville, 1:49.5; 4. Stevenson, 1:50.4; 5. Harrison, 1:51.5; 6. Churchill, 1:55.3; 7. John Glenn, 1:58.8; 8. Farmington, 1:58.9.
1,600 run: 1. Lana Boroditsch (Canton), 5:13.8; 2. A.J. Koritnik (Stevenson), 5:17.6; 3. Jenny Ray (Western), 5:18.7; 4. Emily Shively (N. Farmington), 5:20.1; 5. Bridget MacKinnon (Stevenson), 5:27.6; 6. Laura McWilliams (Canton), 5:35.6; 7. Karen Boudreau (Salem), 5:38.9; 8. Rachel Liddel (Northville), 5:40.2.
400 dash: 1. Tonya Wheeler (Salem), 57.9 (meet record); 2. Sarah Hamilton (Salem), 58.5; 3. Heather Burcar (N. Farmington), 59.0; 4. Stacy Duff (Western), 1:00.8; 5. Adrienne Browne (Northville), 1:01.1; 6. Tracy Carvin (Canton), 1:01.6; 7. Meghan Barnes (Canton), 1:03.3; 8. Sarah Lapinski (Salem), 1:03.3.
400 relay: 1. Canton (Becky Bockstanz, Olive Ikeh, Shawn Champin and Ndu Okwumabua), 50.9; 2. Salem, 50.9; 3. Northville, 51.1; 4. Stevenson, 51.9; 5. Churchill, 53.3; 6. Farmington, 54.0; 7. N. Farmington, 54.3; 8. Franklin, 55.7.
300 hurdles: 1. Stacy Prais (Stevenson), 47.7; 2. Sarah Makins (Salem), 48.0; 3. Courtney Sheldon (Salem), 48.0; 4. Karina Kiipeianen (Canton), 49.0; 5. Kim Sheldon (Sa-

lem), 49.3; 6. Angela Fountain (Canton), 49.5; 7. Jeanette Stojcevski (Stevenson), 49.7; 8. Shawn Champin (Canton), 50.0.
800 run: 1. April Boyce (Western), 2:23.1; 2. Kaegan Keefer (N. Farmington), 2:24.9; 3. Kelly Stankov (Salem), 2:25.9; 4. Christie Sarton (Canton), 2:26.6; 5. Lynda Sebestyen (Salem), 2:27.6; 6. Laura Willem (Central), 2:27.8; 7. Laura Brown (Northville), 2:31.1; 8. Kelly Prais (Stevenson), 2:31.2.
200 dash: 1. Sarah Hamilton (Salem), 26.3; 2. Olive Ikeh (Canton), 26.6; 3. Heather Boni (Churchill), 27.1; 4. Heather Burcar (N. Farmington), 27.3; 5. Becky Bockstanz (Canton), 27.4; 6. Tonya Wheeler (Salem), 27.5; 7. Marcia Parker (Salem), 27.8; 8. Michelle Beaver (N. Farmington), 28.4.
3,200 run: 1. A.J. Koritnik (Stevenson), 11:21.4; 2. Emily Shively (N. Farmington), 11:33.3; 3. Bridget MacKinnon (Stevenson), 11:35.9; 4. Lana Boroditsch (Canton), 11:40.1; 5. Bridget Byrne (Western), 11:56.8; 6. Lynn Knapp (Stevenson), 12:15.2; 7. Laura McWilliams (Canton), 12:21.2; 8. Emily Farrell (Salem), 12:28.4.
1,600 relay: 1. Salem (Tonya Wheeler, Sarah Hamilton, Courtney Sheldon and Stacy Witthoff), 4:06.6; 2. Western, 4:10.3; 3. Canton, 4:12.5; 4. Northville, 4:14.9; 5. Stevenson, 4:16.0; 6. N. Farmington, 4:16.7; 7. Harrison, 4:17.9; 8. Farmington, no time available.

THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP BOYS TRACK
 Tuesday, June 1
 Western Lakes Activities Assoc. Meet at Liv. Churchill, 3:30 p.m. (field), 5:15 p.m. (prelims), 7 p.m. (finals).
PREP GIRLS SOCCER
 Wednesday, June 2
 (Class A regional at Northville)
 W.L. Central district champ vs. Dearborn district champ, 5:30 p.m.
 Southfield high district champ vs. Ann Arbor district champ, 7:30 p.m.
 Saturday, June 5
 Regional final at Northville, 1 p.m.
PREP SOFTBALL
 (state pre-districts)
 Bellevue at Westland Glenn, 3:30 p.m.
 Liv. Franklin at Ply. Salem, 4 p.m.
 Liv. Churchill at Ply. Canton, 4 p.m.
 (at Southfield Chiv. Center)
 Farm. Mercy vs. Southfield, 4 p.m.
 N. Farmington vs. Farmington, 6 p.m.
 (at Plymouth's Messey Field)
 Luth. Westland vs. Det. Dominican, 4 p.m.

PREP BASEBALL (state pre-districts)
 Tuesday, June 1
 Westland Glenn at Bellevue, 3:30 p.m.
 Liv. Churchill at Ply. Salem, 4 p.m.
 Farm. Harrison at Southfield, 4 p.m.
 Divine Child at Red. Thurston, 4 p.m.
 Luth. Westland at O.L. St. Mary, 4 p.m.
LIVONIA COLLEGIATE BASEBALL LEAGUE SCHEDULE
 Wednesday, June 2
 Caesars vs. Walter's (Ford), 5:30 p.m.
 Wendy's at Westland Fed. (Glenn), 6 p.m.
 Tecumseh at Hines Pk. (Canton), 6 p.m.
 Walter's vs. Del-Wal (Ford), 8 p.m.
 Friday, June 4
 Walter's vs. Caesars (Ford), 5:30 p.m.
 Westland Fed. at Del-Wal (Novi), 6 p.m.
 Hines Pk. at Wendy's (Ann Arbor), 6 p.m.
 Del-Wal vs. Westland Fed. (Ford), 8 p.m.
 Sunday, June 6
 (all double-headers)
 Tecumseh vs. Walter's (Ford), noon.
 Hines Pk. vs. Westland Fed. (Glenn), noon.
 Caesars vs. Wendy's (Ford), 5:30 p.m.

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ALL-WESTERN LAKES ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION GIRLS SOCCER TEAMS

ALL-CONFERENCE
 Defenders: Laura Fedigo, sophomores, Livonia Stevenson; Kris Goff, senior, Plymouth Salem; Danielle Priebe, senior, Livonia Churchill; Angie Snyder, junior, Northville.
 Midfielders: Aimee Cousino, junior, Livonia Churchill; Amy Westerhold, senior, Plymouth Canton; Michelle Brach, senior, Livonia Stevenson.
 Forwards: Valerie Schuerman, senior, Northville; Leah Huitko, senior, Plymouth Canton; Andrea Zawslak, senior, Livonia Churchill.
 Goalkeeper: Jori Welchans, senior, Plymouth Canton.

ALL-WESTERN DIVISION
 Defenders: Kattie Kennedy, senior, Walled Lake Western; Kelly Reeves, senior, Plymouth Canton; Kathy Barry, senior, Plymouth Canton.
 Midfielders: Cairne Earle, junior, Farmington Harrison; Aysen Noure, junior, Plymouth Canton; Becky Ostad, senior, Plymouth Canton; Lesley McDougall, junior, Livonia Franklin.
 Forwards: Lenay Truchan, junior, Livonia Franklin; Renee Androsian, senior, Northville; Marie Spaccoretto, freshman, Livonia Churchill.
 Goalkeeper: Jessica Jones, sophomore, Northville.

ALL-LAKES DIVISION
 Defenders: Michelle Black, sophomore, Livonia Stevenson; Michelle Cronan, senior, Plymouth Salem; Francine Karim, senior, Farmington; Michelle Fatute, sophomore, Livonia Stevenson.
 Midfielders: Michelle Lorenz, senior, Farmington; Sue Purnish, sophomore, Plymouth Salem; Chrissy Mahon, sophomore, Farmington.
 Forwards: Holly Kimble, junior, Livonia Stevenson; Caryn Tatterton, senior, Plymouth Salem; Ali Lord, sophomore, North Farmington.
 Goalkeeper: Karen Groub, senior, Livonia Stevenson.

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Churchill charges past Glenn

Senior catcher Chrissy Daly contributed two hits Wednesday, including an RBI triple, sparking Livonia Churchill to a 4-1 girls softball victory at Westland John Glenn in Western Lakes Activities Association crossover.

Stacey Fields added an RBI single for Churchill (15-5).

Junior right-hander Karen Jose (15-2) struck out six, walked one and gave up two hits over seven innings to earn the victory.

Lynn Little struck out three, walked three and gave up six hits to take the loss for the Rocketts (15-14).

Jamie Cook knocked in Glenn's lone run with a single.

SALEM 15, FRANKLIN 2: Jenny Garvey threw a four-hitter Wednesday for host Plymouth Salem (11-10), which took five innings to mercy Livonia Franklin in a WLAAs crossover.

Garvey also hit three singles and had three RBI. Dawn Marrocco and Lori Thomczek each had three hits and two RBI for Salem. Jamey Viau added an RBI triple before being taken to the hospital after being hit in the foot by a wild pitch.

"This was probably the best game we've played all year," said Salem coach Al Campbell. "We made the plays today, and we've had trouble doing that this year."

SOFTBALL		
FINAL WESTERN LAKES SOFTBALL STANDINGS		
TEAM	W	L
W.L. Central	9	1
Westland Glenn	6	4
Plymouth Salem	6	4
North Farmington	5	5
Liv. Stevenson	2	8
Farmington	2	8
Western Division		
TEAM	W	L
Plymouth Canton	10	0
Liv. Churchill	7	3
Liv. Franklin	7	3
W.L. Western	4	6
Northville	2	8
Farm. Harrison	0	10

Michelle Averill went all seven innings, taking the loss for Franklin. Averill, Jaclyn Deane, Tabetha Schulte, Aimee Brenner each collected a hit for the Patriots.

NORTHVILLE 7, STEVENSON 1: Michelle Dreger scored the only run and Chelsea Brinton collected the lone hit Wednesday for Livonia Stevenson (4-15) against the visiting Mustangs in a WLAAs crossover.

Kary Kapansky threw a one-hitter for Northville, striking out 11 and walking two.

Laura Krol went all six innings for the Spartans.

Rutherford throws Raiders a curve

Even though his shutout bid was foiled in the seventh inning Wednesday, Mark Rutherford still proved to be the difference in Livonia Churchill's 7-1 baseball victory over visiting North Farmington.

The senior right-hander scattered six hits, while striking out 11 and walking none to help the Chargers improve to 11-9 overall.

Sean Scheuher, Mike Marchetti and Todd Siedlaczek each ripped two hits and drove in one for Churchill, which broke the game open with a five-run fourth.

Corey Meurer had two hits for North (5-14).

Jason Danielewicz recorded the loss as he failed to survive past the sixth inning in the Western Lakes Activities Association crossover.

FRANKLIN 12, FARMINGTON 9: After taking an 8-1 lead Wednesday, Livonia Franklin held off the visiting Falcons in a Western Lakes crossover.

The Patriots (8-17) collected 15 hits — three by Phil Biga. He hammered two doubles and knocked in two runs. Franklin also received two hits and

BASEBALL		
FINAL WESTERN LAKES ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION BASEBALL STANDINGS		
LAKES DIVISION (Division/Overall)		
Westland/John Glenn	9-1 (19-4)	
Walled Lake Central	8-2 (20-7)	
Plymouth Salem	7-3 (17-13)	
Farmington	2-8 (9-19)	
North Farmington	2-8 (5-14)	
Livonia Stevenson	2-8 (5-17)	
WESTERN DIVISION (Division/Overall)		
Plymouth Canton	10-0 (20-11)	
Northville	7-3 (20-11)	
Livonia Churchill	5-5 (11-9)	
Farmington Harrison	5-5 (9-9)	
Walled Lake Western	5-5 (15-14)	
Livonia Franklin	2-8 (7-17)	

two RBI each from Matt Fournier and Pat McCormack.

Sophomore Rich Longsdorf pitched the first 3 1/2 to record the victory. Sophomore Jason Schniers hurried the final 3 1/2 for the save.

Ron Salomonson went 3-4 with two RBI to pace Farmington (9-19). Curt Katsis added two hits and one RBI for the Falcons. Dave Schall took the loss as he threw the first 3 1/2 innings.

FRANKLIN 10, THURSTON 9: On Thursday, Franklin scored twice in the ninth to pull out a 10-9 victory at Redford Thurston in nine innings.

The decisive Patriots rally was keyed by two hits and two Thurston errors. The winning run scored when Dennis Madden crossed the plate on Matt Fournier's third hit of the game.

Josh Reynolds added three hits and three RBI for Franklin.

Mike Aubuchon, who threw the first four innings and final 2 1/2 recorded the win.

"He started then came back to get the win," Franklin coach Jim Karoub. "Not bad for a 10th grader. I think next year he will help out a great deal. He has good mechanics."

Pete Quinn lined two hits and knocked in three Eagle runs. John Adams finished 3-for-5 for Thurston.

Nick Werth, the third of three Thurston hurters, pitched the ninth and took the loss.

WESTERN 10, STEVENSON 5: Livonia Stevenson was the victim of a low blow Wednesday in its Western Lakes crossover loss at Walled Lake Western.

Brad Western, the Spartans' starting pitcher, had to exit the game after he was hit on the knee while leading off the game. Western wound up scoring one in the inning and two each in the next two innings en route to improving to 13-12 overall.

The Spartans (5-17) tied the game at 5-5 in the fifth before Western pulled ahead with two in its fifth and three more in the sixth.

Andy Nicholas went the first five innings for the win, and Dan Filer finished for the save. Filer had two of Western's eight hits, including a solo home run.

Mark Peterson had two hits and one RBI for Stevenson. Bob Drummond added a solo homer in the third

Quick goals sting Ladywood in district clash, 5-0

By BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

Livonia Ladywood finished its 1993 girls soccer season feeling a bit deflated in Thursday's Class A district semifinal matchup with host Livonia Churchill.

The Blazers had the air let out of them early in the first half, giving up four goals within a five-minute span as Churchill ran away with a 5-0 victory.

Ladywood ended its season at 10-5-1 overall. The Blazers dropped their final two games, losing May 22 to Farmington Hills Mercy in the Catholic League championship game, 3-2 (in a shootout).

"If we had played this game like the way we played against Mercy, no way would it have been

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a 5-0 score," Ladywood coach Ron Predmesky said. "We scored 53 goals this year and only gave up 20, but tonight we couldn't get a shot on goal."

With standout midfielder Aimee Cousino, a junior back in the lineup after sitting out four games with pulled hamstring, Churchill was ready to meet the challenge.

At 13:20, Erin Stacherski scored the first of her three goals on an assist from Cousino.

Stacherski, a senior forward, struck again from freshman Marie Spaccarotella at 14:24. Only 1 1/2 minutes later, Spaccarotella scored her 23rd of the year from

Andrea Zawislak.

Stacherski then made it 4-0 at 18:12 from Spaccarotella.

"The first 20 minutes we came out hard and fast and they couldn't keep up with our speed," Churchill coach Nick O'Shea said. "Their defense was up tight on the ball, and once we put it over the top, we had a breakaway opportunity."

With the early four-goal cushion, O'Shea sent Cousino to the bench to rest up for Saturday's district championship game city rival Stevenson.

"When she (Cousino) is in there, we hit on all cylinders," said O'Shea, whose team improved to 10-5-2 overall.

The Chargers added an insurance goal in the second half,

Spaccarotella, her 24th, from Stacherski, with 13 minutes remaining.

"They're fast up front, no doubt," Predmesky said. "But we'll be prepared next year, both physically and mentally."

"I watched the way we warmed up and I knew we were in trouble. I saw it coming. The first 20 minutes we just watched them go every which way."

Ladywood loses seven seniors to graduation.

"We played our hearts out in the Catholic League final when the game was on the line," Predmesky said. "Maybe that took something out of us emotionally. And we had a couple of kids playing with injuries, but we can't use that as an excuse."

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Gundry tearing cover off ball; Hines Park quickly out of gate

The sound of aluminum is ringing loud and clear off the bat of Ed Gundry, who has sparked Hines Park Lincoln/Mercury to a 4-0 start in the Livonia Collegiate Baseball League.

Gundry, a third baseman, is 11 for 18 with five triples, two homers and 13 RBI.

The former Plymouth Salem High product, who helped the Rocks win the 1991 state Class A championship, went 5-for-6, including a triple, homer, three RBI and four runs scored in Hines Park's 12-5 triumph Wednesday over Little Caesars at Livonia's Ford Field.

Tracy Ewald contributed two hits and three RBI.

Winning pitcher Steve Ross went six innings, scattering six hits and two walks before giving way to Chris Kirkey, who pitched the final inning.

Losing pitcher Dave Roman, who went 3 1/3 innings, suffered the loss.

Jerry Shippe had a two-run triple for Caesars.

On Monday, Hines Park pitcher Jeff Paluk (Saginaw Valley State) went the distance, scattering four hits with nine strikeouts in a 7-4 win over Caesars at Concordia College.

Mark VanAmejde suffered the loss.

Offensive leaders for Hines Park included: Jason Riggs, two hits and two RBI; Scott Kapla, 2-for-3 with two runs; Gundry, triple, homer and two RBI; and Gary Pierce, 2-for-3.

Lawrence Scheffer had a two-run double for Caesars. Roman tripled and later scored on a groundout.

Hines Park opened its season May 23 by sweeping Del-Wal in a double-header, 12-0 and 11-6.

Kapla, a freshman at Eastern Michigan, hurled a three-hitter in the opener. He struck out four and walked only one.

Ewald (College of Ozarks) homered, while Gundry knocked in four runs. Pierce went 3-for-3 and teammate Kevin Craggs contributed two hits.

COLLEGIATE

Andrew Margolick pitched six innings of five-hit baseball to give Hines Park the victory in the nightcap. Margolick relieved Scott Rodgers, who walked seven batters during the opening inning.

Craggs went 3-for-4 with two RBI and three runs scored, while Ewald and Gundry each contributed two hits and three RBI.

Westland Federation

Westland Federation, a newcomer in the LCBL, ran its record to 3-0 with a 4-3 eight-inning victory over the Tecumseh, Ontario Green Giants in a game played Wednesday at John Glenn High.

Chad Grievelt belted a solo homer, while pitcher Bobby Arellano earned the victory.

Grieve also socked a three-run homer and was the winning pitcher in relief as Westland beat Wendy's in the May 21 season opener.

Westland also defeated Walter's Appliance, 6-4, as Jeremy Blaylock (Central Michigan University) struck out 12 and scattered seven hits and seven walks in going the distance.

Pete Gallagher, who worked five innings, took the loss.

Walter's loses

Lance Stepaniak struck out 12 in seven innings Wednesday, leading Wendy's to a 12-5 triumph over the defending LCBL playoff champions.

Jim Solak went 3-for-4 with an RBI in a losing cause. Mike Zielinski added two hits and knocked in a run.

John Collins had two hits, including a three-run homer for Wendy's. Dan Schmitzer contributed three hits and scored three times, while John Arvai went 2-

for-4 with a double.

Ryan Grabetz, who allowed five earned runs in four innings, took the loss.

Del-Wal nips Caesars

Winning pitcher Derek Wirebaugh (five innings) and reliever Todd Boike (two innings) combined on a three-hitter Wednesday as Del-Wal defeated Caesars Wednesday at Ford Field, 2-1.

Boike worked out of a bases

loaded jam in the seventh, fanning the final three batters to gain the save.

Matt Recht (University of Michigan) and Chad Cilley (Siena Heights) each contributed RBI singles for the victors, who collected five hits.

Mark D'Antonio (University of Detroit-Mercy) threw a complete game for Caesars, but suffered the loss.

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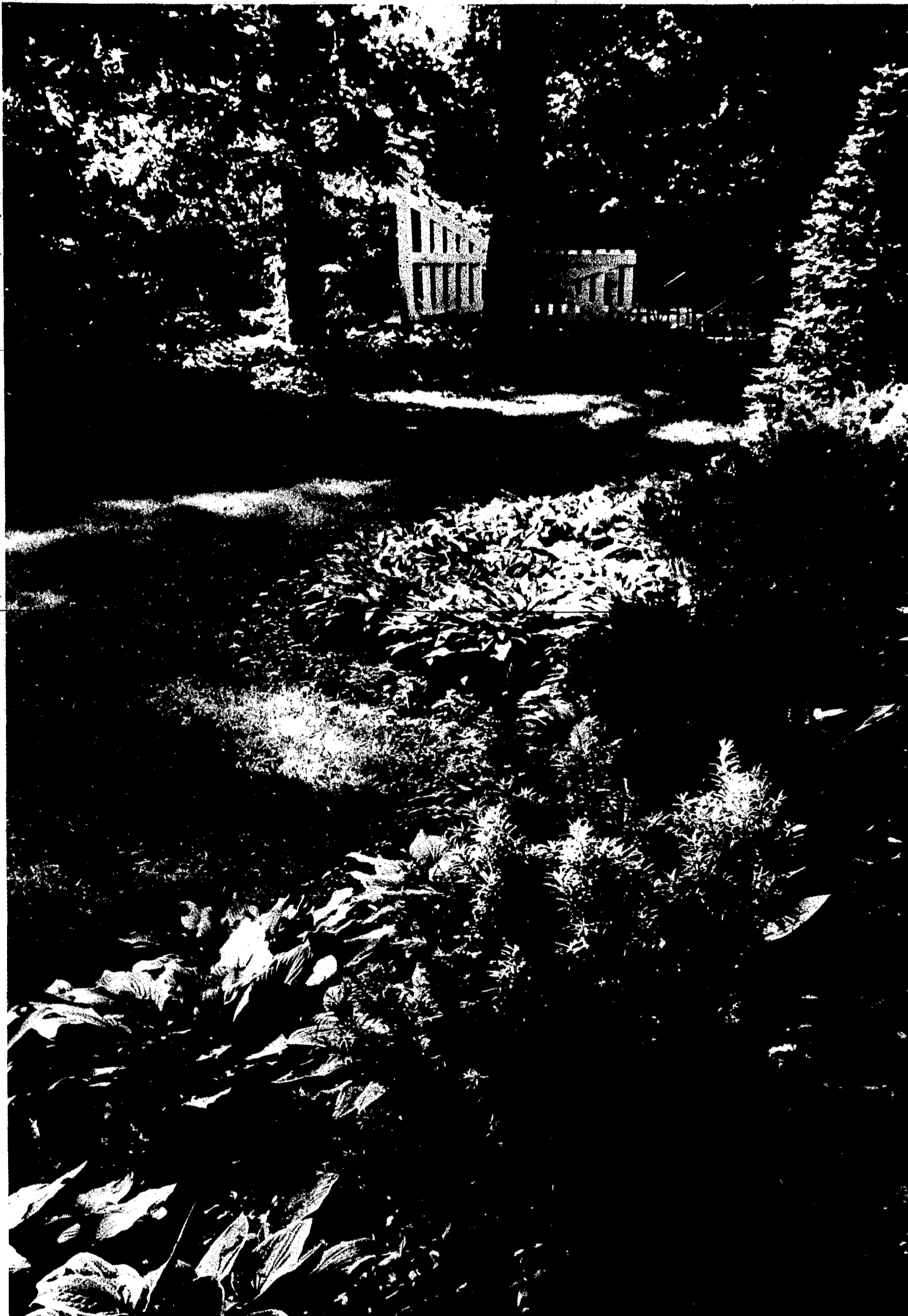
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House wins historic designation

BY JANICE JONES
SPECIAL WRITER

When Robin Margraf first saw the large, restored Victorian house in 1990, she wasn't thinking about history. She was looking for a comfortable home for herself, husband, Joe, and sons, Conor and Rory.

"It was love at first sight," said Margraf. "I had such good feelings just walking through it."

The century-old western Wayne County house has two staircases and lots of interesting corners for young boys to explore. It also has a story which was recently pieced together by an American Association of University Women branch which designated the house as a historical landmark May 20.

A mystery

Dr. Mary Fritz, head of the AAUW's study group that did the research said, "It's like a mystery. We kept working until we unraveled it."

To qualify for landmark status a building has to be 75 years old and have some architectural or historical significance.

Fritz and her committee searched through old deeds, checked tax records, and interviewed people to get the following facts.

Local banker and real estate developer, William O. Allen near downtown Plymouth in 1881. The house was a copy of another Main Street home built in 1879 by H. L. Bennett. A third house was built from the same plans at the corner of Main and Starkweather by Will Scotten.

In 1896, Allen married Kate Penniman and moved into her home (the present rectory of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church). The Main Street house was then occupied by Allen's brother, David, until his death in the 1920s, after which it stood vacant until it was purchased in 1925 by the Alfred Smith family.

In 1949, the Allen home and

two neighboring houses were purchased by the Plymouth school district to make way for an addition to the high school. Robert Jolliffe bought the house and moved it to its present site on Adams Street, where he converted it to apartments.

House moved

Mildred Essick of Adams Street remembers the day in 1950, when she watched from her front porch as the house was moved. "It was something to see. It came across the school grounds, and they set it down right on the basement," she said.

The Allen House is the only one of the three identical houses to survive. The Dairy King now stands on the site of the Bennett house, and the Scotten home was torn down to make way for the Hi-Speed Gas Station.

In its new location, the Allen house was rental property for about 30 years, passing through different owners, and falling into disrepair. In 1986, it was bought by old house enthusiasts, David and Kate Solomon who painstakingly restored it to its original splendor.

When contacted by the AAUW about the landmarking, Margraf was excited by the idea. She appreciates the work done by the Solomons, and is adding to it with ideas of her own.

On the outside, the original clapboards, decorative barge boards, and brackets are painted Italianate cream. The Margravs recently added a picket fence, and are planning to repaint the wooden, porch floor. Visitors were welcomed by a pair of tall, red doors with ornate glass windows.

"They were wheel cut," Margraf said. "One of them is original and the other one was broken at one time and replaced with an etched glass copy."

The foyer shows off a serpentine wooden staircase leading to a second floor landing. The large



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Victorian home: Robin Margraf sorts laundry in the bathroom of the restored home.

front parlor now serves as the living room. Margraf has added an oak fireplace to one wall, and is painting a fireplace screen.

Space for boys

A second parlor, set off by a wide arch and pocket doors, is used as a family room, with space for the Margraf boys' trains. The walls are beige linen and the crown moldings are painted red. Margraf has added a set of red-matted lithographs that are family heirlooms and tied-back draperies in a floral print.

The tall windows with their original glass and the high ceilings give the house an open, airy feeling, while the antique furnishings radiate warmth. Wet plaster walls, crown moldings and high baseboards speak eloquently of the past.

The kitchen features some of the original, built-in, cabinets, painted wedgewood blue. Red and white cafe curtains, and a pine table with high-backed chairs add charm to the setting. The break-

fast room appears to have once been an enclosed porch. A powder room, mud room and laundry room were added on in 1986.

A large guest room with private bath occupies one corner of the main floor. The space doubles as Margraf's sewing room, where she is making window treatments for the house.

Upstairs, the 10-foot ceilings easily accommodate the yellow pine, canopy bed of the master bedroom, with room to spare for a ceiling fan. Above the windows are hand-painted arches of flowers and ivy, done by Kate Solomon. Margraf has carried on this theme with ivy-covered shades, ivy-filled scones, and stems of ivy, used as curtain tie-backs.

The bathroom has lots of white tile, windows on two sides, recessed soffit lighting, and a refinished, claw-footed tub that sits on a corner platform.

"So many people have lived here and influenced the house," Margraf said. "We think of ourselves as the latest occupants. The bottom line is, it's home."

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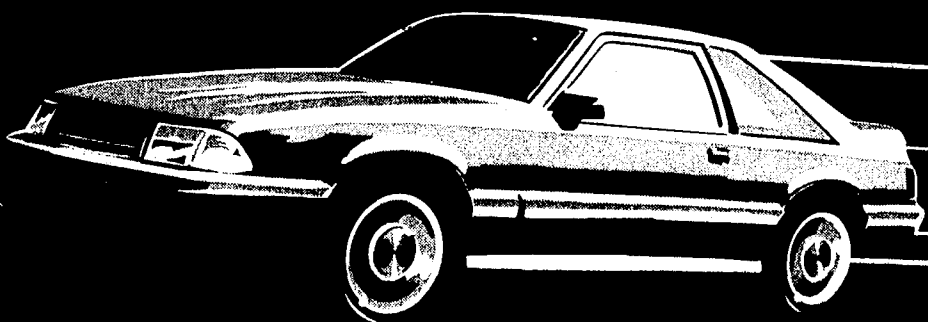
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1962 reunion Aug. 28. Info: 624-6853 or 476-3814.
1963 reunion Aug. 28. Info: 455-5067 or 624-6853.

1988 reunion July 31, Regency West, Redford. Info: 525-8375.

CLAWSON
1973 reunion Aug. 21, Northfield Hilton Inn, Troy. Info: 288-0129 or 689-2213.

COMMERCE
1930-39 reunion Sept. 19, O'Kelly Knights of Columbus Hall, Dearborn. Info: 545-2511 or 777-7657.

CRESTWOOD
1968 reunion Oct. 2. Info: 937-8792 or 278-7666.
1973 reunion Oct. 2. Info: 453-8374.

DEARBORN
1973 is planning a reunion. Info: 562-2221.

DEARBORN EDSSEL FORD
1963 reunion June 19. Info: 561-2238 or Fran Taylor Wittershien, 23662 Huron River Drive, Rockwood 48173.

1973 reunion July 17. Info: 569-2539 or 261-9365.

June 1963 reunion in June. Info: 591-0746, 379-4272 or (800) 628-3673.
1968 reunion Aug. 6-8. Info: 277-1418.

*1958 reunion Aug. 6. Info: 338-7670 or 673-2388.

DEARBORN FORDSON
1948 reunion Oct. 9, St. Clement Hall — Eastern Orthodox Church, Dearborn. Info: 353-6646 or 455-9428.

1943 reunion Oct. 1, Dearborn Italian-American Hall. Info: 563-6925 or 676-9850.

1963 reunion Nov. 6. Info: 278-0903 (days) or 676-5584 (evenings).
1973 reunion Aug. 27-29. Info: 561-5309 or 422-1602.

DEARBORN SACRED HEART
1973 reunion Aug. 7, Livonia Marriott, Livonia. Info: 685-2357 or 681-5866.

DETROIT CENTRAL
January and June 1953 reunion Nov. 27. Info: Larry Sklar, 30800 Northwestern Hwy., Farmington Hills 48334.

January and June 1944 are planning a reunion. Info: 661-6934 or 788-9777 (January grads) and 683-2783 (June grads).

DETROIT CHADSEY
1943 reunion Sept. 19 at Vladimir's, Farmington. Info: 278-6249, 565-4543, 278-5970 or 561-8389.
1948-49 reunion Oct. 22 at St. Clement Hall, Dearborn. Info: 843-5255 or 273-1589.

DETROIT CODY
January 1973 reunion June 26, Fairlane Club, Dearborn. Info: 375-1526.

1957 reunion Oct. 22, Laurel Manor, Livonia. Info: 465-2277 or 263-6803.

1963 reunion Aug. 21. Info: 661-5753, 455-9796 or 425-9751.

June 1973 reunion Aug. 28, Sheraton Oaks, Novi. Info: 462-3102 or 642-3353.

DETROIT COOLEY
January and June 1943 reunion Sept. 18, Botsford Inn, Farmington Hills. Info: 476-6225.

1958 reunion July 23-25, Sheraton Oaks, Novi. Info: 887-3921.

1968 reunion June 19, Marriott Hotel, Southfield. Info: 380-6100.

1983 reunion Aug. 21, Marriott Hotel, Southfield. Info: 380-6100.

1963 reunion Nov. 6. Info: 476-5400 or 471-1441.

1948 reunion Aug. 21, Holiday Inn, Livonia. Info: 357-4950 or 788-0116.

January and June 1953 reunion Oct. 16. Info: 464-2733 or 347-1932.

Alumni reunion picnic Aug. 11, Rotary Park, Livonia. Info: 522-0752 or 534-7589.

DETROIT DENBY
January and June 1943 reunion in June. Info: 773-5934, 464-8925 or 334-9307.

1948 reunion Oct. 9, Barton House, St. Clair Shores. Info: 771-8927 or 372-0633.

1983 reunion Aug. 7, U-D Mercy College, Detroit. Info: 331-0103.

DETROIT EASTERN
1943 reunion Oct. 8. Info: 884-0357, 755-6196, 884-4586 or 626-6220.

DETROIT HENRY FORD
January, June and August 1963 reunion Aug. 21, Novi Hilton, Novi. Info: 553-7830, 553-7431, 358-1878 or 227-4839 or J. Nemecheck, 21546 Morley, Dearborn 48124.

1973 reunion Oct. 1, Sheraton Oaks, Novi. Info: 380-6100.

DETROIT HUTCHINS
1955-60 reunion Sept. 27-28. Info: 751-0211 or 751-6499.

DETROIT JACKSON INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
1930s-1940s reunion Sept. 12. Info: 751-0211 or 751-6499.

DETROIT JEFFERSON INTERMEDIATE
1930s-1940s are planning a reunion. Info: 751-0211 or 751-6499.

DETROIT LUTHERAN WEST
1973 reunion Aug. 7, Burton Manor, Livonia. Info: 477-3944 or 463-4112.

DETROIT MACKENZIE
1963 reunion Oct. 16, Ritz-Carlton, Dearborn. Info: 261-5635 or 455-5405.

1968 reunion July 23-24, Bay Valley Resort, Bay City. Info: 268-7598, 834-8178 or 968-3289.

1943 reunion June 5, Holiday Inn West, Livonia. Info: 349-6016.

1948 reunion Sept. 24, Holiday Inn, Livonia. Info: 824-8550.
January 1942 reunion Aug. 21, Novi Hilton Inn, Novi. Info: 422-1930 or 348-0986.

DETROIT MUMFORD
1953 is planning a reunion. Info: 851-2777 or 661-4730.
1963 reunion Nov. 27. Info: 626-2636 or 681-0780.

DETROIT NORTHERN
January and June 1944 are planning a reunion. Info: 661-0387.

DETROIT NORTHEASTERN
1943, with 1941-42 and 1944-45, is planning a reunion. Info: 548-8152 after 8 p.m.

DETROIT NORTHWESTERN
1952-54 reunion Aug. 27-29, International Banquet Center in Greettown. Info: 933-0571, 934-0620 or 861-5997.

Classes through 1950 reunion Sept. 18, Botsford Inn, Farmington Hills. Info: 937-8573 or 474-9204.
1963 reunion Aug. 28. Info: 751-0211 or 751-6499.

DETROIT REDFORD
1973 reunion Sept. 25, Holiday Inn, Livonia. Info: 380-6100.

1942-43 reunion Sept. 26, Novi Hilton Inn, Novi. Info: 824-8550.

DETROIT ST. DAVID
1967 reunion Oct. 9, River Crest Banquet Center, Rochester Hills. Info: 879-9009.

DETROIT SHERRARD MIDDLE SCHOOL
Classes of the 1950s are planning a reunion. Info: 751-0211 or 751-6499.

DETROIT SOUTHEASTERN
1948 reunion June 26, Grosse Pointe War Memorial, Grosse Pointe. Cost: \$32. Send check, payable to Southeastern Reunion, to Audrey (Laird) Poole, 1640 Oxford Road, Grosse Pointe 48236.

1953 reunion Sept. 24, Barton House, St. Clair Shores. Info: 776-1361, 781-6412 or 772-7575.

DETROIT SOUTHWESTERN
January-June 1943 are planning a reunion. Info: 453-4518 or 344-4220.

DETROIT WESTERN
1943 reunion Oct. 1, Dearborn Inn, Dearborn. Info: 271-7809.

1973 reunion Oct. 9, Marriott Hotel, Southfield. Info: 380-6100.

DETROIT WILBUR WRIGHT
1930s, 1940s and 1950s are planning a reunion. Info: 751-0211 or 751-6499.

EAST DETROIT
1973 reunion July 31, Zuccaro's Country House. Info: 795-0409 or 773-3197.

1983 reunion Nov. 27, VFW Hall, Roseville. Info: 824-8550.

EAST LANSING
1973 reunion Aug. 14, University Club, East Lansing. Info: 380-6100.

FARMINGTON
1988 reunion July 17, Farmington Elks Club. Info: 478-7749.

1983 reunion July 17, Hotel Baronette, Novi. Info: 465-2277 or 263-6803.

1973 reunion Aug. 6, Laurel Manor, Livonia. Info: 465-2277 or 263-6803.

1963 reunion July 3, Sheraton Oaks, Novi. Info: 626-5122 or 227-7051.

FARMINGTON HILLS HARRISON
1973 reunion Nov. 27, Livonia Marriott. Info: 887-1458 or fax 541-0601.

FERDALE
1971 class picnic, July 17, Star-Jaycee Park. Info: 541-5900 (days).
1973 reunion Nov. 27, Kingsley Inn, Bloomfield Hills. Info: 380-6100.

FERDALE LINCOLN
January and June 1953 reunion Oct. 16, Holiday Inn, Livonia. Info: 589-2609 or 981-3911.

1943 reunion Sept. 18, Somerset Inn, Troy. Info: 435-3106 or 542-9707.

FRASER
1968 reunion Aug. 14, Starlite Hall, Mt. Clemens. Info: 286-4866.
1983 reunion Nov. 28, Miraga, Mount Clemens. Info: (800) 677-7800.

GARDEN CITY
1963 reunion Oct. 16, Corsi's Restaurant, Livonia. Info: 661-8317 or 525-9634.

1983 reunion Nov. 26, Hawthorne Valley, Westland. Info: 380-6100.
1958 reunion Oct. 16. Info: 261-5193.

GARDEN CITY EAST
1978 reunion Nov. 26, Royce Hotel, Romulus. Info: 824-8550.
1968 reunion Nov. 13. Info: 464-2811.

GIBRALTAR CARLSON
1983 reunion Sept. 11, Knights of Columbus Hall, Lincoln Park. Info: 824-8550.

GOODRICH
1983 reunion, June 26, Holiday Inn, Gateway Centre, Flint. Info: 695-4870, 373-1767 or (800) 323-8073.

1983 reunion Nov. 26, Hawthorne Valley, Westland. Info: 380-6100.

1958 reunion Oct. 16. Info: 261-5193.

GARDEN CITY EAST
1978 reunion Nov. 26, Royce Hotel, Romulus. Info: 824-8550.
1968 reunion Nov. 13. Info: 464-2811.

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1983 reunion Sept. 11, Knights of Columbus Hall, Lincoln Park. Info: 824-8550.

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1983 reunion, June 26, Holiday Inn, Gateway Centre, Flint. Info: 695-4870, 373-1767 or (800) 323-8073.

GRAND BLANC
1983 reunion Aug. 21, Holiday Inn, Flint. Info: 380-6100.

GROSSE POINTE
January-June 1933 reunion July 30, Lochmoor Club, Grosse Pointe Woods. Info: 881-7539 (January) or 882-6472 (June).

January and June 1958 reunion Oct. 2, Roostertail, Detroit. Info: 465-2277 or 263-6803.

1943 reunion Sept. 11, Grosse Pointe Yacht Club. Info: 882-4785.

GROSSE POINTE SOUTH
1973 reunion July 17, Grosse Pointe Yacht Club. Info: 824-8550.

1983 reunion Nov. 26, Detroit Yacht Club, Detroit. Info: 824-8550.

HAMTRAMCK
1953 and 1954 reunion Sept. 18, Polish Century Club, Detroit. Info: 751-4346.

HAZEL PARK
January and June 1953 reunion Aug. 14. Info: 781-4640 or 435-7926.

HIGHLAND PARK
1942, 1943 and 1944 reunion Sept. 25, Novi Hilton, Novi. Info: 824-8550.

1958 reunion Oct. 2, Radisson Plaza Hotel, Southfield. Info: 977-0192 or 798-3394.

June 1963 reunion June 11-12, Hyatt Regency, Dearborn. January 1963 and January 1964 grads invited. Info: 549-7585 or 865-6797.

1973 is planning a reunion. Info: 336-8248.

1968 is planning a reunion. Info: 542-5585.

HOLY REDEEMER
1958 reunion Oct. 2, O'Kelley K of C Hall, Dearborn. Info: 937-3979 or 533-6200.

JOHN GLENN
1973 reunion Nov. 26. Info: 565-6937 or 728-7425.

1983 reunion, Sept. 24., International Center, Greettown. Info: 721-7572.

LADYWOOD
1973 is planning a reunion for late summer. Info: 421-2616 or 632-6225.

1983 reunion Oct. 2. Info: 525-2657.

LAKE ORION
1983 reunion Nov. 27. Info: L.O. Reunion, 5890 Rowely, Waterford 48329 or 674-9383.

LAKEVIEW
1973 reunion Oct. 9, Northfield Hilton Inn, Troy. Info: 824-8550.

L'ANSE CRUESE
1973 reunion Sept. 25, Zuccaro's Country House, Mt. Clemens. Info: 465-2277 or 263-6803.

LINCOLN PARK
January 1968 reunion June 26, Ramada Heritage Center, Southgate. Info: 425-9440 or 671-6993.

1973 reunion July 24, Polish Roman Catholic Union, Wyandotte. Info: P.O. Box 1178, Lincoln Park 48146.

LIVONIA BENTLEY
1966 is planning a reunion. Info: 981-4215 or write to 14125 Riverside Drive, Livonia 48154.

1968 reunion Aug. 7. Info: 464-0579 or 421-1412.

1983 reunion Aug. 21, Sheraton Oaks, Novi. Info: 421-3791 or 425-6632.

1963 reunion Sept. 11, Livonia Marriott. Info: 464-0115.

LIVONIA FRANKLIN
1973 reunion Nov. 26, Novi Hilton Inn, Novi. Info: 824-8550.

1988 reunion, Aug. 27, Hawthorn Valley. Info: 261-2864 or 425-8468.

LIVONIA STEVENSON
1983 is planning a reunion. Info: 390-4957 or 442-7614.
1973 reunion July 31, Novi Hilton, Novi. Info: S.H.S. Class of

'93, P.O. Box 531091, Livonia 48153.

MARYGROVE COLLEGE
1953 reunion Sept. 18. Info: 644-8267 or 626-4758.

MILFORD
1973 reunion July 31, Holiday Inn, Livonia. Info: 380-6100.

MILFORD LAKELAND
1983 reunion Nov. 26, Mitch's II, Waterford. Info: 824-8550.

NORTH FARMINGTON
1973 reunion Aug. 13, Sheraton Oaks, Novi. Info: 465-2277 or 263-6803.

OAK PARK
1973 reunion Sept. 4, Holiday Inn-Laurel Park, Livonia. Info: 661-5274.
1983 reunion Oct. 1, Marriott Hotel, Southfield. Info: 465-2277 or 263-6803.

PLYMOUTH
1973 reunion June 26, Livonia Holiday Inn. Info: 824-8550.
1943 reunion July 10, Fox Hills Country Club. Info: 453-6666 or write to Lois Bowden Merriman, 1085 Carol St., Plymouth 48170.

PLYMOUTH SALEM/PLYMOUTH CANTON
1983 reunion Aug. 20, Novi Hilton Inn, Novi. Info: 824-8550.

PONTIAC
January and June 1943 reunion Sept. 17-19. Info: 673-0306 or 682-3282.

PONTIAC CATHOLIC
1973 reunion Aug. 14. Info: 879-1917.

REDFORD THURSTON
1973 reunion Aug. 6, St. Mary Cultural Center, Livonia. Info: 522-9405 or 937-0649.

REDFORD UNION
1973 reunion Aug. 7, Novi Hilton Inn, Novi. Info: 824-8550.
1983 reunion Oct. 16, Karas House. Info: 535-6480, 532-0525, 538-7221 or 476-2383.

1948, with 1945-51, reunion Sept. 11, Wyndham Garden Hotel, Novi. Info: 378-2229 or 522-1931.

1968 reunion July 17, Laurel Manor, Livonia. Info: 953-0439 or 538-0814.

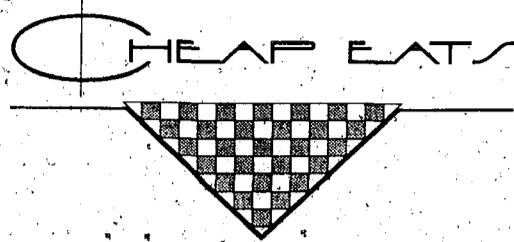
RIVERSIDE
1973 reunion Aug. 7, Ritz-Carlton. Info: 397-8152 or 349-5936.

ROBICHAUD
1973 reunion Aug. 21, Holiday Inn Crown Plaza Hotel, Romulus. Info: 942-0464, 788-7915 or 273-0199.

ROCHESTER
1963 reunion Sept. 18, Holiday Inn, Auburn Hills. Info: 652-1444.
1953 reunion Sept. 19, Rochester Community House and Municipal Park. Info: 651-1346.

ROCHESTER ADAMS
1983 reunion Aug. 14, Van Dyke Suite Hotel, Warren. Info: 391-96

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BY LISA RUDY
SPECIAL WRITER

When you first reach the Stage, you'll probably find yourself inwardly moaning "Oh, no." (I know I did.) But if you can get past the dumpy, out-of-date looking outside-appearances of this eat in/takeout restaurant and deli, you just might be pleasantly surprised.

Not that the inside is any more aesthetically pleasing, but imagine yourself being able to accept the fact that when this place was new (a mere 35 years ago) when yellow Formica tables and orange vinyl-covered chairs and booths were en vogue. My guess is, however, that even in 1958, more than a few pair of legs stuck to those seats on a hot summer day.

The Stage's menu features a large and interesting enough selection, so prepare yourself for a good read before ordering. Although this place is considered to be a Jewish deli, hot spicy chili is offered right along side cold borscht, and if your leery of sinking your tooth into marinated herring in sour cream, you can always order a "Swankee Frankee," an innocent-looking hot dog, filled with cheese and wrapped in bacon.

Homemade soups are a hot ticket on the menu, and if you happen to order the matzo ball soup, you're in for good laugh. Don't get me wrong — the soup's great. It's just that this particular matzo ball is one of the biggest I've seen and you're liable to draw a crowd around your bowl.

The Stage also offers a unique selection of salads — colorful fruit salads, tangy salads with herring and Greek olives, and a real scary salad called the Charlie Manos Salad Bowl that consists of crisp lettuce topped with julienne TONGUE (gee, how else would you slice it?), turkey and anchovies. You, of course, get to pick the dressing.

Under the heading of "Never Too Late," omelettes, eggs with minced lox and onion, silver dollar pancakes and kippers and onions are available well throughout the dinner hour.

Huge can't-get-your-mouth-around-them sandwiches and the best Roumanian Pastrami you'll ever have will be the things that will bring you back to the stage for an encore. And the meats used in these sandwiches are lean — you honestly won't have to tear your sandwich apart to find the "good" parts. Tasty potato salad or a huge plate of fried onion rings go well with any sandwich selection.

And their rice pudding is fantastic. Cheesecake, apple strudel, and yeah, even Jell-O are listed among the sweets. The guys behind the deli counter will even whip you up a malt or an ice cream sundae, if you wish.

It seemed as though the Stage had enough of a stash in their pantry to make anything. What's more, the staff was more than accommodating. So relax, pull up a vinyl-covered chair. And don't worry about your legs sticking to the seat; they've put in air conditioning since 1958.

Stage Delicatessen & Restaurant

13821 W. Nine Mile Road,
Oak Park
548-1111
11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday - Saturday



There's just something truly spontaneous about The Great Northern that leaves you on the edge of your seat. At first glance, this place seems to harbor all the makings of an up-north lodge with a southwestern flair. But once you're seated and are able to look around, you begin to get the feeling that you've stumbled on to one of the most distinctive, unusual restaurants around.

Surprises are everywhere in this open air, three-room establishment; and the Great Northern's interior beckons you to investigate every nook and cranny. The place is kind of like a museum. Or is it a gymnasium? An Indian reservation? Maybe a hunting lodge? It might just be a Greek coliseum. Who knows.

It's hard to tell, because you'll be sitting next to what appears to be a tree trunk and as your eyes wander upward, you'll spot a beautiful Greek column at the top. Fun. While you're admiring the beautiful Navajo tapestries, lining many of the booths and doorways, don't be surprised if you hear the sounds of a nearby basketball game. The Great Northern houses an enclosed mini basketball court for patrons interested in perfecting their swish-shots (no one-on-one allowed).

Copper Bald Eagle chandeliers hang from the A-frame ceiling in the main dining area; varied, original birdhouses poke out of several different corners; and snowshoes, birch bark kayaks, sailboats and a larger than life hunting license make up many of the features that make this place a constant visual treat.

See EATS, 10C

The Great Northern

6199 Orchard Lake Road,
West Bloomfield
539-3290
11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Tuesday - Thursday
11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Friday-Saturday
10 p.m. Sunday



Harmony:
Sometimes Why — Dave Dean, Kenneth Karasek, John Taminski and Jeff Pelione — honed the skill at blending their melody and harmony with the groove on stage at an early age.

Sometimes Why has the answer



With influences like The Alarm, U2, the Red Hot Chili Peppers, The Beatles and Led Zepplin, you might wonder what kind of music Sometimes Why performs. Simple, say band members, who blend melody and harmony with the groove.

BY KYLE GREEN
SPECIAL WRITER

There is no looking back for the four-member band Sometimes Why, even though today the members laugh about their past.

"We played a lot of shows with our parents in the audience only because (club owners) wouldn't let us play otherwise," said John Taminski, remembering when he and fellow bandmates were too young to perform. "It gave us a stage presence. It was kind of a live rehearsal."

Today with the average age of the members at 20, the band uses its past as a foundation to construct what they hope will be a career.

In preproduction for recording its first release, band members hope their alternative rock sound will appeal to radio listeners, their main goal.

"It's hard for local bands, not say-

ing we are anything great because we do have a contract, because I do realize that many local bands have contracts with local labels and not so local labels, but I think with a label behind your stuff and a producer and studio behind your stuff, it might be easier to get on the radio," Taminski said.

STREET BEATS

Each member contributes musical ideas, influenced by such groups as The Alarm, U2 and the Red Hot Chili Peppers. Nevertheless, the members say they examine their musical roots which include The Beatles and Led Zepplin for inspiration.

"From the time I can remember this was the stuff my dad listened to," said drummer Kenneth Karasek, a Troy resident. "When Dave (Dean) and I got together we

looked at our dad's record collections and there were a lot of harmony groups like Simon and Garfunkle.

"I guess what we are trying to do right now is blend our melody and harmony with the groove and the riff and that's what you would call classic alternative."

"I don't want you to get the idea that because we are into these classic groups that we are some classic rock band," Dean added. "It all comes out of us differently and obviously it's modern coming out of us."

However, it comes out, the band discovered that the best way to write is to simply play together and feed off their energy, therefore developing up to 60 songs.

"What I find is that when we jam and come up with something it seems to be the most energetic stuff, the stuff with the biggest groove to it," Dean said.

"To me, I haven't heard one that I dislike," Karasek added, "we just keep getting better and better and song ideas keep coming faster and especially now we've been learning a lot of songs and as you can imagine it spears everyone on."

The guitar-based songs contain subject matter obtained from a broad spectrum which the band hopes will find mass appeal.

"In the beginning it was a lot of social, political ideas," Karasek said. "After hanging around Dave for about a year . . ."

"I've cheapened him," interjected Dean with a laugh.

"He was writing cheap love songs, and I loved it," Karasek said about Dean's work. "My first love of music was The Beatles and it reminded us so much of that and I was getting off onto U2-Fresh Basething, so lately I've been writing love songs. Dave, I don't know what he's writing about . . . not-so-cheap love."

Sometimes Why will perform with Verve Pipe, Groovespoon, Majesty Crush, The Charm Farm, Rhythm Corps, BOP (harvey) and Black Market at Summer Jam '93 near Cafe Max in Waterford, 11 a.m. to midnight Saturday, June 5. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the Midwest AIDS Prevention Project. For more information, call 666-2030.

Wallflowers don't shy from stagelights

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER

Wallflowers lead singer Jakob

Dylan has learned how to teach journalists that he's not into discussing his famous lineage.

The Wallflowers:
Members include Rami Jaffe (from left), Peter Yanowitz, Jakob Dylan (sitting forward) and Tobi Miller.



"I don't answer incredibly well," Dylan said with a snicker about his father Bob Dylan. "I don't give up too much."

Dylan and the rest of The Wallflowers — Greg Richling, Rami Jaffe, Peter Yanowitz and Tobi Miller — will play St. Andrew's Hall in Detroit Tuesday, June 2, with special guests the Vudu Hippies. The tour is in support of the band's self-titled debut album which was released in August.

The album has a rather dark and moody feeling which reflects the band's early style, Dylan said.

"I like to think that it's a snapshot of what the band was doing at the time," he said.

The new album, which the group will begin recording after this tour, will have a different feeling, although Dylan wasn't specific about the new sound.

Although the unpretentious roots

rock album has received a favorable response from the likes of "Rolling Stone" and "Musician" magazines, Dylan is still apprehensive about his headlining tours.

"We're playing St. Andrew's Hall this time; that's a big place, right? . . . I hope there's not a lot of echo," he said.

As the group tours, Dylan, 23, is seeing the fan base picking up. To get that far, The Wallflowers landed opening spots for the Spin Doctors, 10,000 Maniacs and Virgin Records label mates Cracker.

"It's paying off a little more. We get our name out there and we start getting the rewards," said Dylan.

The Wallflowers, with special guests the Vudu Hippies, will perform Wednesday, June 2, at St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. Tickets are \$6.50. Call 961-MELT for more information.

Monday, May 31

BUCKWHEAT ZYDECO
With Clarence Gatemouth Brown, Chisel Bros. and Motor City Blues Project at Phoenix Plaza Amphitheatre, Pontiac.
334-1999

Tuesday, June 1

DAMN YANKEES
Pine Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Clarkston. (rock)
377-0100

AMERICAN MUSIC CLUB
Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. (alternative rock)
99-MUSIC

PARTY OF THREE
The Ark, 637 1/2 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (acoustic)
761-1451

Wednesday, June 2

TOMMY BANDS
The Ark, 637 1/2 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (folk)
761-1451

DISCIPLINE
The Ritz, 10 1/2 and Gratiot, Roseville. Part of live broadcast on 89X.
778-8150

THE WALLFLOWERS
With Vudu Hippies at St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit.
961-MELT

Thursday, June 3
KIDZFEET
With Bob McGrath, Sam Wright, Rory, Frank Cappelli and the Chipmunks at Pine Knob

Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Clarkston.
377-0100

ROBIN AND LINDA WILLIAMS
The Ark, 637 1/2 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (folk)
761-1451

STEELER POLE BATH TUB
With Ethyl Meat Plow at St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit.
961-MELT

THRESHOLD
With Watership Down at Griff's Grill, Saginaw, Pontiac.
334-9292

TRAIL MIX
New dance night with DJs Greg Scott and

Billeebob at the Majestic, 4140 Woodward, Detroit.
833-9700

THE GREY HAVENS
With Painted Glass at 3-D, 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak. (alternative rock)
589-3344

I MOTHER EARTH
Industry, 15 S. Saginaw, Pontiac. (alternative rock)
334-1999

ACNE SOUL
With Heavy Pink and Mockingbird at Paycheck's Lounge, 2932 Caniff, Hamtramck. (alternative rock)
874-0909

Friday, June 4
CAROLE KING
Pine Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Clarkston.

See IN CONCERT, 11C

No simple way for you to cool relationship

STREET SENSE



BARBARA SCHIFF

Message from Voice Mail: Barbara, I have befriended a woman at work. A year ago when she was going through a difficult divorce, I was there for her and listened to her difficulties.

Now, she tells me everything that happens in her personal life. I am not really interested in hearing all that she wants to tell me and often the material is so intimate that I am embarrassed.

How can I back away without hurting her? I don't want to lose her as a friend, but this is too intense and too intimate.

Dear caller:

Whenever a person like yourself presents a true dilemma, I know I will not be able to give an answer he or she would like to hear.

In your situation, you would like to hear that there is some way to cool the relationship down without any hard feelings. Most likely, that is not possible. In any case you must

be able to take the chance of there being resentment.

It is possible that your friend will understand your point of view, but the greater possibility is that she will be hurt. My advice is to cut things clean. However, to do this you will have to be able to handle the fallout, most likely bad feelings.

Your call brought to mind a problem I struggle with as a therapist, as a friend and as the writer of this column. Sometimes people in need want to confide in me. They write letters or call on the phone. Often, I want very much to lend my ear one time, then the person at the other end comes to rely on its presence. That misleads them because time would not allow for it to be available.

I solve this dilemma by setting up clear boundaries for myself. I often wish I could offer more to others but I have been in your position, not because of difficulty with intimacy but with time. It was painful to disappoint people who had come to count on my unlimited attention and so I began to practice prevention. For your sake, I hope you have learned your lesson.

Barbara

Much to like about Branagh's 'Ado'

BY JOHN MONAGHAN
SPECIAL WRITER

Anyone who doesn't believe in the timeless quality of Shakespeare should catch "Much Ado About Nothing," a new film adaptation of The Bard currently at The Maple. The infectiously jolly story of romance and villainy in 17th-century Italy comes alive through Kenneth Branagh's immensely clever translation.

Branagh, who brought "Henry V" to the screen in 1989, and real-life wife Emma Thompson head the cast. They play Benedick and Beatrice, confirmed bachelor and bachelorette, who spend all of their time together exchanging insults. Of course, their quick wits only hide their passion for each other.

Both are delightful. When the two are tricked into believing that they love each other, both drop their spinster ways and go loopy with love. He splashes up to his knees in a fountain. She rocks wildly on a tree swing. Branagh,

not afraid of goofing it up a bit, melds the two images into a montage backed by Patrick Doyle's lilting musical score.

The great Denzel Washington plays Prince Don Pedro, who rides into town with his merry men. They will rest for a month in the picturesque Italian villa owned by the Prince's friend, Leonato (Richard Briers). The visit is filled with the usual Shakespearean touches — mistaken identity, verbal sparring and true love whose course never runs smooth.

The credit sequence sets the happy tone, as the Prince's arrival sends the villa into a frenzy. The women head upstairs for primping and new frocks, their naked bodies revealed tastefully by the camera. Don Pedro's men arrive and strip for a cleansing swim, enthusiastically preparing for the revelry at hand.

With "Much Ado," Branagh has found a medium ground with the Shakespeare directors (Orson

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Welles and Laurence Olivier among them) who preceded him. He employs a bankable cast, an appealing visual style and just enough reverence to the source so that English majors won't picket the theater.

Branagh's aim to please sometimes goes astray, which isn't surprising with all the personalities at work.

"I am a man of few words," says Keanu Reeves as Don Pedro's half brother, and we're glad of it. Reeves, who butchered an English accent in "Bram Stoker's Dracula," is best seen and not heard. He glinks around effectively as the sharp-bearded evildoer who sets young lovers Claudio and Hero (Robert Sean Leonard and Kate Beckinsale, both quite good) at odds on their wedding day.

Dogberry, who provides the rough comic relief in the play, comes off tediously here. Michael Keaton plays this village constable the same way he did Beetlejuice, with manic facial gestures, doinks in the eyes, and kicks in the groin. The only thing worse would be Robin Williams in the role.

Still, there's something irresistible about seeing these different acting styles together in tribute to Shakespeare. Branagh's film works because he doesn't try to make a textbook version of "Much Ado About Nothing." Just like the playwright, he wants first and foremost to entertain — and that the film certainly does.

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SCREEN SCENE

A sampling of what's playing at alternative movie theaters across metro Detroit, as reviewed by John Monaghan.

MAPLE THEATER

4135 W. Maple Road, Bloomfield Hills. Call 855-9090 for show times. (\$5.75 evenings; \$2.95 twilight.)

"Like Water for Chocolate" (Mexico — 1992). A lonely woman puts all her energies into creating unforgettable meals in this blend of fantasy and drama. As with the Danish hit "Babette's Feast," you won't want to watch on an empty stomach.

"Much Ado About Nothing" (USA — 1993). Kenneth Branagh, the force behind "Henry V," returns to Shakespeare with this

delightful film adaptation of the popular comedy. Branagh, real-life wife Emma Thompson, Michael Keaton, Denzel Washington and Keanu Reeves star.

MICHIGAN THEATER

603 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Call 668-8397 for information and show times. (\$5, \$4 students and senior citizens.)

"Volere Volare" (Italy — 1991), through June 3. Maurizio Nichetti, the director of "The Cicale Thief," also stars as a voice artist for cartoons who finds himself slowly turning into an animated character himself.

"Tous Les Matins Du Monde" (France — 1992), through June 12. Gerard Depardieu stars as Marais, a famous cellist in the court of Louis XVI, who recalls his tutelage under the reclusive Sainte Colombe. A feast for the ears and eyes, directed by Alain Corneau.

"The Match Factory Girl" (Finland — 1989), June 4-11. Director Aki Kaurismaki before his international acclaim with "Ariel" and "Leningrad Cowboys." This time the focus is on a young girl weighed down by her tedious job and dysfunctional family.

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"Bodies, Rest, and Motion" (USA — 1993). Bridget Fonda, Eric Stoltz, Phoebe Cates and

Tim Roth play four young people whose lives change dramatically over the course of just two days.

"Bad Lieutenant" (USA — 1993). Harvey Keitel's lead performance is apparently the best thing about this nasty exploration of a New York detective who indulges in reckless nights of sex, violence and drugs when he falls into debt. Directed by Abel Ferrara ("King of New York.")

STATE THEATER

2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Call 961-5450 for information. (\$1.89.)

"The Amityville Horror" (USA — 1979), 9 p.m. May 31. Supposedly based on fact, this haunted house story was a huge hit when first released. Today, it's good for laughs, as James Brolin and Margot Kidder discover that their New England dream house has blood dripping from the walls.

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'Hot Shots!' sequel: As parodies go, it's non-original

America is in crisis. Once again, brave patriots on foreign soil have been taken hostage by a malevolent despot bent on exacting revenge on the United States.

President Tug Benson (Lloyd Bridges) wants action — and he knows only one man can do the job. And that man is "Topper" Harley (Charlie Sheen).

Topper Harley returns to action at the behest of the president in "Hot Shots! Part Deux," the sequel to the international comedy hit of 1991.

After three failed missions, the president turns to Topper — to head a commando team into enemy territory to rescue the men who went in to get the men who went in to get the men.

Twentieth Century Fox presents "Hot Shots! Part Deux," a Jim Abrahams film starring Charlie Sheen, Lloyd Bridges, Valeria Golino, Brenda Bakke and Richard Crenna. Jim Abrahams directs from a screenplay by Jim Abrahams and Pat Proft, who is also executive producer. Bill Badalato is producer. Greg Norberg and Michael McManus serve as associate producers.

"So many sequels seem to be just expensive remakes of the original," said writer/director Jim Abrahams. "We wanted to do something different and expensive. Since this is parody, we wanted to move into a different genre — besides, we kind of ran out of flying jokes."

To describe in detail the plot of "Hot Shots! Part Deux" would be to describe any number of other movies that were just as funny — they just didn't know it.

"No originality" is our credo," said Abrahams. "What we set out to do first was to find a genre that takes itself seriously, and that whole genre of 'going in to get the guys' is a genre that takes itself very seriously. Then,

keeping in mind our motto — No originality — we had to steal our loves stories and our bad guy stories and the rest of our stories from real movies."

From "Rambo III," the filmmakers found the inspiration to place Topper in a monastery at the outset of the film, where he lives peacefully among affection-starved monks.

They added a new element to the character, which would find Topper exposing a whole new side of himself.

"When Charlie read the script, he must have said, 'Whoops, I'm going to be running around with my shirt off this whole movie. I'd better do something.'"

"I've been an athlete my whole life and kept in pretty good shape, but I knew I had to take it to a different level in this film," said Sheen.

He flew to Maui with a personal trainer and a cook, setting up an

intensive training program he eventually called "Death Camp '92."

From dawn until dusk, he followed a six-day-a-week regimen of road work, weight training, yoga, swimming and martial arts. His diet was carefully balanced to provide the high carbohydrates and high protein needed to attain the goal of muscle bulk and low body fat.

"The results are absolutely phenomenal," said Jim Abrahams. "He came in for wardrobe and hair tests, and when he took his shirt off and everybody saw what he had invested in his role, it was a very positive moment for the movie because it said, wait a minute, this is for real. Charlie set the tone for everyone with his bodybuilding and his efforts."

With twice the body, it's only fitting that Topper should have twice the love interests. Still pinning for Ramada (Valeria Golino), who jilted him at some point following the first film, Topper is on the rebound with the lovely and brilliant CIA operative Michelle Huddleston (Brenda Bakke) when Ramada unexpectedly re-enters his life — albeit in a slightly different guise.

The psychiatrist/equestrienne/sculptor/torch singer has added "mercenary" to her resume, playing an important, and lethal, role in Topper's mission.

The movie is rated PG-13 — (Parents are strongly cautioned. Some material may be inappropriate for young children).

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DIVORCED white male, 40, just coming out of long convenient, seeks attractive, white female for monogamous, but discreet, relationship. 45180
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EDDIE MURPHY TWIN (without the money) prefers white female. Walking, talking a must. Love to laugh & have fun. Hard rock music a plus. 45102
GREAT looking white male, 35, 5'8", 155 lbs, dark features, no dependents, M.S.U. grad. AYN RAND ADVEN. Seeking intelligent, pretty free spirit for mutual enjoyment. 45199
HANDSOME professional white male, 5'10", 170 body building lbs. Successful, good looking, easy going, fun; seeks a physically fit body building female for friendship leading to relationship. 44175

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DIVORCED WHITE MALE, acculturated, libertarian, bitter type, 43, 5'10", good shape, good job, looking for younger, attractive, intelligent, unencumbered, self-content, non-obese woman with a love of the open road, inside and out. 45209
EDUCATED AND ATTRACTIVE white male, single, 32, 5'8", likes running, movies, bookstores, seeks athletic single black female, 22-35, to share interests. 45211
ENERGETIC WSU GRAD student, 32, super attitude, kindness, seeks lady to share life, outdoors & summer fun. Would appreciate someone special. 45167
GOOD LOOKING, sandy hair, blue eyes, 5'11", trim & built, twenty something. Loves life, the outdoors & country drives. Would appreciate someone special. 44096
HEALTHY single white professional 30, 5'9", 170 lbs. Recently relocated from the U.P. Looking for a trim white female 22-34, who enjoys dancing, country drives & sunsets for possible relationship. 45122
HELLO LADIES - looking for a slim white female Harley gal, who likes to travel & have fun. I'm 40 years old, divorced, white, male, 5'8", 145 lbs., & good looking. 45144
HEY GOOD LOOKING, I'm an attractive 28 year old, white, divorced, business owner, looking for an attractive female for fun, frolic, & possible commitment. 45076
HONESTLY HANDSOME divorced white male, 32, 5'8", 150 lbs. Would like to meet any attractive petite female for friendship and hopefully a relationship. 45052
HUMOROUS, motivated Catholic single white male, 37, 5'8", fit professional. Seeks trim, bright, slim white female to share interests. 45041
HUMOROUS Single White Male, 51, handsome, fun loving independent, no kids, financially & emotionally secure, seeks same in attractive single white female. 45128
IT'S REAL SIMPLE Respect, trust & passion! 41, attractive, funny, divorced, seeking bright, funny, tall, visionary for exclusive, wonderful, freeing relationship. 45175
LIMITED TIME ONLY: White, divorced male, 50, with varied interest seeks someone for monogamous relationship who will take the time to know somebody. 44985
36 YR. OLD white male, looking for attractive, affectionate, non smoking, feminine woman, 25 yrs. & up, for committing relationship leading towards family & kids. 45158
MARRIED WHITE MALE, well built, seeks uncomplicated adult friendship with white uninhibited lady, her size, age, status unimportant. Long term with right person. 45098
SINGLE BLACK MALE, 30, 5'5", independent, seeks christian single black female or single white female for friendship & fun movies together. Must have personality. 45059

620 Men Seeking Women

I GOT ALL As, attractive, affluent, athletic, adventurous, single professional male, 30, seeking very attractive, physically fit single white female between 22-33 for fun summer nights & romantic evenings. 45189
MARRIED, Attractive, fit white male, age 32, dominant, seeks married/single female for passionate, discreet, mornings & afternoons. Age unimportant. 44542
MARRIED White male, 6', slim, attractive, financially secure, health conscious, seeks a creative relationship w/female 44+ for sports, dining, & fun times. 45104
MARRIED, WHITE Male, 36, 5'11", 170, seeks married or single, petite white female, 25-45, for friendship & possible relationship. 44151
SINGLE JEWISH male, 32, above average looks, sharp mind, would like to meet the same, religion unimportant, for summer nights and weekends too. 45219
SINGLE Jewish male, 33, who's free & would like to be your key to adventure & incredible fun. Blue eyes, fit, seeks single white female, 24-35 with good spirit. 45021
SINGLE WHITE male, 22, 6'3, good looking, enjoys movies, bowling, pool, etc. looking for attractive female 19-27 to enter into relationship. Redford. 45183
SINGLE WHITE male 28, seeking slim single white female, 21-27 for relationship, friendship, honesty, trust. I'm an average guy who wants a down to earth female. 45181
SINGLE WHITE MALE, 28, 6'3", 180 lbs, blonde hair, blue eyes, honest & secure, many interests, seeking slim white female, 20-30, good sense of humor. 45124
SINGLE WHITE MALE, 56, seeks mature white female who enjoys the simple things in life & cuddling. 45082
SINGLE WHITE MALE, 22, 5'10", non-smoker, sincere, enjoys restaurant, ball, outdoors, more. Seeking white female 18-25 with similar qualities. 45183
SINGLE, WHITE male, 6'3", 38 yrs, average person, interests: dining out, garage sales. Honest, sincere, caring, understanding seeking single white female, 30-40 yrs. to share life's hopes & dreams with. 45221
SINGLE, White male, tall, professional, seeks pretty female who enjoys concerns a sports. 45150
SINGLE, David Letterman, beach, aerobic, 34-32, who enjoys music, rock, theater, symphony, antique flea markets, fishing, singing in church. This christian with similar interests. 45050

620 Men Seeking Women

SINGLE PROFESSIONAL, 29, 5'9", blond, blue eyes, muscular build, "people person" with varied interests, looking for serious relationship. 45047
SINGLE WHITE female - Attractive, Black Female, 41, 5'3", trim, seeking friendship with professional 45-55 who loves life, God and people. All races considered beautiful. 44100 no coast potatoes. 45083
Single white male 50, non smoker. If you are 35-50 enjoy the outdoors, music, dancing to the oldest, getaway weekends in the North, weight proportioned to height. 45116
SLENDER, ATHLETIC, white, male, 37, nice guy with heart and integrity seeks petite white female for lasting relationship. Westland area. Non smoker. 45249
SUCCESSFUL Businessman of 48, 5'10, white, seeks honest woman w/ sense of humor for dining, dancing, movies/plays/boating. Looking for a friend 1st, possible more. 45195
SUMMER FUN- 3 single white males (21-30) good friends, stable & well married. Seek 3 single white females, 21-30 & friends. Dining out, social events, boating, vacation. Possible relationship. 45126
TALL handsome professional, 6'4", 225, dark blond, beautiful blue eyes, fit, 40ish, seeking slim, attractive, single white female. 45178
TALL - white male 33, good looking, partially handicapped, waits with curiosity looking for white female 24-30, sensitive, open minded lady. 45119
WANTED: wife to start family & build future together, must be 25-30, single white female, non-smoker. I'm 30, single white male, 5'11", 170 lbs., slim built & Catholic. Wide variety of interests. 45201
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 57, honey color eyes/hair, intelligent, 29 yr. old professional seeks slim attractive white female 20-35, Sports, movies, outdoor activities. 44130
XCITING White married male, 42, seeks adventurous attractive female who is interested in a non threatening discreet relationship. Plymouth area. 45065
YOUNG Black widower, 45, 5'10", 165 lbs., black hair, brown eyes, nice looking, seeking lady for positive growing relationship, with friendship as a foundation. 45024
YOUNG 52, Birmingham white, degree professional. Loves golf, winter sports, theatre. Kind, caring & romantic. Seeking someone 18 or less, long-term relationship 45107
21, 5'9, 180 lbs., brown hair & eyes, intelligent, poetry, sports, heavy metal. Would appreciate timid yet expressive woman, african american. 5'4-5'6, 110-115 lbs. 45102

621 Women Seeking Men

ATTRACTIVE, professional, 32 year old white female, single parent of 1, interested in developing friendship & possible relationship with similar male. 45213
ATTRACTIVE, Spiritual, Black Female, 41, 5'3", trim, seeking friendship with professional 45-55 who loves life, God and people. All races considered beautiful. 44100
ATTRACTIVE WHITE female, 47, trim, very cute, vivacious, hard working, looking for professional male who likes to laugh, likes kids & is commitment minded. 44184
BEAUTIFUL, DIVORCED, white female, "Stand out in the Crowd" type woman. Catholic, traditional values, 50. Seeking divorced, white, male, 50-67, 5'10" + for friendship. 44156
CLASSY, Professional, attractive black lady seeks friendship with single, professional black man, 6'2" + w/may interests, who's adventurous & sincere. 45102
CLASSY, vivacious, attractive female seeks single, white male, non-smoker, 50-60, to share special moments, family & friends. Love current events, dancing. 45129
CREATIVE, FUN loving, white, spunky, long blond hair, loves to keep you smiling, 37, independent, humorous, loves animals & camping. Seeking same. Plymouth area. 45215
CUTE, Classy blond lab tech seeks friendship leading to relationship. White, attractive professional male 42-52, who likes nature, travel, social events, dancing. 45105
DIVORCED, sophisticated, very pretty female, 42, loves to laugh, red hair, seeks attractive, tall, white, single gentleman for friendship, possible dancing, movies, etc. 45182
DIVORCED white, full figured lady, 5'9" seeks single/divorced white male 45-60, outgoing, sense of humor, communicative, non-smoker/drinker, serious relationship. 45127
DIVORCED white female, tall, attractive, active lifestyle, down-to-earth, sense of humor, family oriented, would like to meet gentleman over 50 w/military interests. 45207
DIVORCED 5'11" little full figured Italian lady with children, reformed smoker, loves bingo, looking for professional. Prefer 35-55 male, non smoker, race unimportant. 45180

621 Women Seeking Men

DIVORCED white female, 43, 5'5", full-figured, non-smoking, affectionate, redhead, seeking caring man 38-48, who loves life & monogamous relationship. Troy. 45094
FUN, good looking, professional, 47, non-smoker, enjoys golf, boating, cooking, entertaining, etc. Seeks honest, successful, single white guy 40+, similar interests. 45087
GREEN EYED Blonde, 33, 5'6", trim, very cute, vivacious, hard working, looking for professional male who likes to laugh, likes kids & is commitment minded. 45217
NICE LOOKING white lady (senior) retired, would like to meet ATTRACTIVE male (in 60's). Like traveling, camping, dancing, caring friendship, & fun! Let's talk first. 45230
NO GAMES PLEASE. Christian divorced woman, 44 yrs. old, 5'5", 140 lbs., loving, caring, honest, generous, hard worker, seeking someone with same qualities. 44152
PRETTY, petite, professional, warm witty woman, 43, seeks successful, sharp, humorous, sincere man, 40+, for biking, hiking, movies, golf travel, theatre, dining. 45152
PRETTY, VERY successful entrepreneur, 5'5", very loving, giving, full figured, seeking male, 46-late 60's who can love me for the person I am. 44978
ROCHESTER HILLS AREA, attractive 38, single white female with 1 dependent seeks progressive, fun, loving single white male who enjoys the finer things in life. 45126
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SINGLE WHITE FEMALE - 37, enjoys dancing, romantic nights, loves animals, horseback riding. seeks white male between 25 & 40, for honest, caring relationship. 45110
SINGLE, WHITE, full-figured gal, 26, brown hair, blue eyes, seeks honest, sensitive, caring, muscular, black man for friendship first then who knows what! 45223
STOP! Attractive single black female seeks very attractive white male 5'10" or taller, physically clean, nice dresser, trustworthy, sensitive for friendship first. 45131
Sunsuits, sunsets, rainbows, movies, reading, music, camping, cooking, family, friends, conversation, enjoyed by divorced white female 47 professional. Prefer 35-55 male, non smoker, race unimportant. 45180

621 Women Seeking Men

WHITE, married female, 40, full figured, gifted, articulate, funny, loving husband. Asthmatic. Seeks single white male 37-45, educated, successful, kind, leader to spoil & love a good woman. 45085
622 Sports Interests
SINGLE white male 63, seeks mixed doubles tennis partner 4.5 rating, currently ranked 22 mens 60 yrs & over singles SE Mich. Tennis Assoc. Tennis anyone? 44162
6' TALL, 165 lb., 30 yr. old male seeks non-smoking, slender female. Interests include working out, tennis, sports events, dining, theatre, movies, be sincere, honest. 45101
623 Seniors
ATTRACTIVE Sincere young at heart, non smoker blonde, single white female, likes dancing & cards, seeks handsome, tall, fun loving single white male, 60-70. 44700
ATTRACTIVE woman looking for man in 60's to dance, golf, cards, walk, movies & good mixer. Call me we'll meet for lunch. 45197
GOOD LOOKING Widowed white male, retired professional, 5'8, 160 lbs. Likes music, dining, dancing. Would like to meet lady 60-67 for lifetime of happiness. 45103
HELLO GIRL - I often see you in the stores, restaurants & church alone. Let's talk and see if we're compatible. It may be a new beginning. I'm an attractive active guy. 44845
MSU GRAD-Attractive white female, enjoys all sports, also gourmet cooking & dining. Would enjoy meeting a gentleman Birmingham/Bloomfield area, 60-70. 45181
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Survivors take stock in aftermath of shootings

BY KEVIN BROWN
STAFF WRITER

Hiding under her bed, Janette Madsen's 15-year-old daughter told the 911 operator on Wednesday, "My mother's just been shot several times."
"Who did it?" the operator asked.
"I think my dad."
Police played the tape of the

5:40 a.m. call from the home on Paciocco Court in Plymouth Township for reporters on Thursday — just hours after Madsen's estranged husband, Donald, committed suicide after a police standoff in Northville.

Donald Madsen, 41, told police over his cellular phone on Wednesday he'd shot his wife

over a custody fight. The couple were in court seeking a divorce.

After locating him in his condo on Seven Mile Road near Sheldon, area police surrounded the unit, cut off his phone and electricity, and eventually found him dead in his Cadillac after he shot himself.

Don Tappan, Janette Madsen's brother, said after the standoff, "We're all relieved it's over."

"The children can grieve the loss of their parents and get on with their lives," he said Thursday. "They're still basically in shock; we've had a few tears."

Asked if Donald Madsen had demonstrated behavior that suggested he could murder, Tappan said no.

"I don't want to sit up here and trash the father of my niece and nephew," he said.

He thanked counselors who've talked with the Madsens' children, ages 15 and 8, during the ordeal. They were taken after the shooting to the Plymouth Township offices and are now with relatives.

While Donald Madsen sounded remorseful in some conversations Wednesday afternoon with police, Plymouth Township police Chief Carl Berry said that Madsen also issued threats — to himself, Berry, the judge who was presiding over the divorce, and others.

After leaving a shotgun at the scene of his wife's shooting, Madsen was holding a 9 mm automatic gun and a .22 caliber pistol.

Not long after the shooting, police were able to determine he was in a three-mile radius north of Plymouth — even though he told some friends, over his cellular phone that he was at another residence in Brighton.

"We think he was at his condo in Northville the whole time," Berry said.

By 4:30, the calling stopped — Madsen decided to take a nap.

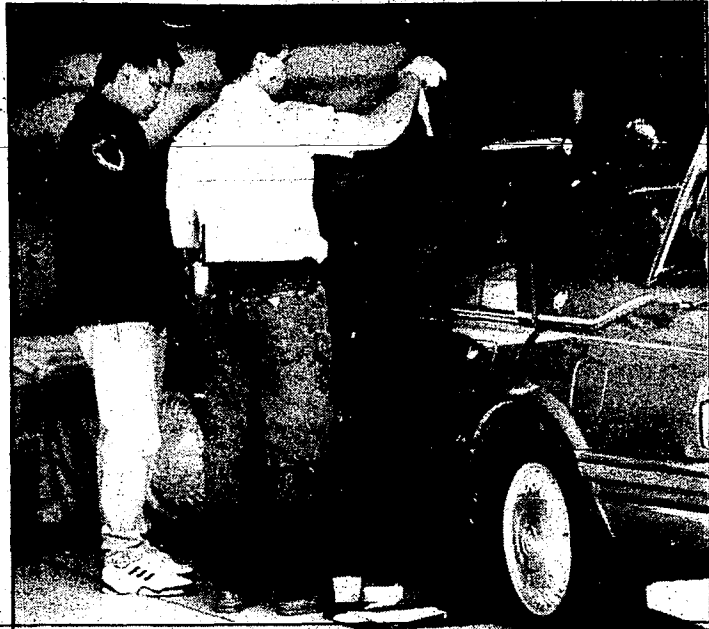
After waking, "He would call many times, angry and despondent, saying he did not want to go to jail."

Police agreed to Madsen's wish to see his children without being handcuffed — but this never hap-

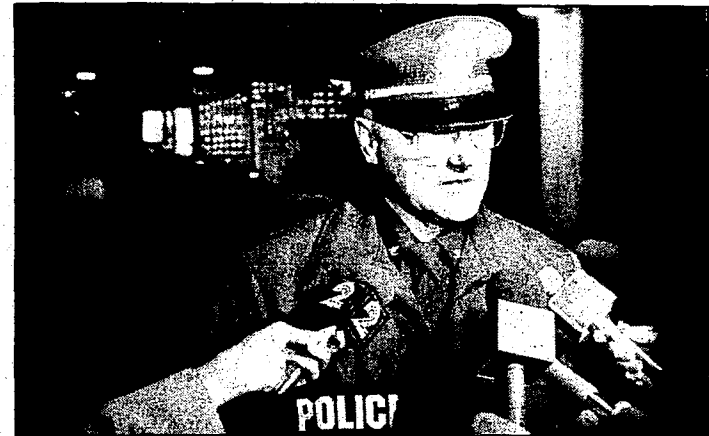


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Stakeout over: The county medical examiner took Donald Madsen's body from the garage of his Northville condo, after he killed himself Thursday.



Collecting evidence: Police examine Madsen's car.



Update: Plymouth Township Police Chief Carl Berry updates reporters at 11 p.m. Wednesday.

pened because he didn't turn himself in to police.

Jan Madsen's divorce attorney, Garth Jackson, said that while Donald Madsen maintained the shooting was over a denial of his rights to see his children, this wasn't true.

"He had spent three weeks with the children in Australia in November 1992," Jackson said, adding Madsen also had weekly visitation rights.



Challenge: Don Tappan, brother of shooting victim Janette Madsen, challenged statements Donald Madsen made Wednesday to the press.

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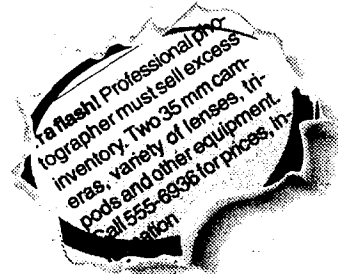
Bids will be publicly opened and read at a meeting convened at the Livonia Public Schools Business Office starting at 1:00 p.m., June 3, 1993. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any/or all bids in whole, or in part and to waive any informalities therein. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept that bid which in its opinion, is in the best interest of the Owner.

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LINDA BACHRACK

A summer face is a real put on

If you're as overwhelmed as I am when you visit the cosmetics counter, perhaps you'll appreciate the professional tips in today's column. Initially, I wanted to focus on the soft new makeup colors for summer, but I found myself inquiring about all the cosmetic and skin care secrets that I ever pondered, from eyelash tints to bronzing powders.

Geri Emmett of Trish McEvoy cosmetics in New York answered my color questions. Geri says to think translucent for summer. Sheer textures and light watercolors are the keys to looking cool in warm, humid weather. She recommends a nude eye, brushed in whites and light pinks and lined in a soft brown powder. "A pencil tends to get rather oily in the summer. A powder liner creates a softer eye," she says.

A tinted moisturizer is a good alternative to foundation, and the McEvoy product contains an SPF of 15. This sheer color combined with a bronzing powder produces a sun-kissed look with just two light layers of makeup. (I'm partial to Yves Saint Laurent's Sunny Complexion Powder.)

5 minute limit

If you love your red lipstick all year round, try applying your favorite scarlet hue over a base of tawny brown. Voila! A softer lip look for summer. "Strive for an application of under five minutes," concludes Emmett. After all, you don't want to waste any daylight.

Find the entire Trish McEvoy line of cosmetics exclusively at Lori Karbal in Birmingham.

For a bit of pampering, make an appointment with Todd Skog, the resident makeup artist at Lori's boutique. I observed this well-respected expert at work as he applied his art to the attractive visage of fashion retailer Adriane Petrakis. Adriane wanted a fresh look and she was partial to navies and violets. "No pinks or roses," she pleaded.

Sponge or puff?

Todd began by removing all traces of Adriane's lipstick with Kiehl's lip balm, a moisturizer that also removes color. He liberally applied Trish McEvoy's concealer to eye lids and lips, using a shade lighter than skin tone. The base color was blended with a sponge for a sheerer look. A puff gives more coverage.

Though Adriane tended toward dark, smoky eyes and dark liner, Todd opted to "pop the eyes out" with a lighter look. An ivory base acted as canvas with a gray/brown shadow lining the lid and a smoky blue in the crease and at the corners. He followed with black mascara and an eyelash curler. Todd warned never to line the inside of the eye, as it takes the white of your eye and makes it smaller.

The finishing touches involved a bronzer for the cheeks and an auburn lip liner with a brown/red lipstick by Kiehl's. And the verdict? "I like my eyes and lipstick a lot," said Adriane. "The bronzer cheeks aren't me but I like them. It's very different, not as intense as my usual bright orange/red lipstick and purple eyes."

"That's the best thing about makeup," says Todd. "You can put on a different face every day. You can make subtle changes and experiment."

Lash tints are in

I also picked the brain of aesthetician Naoko Vold, the proprietor of Dol-Vando skin care and beauty center in the Bloomfield Town Square shopping center, 2235 S. Telegraph. Known for her invigorating and healing Shiatsu massages, Naoko is also knowledgeable on the subject of cosmetics. She carries Aveda products in her shop and recommends a "bare eye" for summer. This look is achieved, however, with three natural color shadows in apricot and gold tones.

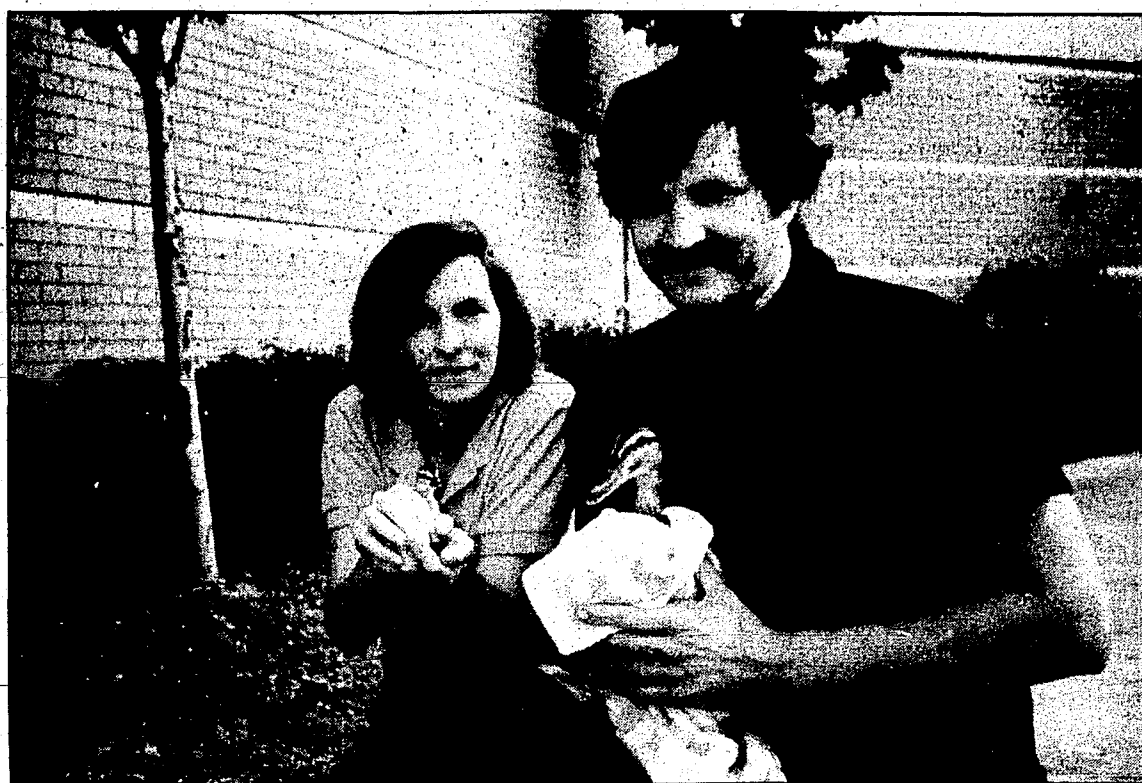
Naoko says that warm weather dictates less makeup, a concealer and translucent powder are usually enough. And lashes are back. A lash tint (\$15) is perfect for summer. Just think, no drippy mascara to mar your dip in the pool.

"I like pale cheeks and stand-out eyes and lips," says Naoko.

A visit to Naoko really wouldn't be complete without a massage (\$15-\$45). A Shiatsu massage removes lactic acid from the muscles and restores balance through skilled manipulation of pressure points. Naoko uses her Shiatsu training to relieve stress and tightness that can have a physical origin. "I can detect gallstones, lack of estrogen, even stomach irritation," she says. Her facials also include Shiatsu massage techniques (\$45-\$55).

Next week: a look at bronzers — the healthy way to a summer tan.

Linda Bachrack is a Birmingham resident. You can leave her column ideas at 953-2047, mailbox 1889, or fax them to her at 644-1314.



Everything is ducky: Steve and Cindy Gray of Garden City rescue a mother duck and her 10 ducklings from a dangerous nest near the parking lot at Laurel Park Place.

Malls lighter side

It's not always business as usual in a shopping center. Sometimes real life happens and a sense of humor comes in handy.

BY SUSAN DEMAGGIO
STAFF WRITER

I bet you think malls are just for shopping.

Wrong. Wrong. Wrong. The following episodes reveal that people fall in love in malls. People get chased by bears in malls. Santa Claus gets his feelings hurt in malls. And some find malls the perfect place for nesting.

Twelve Oaks Mall

Marketing director Elaine Kah recalled the time two employees became engaged at the Novi mall.

"A guy and a gal worked at the mall in separate stores located near each other, and they would take their breaks outside the stores on this mall bench," she explained. "They met on the bench and after some months, the guy proposed to the gal on the bench. When they got married they asked the mall if they could buy this precious bench. Twelve Oaks Mall made them a gift of the bench as a wedding present." Kah said there must be something romantic about Twelve Oaks Mall because once an entire wedding party showed up at Christmas to have their photos taken near the holiday decorations.

Oakland Mall

Before he retired from the Oakland Mall in Troy, which he managed for 20 years, Don Pyden recalled the time a United Parcel Service driver wouldn't take "no" for an answer.

"We had the Moscow circus in town and we wanted to promote the circus and the mall by having a few of those Russian bears on display," he said. "Well, we had no place to keep the bear until showtime, so we lured him into a rear corridor used for loading."

"The door had no lock, so we stationed a security guard outside. Along comes this devoted UPS delivery guy who insisted on using the corridor to make a delivery. We told him no because there was a bear inside and he just wouldn't believe it. I wish you could have seen his face when he opened that door and came nose to nose with our furry friend."

Summit Place Mall

"A word of wisdom to other pro-

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See LIGHTER SIDE, 2D

Planners like Franklin store

BY SUSAN DEMAGGIO
STAFF WRITER

"Benjamin Franklin was one of the first people to use a book to get his values in line," explained Robert Bromwell, manager of the Franklin Quest store in Twelve Oaks Mall. "He listed 13 virtues, and he managed to do 12 of them. The 13th was humility, and every time he got to feeling good about the first 12 he'd accomplished, the humility went right out the window."

The Franklin Planner was created in 1983 by a Salt Lake City-based company hoping to simplify the busy executive's schedule with an all-purpose organizer. Today, it's common to see these black or burgundy notebooks pop open at PTA meetings, after club tennis matches, and during shopping mall lunches — almost everyone has one.

"The Franklin Planner will help you become the kind of person you want to be — whether it's a better parent, a citizen more active in the community, a successful executive," said Frank Foley, a sales associate. "Most of our customers come from the corporate world, but you'll see Franklin Planners in all walks of life."

A Franklin Quest store opened in the Novi mall six months ago to meet the growing demand on the "west side of the city" according to Foley. There are also shops in Dearborn and Troy.

The planner is based on Franklin's 13 virtues, and the company adopted

Franklin's portrait as its logo. They renamed the virtues "governing values" and by using the planner, personal values are identified and developed, time is managed, and eureka! the user is on the road to success. The company has grown to 26 outlets throughout the country from an original store opened in 1986. Their competition is the day planner and the ordinary calendar, but Franklin Planners have an edge.

"We sell a system," explained Frank Foley, sales associate. "We're not just product based, we are education based. We care about helping people set goals and we show them how to work towards achievement."

Foley described the Franklin Planner as a comprehensive time management diary that includes a personal finance section, extensive reference material, a five-year planning calendar, and pages for dates, addresses and phone numbers.

Some contain road maps and dictionaries of the 7,000 most misspelled words. Add-on modules are available to help those interested in project planning, sales forms, exercise logs and menu planners.

Andria Sitar of West Bloomfield keeps a hectic schedule as manager of a personnel department. She has relied on her Franklin Planner to manage time and note appointments for the past three years.

"My planner allows me to track things on a daily basis," she said.

"There's also room for personal data so both business and home contacts can be kept in one spot. The best part of the planner for me, is that the history of events can be kept so you can trace what went on later. It's a tool. A tool I will continue to use."

Patrick Calhoun of Northville, works in retail. He bought a Franklin planner this year after noticing how much his girlfriend relied on hers.

"I carry it with me all the time now," he said. "It's all you need right in your hand, plus your watch. Years ago I had one and it was stolen from my car. "The company replaced the inserts for free and gave me 10-percent off a new binder. Now that's customer service."

The store offers seminars and sells cassette tapes and books to help new customers use the planner most efficiently.

"The seminars are offered twice a month in the Detroit area and you register through the stores," he said. "The \$195 fee includes a full day seminar and of course a Franklin Planner. Twenty-thousand people a month take the course throughout the country."

That's quite a following and Foley joked that some people see devoted Franklin planner users as members of a cult.

TUESDAY, JUNE 1

CARTOON EXHIBIT

Warner Bros. satire and comedy captured on cartoons including 156 drawings, paintings and cartoon cels. Reveals the creative process. A selection of finished cartoons will play in the galleries featuring Bugs Bunny, Daffy Duck, Porky Pig, Sylvester, Yosemite Sam. Through Saturday, July 25. Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sundays noon to 6 p.m. Sponsored by Dayton-Hudson Foundation for Hudson's, Mervyn's and Target. Admission \$3 adults, \$1 children. Flint Institute of Arts, 1121 E. Kearsley, 476-1166.

BIRTHDAY BASH

A June birthday entitles you to a mall-sponsored birthday party, Saturday, June 26, featuring free cake, clowns, balloons, music and prizes. Registration now through June 25. Chance to win a trip to Disney World. Pick up a birthday card/application at mall management office. Livonia Mall, Seven Mile/Middlebelt, 476-1166.

TIE CONTEST

Classrooms can design a tie for Father's Day. Drawings will be exhibited in The Shirt Box store. Winners will be selected from each participating school and be awarded an art wagon, filled with supplies. Contest drawing for three schools to win \$100 prizes takes place 6 p.m. Saturday, June 19. Shirt Box, 10 Mile/Evergreen, 352-1080.

PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

Amateur's black and white entries accepted through July 18. Prints must be 8 x 10 or larger. Photos must be mounted, matted or both. Grand prize \$300. Show runs July 20-25. Unlimited entries, \$4 fee per entry. Application form must accompany each photo. Available at mall management office. Livonia Mall, Seven Mile/Middlebelt, 476-1166.

CAMP SOMERSET

Registration begins for summer fashion camp for boys and girls ages 6-18, Saturdays, June 12

ADDED ATTRACTIONS

through July 24. The camp costs \$95. Application forms available at the mall office. Somerset Collection, Big Beaver/Coolidge, 643-6360.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2

CHILDREN'S CONCERT

Free sing-a-long concert featuring Joanie Bartels, nationally known children's vocalist. 6:30 p.m. Performing Arts Court. Co-sponsored by mail and Comcast Cablevision. Family night continues through 9 p.m. with special discounts and 99-cent children's meals. Bartels performs her own compositions plus classics from Cat Stevens and the Beatles. Lakeside Mall, M-59/Schoenherr, 247-1744.

THURSDAY, JUNE 3

JEWELRY BENEFIT

Cecl's offers jewelry and accessories by more than 20 local designers to benefit CANCO (Child Abuse and Neglect Council of Oakland County.) 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday and Friday, Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Artists will be present to take special orders. Portion of proceeds to CANCO. Admission: can of non-perishable food. Through June 5. The Boardwalk, Orchard Lake/Maple, 855-5580.

FRIDAY, JUNE 4

BLOOD DRIVE

American Red Cross hosts blood drive 1-7 p.m. South Arcade Community Room. Winchester Mall, Avon/Rochester, 652-1152.

SATURDAY, JUNE 5

FARMER'S MARKET

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Village Commons Parking Lot. One-half mile east of Farmington Road on Grand River. Will be repeated every Saturday through October. Downtown Farmington, 474-3440.

PIANO-A-THON

Benefit for muscular dystrophy. 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. North Court. Sponsored by Schoolcraft College. Laurel Park Place, Six Mile/Newburgh, 462-1100.

SUNDAY, JUNE 6

STORYBOOK SUNDAY

Rene Greenwood of WNIC radio will read "Big Sarah's Little Boots Shoes." 1 p.m. Center court. Children can earn reading points for gift merchandise. 99-cent meals at participating restaurants. Fairlane Mall, Michigan/Southfield, 593-3330.

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Noon to 2 p.m. Co-sponsored by WQRS. Brunch catered by Sebastian's Grill. Tickets \$20 per person. Available at concierge desk. Somerset Collection, Big Beaver/Coolidge, 643-6360.

FASHION SHOW

Mary Marino, designer for national chain of Chico stores, presents her new designs at noon. Refreshments. The show will be held outdoors, weather permitting. The Boardwalk, Orchard Lake/Maple, 932-5715.

MONDAY, JUNE 7

SENIOR DANCE

11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Lower level community room. Free entertainment and refreshments. Newcomers welcome. No reservations necessary. Westland Mall, Warren/Wayne, 425-5001.

MALLS & MAINSTREETS

Light side *from page 1D*

motions directors," advised Rita Bowles of Summit Place in Pontiac. "Never book guests more popular than Santa. I remember a few years back when our Santa Arrival featured appearances by the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles. Well, all the kids were fighting for a chance to hug the turtles and no one was over at Santa's workshop. It was awful."

Somerset, Laurel Park
For two feathered friends with

an attitude, the tres upscale Somerset Collection and the stately Laurel Park Place must resemble Palm Springs.

"We were hoping the double doors would eliminate birds flying into the mall," explained Tom Miles, manager of the Somerset Collection. "But every once in awhile we still find one flying around and nesting in our palm trees. We've got to catch this one before he disturbs the diners in the open air Cafe Jardin."

"We need a fishnet," mall housekeeper Rhonda Sunn yelled to her associates as they crept up on the startling drinking water from the mall's pool. Spying their approach, the bird hopped into the poolside greenery and vanished.

The management staff at Laurel Park Place in Livonia recently called a pair of wildlife enthusiasts to relocate a mother duck and her 10 ducklings squawking near a high automobile traffic

area on the shopping center's property.

When the babies hatched, many of the mall's employees, including Joe Shevala of Y Not Yogurt fed the feathered family.

"Croissants and water seemed to be the favorite snack," joked Shevala.

Linda and Steve Gray of Garden City, volunteers with the Howell Nature Center, moved the family to a more rustic residence at Hines Park.

Franklin *from page 1D*

"One does carry a lot of information in the planner and it becomes vital to the smooth operation of a day," he said. "Once you discover what it can do for you, you become vehement about having one. It's not a good thing to

lose or misplace." There's even a student success cassette geared specifically toward high school and college students, and a computer software planner program. The smallest-size planner in a vinyl binder costs \$9.95 and prices

range between \$9.95 and \$250 for the largest planner in a leather binder. Many people start small and upgrade along the way, Foley advised.

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How Proposal A will affect local taxpayers

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Accountants from Arthur Andersen & Co. figured some typical tax results for some typical people in many communities.

This newspaper provided the firm median income figures from the U.S. Census and median owner-occupied home value figures from the marketing sources. We took half the home value as the state equalized valuation (SEV) on which the property tax is based.

The state Senate Fiscal Agency provided figures on current school millages and expected millage changes if Proposal A passes.

The accountants calculated the impact on the property tax bill and the typical increase in sales taxes. Then they figured the increase in federal income taxes (because property taxes are deductible from income but sales taxes aren't) and the state income tax increase (because of the loss of the Homestead Credit).

Here are the median family figures:

Garden City School District — net increase of \$60. Based on city resident with median family income of \$32,975, median SEV of \$29,850, property tax savings of 17.6 mills or \$525, sales tax increase of \$239, federal tax increase of \$32, state income tax increase \$315.

Livonia School District — net increase of \$201. Based on Livonia 481154 median family income of \$45,371, home SEV of \$47,400, property tax savings of 5.9 mills or \$280, sales tax increase of \$296, federal tax increase of \$17, state income tax increase \$168.

Livonia School District — net increase of \$158. Based on Westland median family income of \$29,449, home SEV of \$31,700, property tax savings of 5.9 mills or \$187, sales tax increase of \$222, federal tax increase of \$11, state income tax increase \$112.

Plymouth-Canton School District — net cut of \$2. Based on Canton Township 48187 median family income of \$36,633, home SEV of \$54,650, property tax savings of 13.94 mills or \$762, sales tax increase of \$257, federal tax increase of \$46, state income tax increase \$457.

Plymouth-Canton School District — net cut of \$204. Based on Plymouth Township median family income of \$41,665, home SEV of \$63,600, property tax savings of 13.94 mills or \$887, sales tax increase of \$280, federal tax increase of \$85, state income tax increase \$317.

Redford Union School District — net increase of \$59. Based on Redford 48240 median income of \$30,930, home SEV of \$28,750, property tax savings of 17.4 mills or \$500, sales tax increase of \$229, federal tax increase of \$59, state income tax increase \$300.

South Redford School District — net increase of \$130. Based on Redford 48239 median income of \$32,680, home SEV of \$28,750, property tax savings of 11 mills or \$316, sales tax increase of \$238, federal tax increase of \$19, state income tax increase \$190.

Wayne-Westland School District — net increase of \$158. Based on Westland 48185 median income of \$29,495, home SEV of \$31,700, property tax cut of 20.1 mills or \$637, sales tax increase of \$222, federal tax increase of \$38, state income tax increase \$382.

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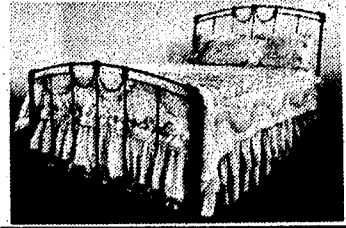
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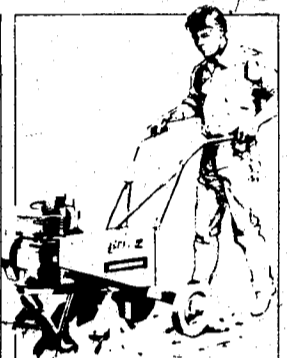
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Angelou has message of love and courage

By BONNIE SHELLNUT
SPECIAL WRITER

Maya Angelou, one of the country's most visible poets, said she came to Livonia recently to speak about love.

Although the message she brought was simple, her presentation was both romantically lyrical and deeply spiritual. As if she were composing a poem on stage, Angelou, a tall, rich-voiced, woman in her 60s, punctuated her delivery with humor, music and metaphor.

Invited by Walsh College in Troy, the Citizens Insurance Co. of America and the Danforth Holley Leadership Program, Angelou said that love is a source of human dignity.

She was a single mother in her teens in the 1940s. And, as a black woman, she saw the ugly face of racial discrimination in America and worked with Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. in the civil rights struggle. She was appointed to serve on President Jimmy Carter's commission for women in the mid '70s. She also served as a cultural ambassador to Ghana. Angelou has spent her life exploring humanity.

Inaugural poetry

A popular writer with 12 books to her credit, millions saw Angelou for the first time on television on Jan. 20, when she read her commissioned poem "On The Pulse of Morning" for President Bill Clinton's inauguration. She was the first poet to be given that honor since Robert Frost delivered his poetry for President John F. Kennedy's inauguration in 1961.

Angelou's appearance on the "Arsenio Hall Show" after the inauguration sparked renewed interest in her work, which has spanned five decades. Probably the most well-known book is her autobiography, "I Know Why The Caged Bird Sings," a story of her experiences as a black girl growing up in Stamps, Ark.

Originally scheduled for the Troy Marriott in February, in her lecture at Livonia's Laurel Manor, Angelou said that people today "owe their existence to the love of the ones who have gone on before."

She advised young and old alike to go to the library to find meaning to life, as it has been written about by so many wise people.

Defining love as "the courage to build bridges and to reach other human beings," she also challenged audience members to practice courage, the "most important virtue."

Words to live by

Although Angelou spoke about the black experience, she encouraged everyone to live by a spiritual standard of having the courage to do that which is right.

During the lecture and the question-and-answer period, Angelou's personal philosophy of life was evident.

■ Life: "Life is our most precious gift."

■ Contribution to society: "Everything you do is for the entire species. Everything you leave undone is a loss to the entire species."

■ Racial separatism: "I will not give one inch of what we gained nor will I take one inch from anyone . . . I have given up the best of what we had to take the worst of what they had."

■ Inequality: "The world is filled with strife — ageism, sexism, racism . . . I must have a sense of self-love or I will be unable to deal with these issues fairly."

■ People: "Humans are more alike than we are unlike." "We are all worth something."

Simple style

David A. Spencer, president of Walsh College, asked the poet what gave her the creative spark to write, act and produce. She answered: "I'm a practicing Christian . . . Some say they are 'already' Christians, but I am still practicing. And it is in the ecstasy of the spiritual flow that . . . the creator smiles on it."

The WTVS-TV (Channel 56) City for Youth Choir, featuring more than 50 young Detroit area male and female voices, and directed by Dr. Deborah Smith, presented two songs to close the program.

After Angelou had taken her seat in the audience and the children had lined up in four rows in front of the stage, Angelou — true to her simple, unassuming style — got up from her seat, came to the stage and asked that the podium be removed so that the choir could sing on the stage. She even started to help Spencer remove the podium.



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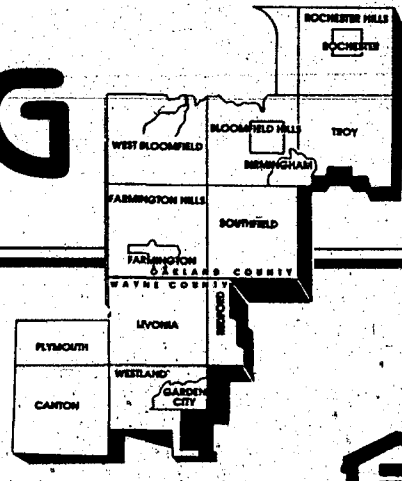
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303 W. Bloomfield-Keego Orchard Lake
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304 Farmington Farmington Hills
BY OWNER
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306 Southfield-Lathrup
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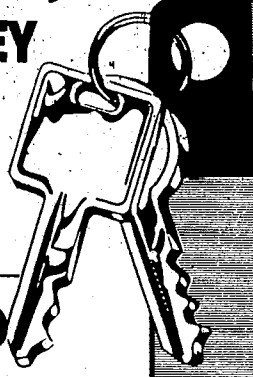
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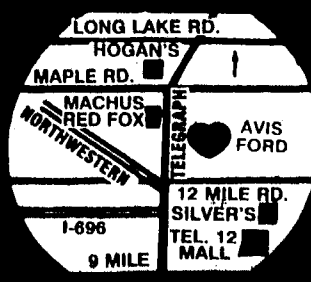
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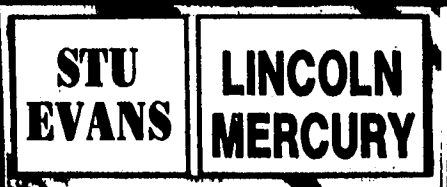
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CHILD CARE WORKER needed for general maintenance skills, part time.

CHURCH ORGANIST/Congreg. Choir Director. Must be able to read music.

CIGARETTE Smokers - Quick cash! Need regular and lower priced, non-menthol brands for a market research project.

CLASSIC ROCK & Country working band needs. Work most weekends.

CLEANING POSITIONS Evenings, Part-time Livonia & Plymouth 282-2372

CNC MILL PROGRAMMER Must have experience in programming/setup on CNC vertical milling center with FANUC controls.

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CNC MACHINIST SETUP/PROGRAMMER-LATHE Full or part-time, P.O. Box 811 Taylor, MI 48180

CNC MACHINISTS - Lathe, horizontal & vertical. Experienced only. Permanent position with growing company.

COLLECTOR National Leasing position looking for experienced goal-oriented collector to handle commercial accounts.

COLLEGE STUDENTS to drive icecream trucks. Routes in Livonia & suburbs.

COLLEGE STUDENTS Summer assembly position available at small shop.

COLLEGE STUDENTS! Window cleaning on homes. We are willing to train.

COLLEGE STUDENTS receiving financial aid. Hurry! Summer Jobs!

COLLEGE STUDENTS! Immediate opening, full & part time hours available.

COLLEGE STUDENTS! Due to 1993 expansion, we must fill 62 openings in our new stores.

CATALOG CALLS DO YOU WANT \$7-\$9/HR? Our company receives over 85,000 calls/mo. from customers.

\$8.50 to start! Flexible hours/over-time available. Must be neat and articulate.

Change Your Life! Start a new career in real estate today. Call Carol Sheaton.

CHEF - PREP COOK Farmington Hills. Will train. Full time. Great morning hours.

CHILD CARE ASSISTANT - 1 mile & 1/2 hour for home day care.

COMPUTER OPERATOR - Part time to run backups from 4-10pm.

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COMPUTER SYSTEMS LIAISON Entry level position available for individuals with Associates Degree.

CUSTOMER SERVICE REP hard working, dependable person for evening express Company.

COURIER Large suburban based HMO seeks individual for courier position.

COUNTERHELP & PIZZA MAKER Part or full time. Livonia. Call Angelo, 281-0600

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DIRECT CARE STAFF Previous experience with developmentally disabled preferred.

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DRIVER - MFLA - Part time for N. Suburban insurance agency.

DRIVER - Deliver flowers for the best florist in Detroit, full or part time.

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ELECTRICIAN needed for new home wiring. Apply in person at Basic Electric, 4688 Ford Rd., Canton Twp.

ELECTRICIANS-JOURNEYMEN M/F & Helper. Residential experience. Apply June 1, 9am-12 Noon at: 35397 Eight Mile, Livonia. 522-1818

ENGINEER Suburban OEM supplier seeks a strong Mechanical Engineer, who wants to work on diverse projects in product engineering. A BSME is required. Familiarity with Big 3 quality requirements and CAD is a definite plus. Send resume to: Box #258 Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia MI 48150

ENTRY LEVEL POSITIONS Due to recent promotions & expansion of our local facilities of a large appliance manufacturing company, our Wayne County company is actively seeking ambitious men and women to start work immediately. These positions include, but are not limited to: Sales, Service and Production. Full training, Appointments must be able to start work with immediate training. For interview call Mon & Tues 961-2879

ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNICIAN

GROUNDWATER TECHNOLOGY, a leading environmental services firm, is looking for an experienced Technician to perform on-site maintenance of soil & groundwater remediation systems, maintain records of system performance, install groundwater recovery equipment, and collect water/soil samples. Candidates must have a high school diploma, valid Michigan driver's license, and 2+ years relevant work experience. 40-HR OSHA training is preferred. Ability to lift 50 lbs. required. Please send resume and cover letter of interest including work history to:

Human Resources/F00351 GROUNDWATER TECHNOLOGY 23933 Research Drive Farmington Hills, MI 48335 NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE. Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer

ESTIMATOR needed immediately for busy moving company. Sales experience helpful. Must be computer literate. Moving, 1825 Bellvue, Royal Oak, 1 block S. of 12 mile off Campbell.

EVENING MANAGER/Counter help needed. The Yogurt Hut, 3322 W. 12 mile, Farmington Hills. 313-489-9395

EVENING Office Cleaning Supervisor needed part-time. Livonia, Farmington, Novi & Plymouth Areas. Heavy cleaning. Call: 421-3158

EXCELLENT opportunity for Cosmetologist or barber in a busy beautiful Westland salon. Call Sam 421-3158

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR Non-profits organization seeking for executive director from Oakland County. Send resume & salary requirements to: Box 322 Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia MI 48150

EXPANSION COLLEGE STUDENTS '93 HIGH SCHOOL GRADS Local branch headquarters have part time/full time summer and permanent positions. \$5.50/hr. to start, flexible summer schedule.

474-8086 Call Monday-Sunday, 9am-8pm

EXPERIENCED CARPETING Cleaning Technician. Chauffeurs license a must. Ferndale area. Call Mon-Fri, 8-5pm 547-5507

EXPERIENCED HOME CLEANERS \$5.50/hr. No evening or weekend. Pays checks weekly from #1 company. Car needed, mileage paid. 8 positions available. 471-0930

EXPERIENCED MASTER LICENSED Lincoln Contracting/VEVEY 40 hrs. plus/week guaranteed. Great benefits. Good pay. Please call Steve at 313-478-7030

EXPERIENCED TELEMARKETERS Must have outgoing personality and enjoys selling appointments. Hry & commission & bonuses. Call Angela 525-3700

FABRICATION/ASSEMBLY Person needed in fluid power distributor located in Novi. Excellent benefits. Send resume to: Box 318 Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia MI 48150

FACIALIST NEEDED For Grosse Pointe salon. 882-8240

FACTORY JOBS to \$18/HR Local Plants (Hrings) HOTEL JOBS to \$13/HR (Many types/Many Trns) HOUSEWORK/DOMEY (to \$14/HR. Start Now!) BANK TELLER to \$7/HR (Local/Many Trns) ANIMAL CARE to \$13/HR (Must love pets)

FARMINGTON AREA Real Estate Part-time position. Hourly compensation. 478-6008

FRITER - heavy steel plates, bases, columns, etc. 3 yrs. experience. Livonia. 422-5212

FOUR-SLIDE Setup and operate, 6hrs or afternoons. Experienced only. Production Spring Court. 775-8592

FULL TIME Paint Sales Person for paint & decorating store. Apply: Painters Supply, 8255 Middlebelt, Garden City. 422-5212

500 Help Wanted

FACTORY POSITIONS West side location. Novi, Canton, Plymouth, Livonia. Must have reliable transportation. Top pay! 458-1600

FAST CASH FOR THE SUMMER! COLLEGE STUDENTS WELCOME Work close to home. Many jobs 4 hours a week. Immediate openings for the following positions:

PRESS OPERATORS WAREHOUSE ASSEMBLY GENERAL LABOR MACHINE SHOP PACKAGING

Temp-Med Insurance, Cash Bonuses, Holiday Pay, Overtime Pay. LIVONIA 484-2100 SOUTHFIELD 352-1300 AUBURN HILLS 373-7500 NEVER A FEE

SNELLING PERSONNEL SERVICES FLORAL SALES & Counter Help, Full-time. Strong English skills must Southernfield. Call: 262-1234

FULL-TIME ASSOCIATE Needed in the Livonia Market PART-TIME ASSOCIATE Needed in the Westland Market

If you are bright, energetic, friendly, and looking for a challenge, the PLYMOUTH SHOES is the place for you. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to: Customer Service, Merchandising, and Processing Shipments.

We Offer: +30% Associate Merchandise Discounts + On-the-Job Training + Competitive Wages and Benefits + Promotional Opportunities

Apply in person at: PLYMOUTH SHOES 8700 Middlebelt Rd., Livonia, MI 48150 OR: PLYMOUTH SHOES 141 N. Wayne Rd., Westland, MI 48185 Plymouth Shoes is an Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/D/V

General DELIVERY DRIVERS COURIERS Courteous & well groomed man or woman needed for full time positions. Start immediately. Must have own vehicle & insurance. CALL BETH 313-353-4558

GENERAL HELP COLLEGE STUDENTS Immediate positions available at a major company in the Westland area. Must be able to work 7:30am-4pm, Mon. - Fri. Steel tool fabrication. Range \$45-68/hr. or interview today.

SOMEBODY SOMETIME 18320 Middlebelt 477-1282

GENERAL LABORERS NOW HIRING

CORPORATE PERSONNEL SERVICES 261-1120

GENERAL LABOR Machine Operators Light Assembly Heavy work with experience Royal Oak/Troy/Pontiac

WOLVERINE STAFFING (313) 879-9070

GENERAL OFFICE - Fast paced west side Detroit office looking for outgoing individual who enjoys dealing with the public. Must type 80 wpm. J & A Auction, 18000 Fullerton I-98 & Greenfield. 837-0900

GENERAL SHOP MACHINIST - 1-2 years experience on Lathe and/or Grinding preferred. Full time. Benefits. Call 591-1041

GRINDER HAND SURFACE Experienced on blueprint details, gauges, Ford & GM quality shop. Birdair Tool & Gauge Farmington Hills. 474-5150

HOUSEKEEPER - For Plymouth area. Positions also available throughout the entire suburban Detroit area. To set up an interview, please call Paul at 1-800-868-8484

GROUP HOME Assistant Manager Livonia area home serving developmentally disabled adults seeks Assistant Manager. Experience must include team based personnel management, client care, & home operations. Benefits offered. At term/on shift, Blue Cross/Shield Insurance. Call 10am-4pm: 537-9058

NAIL TECHNICIAN wanted for Nail Oasis. Busy salon in Troy. Must be Licensed. Apply for appointment 689-0402

HANDY PERSON Responsible, mature for apt complex. Plymouth. Must know heating, plumbing, electrical, etc. 455-1216

HARD WORKING friendly individual to do phone work. This person will be trading computer equipment with our customer base. No experience necessary. A positive attitude is necessary. Send resume to: American Computer Exchange, 24188 Highway # Farmington Hills, MI 48335. Attn: Brandie Hooper.

HOME DELIVERY SERVICE is hiring part time, 20-32 hrs./week for customer consultant. Keyboard & good phone communication experience a plus. Located in Livonia. Call for interview, 281-6260

Homemakers - Students Retirees We are seeking hard working, high energy, self motivated individuals for varied positions. We offer competitive starting pay, flexible schedules, 10% discount, regular performance reviews & merit raises. Apply at our Service Desk anytime during store hrs. 7days/wk. 30032 Grand River, Farmington, MI. 48338

HORSEBACK RIDING Instructor, 21 yrs. or older for Summer day camp. Canton. 495-8222

SHERATON OAKS Hotel in Novi (I-98 & Novi Rd.) hiring for positions of Room Attendants/Housekeeping Dept., Prep Cooks & Kitchen Utility Dishwashers. Full or part time, weekends required. Applications available at the hotel or call Sheraton Drive, Novi. 348-5000

HOTEL FRONT DESK CLERK Hours Negotiable Villages Inn, Birmingham 642-6000

HOUSEKEEPER, PART-TIME, Days & evenings. Apply in person: American Home, 14385 Middlebelt Rd., Livonia. No calls please.

HOUSEKEEPER PLUS Full time for group home in Farmington area. Mon.-Fri. 11 AM.-3 PM., good driving record a must. \$8 per hour. For apply: 478-0870

HOUSEKEEPING SUPERVISOR for retirement community located in Southfield, Mon. - Fri. 32 hours week. Benefits offered. Apply in person at The Heatherwood, 22600 Civic Center Dr.

HUMAN RESOURCE \$35/K. Major Companies Hiring JOB BROKERS-FEE 539-9708

500 Help Wanted

GIRLS WANTED from Michigan between 7-19 to compete in this year's 7th Annual 1993 Detroit Pageants. Over \$200 prizes and scholarships. Call today: 1-800-PAGEANT ext. 39106 (1-800-724-3268)

Graphic Arts/Desk Top Publishing to \$25/HR. Min. \$16.00 JOB BROKERS-FEE 639-9706

GROUNDKEEPER - do you like working outdoors? Do you like working with a winning team? If you answered "yes" and have a full time position open for you! Apply in person Mon. - Fri. Spring Valley Apts., Halstead Rd. between 11-12 Mile Rds. 624-0004

HOUSEKEEPING Cleaning person needed for Farmington Hills apartment community to clean vacant units prior to new tenant moves. Experience preferred. References required. Call Melissa to schedule an appointment at: 313-524-4020

HOUSEKEEPERS WANTED Day positions. Must have transportation. \$5.50 per hour with transportation. Call 522-4772

HOUSEKEEPING/LEASING Person needed with experience for apartment complex in Novi. Full time position. Call Mon.-Fri. 524-0004

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HVAC CENTER PERSON - local pool area. Excellent 40 HR. benefits. Full time. Experience to be preferred. Send resume to: BOX 350, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia MI 48150

HYDRAULIC PLUMBING UNIT BUILDERS RHM Fluid Power, a leading power unit builder is seeking experienced hydraulic tube fitters and assemblers. Top benefits and compensation package. Please send resume only to: RHM Fluid Power, 375 Manufacturers Dr., Westland, MI 48185

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS available for infant & preschool teacher. Excellent benefits. Call Melissa to schedule an appointment at: 313-524-4020

INDUSTRIAL ENGINEER to tutor student 2 hrs. twice a week in the evenings. Core competency must include the ability to teach blue print readings of automotive interior trim plastic parts, & tool design. Call 644-0427

INJECTION MOLDING Mechanical Technicians Must be able to trouble-shoot & repair electrical hydraulic & mechanical problems. Must have good communication skills. Send resume to: P.O. Box 9287, Livonia, MI 48150

INSPECTOR - must know blueprint reading, gages, SPC & have above average learning skills. Excellent benefits & benefits apply at 2888 John R. Madison-Hts

INSTALLER Immediate opening for an installer at Metro Detroit's largest cellular communications equipment firm. In-person or telephone interview. Competitive wages & benefits. Must be dependable and have a good driving record. Must be able to work some Saturdays. The following locations: Mobiltronics, Inc., 31075 John R. Madison Heights, MI 48070 or 32625 Northwestern Hwy. (Just south of 4 Mile) or 1532 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham (between 14 & 15 Mile Rds.)

NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE INSTALLERS & SALES people for car audio business. Full time position. Excellent benefits. Call Paul at 1-800-868-8484

INSULATION INSTALLERS Will train. Able to do home or industrial. 22811 Hesper, E. of Novi Rd. N. off I-98. Novi

Insurance - Experienced Only AGENCY POSITIONS CSR's-Marketing-Clients-Raters CONCORD PERSONNEL 478-2200 All Fees Company Paid

INSURANCE REPAIR CONTRACTOR Needs experienced Carpenters Rough/Finish Painters, Drywall Plaster. Part/full time. Must have truck & tools. 255-2510

INTERVIEWERS Dynamic Marketing Research Firm seeks experienced, part-time telephone interviewers for all shifts (weekdays & WEEKENDS). Qualifications are: Excellent Phone Skills, Computer and/or Typing skills. Ideal for homemakers, students, stay at home mothers re-entering the job market. NO SALES INVOLVED Call interior 827-4021

INTERIOR DESIGNER With interior design background wanted for upscale Birmingham based firm. Send resume to: office manager, 214 Woodward, Birmingham, MI 48009

INVENTORY CONTROL & Custom Paint Trainer wanted, 40 hours part time, off 1-75 & Rochester St. office manager, 214 Woodward, Birmingham, MI 48009

INVENTORY/SHIPPING/RECEIVING CLERK Southfield manufacturer seeking a motivated and self-starting person for an immediate opening in computer work in the stock room. Must have shipping and receiving experience. Also able to assist in inventory control. Please call immediately. Call Mon-Fri, 8-4:30 359-5950

ITALIAN FOOD WHOLESALER in Detroit area seeks experienced, energetic, pleasant worker for warehouse operation to fill & check orders, load & unload trucks. Please call Mon.-Fri. 8:30-4pm to schedule an interview. 538-3020

I/D./O.D. GRINDERS Downriver manufacturer seeks I/D/O.D. Grinders with a minimum of 3-5 years experience for the afternoon shift. Qualified candidates should apply in person at: Link Tool & Manufacturing Co., 14950 N. State Rd., Taylor, MI 48180-3044 No phone calls please.

JANITORIAL COMPANY Looking for experienced Operations Manager for the Detroit area. Must have 2 years college & 3-5 years experience in same or comparable position. Must be computer oriented. Must work well with people. If qualified send resume to: Personnel Director, 8600 Wyoming, Dearborn, MI 48126. EOE

JANITOR - to clean/brn nightly. Ask for Ralph or Peggy. Mulligans Pub & Grub, 27406 W 8 Mile, Farmington Hills, MI.

JOB PLACEMENT FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES Take our placement exam and let us help you discover the job that fits you best. We place people in over 60 different careers. Rich High School Diploma graduates, 17 years old, paid on-the-job training. Learn a valuable skill with general wage & allowance. Full time. Call for interview. 281-6260

JOBPLACEMENT FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES Large National Corporation needs warehouse help. Long term. All shifts open. ARBOR TEMPS 459-1166 9433 Haggerty, Plymouth MI

JOBS! 1-800-868-8484 LONG TERM - SECRETARIES - WORD PROCESSORS - DATA ENTRY - CLERICAL - LIVONIA & TROY AREAS Employment Group Since 1958 583-1919

NO FEES E.O.E. M/F/D/V

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JANITORIAL COMPANY looking for Custodians, Porters and Maids M/F, to work 4, 5, 6 & 8 hour shifts between 6:00 & 9:00 pm. Excellent wages & benefits. Please send resume to: American Computer Exchange, 24188 Highway # Farmington Hills, MI 48335. Attn: Brandie Hooper.

LOVE PLANTS? Dependable, energetic persons needed to care for live plants on commercial locations. Must be well groomed & able to communicate well. Full or part time. Flexible call reply. Call 458-8387

MACHINE OPERATOR/Set-up Trained Mech/Shop employee. 37-39 hours. Benefits. E.O.E. JTPA funded. Call Star at: 960-1600

MACHINE OPERATORS \$9 AN HOUR Individuals needed immediately for production work in Farmington Hills. Must have machine operating experience and must have ability to read blueprints. Excellent benefits. Call Star at: 960-1600

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LEASING SERVICE ORIENTED LAWN CARE COMPANY - is now hiring a sales person. Must be a professional, well educated, reliable, & have a good driving record is also necessary. We offer a comprehensive training program. If you are interested in growing with us, call 478-9393

LAWN CARE EXPERIENCED in lawn maintenance, full part time for established lawn company. Pay according to experience. If interested contact Chris at, 699-4308

LAWN CARE HELP Some experience necessary. Must be reliable. Call Ken 737-5598

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LAWN MAINTENANCE Must be experienced in operating a grass whip. 592-1344

LAWN MAINTENANCE Must be experienced with commercial lawn care. Dependable. Must be own reliable transporter. Must be able to work long hours. Farmington area. 477-1234

LAWN SERVICE LABORERS Needed in Novi/Hyatt/Plymouth. No experience necessary. Call Tom 344-8887

LEASING AGENT Full time, some weekends. Must have 2 years experience. Good communication skills & light typing required. Housing provided. Send resume to: Independence Insurance & Investment Services, 474-8829, Farmington Hills, MI 48335, or call 471-6800

LEASING AGENT for large apt. community, successful selling skills, good computer ability & several yrs. experience serving the public. Light typing skills and ability to follow directions required. Call 645-9600

LEASING CONSULTANT Needed for luxury apartment community in Novi. Please call 448-1712

LEASING CONSULTANT Part time, for Belleville area apt. community. (mainly weekends). Please contact Carol at 609-3555

LIFEGUARD - Full time for Birmingham Hill apartment pool. Must be certified & be able to work long hours. 332-7400

LIGHT ASSEMBLY for small Plymouth shop. No experience needed. No medical benefits. \$5-88 per hour to start. 8:00am-4pm. Mon thru Fri. Apply: Sound Around, 9119 General Ct. between Haggerty & Lley off Ann Arbor Rd., Westland. Call 754-9507

LIGHT INDUSTRIAL Redford companies need reliable people. Recent experience on a dock or factory for long term positions. Call LO 327-0848 Uniform Temporary Services

LIGHT INDUSTRIAL POSITIONS No experience necessary. Great opportunities for summer or temporary to permanent employment. Day & afternoon shifts available. Send resume to: Call for appointment today. Westland: 313-722-9060 Allen Park: 313-382-2342

LIQUOR DRIVER wanted, experienced preferred. Part/full time available. Send resume to: 4772 Tara Ct. W. Bloomfield, 48323

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EMPLOYMENT

<p>504 Help Wanted Office-Clerical</p> <p>ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Must be personable & professional. Excellent phone skills, bookkeeping & computer knowledge a must. Apply to: Lyons Manufacturing, 13017 Newburgh, Livonia.</p> <p>ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: For Troy contractor, 1 person office, full time. Word processing, accounts payable/receivable, bookkeeping experience required. Send resume & salary requirements to 3850 W. Big Beaver Rd., Troy, MI 48064.</p> <p>ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: We are looking for an individual with some accounting experience. Applicant must have good communications skills & work well with others. This is a permanent part-time position. Contact Mr. Houston at Globe Furniture Rentals: 355-4330.</p> <p>ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: For Growing Redford Co. 1 person office, full time position, accounts payable/receivable, bookkeeping, word processing, inventory control, answering phones. Send resume & salary requirements to: 286, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia MI 48150</p> <p>ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT TO \$22,000</p> <p>A well established consumer products distributor offers a secure future and great benefits. Executive secretarial skills and experience for this. Short hand a plus. Call Bernice 404-9099 Snelling Personnel Services</p> <p>ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY</p> <p>Property Management company seeking secretary with strong clerical and word processing skills. Ability to interact and communicate on a professional level. Your chance for involvement.</p> <p>Call OFFICE TEAM today.</p> <p>Phone Fax 558-0222 358-0941 28588 Northwestern Hwy #250 Livonia, MI 48150 Vacation and Holiday Pay Health Care Benefits/EOE</p> <p>ADVERTISING SECRETARY</p> <p>National advertising agency needs experienced WP 5.1 candidate. Top pay. 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Candidates are expected to have phone skills and light computer experience. Flexible hours. Call: 465-1636</p> <p>BOOKKEEPER/SECURITY</p> <p>Full time, 1 person office. Good phone skills & computer experience necessary. Perfect for those re-entering the work force. Send resume with salary requirements to: 1939 Brook River, Detroit, MI 48226</p> <p>BOOKKEEPER (8-Hour)</p> <p>Part-time, 20 hrs. Computer experience thru trial balance. Ask for Frank D'Angelo 484-6400</p> <p>CASH IN ON SUMMER</p> <p>SECRETARIES experienced with Microsoft Word for Windows, WordPerfect and/or LOTUS. Experience with transcription helpful.</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST with typing ability.</p> <p>DATA ENTRY high production. Send resume or call for an appointment today!</p> <p>Livonia 522-4020 29125 Buckingham 754 Livonia, MI 48154</p> <p>Westland 326-5590 895 Wayne Rd. Livonia, MI 48155</p>	<p>504 Help Wanted Office-Clerical</p> <p>BOOKKEEPER/SECURITY</p> <p>Long established construction company looking for full time individual who is experienced in bookkeeping & computer. Short hand or speedwriting helpful, but not required. Send resume to: K&I, P.O. Box 5001, Farmington Hills, MI 48334.</p> <p>NEW OFFICE NEEDS MATURER TAKE CHARGE PERSON TO DO PHONES, MAIL (IN/OUT), UPS, ORDER SUPPLIES, ETC. Will teach WordPerfect 5.1. Send resume to: P.O. Box 844, Birmingham, AL 35212. No smoking.</p> <p>CLERICAL OPPORTUNITIES ARE WAITING FOR YOU AT ADIA</p> <p>Must have at least 1-2 yrs. office experience. Good communication & organizational skills are necessary. Call for appointment at: 313-722-9606 or 313-382-2342</p> <p>CLERICAL/PART-TIME</p> <p>Position available immediately. We are looking for responsible, dependable & hardworking person. Evenings & weekends required.</p> <p>Apply in person: SNEILING PERSONNEL SERVICE 4110 Telegraph, Bloomfield Hills.</p> <p>CLERICAL SUMMER JOBS!</p> <p>Are you looking for a summer job that will give you experience in an office environment? We have several positions in clerical positions available for enthusiastic, self-motivated individuals. These positions are full time (temporary) and will involve performing various clerical functions. Starting rate is \$6 per hour.</p> <p>These are IMMEDIATE OPENINGS. Please apply Mon-Fri, 9am-4pm. Be sure to indicate on the application that you are interested in Summer Temporary Employment and what your available dates are (Start date - Finish date).</p> <p>HUMAN RESOURCE SERVICE CENTER</p> <p>27555 Farmington Rd. (Corner of 12 Mile Rd.) Farmington Hills, MI 48334</p> <p>Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/D</p> <p>CLERK TYPIST I</p> <p>Canton Township is accepting applications for the position of full time Clerk Typist I in order to establish an Eligibility List. Minimum 45 wpm, 17,020/yr. Applications must be picked up at the Canton Township Personnel Division, 150 S. Cassin Center Rd., Canton, MI 48108 or send a self-addressed stamped envelope to above address to request application form. Job description will be posted at the Township Administration Building. Last date for filing completed application: June 9, 1993 at 4pm. No phone calls please. The Charter Township of Canton has an Equal Opportunity Employer.</p> <p>CLERK TYPIST/PART TIME</p> <p>20 hours per week (flexible, may include evenings & Saturdays). Duties include: typing (50wpm) court reports, answering phones, filing, preparing payrolls, filing. Word perfect diploma preferred. High school diploma minimum. 5 years experience in clerical position. 6012 Merriman, Garden City MI 48135. EOE</p> <p>COMPUTER KNOWLEDGEABLE</p> <p>for wholesale meat company. 8634 Fankel, Detroit. Good handwriting. Ability of running adding machine with speed, bookkeeping hrs: 8:30am-2:30pm. 884-4456</p> <p>CONSUMER RESEARCH</p> <p>Suburban market opinion firm has openings. Candidates are expected to have phone skills and light computer experience. Flexible hours. Call: 465-1636</p> <p>CUSTOMER SERVICE</p> <p>Expanding company is seeking hardworking individual with pleasant phone voice and good attitude. Must be able to handle customer interaction. Great working environment. Please send resume to: 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, MI 48150.</p> <p>CUSTOMER SERVICE</p> <p>Canton company looking for person who possesses ability to handle customers in a professional manner and can process orders on a timely basis. Thoroughness is a priority. Please send salary requirements and resume to: Box 349, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia MI 48150</p> <p>CUSTOMER SERVICE/ORDER ENTRY</p> <p>Livonia based company is seeking an individual to work in customer service department. Duties include order entry, billing and customer order status inquiry. Candidates should have a flexible professional phone manner. Send resume with salary requirements to: Customer Service 31823 Industrial Dr. Livonia, MI 48150</p> <p>CUSTOMER SERVICE</p> <p>National marketing firm has immediate openings for your clear voice and high computer experience. Flexible hours. Call Claire 646-7664</p> <p>CUSTOMER SERVICE/INSIDE SALES</p> <p>Manufacturers representative of electronic equipment is seeking a detailed oriented individual to join our distributor's sales department. Must be team player, highly organized & have good phone skills. Working knowledge of word processing & spread sheets a must. College degree preferred. Send resume with salary requirements to: Office Manager, 22785 Heslip Drive, Ste 101, Novi, MI 48375</p> <p>FULL-TIME CLERICAL</p> <p>available in newly store repair department. Must be organized and have good communication skills. Computer skills a must and jewelry experience preferred. Send resume to: TAPPER'S JEWELRY 28400 W. 12 Mile Rd. Southfield, MI 48034</p> <p>DATA ENTRY OPERATOR</p> <p>Fast growing Bloomfield Hills Company looking for a reliable data entry operator. P.C. knowledge necessary. Experience with Peachtree 2.0 a plus. Send resume to: Gly Derm, Inc., 4120 W. Maple Rd., Bloomfield Hills, MI 48301. Attn: Data Entry</p>	<p>504 Help Wanted Office-Clerical</p> <p>CUSTOMER SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE</p> <p>Michigan based Bank is looking for a Part-Time Customer Service Representative in the Cleveland Area. We are a service-oriented team committed to quality in products and customer relations.</p> <p>We offer benefits such as tuition and related class for one job related class a semester, 401 K participation, an optional life insurance program, and other.</p> <p>The ideal candidate will have a high school diploma and at least two years of recent customer service as well as cash handling experience. In addition, good communication skills, typing ability and math aptitude are required.</p> <p>Qualified candidates should send their resumes to Box 334:</p> <p>Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia MI 48150</p> <p>DATA ENTRY CLERK</p> <p>Needed In Royal Oak to work from 9am-12pm, Mon-Fri.</p> <p>We offer top incentives: - Cash - Trips - Paid Holidays - 2 weeks vacation.</p> <p>Call for an appointment.</p> <p>TODAYS TEMPORARY 649-2936</p> <p>DATA ENTRY</p> <p>Highest pay for your attention to detail for alphabet & numeric input/output service firm. Darlene 473-2936</p> <p>DATA ENTRY OPERATOR</p> <p>Experienced. Full or part time, flexible hrs. Apply between 10am & 4pm at Farmington Hills Performance Center, 36534 Plymouth Rd., Livonia, MI, 48150.</p> <p>DATA ENTRY OPERATORS</p> <p>We need you now! We are working on alphabet & numeric input/output service. Positions open in Farmington Hills, Westland, Oak Park and Troy. Turn your speed and alpha and numeric data entry skills into a top dollar opportunity. Lotus or WordPerfect background helpful but not essential.</p> <p>N S SERVICES 473-2111</p> <p>DATA ENTRY</p> <p>\$13,000/yr. + 5% data week, full benefits, Livonia area. No fee. Employment Center Agency. 465-1636</p> <p>DEPENDABLE - mature person needed to do filing, typing & general office work. Please apply in person: 1847 Inkster Rd. 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Must be able to work full-time during Summer and afternoons during school year. Please call 740-9454</p> <p>Contract Interiors</p> <p>Southfield Equal Opportunity Employer</p> <p>HOUSEKEEPER/SECURITY</p> <p>Mature, full-time, in-home office. Bloomfield Twp. 855-4411</p> <p>LEASING SECRETARY</p> <p>WordPerfect 5.1, Lotus 1,2,3, documents/telex preparation, answer phones, telemarketing, typing, general office skills. For more info, please call:</p> <p>LEGAL SECRETARY</p> <p>For Birmingham office. 1-5 years legal experience necessary. General practice. Send resume to: 265 S. Woodward, 205, Attn: Janet Pierce, Birmingham, MI 48009</p> <p>MAIL ROOM ASSISTANT</p> <p>Needed to process incoming & outgoing mail, run errands, prepare filing of heavy boxes. Permanent part-time, 24-28 hours per week. Must have valid drivers license and pass clerical test. 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Contact: 3000 Tower Center, Hwy 10, Suite 100, Farmington, MI 48334</p> <p>LEGAL SECRETARY - Full-time for general practice. Word Perfect 5.1. Submit resume & salary requirements to: 25012 Farmington Hwy, Southfield, MI 48037-2846</p> <p>LEGAL SECRETARY</p> <p>to head litigation area of Troy law firm. Benefits & salary commensurate with experience. Work will be challenging & exciting. This is an excellent career opportunity for someone with the organization, high professional work habits, and can manage people. Call Pat 643-9494</p> <p>LEGAL SECRETARY</p> <p>Experienced secretary for Southfield law firm. Knowledge of WordPerfect 5.1, excellent typing skills, phone skills and prior experience in bankruptcy law required. Salary commensurate with experience. Excellent working conditions, smoke free environment. Send resume in confidence to: Box 262, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia MI 48150</p> <p>LEGAL SECRETARY</p> <p>For Southfield law firm. Full-time. Experience in litigation, dental, or general office work. Call Sylvia 352-9580</p> <p>LEGAL SECRETARY - Troy law firm</p> <p>seeking full-time legal secretary with WordPerfect experience and minimum of 2 yrs. legal background. 643-9550</p> <p>LEGAL SECRETARY, experienced, needed for plaintiff litigation firm. Send resume to: Attention Office Manager, 3000 Tower Center, Ste. 1050, Southfield, MI 48075</p> <p>LEGAL SECRETARIES</p> <p>TEMP AND TEMP TO PERM: IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE High pay & best of Firms!!! \$33 for Referrals!</p> <p>THE KPM GROUP</p> <p>LEGAL SECRETARIES</p> <p>TEMP AND TEMP TO PERM: IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE High pay and best of Firms!!! \$33 for Referrals!</p> <p>355-2440 FAX: 355-5899</p> <p>THE KPM GROUP</p> <p>LEGAL SECRETARY (experienced) also Receptionist for Farmington Hills law firm. Call Julie Castle 468-1400</p> <p>LEGAL Secretary for Southfield sole practitioner with personal injury practice. Experienced in WordPerfect. Salary negotiable. 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Benefits include medical, dental, 401K, profit-sharing, 2 weeks vacation after 1 year, 12 paid holidays. Call 752-6784</p> <p>SNELLING PERSONNEL SERVICES</p> <p>LEGAL SECRETARY \$27,000</p> <p>Well established suburban firm, corporate litigation expert. Full time, word perfect 5.1. Quality you. Opportunity to advance, friendly environment, excellent benefits, professional, friendly. Send resume to: 77-6176 SNELLING PERSONNEL SERVICES</p> <p>MAINTENANCE PERSON</p> <p>needed full-time, on night, for luxury Ann Arbor apartment complex. Send resume & references to: Box 349, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia MI 48150</p> <p>MEDICAL BILLER</p> <p>Candidate must be experienced in collections, billing & 3rd party reimbursement for multi-specialty clinic. Must have good typing & computer skills, min. 5 yrs. experience. All replies confidential. Please send resume to: 4011 Redwood, Suite 200, 5050 Schaefer, Dearborn, MI 48126</p> <p>MICROSOFT SECRETARIES NEEDED</p> <p>We need secretaries with advanced skills to work long term & short term assignments in the Troy & Southfield areas. We offer top incentives: - Cash - Trips - Paid Holidays - 2 Weeks Vacation Pay - Paid Holidays - If you have at least 8 min. office experience, type a minimum of 55 wpm, call:</p> <p>TODAYS TEMPORARY 649-2936</p> <p>EORTGAGE DEPT - Entry level position available in Southfield business office. Convenience located off the Lodge at Laker. Accurate typing & clerical skills required. Please call Marie for interview, Mon-Fri, 9-4, 313-827-9360 ext 205. An Equal Opportunity Employer</p> <p>OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR</p> <p>Experience in customer service, collections, scheduling & Word Perfect/ Lotus. Perfect required. Must be cheerful, reliable & very organized. Attractive salary & benefits. Resume or short self-biography with salary requirements to: 10170 Augusta Ct., Livonia, MI 48152</p> <p>OFFICE MANAGER - Detroit based high volume automobile dealership seeks a highly motivated, well organized individual to manage all areas of a person operating 40+ stores. Excellent communication skills a must. Position reports to corporate treasurer. Send resume & salary history to: Box 320, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia MI 48150</p>	<p>504 Help Wanted Office-Clerical</p> <p>MEDICAL ASSISTANT needed for recently expanding clinic. Mature and reliable with back office experience and customer service. Send resume and cover letter to: P.O. Box 85077, Westland, MI 48185.</p> <p>MICROSOFT SECRETARIES NEEDED!!!</p> <p>We need secretaries with advanced skills to work long and short term assignments in the Troy and Livonia areas. 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Must have experience. NW area. Send resume to: Northwest Blueprint Co., P.O. Box 1007, Warren, MI 48092-1228</p> <p>PART TIME GENERAL OFFICE</p> <p>Position available for an individual with high School Diploma or equivalent in our Legal Department. Hours to be worked are: between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday for a total of 16 hours/week. The position requires P.C. skills and typing skills of 35 w.p.m. This individual must be able to perform clerical work with thoroughness and accuracy. Candidate must have a minimum of one year and written communication skills, and be able to organize and manage office assignments. Only non-smokers need apply and we are a substance abuse testing company. For immediate consideration apply in person Monday - Friday between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.:</p> <p>Alexander Hamilton Life Insurance Company of America 3345 Hamilton Blvd. Farmington Hills, MI 48334-3358 An Equal Opportunity Employer</p> <p>PART TIME - misc. clerical, typing, customer phone work. \$8/hr. Flexible hrs. Send resume P.O. Box 292, Farmington, MI 48329</p> <p>PART-TIME: Typist/Secretary</p> <p>Westland Canton area. In your home or mine. Mature and experienced. Need neatness more than speed. \$17-20/hr.</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST fast paced, fast growing company seeks experienced individual to answer multi line phone system as well as other clerical duties. Excellent benefits. Please send resume with salary requirements to: Attn: Office Manager, Shacoh USA, 3133 Martin Rd., Walled Lake, MI, 48390</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY proficient in WordPerfect and Lotus. Salary commensurate with experience. 377-2600</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST</p> <p>for downtown law firm, full time, with light typing experience. 981-6603 Call Shelly or Kathy</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST</p> <p>Full time position for mature, analytical, self-motivated individual. Will train. Typing skills a must. Call for appointment. 349-2500</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST, part-time for small Troy law firm. Must have good telephone skills, typing/WordPerfect, law firm experience helpful. Call Jan: 363-7450</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST/TYPIST</p> <p>Full time for Southfield CPA office. Requires pleasant phone personality & accurate typing with WordPerfect. 350-2600</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST - 1pm-9pm. Busy front desk. Experience preferred. Full time, benefits. 2810 Farmington YMCA, 2810 Farmington Livonia, MI 48330</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST/BOOKKEEPER</p> <p>Must have minimum 1 yr. computerized Accounts Payable background. Familiar with WordPerfect and general office skills. Applications with resume will be taken Tues. thru Fri., June 1st & 2nd between 10am & 4pm at 3545 W. 8 Mile Rd.</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST</p> <p>For busy Farmington Hills property management company. Must have experience on multi-line phone system. Knowledge of WordPerfect & Lotus a plus. Excellent benefits. Non smoking office. Farmington Hills, MI 48301</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY</p> <p>Part time, mature responsible person for property management company. Answer phones, typing, tenant relations, Mon, thru Fri 10am-2pm. Some full time. Bloomfield Hills area. Please respond with resume to: Box 232, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia MI 48150</p> <p>An Equal Opportunity Employer</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY with outstanding personality. Send resume to: Lorio-Rose Entertainment, 505 S. Lafayette, Royal Oak, MI 48067</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST - Afternoons, part-time for a busy auto repair shop. Must have computer literacy. Apply in person: Novi Motive Inc., 21530 Novi Rd., between 8 & 9 Mile Rds.</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST</p> <p>Front desk position with national insurance company. Must have excellent organizational and interpersonal skills. Call Gilda 357-0036</p> <p>UNIFORM Temporary Services</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST SECRETARY IN TROY</p> <p>Full time, mature, reliable, good with people, pleasant phone manner, WordPerfect, very simple bookkeeping, \$8/hour to start. 643-0068</p>	<p>504 Help Wanted Office-Clerical</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY</p> <p>For Bloomfield Hills lawfirm. Must have WordPerfect 5.1 experience. 647-4440</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST</p> <p>Long term opening for your friendly personality and experience on Executive or Rolm. Call Ruth: 646-6189</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST</p> <p>Part time, morning & afternoons for Troy advertising agency. Must be mature, personable with professional manner & appearance. Call Joseph: 841-0400</p> <p>RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY</p> <p>\$17,500 Professional manner and background sought for prestigious legal firm. 35 wpm typing. Call Arthur Thomas, 355-4140</p> <p>SALES SUPPORT SECRETARY</p> <p>C.U. Processing, Inc. provides Information Management Systems exclusively for—Grid Unions through a network of regional data centers.</p> <p>We currently have a Sales Support Secretary position our Headquarters in Southfield. You will be responsible for typing statistical reports, correspondences, contracts, and renewals, and coordinating sales meetings and trade shows. Qualified candidates will possess excellent organizational and communication skills, experience with statistical typing, 60+ WPM, proficiency in WordPerfect 5.1, and a flexible work schedule required. O&A software and the ability to use presentation software a plus.</p> <p>SECRETARY position for Staffing Coordinator/clerical position. Full time with alternating week-ends. 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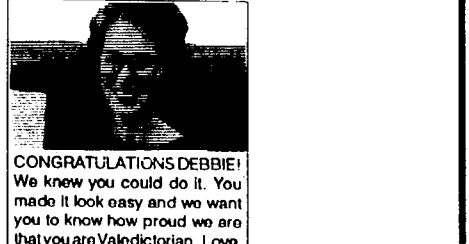
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