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Pay raises OK'd in 3 union pacts

CITY HALL

Three Westland employee groups have new contracts, but city officials said the tab won't be cheap. The agreements, which will cost taxpayers millions of dollars, angered the council president.

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

New contracts for Westland police officers, firefighters and mayoral appointees will cost taxpayers an additional $3.9 million during the next three years, according to an analysis of documents released by the city administration.

The Westland City Council approved three contracts Monday night despite warnings from President Thomas Brown that taxpayers are tired of "big pensions" for public employees, wages that outpace the private sector, and fringe benefits "that are called small but have a way of getting larger."

Brown, the lone dissenter in a trio of 5-1 votes, accused other officials of ignoring public anger at big government — an anger that he said fueled a taxpayer revolt during the Nov. 8 election.

City administration officials lashed back during one of the stormiest sessions this year, saying Brown and other council members should have provided more direction for contract negotiations.

"On the 11th hour, to be making these remarks about the contract is patently unfair," Personnel Director Kent Herbert said.

The new contracts cover the 65-member Westland Firefighters Local 1279, the 74-member Westland Police Officers Association, and 21 non-union directors and other employees appointed by the mayor's office, Herbert said.

With mayoral appointees leading the way, all three groups accepted a pay freeze for the current fiscal year and some health-care concessions, Herbert said. But contract terms in subsequent years sparked a heated debate Monday.

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Santa's feet ready for the trip



KEN GARNER

Pre-Yule checkup: *With Santa Claus scheduled to do a lot of traveling Saturday night, he visited the Westland office of podiatrist Dr. Nathan Krinsky last week to make sure his feet were in good shape. Santa is really Joe Bellante of Allen Park, who recently had a joint toes implant by Dr. Krinsky. With the doctor and Santa is Judy Gora, Krinsky's clinical supervisor. Bellante said he frequently dresses as Santa to visit nursing homes and home-bound children.*

Brothers not injured in drive-by shooting

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

Two Westland brothers escaped injury last week when an assailant fired at least 10 shots at their residence during a drive-by shooting in the 30400 block of Steinhauer, police said.

City police are still investigating a motive in the incident that occurred at 11:30 p.m. Dec. 12 in a residential neighborhood southwest of Cherry Hill and Henry Ruff.

The shots were fired from a .22-caliber rifle, Detective Sgt. Donald Haigh said.

"There's some bad blood between two families, but I don't know why," he said. "Everybody's got their own theory."

Charged in the attack is Charles Lopez, 44, who lives nearby, Haigh said. Lopez was arrested by Haigh the next day and charged with discharging a firearm into an occupied dwelling, punishable by up to four years in prison.

Lopez also faces a felony firearms charge that carries a mandatory two-year prison term upon conviction. He is scheduled for a preliminary examination today (Thursday) in Westland 18th District Court to determine whether he should stand trial.

Lopez is jailed in lieu of a $25,000 cash bond, Haigh said. A not guilty plea has been placed on record for him in the Westland court.

One of the brothers has identified Lopez as allegedly being the man who drove by and fired the shots, Haigh said. Police have confirmed that at least 10 shots were fired at the house, many of them into the living room area, Haigh said.

The brothers live at the residence with their mother and another brother, Haigh said. The mother and the third brother were away from home when the gunfire shattered the quiet of the residential neighborhood.

Advertising proposed for school buses

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

Is it possible that Taco Bell, Pearl Jam, Bugle Boy and Coca Cola could soon be hitching a school bus ride with Wayne-Westland students?

Advertising billboards could tout products on school buses and in school stadiums if a Wayne-Westland school board member's suggestion proves feasible.

Reeling from a money crisis, Wayne-Westland officials could certainly use advertising dollars to restore transportation that was eliminated in October for junior and senior high students, board member Vicki Welty said.

New revenue also could help to eliminate the pay-to-play fees that local students are shelling out to support athletics and other extracurricular activities, Welty suggested last week during a school board meeting.

"We are looking for some ways to creatively finance our schools," she told her colleagues.

"Let's do it," board member Francis "Bud" Winter said.

Welty's suggestion emerged after

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PLACES & FACES

Help is needed

The Westland Salvation Army corps is falling short in its Christmas fund raising campaign. Capt. Mark Welsh, who took over the Westland facility last spring, reported that the social service organization has $38,433.05 as of last week, just over half its $65,000 goal. Compared to last year, the Salvation Army is $10,000 behind. Money donated to the group is used to help local needy families with donations of food baskets, toys for children, and year-round assistance for food, clothing and shelter. The army's bell-ringers can be located at the Westland Target Store, on Warren Road west of Wayne Road, F&M Discount, in the same strip mall, Service Merchandise on Nankin Blvd., north of Warren Road, and outside Hudson's and Olga's at Westland Center. Groups or individuals who can donate time in the next few days may contact Welsh at 722-3660.

Holiday help

The Westland chapter of the Vietnam Veterans of America last week donated food baskets to local needy families, said president Nick Patrny. In Chapter 387's fourth holiday program, the group has helped more than 60 families at Christmas time. The president said the chapter recently received a call about a family which had just moved to Michigan and has numerous problems. The chapter responded by raising $250 which was then used to buy Meijer's Store gift certificates and given to the family. Foodland Distributors of Livonia donated the food to the needy families in the past four years, Patryn said.

Skaters return with honors

Westland's brother-and-sister figure skating team recently returned from Europe with more honors. Danielle and Steven Hartsell placed first in the junior pairs competition held at the Blue Swords event in Chemnitz, Germany, and second in the Junior Worlds event in Budapest, Hungary. Local residents will be able to skate the program that won them the silver medal in the Junior Worlds event on the CBC-TV network (Channel 9) this Sunday. The Hartsells are members of the Garden City Figure Skating Club.

Livonia toughens homework policy

BY MARIE CHESTNEY
STAFF WRITER

The Livonia Board of Education has taken a tougher stand on homework for elementary and middle school students.

After much debate, the board recently agreed to change its policy on homework to state that it supports homework at all levels as educationally appropriate.

Gone will be one word of the old policy which urged lower-grade teachers to use caution in the giving of homework. The trustees, who represent the northern section of Westland, said this word is too negative.

"This sounds like homework is an unusual circumstance," said trustee Sue Clulow.

Trustee Ken Timmons triggered the recent discussion on homework when he said that Tyler Elementary parents got the wrong message in June when they were told by administrator Kent Gage that the board discourages homework for elementary students.

"Critics of public schools think if there's no homework, the kids aren't learning anything," Timmons said. "The board needs to establish a policy that says that education is based on teamwork between the school and the family. This includes meaningful homework, not busy work. It's important that the board tell this town loud and clear that educating youngsters is a teamwork project and meaningful homework is part of the exercise. We're too doggone easy on our kids."

In a Nov. 30 memo to Superintendent Ken Watson, Gage stuck to his support for the board policy approved in 1988.

"The tone of the existing board policy is one of balance between home study and other activities at all levels," Gage said. "By a substantial margin our staff believes that this balance is appropriate in permitting existing common homework practices and still recognizing that children, especially at the elementary level, also benefit from participation in community and family activities.

"A statement encouraging homework will alter that balance carefully crafted by the board in its deliberation on this policy in 1988."

Homework, Gage said, comes in many forms, such as tests, reading, research and both long-term and short-term projects.

Parents, he said, might equate homework to mean a duplicated worksheet or list of math problems and think no homework has been given if a student brings home neither.

"I am concerned that a statement encouraging homework will in the minds of the non-professional reader offer false images of this more limiting definition of homework," Gage said.

The current policy, Watson said, does not prohibit homework but urges teachers to be reasonable.

Once the policy is rewritten, trustee Pat Tancil said she hopes teachers don't misinterpret it and revert to the days of "those awful work sheets."

"What bothers me is that parents think the board expects first graders to have homework. We should not have a policy that makes parents think teachers will send something home every night."

In its new policy which supports homework at all levels, the trustees hope to walk the fine line between those parents who want lots of homework and those parents who want homework kept to a minimum.

"I'm not in favor of a campaign for more homework," Clulow said. "But we need to increase the awareness of parents in their role of educating their children. They can't just put them on the bus in the morning and forget about them."

When the current policy was written in 1988, Gage said parents were extremely concerned about their children being so overburdened with homework that they couldn't participate in after-school and family activities.

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she read about a similar effort already in place in Colorado, and Wayne-Westland Superintendent Larry Thomas has been told to explore the possibility.

"I don't believe the state of Michigan will allow us to do that," Thomas said Thursday, "but we will look into it."

Board member Patricia Brown said the school board, without question, would want to be selective in the advertising allowed on school property.

"I'm sure we don't want an ad from the Marlboro Man or J&B Scotch or Absolut Vodka or something like that," she said.

With a $1.2 million budget deficit, the school board is in the midst of a money crisis that is expected to only worsen next year. Revenues, officials say, just aren't keeping pace with expenses.

The district has been ordered by state officials to eliminate the deficit by June 30, 1996, or face the possible loss of state aid.

"That's not a predicament we want to be in," Thomas said.

State aid now accounts for 84 percent of the district's current $91 million budget, said Beth Green, finance director.

The district has been ordered to submit monthly expenditure reports to the state, with the first due this week.

"We have to show evidence every month that we are working toward a balanced budget," Thomas said.

Could advertising dollars be a part of the solution?

Stay tuned.

Raises from page 1A

At the request of local reporters, Herbert released contract details for the three groups, as follows:

■ The police union will receive 4.5-percent raises for the next three fiscal years, costing the city an additional $2 million for wages, benefits and insurance. The hourly pay for WPOA members, including dispatchers and police officers, will range from $15.11 to $21.59 at the end of the contract. That compares to a current range of $10.59 to $18.92, Herbert said.

WPOA members' annual pay, which Herbert based on a 40-hour week, will range from about $31,400 to nearly $45,000 at the end of the contract. The city's overall, three-year cost for the contract will increase 16.8 percent, Herbert said.

■ The firefighters union will receive a 4.85-percent raise in 1995, 4.80 percent in 1996, and 4.87 percent in 1997, costing $1.7 million when insurance and benefits are included.

The hourly pay will range from $11.92 to $22.74 in 1997, compared to a current range of $8.92 to $19.44, Herbert said.

Firefighters' annual pay, which Herbert based on a 50.4-hour week, would range from about $31,200 to nearly $60,000 at the end of the contract. The city's overall cost for the contract will increase 18.7 percent during the three years, Herbert said.

■ Mayoral appointees, whose contract is only for two years, will receive a 4.67 increase in 1995 and 1996, Herbert said, costing $165,416 for wages, benefits and insurance.

Broken down into an hourly rate, appointees will be paid $18.04 to $35.75 at the end of the contract, Herbert said. That compares to a current hourly rate of $15.89 to $32.10, though many positions are salaried.

Annual salaries, which Herbert based on a 35-hour week, would range from about $32,800 to $65,000. City expenses for the two-year contract will increase 7.6 percent, Herbert said.

Two appointee positions were deleted from the pay plan for further study, including the city clerk's post and Herbert's position.

Herbert said the contracts correct some inequities that have created "jealousy" between the police and fire departments. The new pacts bring the departments "as close to parity as possible," he said.

With Brown dissenting, council members who approved the contracts are Sharon Scott, Charles "Tray" Griffin, David Cox, Sandra Cicirelli and Charles Pickering. Councilman Glenn Anderson was absent.

Some council members voiced disappointment that contracts haven't yet been recommended for two other employee groups. One includes police and fire supervisors; the other includes members of Local 1602 of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees. The latter union has been working without a contract for a year.

Administration officials accused some council members of unfair labor practices for trying to link all of the contracts together. The firefighters union took the matter one step further by filing a complaint.

Herbert said the charge isn't likely to be pursued now that contracts were approved Monday night.

Mayor Robert Thomas called the contracts "reasonable" and said, "If you average them out over the four years (including the one-year freeze), they are fair."

Administration officials became upset Monday night, under intense questioning from council members about the contracts.

"None of you gave us any (prior) direction," Thomas said.

Councilman Charles Pickering reminded the administration that council members have a right to question the contracts.

"You can walk away from it tonight," he said, adding that council members have to live with the decision and take any public criticism that might emerge.

Judges to be sworn in

Westland 18th District Court Judges C. Charles Bokos and Gail McKnight will be sworn in during a ceremony on Wednesday, Dec. 28, at the Westland senior citizens Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh.

The judges are inviting their supporters to attend the ceremony from 5 to 7 p.m. The actual swearing-in is expected to be at 5:30 p.m.

McKnight, appointed to the bench in January, 1985, was elected to her second six-year term on Nov. 8. Bokos, appointed to the bench during the summer of 1992, was elected to the remaining two years of an unexpired term of former Judge Thomas Smith, who retired in 1992.

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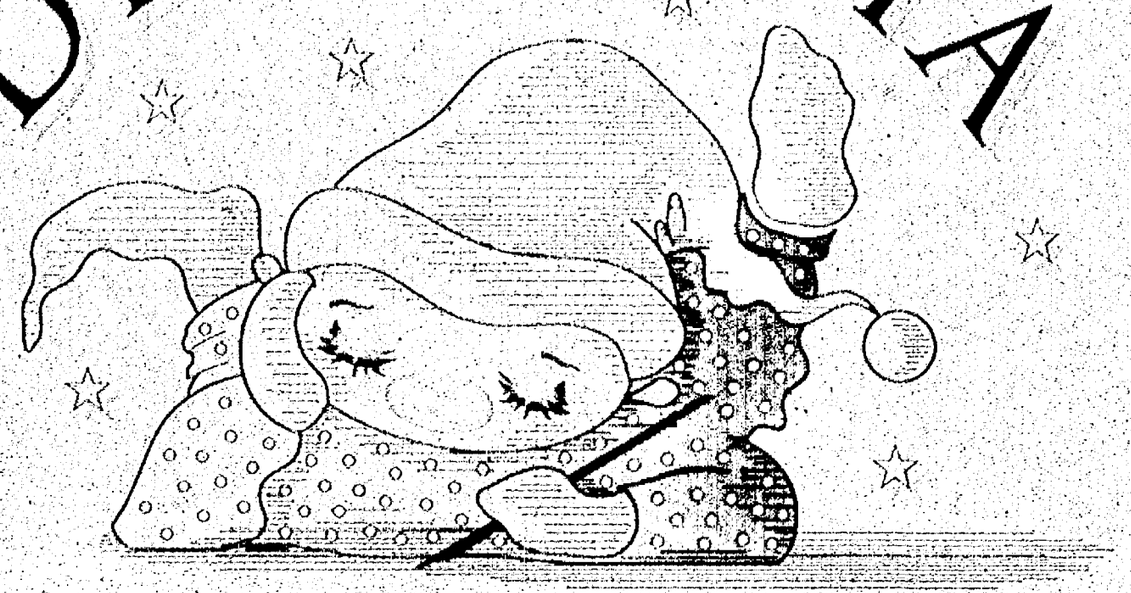


Vicki Sorensen, in discussing Santa Claus letters with her sixth-grade students at Patchin School, said that while toys are nice for Christmas, "they aren't everything. Materialistic things aren't always the most important in their lives. At some point, they have to realize there are more important things to be thinking of and wishing for."



The thing I want for Christmas is to have all my aunts and uncles, stepdads and moms, grandmas and grandpas and most of all, my great-grandma, all together for Christmas. The reason why I'm asking for this because my family has been far apart for a long time. One more thing Santa. I wish for everyone to be healthy and happy, forever. Please make this wish come true.

—Alicia Salinas



Hi! How are you doing? I was just remembering how many years you've been coming to my house on Christmas Eve. How are the reindeer? Are they OK? I wanted to know how many cookies you wanted me to leave you. All I want for Christmas this year is my grandma, grandpa, sister, dad and many more people to be healthy and happy. Christmas just wouldn't be fun if everyone weren't well. Well, good luck delivering presents! See you on Christmas Eve!

—Ashley Siebenbrock



I don't want anything for Christmas. This year, I just want to be with my family and enjoy myself. I'm not thrilled about receiving gifts. But, if I do get something, I will accept it with love and gratitude. (There will be goodies waiting for you.)

—Tiffany McCahill



All I want this year for Christmas is three things. I want my brother and sister to be here for Christmas because I don't see them that much. So, please Santa, try your best to get them here! If you do I will be good all year. I would like you to give all poor children who don't have very much a really nice Christmas. If you can, please give them a nice meal too. If possible, I also want my grandma to have a nice Christmas because she's all by herself and doesn't have a husband. So, I don't want her to be lonely at Christmas. So, please, Santa, try your best to make these things happen. (How my many cookies do you want? Is five OK?)

—Monique Valdez



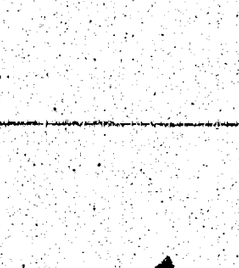
I hope you have a chance to get to my house. If you do, stop by the mall please and get a Notre Dame pullover for me. Could you stop by Fretter and get me a 120-inch TV and I guess you can squeeze in a little world peace if you want. See you the 25th, dude.

—Vinnie Latta



I would like a dog for Christmas that would obey whatever I said. I would train him to do tricks, like jumping through a hoop. I would like a dog to chase bullies away that are trying to beat me up. I guess you can pretty much tell I really just want a dog! Any kind will do.

Neil Perkins



This Christmas I want every family to have a Christmas. I think it's sad that not everyone gets a Christmas. When I go places, mostly grocery stores, I see a lot of bins for the poor and when I see the bins, I'm glad people contribute to them.

—Amanda Wrenn

For Christmas, first on my list, is my grandma's surgery. We need for it to go well. I think it will go well. It would be horrible if it doesn't go well. Next, I would like a CD player. It's one of the many gifts I want, but it's a top priority. Finally, I think it would be nice if everyone spends the day with the people they want to. I hope everyone has a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Be safe.

—Jean Coulter



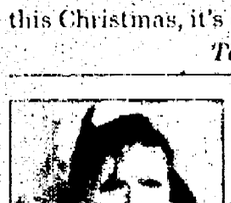
I'm Maria. I'm 11 years old now. I wish this Christmas for people to think more about how lucky they are for being alive. Sometimes, I think many people are mad at life. I just can't understand it. They just can't enjoy their lives. Families should be happy and come back together. Maybe this would stop killers from killing and maybe it would at least make some things better. The second thing I ask is: I would really like to have my whole family here from Poland this Christmas.

—Maria Baldyz



I would like a few things this holiday seaosn. I would like no drinking and driving around the city because a lot of innocent lives and yours could be taken. I would like a good Christmas and happy new year. I hope we all have a good time and have fun at the "Light Up My Life" at City Hall. Additionally, I would like more money for schools to buy new supplies, equipment, games. I would like more people to be nice to one another, including myself. I would like a lot of stuff, but if there's one thing I am glad for this Christmas, it's my mom!

Tony Heuwagen



I would like some trolls, toys, Look to Read, Game Boy, Game Gear, Sega, Super Nintendo for this Christmas this year. Now for the important stuff. I wish my Uncle Kenny could be here and I also wish my grandpa could be here, too. I really miss them because they died a few years ago. I know you can't wrap them like a present and put them under the tree, but I'd still like them to know I'm thinking about them.

Lanea Meixnerr

I don't really want a lot for Christmas.



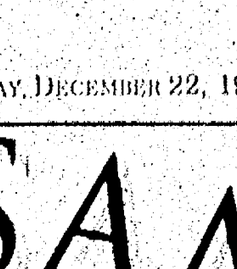
Whatever you give me, I'll enjoy. I'm in the mood to give this year. I've totalled my Christmas gift list and it comes out to about $70! I have to save - fast! I've been saving up pennies and I have a lot. I want to give them to the poor. Well, I hope everybody enjoys Christmas this year.

Barbara Kay



For Christmas, I want a little dog to cheer me up. On top of that, I want everyone in my family to be at my grandma's house. We open presents and see all my relatives. If you could, please, find a rich person to give money to the poor so they can eat a good dinner on Christmas day. These are all my Christmas wishes.

—Danny Klein

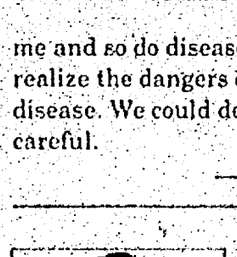


I definitely want toys for Christmas. I want a lot of toys. But toys aren't everything. We learn about war in school and I've decided we also need peace around the world. I wish the war would stop. War scares me and so do diseases. I wish people will also realize the dangers of AIDS because it's a deadly disease. We could destroy our world if we're not careful.

—Derek Perry

Merry Christmas! I really don't want much for Christmas, but it would be nice to get some things. The thing I want most for Christmas is to visit my dad on Christmas Eve, even though I probably will. We wrote to John Glenn (High School) students about the dangers of drinking and driving. They might hurt somebody. I also wish the homeless will find a place to live and have money for food. They need to be happy on Christmas morning and every day, just like everybody else. One more thing - don't forget to stop at my house. Merry Christmas and a happy new year.

—Amber Kendra



All I want for Christmas is peace in the world because I'm sick of hearing about war and people being beaten to death and stuff like that. I would also like for homeless and foodless people to have food and shelter because they need to have a good Christmas, just like I do.

—Steven Perry



Number 1. I wish: that we all could have peace on earth, no more killing and no more stealing. Just one big nice world. Number 2. I wish: that kids who don't have moms and dads be adopted. Number 3. I wish: that people who are sick get better. Number 4. I wish: the kids who don't have toys receive some toys to make them happy. They should also have a Christmas tree with toys under it. Number 5. I wish: that those who don't have homes find loving families who will build them a house and take them to the doctor if they are sick. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

—Keith Gohl



All I want for Christmas is for people to stop killing the jaguars and all other wild animals, too. I love animals and I hate to see them hurt. I don't know why people kill animals, including jaguars, to get their fur for coats. I don't why people think killing animals is a sport. All the people think about when they kill the animals is money. Money plays a big part. Santa, don't forget to stop at my house, though. Go to South America and try to save the jaguars.

-Jessica Mattice



This year, I would appreciate games for my Sega system. I know they're pretty expensive, but I've been pretty good. I figure world peace would be a pretty cool thing to ask for, too. People seem to fight for no reason. Can you stop the wars. Your friend,

-Jeremy Hudson



Hi! My name is Becky Miller. (You probably already know that.) So, I will just get to what I want for Christmas. Now, I want a few [fi]very important things and then some things that I want for me and my family. The important things are: 1. Peace and happiness in the world at least for one day. 2. That people would care more about the environment. 3. I wish that people would care more about the poor. Stuff for me and my family: 1. A dog (cocker spaniel puppy - gold), 4 me. 2. my brothers should get what they asked for, and my mom and dad. Well, I have to go. Bye! Merry Christmas.

—Becky Miller



The holidays are coming up and a lot of people are going to be at parties. I just hope they don't drink a lot because when you drink you could get sick, you could get killed and you could even kill someone else. Drinking is very dangerous. I also would like for you to remember the homeless people. Drop them some presents. They deserve mor presents than we do! One last thought, Santa. Don't forget anyone. I hope everyone gets what they want. Merry Christmas.

—Lisa Rich



This year, instead of all the things I asked for, all I want to is to see my grandma and grandpa. I haven't seen them in over three years. No, they're not dead. I don't even know what they look like. I really, really want to see them, but I can't. The saddest part about the whole situation is that Christmas was the last time I saw them. It's very hard not to hear from them on the holidays.

—Joshua James Van Gundy



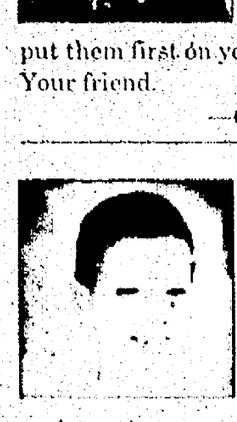
Hi! My name is Nicole. (You probably already knew that.) This year, I want everyone to be safe in my family and in other families. We really don't get a lot for Christmas in my family. That's because we all play sports all year round and it costs lots of money. I really don't care. I think being with a family is better than gifts. Merry Christmas.

—Nicole Simonian



All I want for Christmas is no more suffering. I think of poor people who are starving and I think of large cities where a lot of people don't have homes or anything to eat. They need warmth and nice food to eat. So please, put them first on your list. Merry Christmas. Your friend.

—Candice Trent



I don't want much for Christmas. Here's my list. 1. Give poor people a good Christmas. 2. Help people in the logging business to go find a better job so they will quit cutting down our trees. 3. Stop people from littering and messing up our ozone. 4. Do not!!! drink and drive. Hope you have a great Christmas, Santa.

-Jesse Krebaum



I'm remebering all the things I'm thankful for this year. I'm blessed with so many wonderful students and parents. I'm thankful to be teaching with a caring, dedicated staff. I cherish all of *MY* teachers who shared with me the richness of children and teaching. I am thankful for my good health and the good health of those whom I care so deeply about. Most of all, I deeply appreciate and love my children and those close to me. For me, there is no time like Christmas for remembering. What would I wish for then, Santa? My life is so rich and full. I wish the wish that comes from my heart - peace on earth for all the world's children. Merry Christmas!

-Teacher Vicki Sorensen

Church members share holiday with those alone

BY LEANNE ROGERS
STAFF WRITER

Sharing a holiday dinner on Christmas Day is something that the folks at St. Dunstan Church take seriously.

For the past 20 years, volunteers have extended a dinner invitation to people who would be alone or would have nowhere to go on Christmas Day. There is no charge for the dinner, which draws about 180 people.

"We have people come who are all denominations and from all over the area, from as far as Pontiac and Belleville," said Mary Shurge, who heads the annual operation. "I send notices to church bulletins, the Maplewood Center and senior citizens' homes. A lot of the same people come year after year."

About 30 volunteers work on the dinner, held at the church hall. Most volunteers are from the St. Dunstan congregation, while others just come to help. Some cook turkey and other dishes at home, while others set up or serve the food.

"Some people stay all day. We have traditional Christmas dinner, with stuffed cabbage, ham, salad, ice cream and punch," Shurge said.

Credit for starting the dinner goes to two parishioners — a woman who moved away and whose name wasn't recorded, and Iris Korte. The women took the idea to the St. Dunstan's pastor, now-retired Father Makulski, who gave his approval.

It was in the third year that Shurge, her husband, John, and several other volunteers who are still active first got involved.

Shurge describes Fran Paul as her "right-hand person." Greeting guests as they arrive each year are the official host and hostesses, Mary and Stan Senesy and their daughter Marcia.

The dinner is a family affair for the Freiers also. Mom Barbara and her daughter Holly take care of the kitchen while dad Jerry and his sons deliver meals to home-bound people.

Not that there isn't a price for volunteering. "One year I picked up the stuffed cabbage and it spilled in the trunk," said Paul. "Did it smell. I had to have the car professionally cleaned. Now they put them in sealed containers."

Although the annual church boutique now raises money for the dinner, Shurge said that they still depend on donations but to a lesser extent than in the early years.

"Every year we get donations of gravy and rolls from Kentucky Fried Chicken. And anything else we need, like extra chicken. They have been very good to us," said Shurge. "Garden City Bakery gives us any leftovers on Christmas Eve."

■ 'I have no regrets about not being home on Christmas. When our boys were single they used to come with us.'

Mary Shurge

Hygrade Foods has been another longtime contributor providing hams. Guests at the dinner are provided with a small gift: This year Arbor Drugs is providing gift cups to the church at a reduced rate.

The guests at the dinner include many senior citizens, single men and some college students who can't afford to travel home for the holidays.

"I have no regrets about not being home on Christmas. When our boys were single they used to come with us," said Shurge.

One of the reasons the dinner draws so many people each year is that it's actually held on Christmas Day.

"It's unusual to have it on Christmas Day. A lot of dinners are held a day or a week before," said Shurge.

Beating defendant pleads guilty

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

A Westland man accused of beating a Garden City man with a baseball bat has pleaded guilty to felonious assault, averting a trial on more serious charges, a Detroit Recorder's Court clerk said.

John Robert Young, 21, faces a maximum sentence of four years in prison after pleading guilty to beating Basiel Buck, 35, last Jan. 27 in the 6300 block of Wayne Road in Westland.

Two other defendants, brothers Richard Anthony Nastal, 22, and Ryan Allen Nastal, 20, have pleaded guilty to misdemeanor charges stemming from the same attack. Prosecutors had accused the Nastals of holding Buck and kicking him while Young beat him with an aluminum baseball bat.

Buck testified during a court hearing last February that he was beaten when he went to the Wayne Road residence to help a nephew and an uncle, who had called him for help to fend off Young and the Nastals.

Buck brought the bat with him for protection, but the defendants took it away from him and beat him with it, he said. He suffered a severe concussion and received 20 stitches for head wounds.

Police said the assailants went to the house to demand $100 that they said was owed to them by Buck's nephew.

Buck testified that he feared he was going to be killed if he received one more blow from the bat.

All three defendants had initially been charged with assault with intent to do great bodily harm, less than murder. The charge carries a maximum penalty of 10 years in prison.

Young pleaded guilty Dec. 5 to felonious assault. He could face four years in prison when he is sentenced March 6 by Recorder's Judge Harvey Tennen.

The Nastals pleaded guilty on the same day before Recorder's Judge George Crockett III. Richard Nastal pleaded to a charge of trespassing on property, and Ryan Nastal pleaded to assault and battery.

The Nastals could face up to 90 days in jail for the misdemeanor charges, according to the prosecutor's office. They are scheduled for sentencing on Jan. 6.

Defense attorneys had argued early on that the defendants should face lesser charges, saying that Buck was the aggressor because he took the bat to the scene.

City offices to close for holiday weekend

Westland municipal offices will be closed Friday and Monday as part of the Christmas holiday observance.

Not affected will be police, fire or emergency medical services.

With no rubbish collection next Monday, garbage will be picked up Tuesday through Saturday.

The Westland Friendship Center, home of the senior resources department's programs, will close at the end of activities today (Thursday) and be closed from Friday through Monday, Jan. 2, and reopen Jan. 3.

The Westland Sports Arena, on Wildwood near Hunter, will be open Friday and Monday but will close Saturday and Sunday.

Bailey Recreation Center will be open from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday and Monday and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

The closings affect City Hall, district court, the Wayne-Westland Public Library and all administrative offices.

A district court spokesman said that there will be no later hours or evening probation the holiday weeks.

Mall shopper robbed of jewelry

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

A woman shopping at Westland Center reported she was robbed of hundreds of dollars in jewelry by a man who was armed with a knife, according to police reports.

The 29-year-old Westland woman, accompanied by her toddler son, wasn't injured, and the assailant wielded the knife only as he was fleeing the mall during the 3 p.m. Dec. 15 incident, police reports said.

The victim reported that a man ripped a $550 diamond necklace from her neck when she bent over to pick up her son. The bandit also seized a diamond bracelet, valued at $250, and a rose-colored gold bracelet, value unknown, police reports said.

A Detroit man was questioned by police when the woman saw him boarding a public bus and identified him as the bandit who robbed her. The 28-year-old man was taken to the Westland Police Department for questioning and then released, but Sgt. Terry Donohue said the investigation is continuing.

Police haven't found the jewelry, but a Garden City woman working at Westland Center reported seeing the culprit talking with a woman. It isn't known whether the jewelry may have been passed to the woman.

The victim reported that she was walking toward a Burger King restaurant when she was robbed in what police referred to as the Arcade No. 7 section of the mall. The incident was reported during the pre-Christmas shopping rush at Westland's largest retail center.

Police were already at the mall because of the city's decision to assign officers to Westland Center during the holidays.

When police began questioning the man at the mall, the victim was asked to move closer to him to identify him.

When she was within several feet of him, however, the woman stopped and said she "was sure it was him, but she was too scared to come any closer," police reports said.

Police didn't find a knife, described as about 6 to 8 inches long.

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Avondale	71.1	57.1	33.1	45.6	40.1	48.9	86.3	66.5	51.9	$6,783
Birmingham	86.5	82.6	61.8	71.9	66.5	71.7	92.8	82.8	77.1	$10,247
Bloomfield Hills	87.8	84.6	66.2	69.5	62.9	68.2	85.1	80.0	70.5	$10,509
Brighton	78.8	64.9	47.9	57.1	53.6	57.6	90.0	80.0	62.9	$5,656
Clarenceville	79.5	41.5	29.9	62.5	39.8	43.0	92.0	79.0	57.4	$6,951
Huron Valley	75.6	72.4	41.4	52.1	47.1	48.7	83.3	75.0	61.9	$5,486
Farmington	75.9	63.5	50.0	56.1	50.3	57.8	88.6	71.0	66.4	$8,207
Fowlerville	67.8	58.5	46.7	37.1	36.3	58.4	85.6	76.4	86.8	$5,047
Garden City	62.0	40.9	24.9	40.1	29.4	37.7	73.8	54.6	43.6	$5,614
Hartland	86.3	66.7	47.6	71.4	50.2	55.7	94.0	80.2	61.9	$5,311
Howell	75.3	62.7	47.3	50.7	35.2	56.0	86.0	69.4	57.9	$5,389
Livonia	67.2	56.7	39.5	50.8	44.1	49.8	82.6	64.4	56.1	$6,632
Northville	79.8	83.7	67.3	61.6	63.8	65.6	95.8	84.1	80.0	$6,617
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Pinckney	69.7	69.0	45.3	54.1	45.6	54.7	91.9	76.5	70.2	NA
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Troy	87.4	78.3	60.1	70.6	60.2	65.0	88.6	86.6	66.9	$7,593
Walled Lake	74.2	64.9	49.8	50.1	46.1	50.6	80.6	83.0	77.6	$7,264
Wayne-Westland	50.6	33.9	20.4	32.0	24.6	32.6	61.4	46.3	39.8	$5,400
West Bloomfield	86.1	79.2	53.8	63.0	61.6	58.4	94.7	76.3	72.0	$7,357

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MEAP scores on rise

Most Observerland school district officials were pleased with students' scores on the Michigan Educational Assessment Program tests this fall.

The Michigan Department of Education's mandatory academic exams have been administered annually since 1970. Fourth-, seventh- and 10th-graders are tested in reading and mathematics. Fifth-, eighth- and 11th-graders are tested in science.

In Redford Union schools, math test scores of all three grade levels tested jumped substantially from the math scores students received in 1993.

In South Redford schools, students improved upon last year's scores in seven of the nine testing areas, but fourth- and seventh-grade reading scores fell slightly.

In Garden City schools, scores rose in math for fourth, seventh and 10th grades. In reading, seventh- and 10th-grade scores increased while fourth-grade levels dropped. Science scores increased for fifth- and 11th-graders but decreased at the eighth-grade level.

In Clarenceville schools, the scores rose over last year's levels mostly, but high school students aren't improving their math scores as much as officials think they should.

In Plymouth-Canton schools, students improved their scores in all areas.

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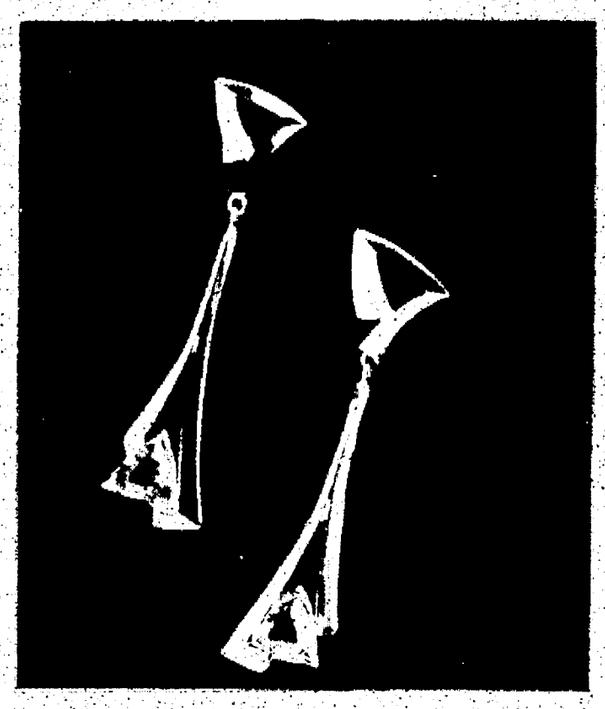

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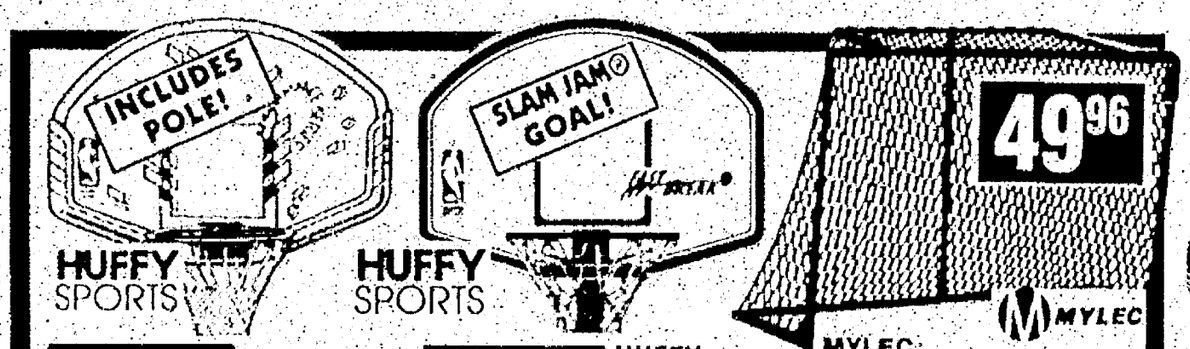

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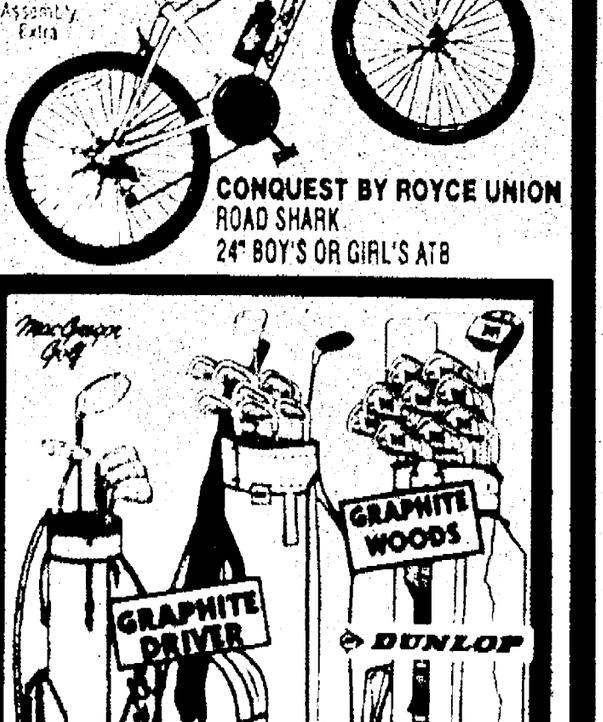

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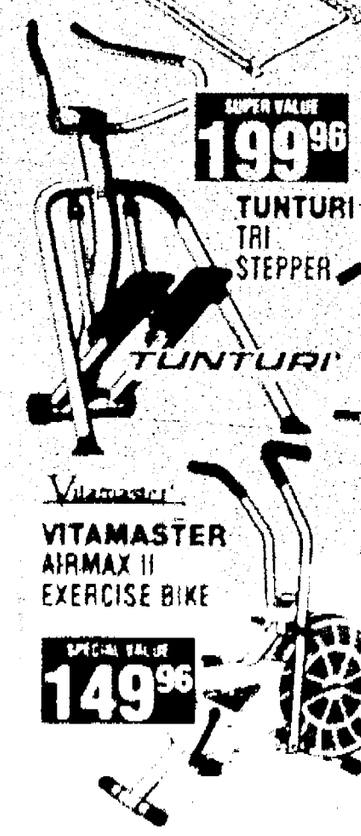

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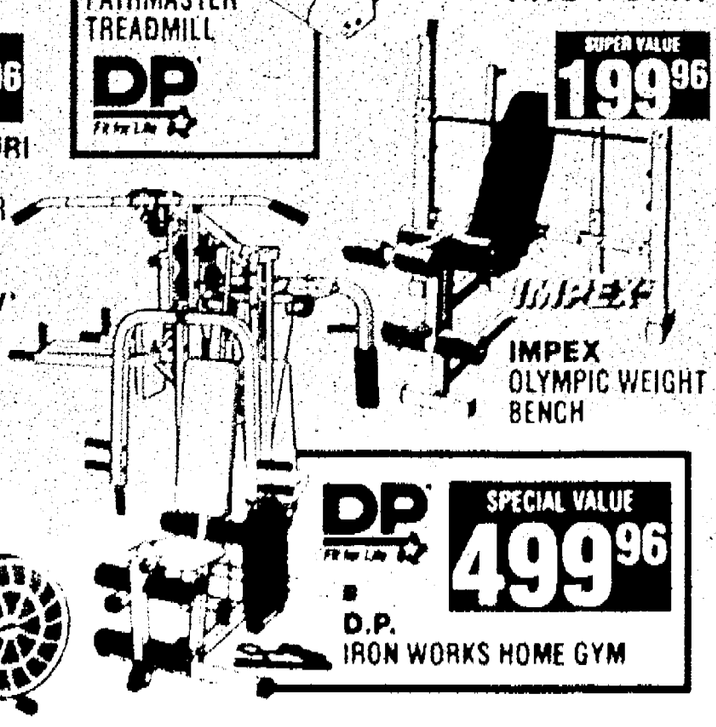

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BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW
STAFF WRITER

Last May Schoolcraft College teacher Richard Arlen nearly embarked on the third career of his life.

The Plymouth resident had filed petitions to run for the state Senate against longtime incumbent Robert Geake in the Republican primary.

But Arlen, 64, saw retirement on the horizon, and when he reached into the campaign pockets he found only lint.

"I was too late," he said. "No money. No organization. And I said, 'Hey, who am I kidding?' "

Geake said he's glad Arlen got out of the race.

"(Arlen) is well known in the community and would have put on a tough campaign," Geake said. "I believe I would still have won, but it would have taken a great deal of extra time and money."

Arlen is retiring from Schoolcraft this month after 25 years of explaining the intricacies of accounting to students. "It gets to the point where you say, 'Do I want to do this any longer?' " he said.

Conway Jeffress, the vice president of instruction, said he is sorry to see Arlen go. "He has a real professional demeanor," Jeffress said. "I really like that. And he's just a plain, downright good person."

Steve Ragan, the chairman of Schoolcraft's governing board, said the trustees "fought over who would make the motion" to honor Arlen with a resolution upon his retirement. "I urged the board to reject his resignation," Ragan joked.

Helen Green was one of Arlen's last students. Obviously pleased with her professor, Green is one of those students who answers most of the questions, sits in the front and gets top grades.

Asked to rate Arlen on a scale of one to 10, Green issued a 9.5. "Nobody's perfect," she quipped. "He's a pretty good guy, except for maybe one or two things."

Ragan noted that Arlen was one of a few teachers whose leadership brought the administration and the teachers union out of a bitter adversarial relationship and into a new era of cooperation.

Arlen said that the secret, at first, was to identify board members friendly to the union's position and support them politically.

"We found some board members who were willing to be even-handed," Arlen said.

That gave the union leverage when the administration bore down with a particularly unacceptable demand of some kind or another. "We were very good at doing end runs," Arlen said. "We had a lot of clout on the board."

About two contracts ago, Schoolcraft's administration and teachers union agreed to try something new. Some call it "target-specific bargaining." Or you might hear it referred to as "mutual gains bargaining."

The procedure contains a mechanism for identifying and discarding perceived problems, while encouraging cooperation in solving real problems.

"Our grievances went down," Arlen said. "Arbitration has dropped. It became a problem-solving atmosphere."

Because everyone involved has input in the final agreement, Arlen said there's nothing left to complain about when it's over. "When you're through, anybody who argues is arguing against themselves," he said.

Schoolcraft has changed greatly since Arlen was hired. In 1969 the college was five years old, and getting hired was just a matter of having a short conversation with then Dean John Adams and stepping into the classroom.

There were no postings of an open job, no advertising and no interview process involving several candidates. "It was a done deal," said Arlen. "I think I sent one other resume to one other place. The job was looking for me and I was looking for it."

The classroom was a welcome change from the corporate environment Arlen inhabited before. With a degree from Eastern Michigan University in accounting (class of 1957), Arlen worked for Burroughs (now Unysis), Bendix, Massey-Ferguson and Ex-Cell-O.

"I can't say I was in love with corporate America," he said.

Arlen isn't sure what he will do with his time now that school is out permanently for him.

He and his wife of nearly 40 years, Alice, plan a trip to Florida for a period this winter. But after that, who knows?

"I can always get back into politics if I want to," Arlen said.



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He's gone: *Retiring Schoolcraft College accounting professor Richard Arlen said it's typical for an accounting class to start out with 30 students and finish with 16. Here he stands amid one of the last classes of his career.*

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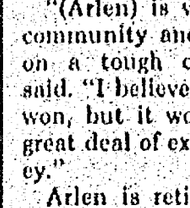

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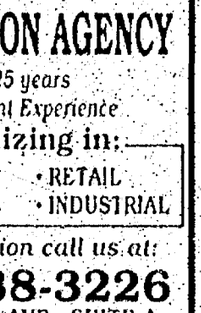

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OBITUARIES

SYLVIA SCHWALM
Services for Mrs. Schwalm, 86, of Garden City died Dec. 14 at home. She was cremated, and arrangements were handled by the Vermeulen Memorial Funeral Home.

Mrs. Schwalm was born in Calumet and was a retired nursing home cook. Her husband was the late William Schwalm.

Survivors include a daughter, Barara Whitty of Garden City, one grandchild and two great-grandchildren.

Memorial tributes can be made to Community Hospice Services, 32932 Warren, Westland 48185.

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EMERY EDGAR JACOBS, SR.
Services for Mr. Jacobs, 89, of Westland were Dec. 17 from the Vermeulen Memorial Trust 100 Funeral Home with burial in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West. Rev. O. L. Holloway of Westland Community Church officiated.

Mr. Jacobs, born in Bedford, Ind., and a local resident for 15 years, died Dec. 15 in Annapolis Hospital, Wayne.

Survivors include: son, Emery, Jr., of Westland; daughter, Elizabeth Anne Fox of Houston, Texas; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his Ada Jacobs, his wife of 71 years.

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DAVID JOHN SCHAMBERS
Mr. Schambers, 67, of Westland died Dec. 15. Services were Dec. 19 at Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Phillip Smith officiating. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Wayne.

Mr. Schambers was a retired custodian with the Wayne-Westland Community School district.

Survivors include: nieces Victoria LaBombarbe and Linda Ruchala and a nephew, Michael Claus.

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MICHAEL N. OSBORNE
Mr. Osborne, 54, of Westland died Dec. 13 at Annapolis Hospital. Services were Dec. 14 at Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Philip Smith officiating.

Mr. Osborne, who worked as a case manager, is survived by: his wife, Karen; daughter Sheri; and sons, Michael, Mark and Matthew; his mother, Rachel Seifts; sisters, Mina Frank and Gloria, and one grandchild.

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ESTELLE M. WAZNAK
Mrs. Waznak, 99, of Westland, died Dec. 13 at Nightingale West Nursing Home. Services were Dec. 17 at St. Robert Bellarmine Church. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre, Southfield.

Mrs. Waznak was born in 1895 in Cheboygan. She was a homemaker. She was preceded in death by her husband, Anthony.

Survivors include: a daughter, Bernice Mullen; a son, William; four grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Arrangements were by L.J. Griffin Funeral Home.

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RICHARD C. BALSDEN
Mr. Balsden, 65, of Westland died Dec. 13 at Garden City Osteopathic Hospital. Services were Dec. 16 at L.J. Griffin Funeral Home with the Rev. Donald V. Lintelman officiating.

Mr. Balsden was born in Detroit in 1928. He is survived by his wife, Nancy; a sister, Dolores Schuller, and several nieces and nephews.

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EDWARD ELLISON
Edward Ellison, 90, of Frenchtown, Mich., died Dec. 15 at Mercy Hospital. Services were Dec. 17 at Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert Millar officiating. Burial was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West.

Mr. Ellison was a bricklayer and member of the Westland Moose. He is survived by a daughter, Sonja Held, and a grandson, James Bridenthal.

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MAGDALENE H. FOWLER
Services for Mrs. Fowler, 67, of Romulus were Dec. 19 from Uht Funeral Home, Westland, with interment in Romulus Cemetery. Rev. Douglas Bishop officiated.

Mrs. Fowler died Dec. 15 in Oakwood Hospital, Dearborn. Born Dec. 29, 1926, she was a homemaker.

Survivors include: husband Gerald; son Jim Harris; daughters Nina Sizemore and Agnes Harris; stepsons Bob Fowler and Ron Fowler; stepdaughters Cindy LaBute and Robbin Fowler; 11 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; sisters Myrtle Thompson and Lucille Miracle, and brothers Walter Thompson and Orville Thompson. Preceding her in death were a son, Jerry Harris and seven brothers and sisters.

JACKSON R. WRENN
Services for Mr. Wrenn, 66, of Garden City were Dec. 20 from the Santeiu and Son Funeral Home with burial in Mount Hope Memorial Cemetery, Livonia. The Rev. Donald Gregory of Faith Baptlyt Church officiated.

Mr. Wrenn died Dec. 16 at home.

Survivors include: wife, Daisy; daughters, Beverly Cavin and Nina Hopkins; sons, Barry and Jeffrey; 10 grandchildren, and sister, Marie Walp.

Memorials may be donated to the Faith Baptist Church building fund, 26305 Ford, Dearborn Heights 48127.

CLEO PEURASAARI
Services for Mrs. Peurasaari, 80, of Westland were Dec. 20 from Uht Funeral Home with burial in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West. The Rev. Robert Millar officiated.

Mrs. Peurasaari died Dec. 17 in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. Born July 30, 1914, she was a dietician.

Survivors include: daughter, Joyce; sons, Wesley Jr., Keith, Gary; nine grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; sisters, Irene Roeper and Jewell Crownover; brother, Jack Morgan; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by husband Wesley.

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PATRICIA NICHOLSON
Services for Ms. Nicholson, 53, formerly of Wayne were Dec. 19 from Uht Funeral Home, Westland, with burial in Florida. The Rev. Phillip Smith officiated.

She died Dec. 14 in Hollywood (Fla.) Municipal Hospital. Born March 4, 1941, she was a homemaker.

Survivors include: sons, Paul, David, James and Joseph; daughter, Heidi; three grandchildren; parents, Robert and Marie Perdue of Westland, and brothers, Robert, John, and Tim. She was preceded in death by a brother, Michael.

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COMMUNITY LIFE

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Family Room



Karen Meier

Some rules to Christmas by

You know how the song goes: "You better watch out, you better not cry, you better not pout, I'm telling you why, Santa Claus is comin' to town."

And you know the part about him watching you all the time. And that you'd better be good and all that jazz. It's important stuff. Everyone should pay attention to that little ditty.

I just returned from my annual all-out Christmas shopping blitz. It was quite a day. My husband and I have made this day a tradition. Each year he uses up a vacation day just for this and off we go. This year, while the two oldest were in school and the two youngest visited Grandma and Grandpa, we launched our Operation Shopping Storm. Operation Shopping Storm is always a team effort. Ron and I are the team. We work as a team, we think as a team, and by the end of our frenetic day, we have been known to smell like a team.

Each year just before it comes time to do this, we prepare. We get lists. We comb the advertising inserts. We take closet and toy box inventory. And the night before, we take a long look at the sleeping faces of our children (that's just part of the preparation). And we realize, once again, that those faces are what it's all about. Sure, the children can put us through the wringer. And they make us exhausted by the end of each and every day. But we love them, and they love us. And that is that.

Now, back to that little ditty, "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town." Like I said, everyone should be paying attention to the words and

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From all of us to all of you, we wish you . . .

'Twas two days before Christmas and all through the place,
Every employee was ready for the last-minute race.
The deadlines were strung 'cross the calendar with care,
So the work would be done when St. Nicholas got there.
When out in the newsroom there rose such a clatter,
That everyone stopped to see what was the matter.
An editor was heard to announce to one and to all,
"We must have a photo; who dropped the ball?"
Quickly the staff gathered for a holiday pose.
Now just one last assignment before we closed:
To wish all of you good holiday cheer
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Linda Day: A Christmas story worth the telling



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Close attention: *For Linda Day of Livonia, storytelling involves more than words. Facial expressions, hand gestures and voice fluctuations also are part of her act.*

BY SUE MASON
STAFF WRITER

To hear Linda Day tell a story is a treat for the ears. To watch her many gestures and facial expressions is a sight to behold. Put them together, and her performances are nothing short of mesmerizing.

And when she did her schtick — "Something old, something new, something borrowed and none of it true" — for the last of the Schoolcraft College Women's Resource Center's fall luncheon series, it was before a soldout crowd that hung on her every word.

Storytelling is a natural form of expression for the Livonia resident, whose voice was deep and throaty for the Big Bad Wolf and high and squeaky for the kids (as in goats) for an adaptation of a folktale by Eric Kimmell.

"I'm bad, so bad, and those seven little kids been had," Day chanted as the wolf headed for the Nanny Goat's house, but ending with the squeaky chant of "We're bad, so bad and that Big Bad Wolf's been had," by Nanny and the kids after the Wolf's demise.

She never missed a beat in her tale of two old maid sisters and teachers, Edith and Bessie, who had lived together and taught school in the same small city for 30 years until Bessie found herself a man.

But her holiday gift to the crowd was a tale about Melvin and his star. Melvin was an angel . . . "a not very important angel, he didn't sit on the left or right had of God." His story goes something like this:

Twinkle, twinkle

Melvin was a small angel and when the angels stood to sing praises to God, he knew God didn't see him. Melvin had a dream. He wanted to be a star shiner, an angel who made sure the stars shone brightly in the heavens. One time, he was given a great star shining cloth, but it was so large, it enveloped him.

One day Melvin got in line for a job. No one was in line and when he asked if there were any jobs, he was told yes, that of a star shiner. Would he be interested?

Melvin didn't hesitate to answer and was given a star shining cloth more to his size and directions to his star — 10 million miles to the west, take a left turn and you'll find it.

"Melvin found his star," Day said. "It was a very dull star, but that didn't discourage him. He got out his cloth and he polished and he buffed. Not in a day, not in the year, but in 2,000 years, Melvin's star began to shine and chase away the clouds."

His friend Galileo came to visit Melvin and commented on how cheery his star was. Had he not visited, Melvin would have never known about a contest God was holding to find the best star.

"God is looking for a star and yours is a twinkly star," Galileo told Melvin. So with his encouragement, Melvin took his star and got in line with the huge angels holding huge stars.

"God would be entertained by huge angel after huge angel," Day said. "They would entertain God with their stars, but in the end he would shake his head."

Suddenly, there was a trumpet blast and the Archangel Gabriel entered with a huge star that he spun and twirled and lighted up the heavens with, but God looked past him. "Melvin," he said, "I haven't seen your star."

Melvin gave his star one last polishing and showed it to God . . . . "Melvin, it's the perfect star," he said and strode off across the heavens with Melvin hurrying behind, polishing his star as he went.

When he stopped, God directed Melvin to hang his star. Melvin did as directed, carefully hanging it in the right spot.

Star bright

"How it sparkled and shined," Day said. "And to show Melvin where it sparkled and shined, God parted the clouds."

Melvin leaned over the edge and looked below and there he saw a village and his star shining brightly on it. The village was Bethlehem.

God had selected Melvin's star to be the Christmas star.

Day's presentation drew rousing applause and rightly so for a woman who comes from a family of storytellers. In fact, her grandmother, she tells you, belonged to the Elocution Society in rural Oklahoma.

And like the two sisters she talks about, Day started out as a teacher. However, she put her career on hold to have a family. When she went to resume it, there were no jobs to be had, so she made use of a minor degree and landed a job at a library where she did the preschool story hour.

One thing led to another and storytelling is now her career.

She describes her storytelling as "a most untraditional way." Her forte includes folklore, scary stories, humor and audience participation tales. She has performed at the National Story League Convention, Michigan State Fair, Jackson Storyfest, Border's Bookstore and at schools, libraries and senior citizen centers throughout the state.

President of the Detroit Story League, she also conducts workshops for both middle and high school students in addition to her storytelling performances.

She is, she says, "a storyteller with an energetic, enthusiastic and imaginative style. Within the first few moments the audience finds itself captivated . . . ."

For more information about storytelling, calling Linda Day at (810) 478-6339.

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the sentiment expressed in that silly song. We should all try to heed those words. Even if you're an adult. Because even if you're skeptical about Santa Claus watching you and seeing if you're naughty or nice, you must know that others are watching, and that should count for something, especially at Christmas.

Based on what I saw just today, I've come up with some rules. The rules, if you follow them, will probably make you eligible for the "nice lists," if there's such a thing. And I'm pretty sure there is.

Rule No. 1 — Don't use the "F" word when you can't find the right thing in the toy department. Nobody wants to hear it, especially parents who have their young children with them.

Rule No. 2 — Don't use all the other words that would upset Santa Claus because those same words upset just about everybody else. Avoid those words even when the cash register breaks down in the middle of your order. Saying filthy things to the clerk won't speed things up too much.

Rule No. 3 — Don't spank your child in front of the "Tinker Toys." It's probably a good idea not to spank your child at all in the toy department a week before Christmas. As a matter of fact, it looks really dumb when you spank your child at any time in the store.

Rule No. 4 — Don't have the day care provider take your child to see Santa Claus at the mall along with the other 15 children in the group. That's an activity that would mean more if your child could be accompanied by a close relative. Preferably Mom or Dad or, when possible, Mom *and* Dad. And something else about that, when the children are kept under control with lengthy bits of rope that doesn't seem very Christmassy either.

Rule No. 5 — Do smile and say, "That's OK," when a cart gets shoved into your Achilles tendon. Especially if the shover is a 76-year-old frail grandmother who got a bum cart at Toy R Us.

Rule No. 6 — Do be careful when walking with your packages across an icy parking lot. And if you should fall, chalk it up to gravity, and don't "Call Sam." That's not in keeping with the season.

Rule No. 7 — Don't lose sight of that first Christmas. And how the three kings, bearing gifts, traversed afar. Field and fountain, moor and mountain, they followed that yonder star. You see, they had their sights set on that star. And they made their journey, with presents in hand, to give to a very special child. And it wasn't easy traveling all that way. But I don't think that along the way they cussed and fussed, spanked, yelled or sued.

Be nice to everyone. If you make Christmas merry for others, it'll all come back around to you. Double!

I wish you all a very Merry Christmas.

If you have a question or comment for Karen Meier, call her at 953-2047, mailbox number 1883, on a Touch-Tone phone, or write her at The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

Jaycee dance party to benefit First Step

Where can you eat, drink and dance the night away while helping First Step, which provides temporary shelter, food, clothing and support for battered women and their children in western Wayne County?

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ENGAGEMENTS

Majeske-Sladewski



Ronald and Annette Majeske of Dearborn announce the engagement of their daughter, Julie Ann, to Robert Anthony Sladewski, son of Robert and Sharon Sladewski of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Dearborn Divine Child High School and the University of Michigan. She is employed by Johnson Controls Inc. in Plymouth as a sales representative.

Her fiance is a graduate of Stevenson High School and the University of Michigan and will received his M.B.A. from Central Michigan University in 1995. He is employed by Venture Industries in Fraser.

A November wedding is planned in Old St. Mary's Church in Detroit.

Kuznia-Gruich



Robert and Maureen Kuznia of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Laurie Ann, to Gregg Allen Gruich, the son of Annetta and Peter Gruich of Wayne.

The bride-to-be is a 1982 graduate of Ladywood High School and is employed by American Community Insurance Company as a senior group underwriter.

Her fiance is a 1983 graduate of Wayne-Memorial High School and is employed by Ford Motor Company.

An August 1995 wedding is planned in Laurel Chapel in Livonia.



Gerber-Gouin

Arnold Gerber and Carol Gerber announce the engagement of their daughter, Kimberlee R., to John M. Gouin, son of Robert and Rosemary Gouin.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of John Glenn High School and the University of Michigan. She is employed as a substitute teacher.

Her fiance is a graduate of Northville High School and is employed as a pastry chef at the Gandy Dancer in Ann Arbor.

A December wedding is planned in St. Patrick's Church, Ann Arbor.

Control has real meaning to writer

GRAPHOLOGY PROFILES



LORENE GREEN

Dear Ms. Green,

I am a 23-year-old who just moved to the metro Detroit area to try and start a new life after the security of college. I am right-handed and would be interested to know what my handwriting says about my personality.

Thank you.

A.T.,
Royal Oak

Today's handwriting reflects a young woman of outward control and poise. Control has real meaning to her.

Seemingly, she was raised in a rather strict environment with more female influence than male. At a young age, she learned she was more acceptable if she didn't make a show of her emotions, so she learned the importance of self-control and continues to use it.

Although traditional in some areas, she has become quite independent of others. Events of her daily life are well-organized. Things do not happen by chance. Care and planning deserve the credit.

Above-average intelligence is clearly seen in her handwriting. She has an inquiring mentality and the intellect to explore and absorb facts. Once an idea becomes fixed in her mind, she sets about gathering more information to augment it.

She can become excited about a new subject and will dig into facts and look at consequences. Everything must have an explanation.

When confronted with new challenges, information or decisions, she tends to apply the brakes. How is this going to affect me personally? is a decision she must first make.

This young woman is often introspective, self-oriented and does not like being rushed. She also needs space to herself. I think she also has a rather charming side she can call upon.

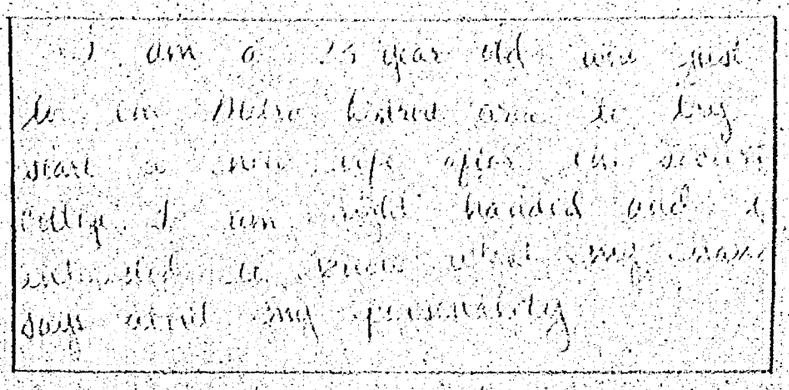
Empathy weaves through this handwriting. Her desire to be friendly and outgoing sometimes is in conflict with her need to be in control. This tends to result in a little reserve in developing new friendships. She also is discreet about sharing her personal life with others.

Our writer needs daily challenges to feel productive. In her work she sets high standards for herself. Anything less than her best effort is not acceptable. Strong determination does not allow her to give up until she has successfully completed the task.

Her bold signature with emphasis on the first name suggests independence and the growing confidence she has in herself. All signs point to success in her move to this area.

If you would like to have your handwriting analyzed in this newspaper, write to Lorene C. Green, a certified graphologist, at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Please use a full sheet of white, unlined paper, writing in the first person singular. Age, handedness and signature are all helpful.

Merry Christmas! May the blessings of love and peace come to you all!



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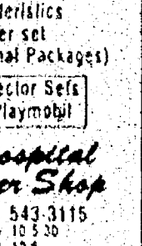

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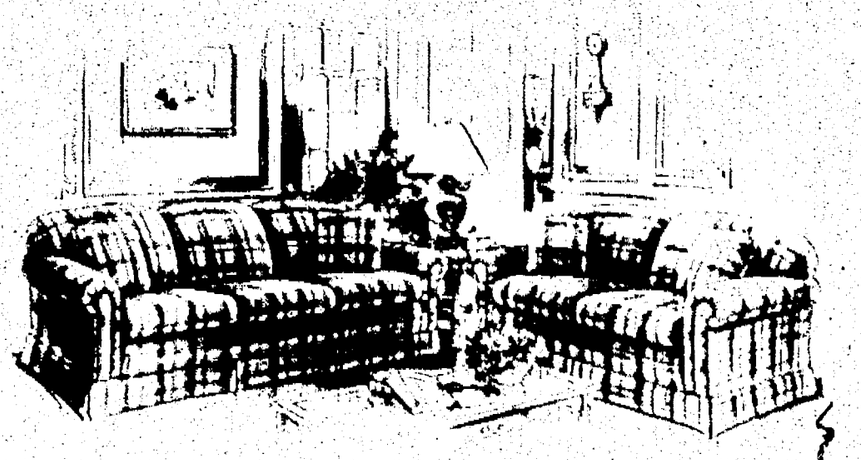

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OPINION

Boredom busters

Parents to rescue, with a plan

Planning ahead will make the holiday period a much more enjoyable one for Westland families with young children. The public schools will be going on holiday break and children will have plenty of time on their hands. With a little planning, that time can be invested in productive and fun activity.

One of the worst things to have around your house, holiday time or any time, is bored children. So during the holiday break, keep your kids occupied and you and they will be more likely have a truly merry Christmas. A one-sheet "to do" list will go a long way to make sure that happens.

One of the first things on your list should be to take a trip to the Wayne-Westland, Livonia or Garden City library before the holiday break begins. Let your children browse and pick out books, videotapes, audio tapes or other materials of interest to them. That should take care of the first few days.

Watch the newspaper ads and find times when you can take the kids to a movie and then maybe treat them to an ice cream sundae afterward. Consider, too, renting videos for three or four days. Make a list and check your video store ahead of time to see what's available. Don't take it for granted "they've already seen that movie" unless you actually watched it with them. Your kids might be missing out on some of the good movies out there. Have they seen "Exodus," "Ben Hur," "Spartacus," "Showboat," "The Music Man," "Oklahoma!," "The Sound of Music," "Goldfinger," "The King and I," "Gone With the Wind," "Cats," "Sounder," "The Color Purple" or "On Golden Pond"? These may not be "kids' movies," but if they are truly for all ages then your children might enjoy them.

Another item for your "to do" holiday list is to check out what will be offered for this period by the Wayne-Westland Family YMCA. The Y provides child care for working parents during the two-week holiday school break. There will be trips, crafts, swimming and lots of other fun stuff. For information on fees and schedules, parents may call the Y at 721-7044.

Fill in the blanks on your to-do list with day trips - either all-day or half-day. Go to Edward Hines for sledding, the Westland Sports Arena on Wildwood and Hunter for ice skating, Westland Skateland for roller skating, Maybury State Park for cross country skiing, or Kensington for a winter nature walk. And don't forget Greenfield Village, the Detroit Institute of Arts, Detroit Historical Museum, the festival of lights along Edward Hines and at Domino's Farms.

And if you are getting worn out just thinking about taking (or is it "dragging"?) the kids to some of these spots, recruit grandparents or a favorite aunt or uncle to be your substitute and then hire a babysitter and take grandfather or aunt out for dinner afterward.

With a little planning, parents and children can enjoy their upcoming winter holiday break. Time off from school should be more than just time off.

Re-examine special ed funding

Sometimes it's best to rebuild than try to fix. That is the case with the present difficulties the Wayne Regional Education Services Agency (RESA) is having paying for the special education center-based program it runs.

For many years now, RESA (formerly known as the Wayne County Intermediate School District) has operated educational programs for developmentally disabled students. School districts transport students to a center, such as Ashcroft in Redford Union, Northwest Wayne Skill in Livonia or Burger in Garden City. The programs are financed, for the most part, with 2 mills levied by RESA.

But RESA has reached the point where the income from the 2 mills is not sufficient to meet costs. Under an arrangement followed in the mid-1980s and before, RESA is now billing charge-backs against local districts. A charge-back is a local district's pro-rated share of a year's deficit generated by RESA.

One problem is that RESA used more than $1 million from the 2 mills to make building improvements in Burger Center, rather than using the funds strictly for operation.

Some local superintendents may quarrel about the formula used to apply charge-backs.

But the real problem is the philosophical approach applied in paying for special education services in Michigan.

Within the past decade there has been mounting support for a system of appropriate special education funds whereby the money would follow the child. This approach is especially apt now that the state's official policy is to mainstream.

Mainstreaming means that a student should be placed in the "least restrictive environment" which provides, among other things, that a student should be assigned to his or her neighborhood school for education whenever possible.

However, there is a financial disincentive for this to happen because whenever a special education student is mainstreamed the home district pays the entire bill.

In the past, if the student was not mainstreamed but remained in a center-based program, the entire bill was paid for by RESA out of its 2 mills. Now, if a student is not mainstreamed most of the bill is paid for by RESA except for the charge-back.

If the state is serious about mainstreaming, and it so claims, then the money should follow the child. If a student transfers from a RESA center to a neighborhood school then the portion from the 2 mills spent on that student should be allocated to the home district.

The 2 mills should not finance the child's education only if he is not mainstreamed.

The fact is taxpayers in all local districts pay the 2 mills. Therefore, an injustice is not done if money from those 2 mills is allocated to local districts. The cost of educating a mainstreamed child is generally lower than educating the same child in a center-based program.

The "money follows the child" approach would be a major change in public fiscal policy. But, mainstreaming was a major change in educational public policy. And money should follow policy changes.

Instead of struggling to solve RESA's monetary woes, or trying to fine-tune the charge-back system, a public policy approach would be to have the money spent directly on children, not on *programs and systems*.

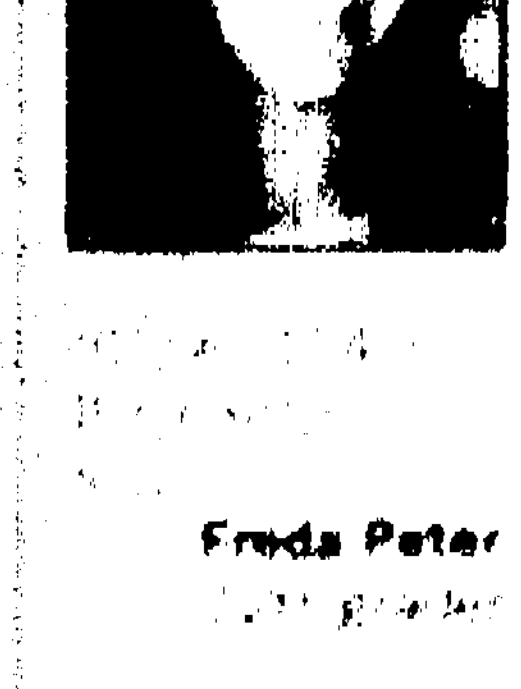
If we are going to mainstream, then give mainstreaming a chance. Let the money follow.

Community Voice

Question:

What is your favorite radio station, and why?

We asked this question of John Glenn High School students.



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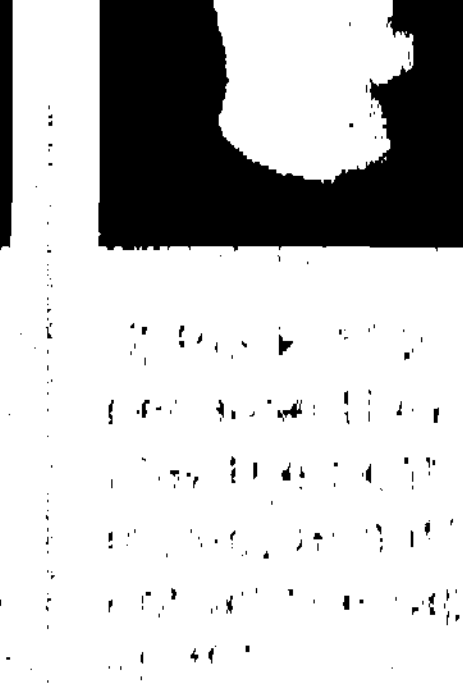

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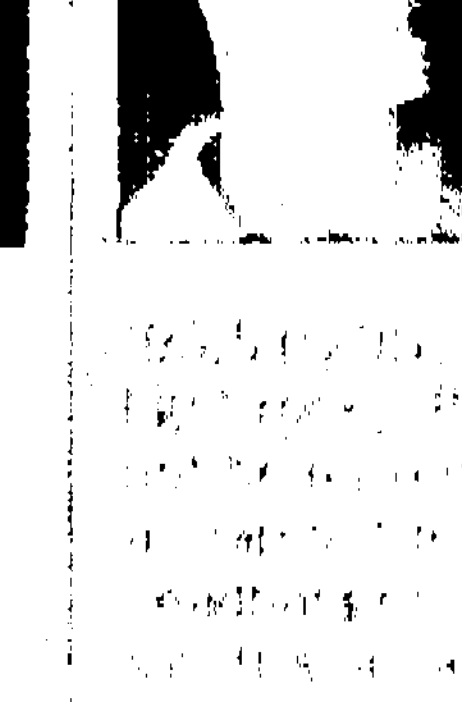

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LETTERS

Amann coverage knocked

I wish I was 37 again. I wish after working at a job for a couple of years and quitting that my employer would give me health care for life. What fools voted to give Bryan Amann health care for life? Apparently there are nine on the Wayne County Board of Commissoners.

Where does Bryan Amann get off threatening to sue if they won't give him health care for life? He chose not to run for re-election. Most pension plans require 10 years to be vested. There are laws requiring health insurance be made available to former employees for a couple of years, but not to pay for the health insurance.

I contribute to several worthwhile causes and I use my money not someone else's. I don't consider health insurance for life for Mr. Amann to be particularly worthwhile or deserved and I don't think the commissioners should be spending the tax dollars we pay so irresponsibly.

With a life expectancy now 78 years Mr. Amann will get more in health care than he did in wages if he lives that long.

David A. Carpenter, Westland

Supporters thanked

Let me take this opportunity to thank the many people involved in my campaign to become Michigan's 8th District state senator.

From the full-time campaign staff (who weren't paid anywhere near what they deserved) to the hundreds of dedicated volunteers, to loyal friends, to my own family who put up with it all and more, I cannot say enough about what they all have meant to me and how important every one of them was in getting me through the campaign both victorious and sane.

As Canton Township Clerk, I have run many elections myself, and I know what a grueling time they are for so many people. I am very grateful to the dedicated Westland election workers who worked all night and into the next morning counting absentee ballots - by hand - after their equipment failed them. Thank God we didn't have that problem in Canton this year; but we've been there, done that, and we empathize. I thank them for their diligence.

Finally, I want to thank all of the voters - even those who did not choose to support me - for their patience and courtesy in the face of all the door-to-door visits, campaign literature and phone calls. I'm sure they are ready for a break from elections. So am I, but I look forward to serving every resident of the 8th District, and I hope that each of my new constituents - whether they are my supporters or not - will feel they have a senator who listens and does what he says he will do, and whose door is always open to them.

After all, they have spent these last few months opening their doors to me. It's the least I can do. Thank you all so much.

State Sen.-elect Loren N. Bennett, Canton

GOP attitude reflected

While the Republican Contract on America (as a friend of mine refines it) begins to gain shape (and lose substance), two rather bizarre and contradictory aspects of GOP attitude surfaced this week.

The first was the disgusting remarks by Dan Quayle as he emerged cherubically from the hospital: "It is important in the health care debate that we stay focused on quality. I got quality care." (His emphasis.) Not one word about the millions in our midst (most of them children) who receive no decent medical attention at all. What a merciless, self-centered creep. He of the family-values folk/volk.

The second is rather amusing, actually; the Republican hue-and-cry for a much enlarged (engorged?) income tax "Kiddie Credit." The Great American Middle is to be encouraged to breed like laboratory rats? At the same time as we re-institute orphanages for the children of the poor? Child-bearing not as an individual option but as a government subsidy? Rabbit-hutch morality, indeed; let the world (and the inner city) worry about over-population. But, then, we have rarely found welfare for the well-to-do particularly anathema to our sense of sturdy self-support.

Tracey Ann Martin, Farmington Hills

Judge is thankful

In nearly 20 years of public service, I've often had reason to be grateful to the people of Westland. The results of the Nov. 8 election have given me yet another reason to thank my neighbors and friends.

As I continue as your judge of district court, I invite Westlanders to visit any day court is in session - my courtroom is always open to every citizen.

Thank you for your vote of confidence. I hope to justify that confidence every day I take the bench as Judge of District Court for Westland.

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POINTS OF VIEW

Kids need tender loving care during Christmas season

GUEST COLUMNIST



JOHN FARRAR

While many of us are considering the purchase of either our last or first gift of the annual mercantile feeding frenzy better known as Christmas, some of our young people approach the season with dread. This angst runs the chronological gamut from toddler to teen and the ages in between. Why would any youngster be unhappy about the prospect of two weeks of freedom from school?

Most aren't, but some are.

For many kids, the holiday season represents a departure from the structure and protection that the daily routine affords them. These children, either because of divorce, chemical dependency or other disruptions within their family system, recognize that the holidays are often stressful and depressing. For some older children (those attending our middle schools and high schools), the deviation from the protection afforded by their normal routine invites their own inappropriate involvement with alcohol or other recreational drugs.

Students often approach Christmas Day with visions of alcohol-induced conflicts or divorce-based arguments rather than sugarplums dancing in their heads.

A high school junior once lamented that "my mom and dad feel that they need for all of us to be together because it's Christmas. They have this fantasy that we are one big, happy family when we are not. By the middle of the afternoon, they are fighting and I get put in the middle."

Another senior, in describing his less-than-serene Thanksgiving holiday, reported, "My dad wouldn't talk to me for two days because I told him I was going over to my mom's house on Thanksgiving afternoon."

Unhappily, divorce and alcohol abuse are part of our society. There are steps that adults can take, however, to make the holiday season less stressful for children of any age. Here are a few suggestions for adults:

Understand that this is a dangerously unstructured time for kids. Older children need to receive strong messages regarding the illegality and inappropriateness of any recreational use of alcohol. In that vein, adults can support these expectations by being positive role models for their children, younger siblings, and grandchildren through their own abstinence or responsible use of alcohol.

Make the holiday a pleasant one for your kids by setting aside both past grievances and unrealistic expectations. If you can reasonably predict that you and your "ex" are likely to quarrel over the holiday if thrust together, then chances are that your kids can anticipate that, too. Allow time for your children to comfortably spend time with both of their parents. Limit struggles to the wishbone on the Christmas turkey.

For those of us who can expect to have a conflict-free holiday, it is in the best spirit of the season to open our homes to others who may be faced with less amicable prospects. Letting your own children know that one of their friends is welcome (even on Christmas Day) if things get unmanageable at their house will be appreciated by that young person. A Christmas dinner table which includes such a teen-ager (and perhaps your recently widowed neighbor from next door) demonstrates the holiday spirit more genuinely than a living room engorged by gifts grudgingly acquired at the mall.

Try instead the gift of serenity. Give a young person a reason to smile.

John Farrar is a high school counselor; the former director of the Community Commission on Drug Abuse, and an adjunct professor in the psychology departments of Madonna University and Eastern Michigan University.

Here's a primer to penetrating 'charter school' fog



TIM RICHARD

In no state but Michigan have charter schools become such a partisan issue.

State Sen. John Kelly, D-Grosse Pointe, was alone among Democrats in supporting two charter school renewal bills as they went through the state Senate. Kelly apparently was accused of some party disloyalty but argued charter schools were originally a Democratic idea and counted President Bill Clinton among their supporters.

George Ward, the Plymouth Township resident best known as chief assistant Wayne County prosecutor, is a second Democrat who supports charter schools. Ward doubles as an appointive trustee of Saginaw Valley State University, which has been strongly supportive of charter schools.

After them, you can almost count Democratic advocates of charter schools on the fingers of one hand.

The notion of charter schools seems benign enough, at least on paper. Some teachers and parents want to do something innovative — a science program, an offering for delinquent kids, whatever. A school district, community college or university grants them a charter and a chunk of state aid, then gets out of the way.

Golly gee, that looks harmless enough.

But the first suspicious thing one notices is that the clamor for charter schools doesn't come from parents. Or teachers. Or students. Or administrators.

The second suspicious thing you notice is that support for charter schools comes from groups with an ax to grind.

TEACH Michigan, founded in 1990, comes to mind. Founder Paul DeWeese, M.D., was pamphleteering at the 1992 Republican State Convention when I first came across him. He starts by talking about "full educational choice." Next he uses the seductive line that there's a social consensus that public schools have failed — you know, the "everybody's doing it" propaganda technique.

By the time he's done, DeWeese is talking about amending the Michigan Constitution to remove Art. VIII sec. 2: No public money for private, denominational or non-public school; no vouchers; no tax benefits.

Then comes the Mackinac Center with a vitriolic attack on teachers' unions. Its polemicists — they no longer bother with research — offer charter schools as an answer to the union demons. But Mackinac Center tips its hand by making lists of what it considers the better high schools — almost all religious-oriented. It makes grants — all to religious groups. Its real agenda becomes apparent.

Third, consider the Law of Unintended Consequences. Whenever government makes available a pot of money, all sorts of people come out of the woodwork to partake of the pork.

Lyndon Johnson, for example, probably never dreamed that the AFDC program would be interpreted as a subsidy to illegitimate births. But that was precisely the consequence as blacks raised their out-of-wedlock birth rate from 30 percent to 65 percent or more, and whites from 1 percent to about 20 percent. Or take the Indian — whoops, Native American — scholarship program and the hundreds of light-skinned suburbanites who suddenly decided they had Chippewa blood.

In Lansing last week we saw a major lobbying effort to make the Noah Webster Academy eligible for state money, despite the superintendent of public instruction's careful finding that it didn't qualify as a public charter school. (Incidentally, I predict Dr. Robert Schiller will be the subject of vitriolic attacks in the next couple of years over anything and everything because he saw through the charade.)

Parochial schools are in bad shape. To put it in terms that right-wingers understand, parochial schools have been unable to compete in the marketplace. Their enrollments have plummeted over the last 20 years. They want tax money.

For the last 157 years, Michigan voters have been consistent in denying tax money for teachers of religion and religious edifices. Voters were emphatic in 1970 when they prohibited public funds for non-public schools. Voters weren't fooled in 1978 when they crushed a pro-voucher amendment even though it was tied to elimination of school property taxes.

So that's why charter schools are a major issue in Michigan. Voters can see through the fog about "full educational choice."

Tim Richard reports regularly on the local implications of state and regional events.

Vacation offers hazards for young and old alike

GUEST COLUMNIST



DOROTHY MATSU

■ Compared to the supervision of school, vacations were often reckless and fraught with dangers. When really little, things like searing your fingers on one of those horrid old-fashioned big tree lights while lunging for a present taught one restraint. Sneaking a hunk of unsweetened baking chocolate into your mouth reinforced that.

While chuckling over childhood holiday memories, I wondered if there might be a St. Oaf, or some such protector of the clumsy.

Eager anticipation of the Christmas vacation had most of us whipped into a frenzy that would take full possession on that last half day of elementary school. Teachers would stand amazed at some of the oddities parents bestowed on them in their child's name. There would be questionable baked goodies to go with our warm milk while wielding blunt scissors in the maddening attempt to fashion fancy snowflakes out of dingy math paper.

I can still smell the intensely purple copying ink while coloring in Santa's huge face with those enormous industrial-strength slabs of crayon.

Others wrestled with macaroni masterpieces, sampling here the paste and there the little box of hard candies that were given to each.

Excitement and sugar had us all vibrating like tuning forks by the time we were set free. Stampeding into the ceaselessly stormy northshore winter, we thought only of playing to our heart's content. Some barely got out the doors before turning a foot or busting their butts on a patch of ice.

Most were determined to do themselves by hitching snowy rides on the backs of trash trucks.

Scaling filthy Himalayan snowbanks transported to the beach by the reckless DPW was quite common until some kids sadly disappeared into them. The snow made my grimy neighborhood of tenement tinderboxes into a relative wonderland, so a penchant for tunneling caves and building forts is probably responsible for the occasional fits of claustrophobia.

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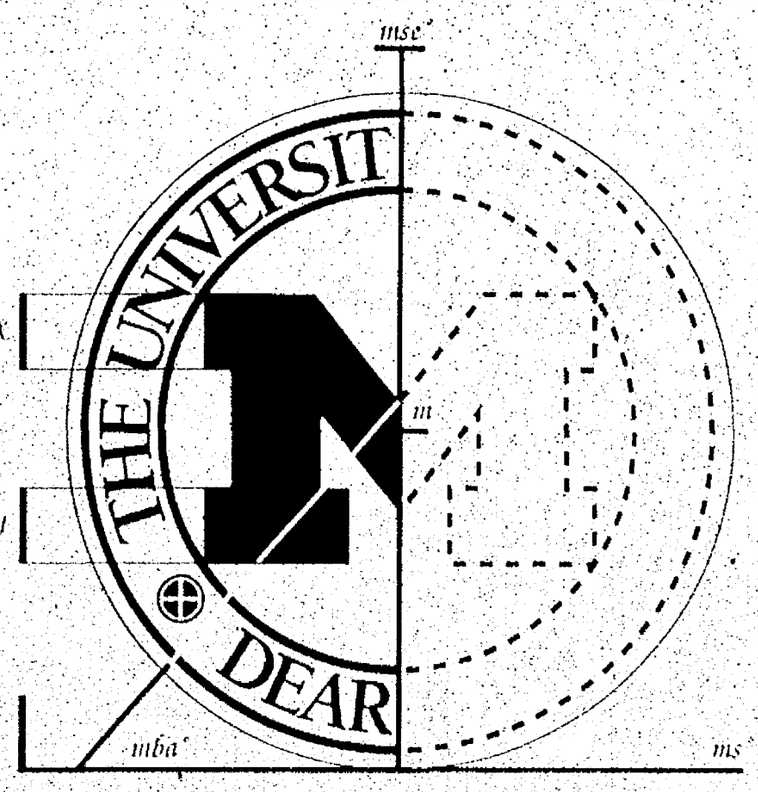
Leaping and cavorting about the house resulted in crushing an Etch-a-Sketch and cutting a foot on top of that metallic dust. I recall standing on the top of one of my greater igloos, hoisting a hefty niece onto my 12-year-old hip and having just one leg crash through, nearly dislocating my fanny.

More fun awaited as we lurched to the pond in our ill-fitting skates with three to six pairs of socks on. Sparks flying across the pavement, we clashed onward, understanding having one's Beatle boots stolen was more likely than any of us being off our ankles long enough to appreciate sharp blades.

Simply evil hockey kids would drive us onto the sunny melted side where we terrorized even them with 'jumpin' buckles,' those floes, broken bits of ice, to the center and back.

One could also sled into any number of heavily trafficked city dragways. Re-enacting my own candlelight Mass, complete with choir solos, I inadvertently set afire the cotton batting under our tiny manger scene on the mantelpiece. I recall grabbing the Bible to beat it out, and by God, so it did! Take very good care. I wish you safe, warm and happy holidays!

Dorothy Matsu is a Plymouth Township resident.



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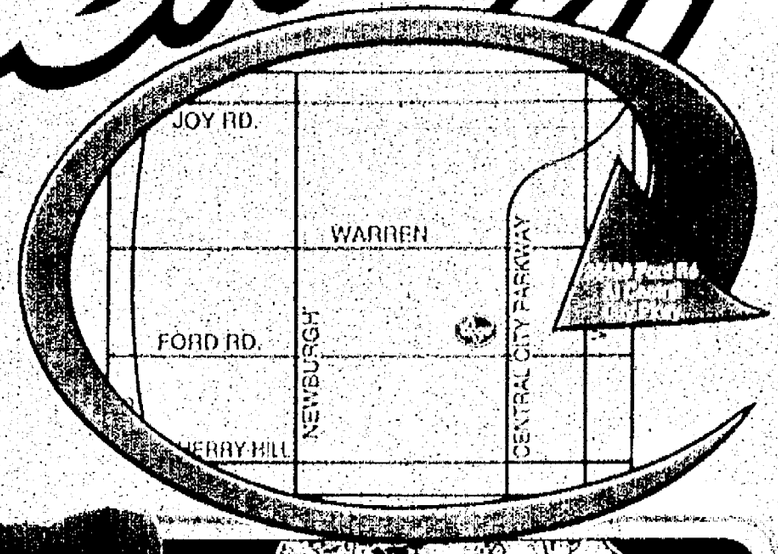



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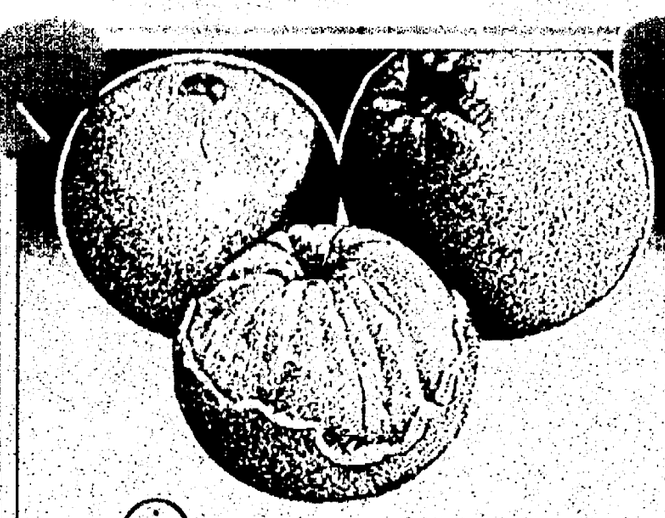

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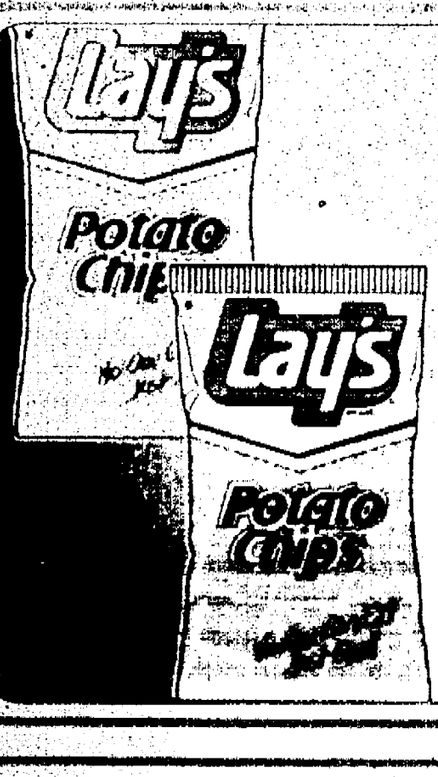

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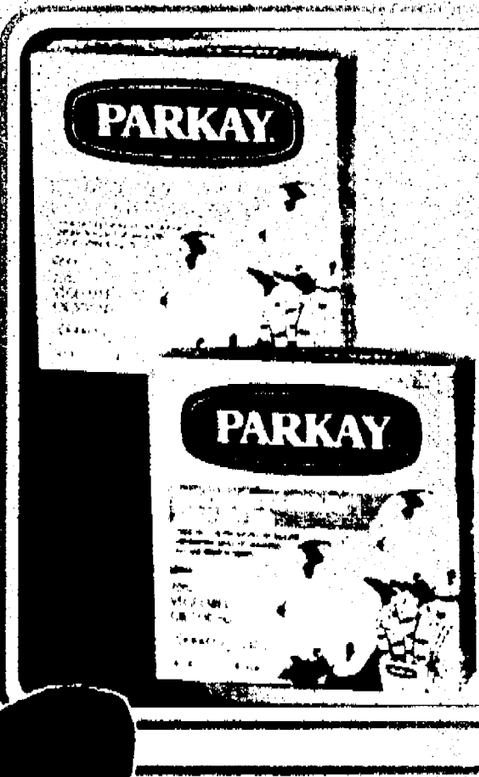

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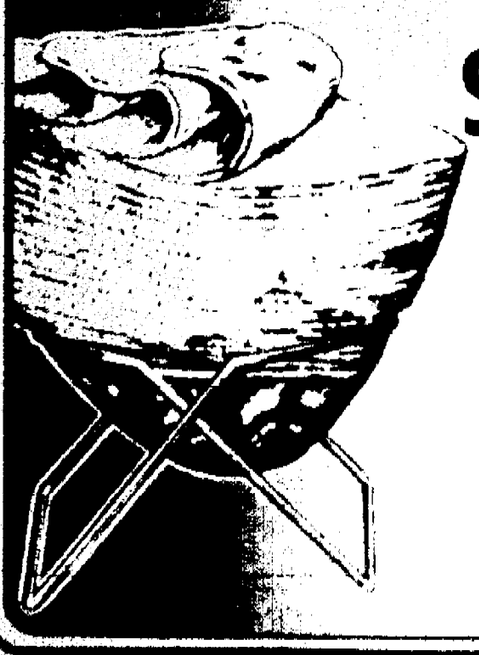

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KEELY WYGONIK

Happy holidays! thanks for your help

Happy holidays! Thank-you for all your help in launching our new Let's Go! section. Your "Wish You Were Here" photos, participation in movie contests and giveaways, and letters have been much appreciated.

The Christmas spirit is contagious. It's a time of optimism, for counting blessings, and sharing with those less fortunate than we are.

We're happy to have been able to help community groups promote their concerts, plays and other special events. Let's Go! forward and keep up the good work in 1995.

■ The Detroit Symphony Orchestra and American Red Cross are urging the metro-Detroiters to "hear the music" this holiday season, and support a crucial need for blood. The DSO and Red Cross will present the "DSO Holiday Blood Drive" at the nine donor centers in metro-Detroit including Bloomfield Hills 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday, Dec. 26.

The first 500 people who attempt to donate will receive a pair of Detroit Symphony Orchestra concert vouchers. Call 1-800-GIVE-LIFE to schedule an appointment.

■ Michigan Opera Theatre is sponsoring a "Save-A-Life" Monday blood drive at the Ritz-Carlton, Dearborn, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday, Jan. 2. As an extra incentive, MOT will present each donor with a certificate for one ticket to its spring "Season of Masterpieces." The Ritz-Carlton will also give each participant a certificate for a discounted room rate. MOT will entertain with performers and costumed donors of their own. Don't let the spirit die after the holidays. Call 1-800-528-4383 to schedule an appointment.

■ Begin the new year on a joyful note — join a community choir. Here are two opportunities.

■ Schoolcraft College Community Choir will hold auditions for new members 7:30 p.m. Tuesday,

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DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

New year's: *The Detroit Symphony Orchestra presents "Night in Old Vienna," a festive and romantic New Year's Eve tradition.*

Here's what to do on New Year's

When it comes to New Year's Eve, some of us like to swing from chandeliers, most of us don't. Some of us go for champagne and confetti, and some of us prefer quiet dinners and midnight strolls.

Planning a fun New Year's Eve can be a challenge, so we turned to our readers, who have solutions for everything.

We asked readers to recall a favorite New Year's Eve or to suggest a good way to spend a future one.

We gave away to readers 20 pairs of tickets to Second City in Detroit to those who offered tips and reminiscences.

Here's a sampling:

"The year before last we had a New Year's Eve party with our four children. We started the evening with a twilight movie theater matinee then returned home and decorated the house with balloons. We played cards and board games and ate hors d'oevres and ice cream punch. As the midnight hour grew nearer, we donned party hats and gathered noise makers. We toasted the New Year with alcohol-free grape wine." — Karen Metz, Canton

"My very best New Year's Eve experience in Detroit was dancing on the stage of the magnificent Orchestra Hall after a wonderful dinner at the elegant and cozy Whitney restadrant. We listened to the great Detroit Symphony Orchestra perform a concert of light Viennese music and toasted the New Year with a glass of champagne with friends and music lovers." — Marita Stepe, Bloomfield Hills

"For a fun and inexpensive New Year's Eve, I would suggest a progressive dinner for five or six couples, allowing at least an hour at each home. A neighborhood group can dress casually and romp through the snow (if any). Each couple can take a category, for example: appetizers, soup, salad, main course, dessert (cocktails optional) and entertainment. Be imaginative." — Saxie Heft, Livonia

"I've found a wonderful way to fit in as a single person on New Year's Eve. I've volunteered at Birmingham's First Night for the past two years and will do so again this year. In fact, I'm bringing in new recruits." — Sharon Sheffer, Bloomfield Township

"My best friend and I feel that New Year's Eve is a time to celebrate with the entire family, so a few years ago we arranged to take our husbands and children on an evening carriage ride of Birmingham. We bundled up for the excursion, put hot chocolate in a Thermos for the kids and Irish Coffee in another for the adults. We climbed in an old-fashioned enclosed carriage, and were singing, laughing and watching a soft sprinkling of snow." — Tammy Dyer, Livonia

"The traditional New Year's Eve for a Red Wings fan is to go to the game. Get a room downtown and shuttle, or taxi, over. Let's hope we can do it this year." — Deb Bury, Redford

"Last December, on a whim, my husband, Fred, and I travelled by train to Chicago and stayed at a downtown hotel near the station. We left from Ann Arbor after picking up a boxed lunch at Zingerman's Deli and enjoying a "bon voyage drink" at the Gandy Dancer restaurant. In Chicago, we walked to the Midland Hotel. We found plenty to do — museums, a play, dining, shopping and a fireworks display — all within walking distance." — Loretta Blum, Farmington Hills

"In 1992, my husband and I celebrated our first New Year's Eve together. We had dinner with several other couples and went to Ward Presbyterian Church's 11 p.m. service. Near midnight, the lights in the sanctuary were turned down until the entire congregation was sitting silently in the dark. It truly was a wonderful peaceful moment of quiet reflection on what God has done in the year past and what blessings lie ahead in the new year." — Jill Van Doornik, Farmington Hills

"Looking back to 1980 with good neighbors, friends (and connections), we ordered a lobsters and clams steamer pot from restaurant suppliers and proceeded to have a gourmet potluck New England Seafood New Year's Eve dinner. It was so enjoyable the 20 of us have repeated it even better each year." — Lynne Loren, West Bloomfield.

Look inside for more New Year's things to do

Now showing

Dining — *Chris and Debbie Necovski, owners of Brother's Family Restaurant in Plymouth, know when it comes to food, everybody's a little bit Polish.*

Theater — *Find out what's on stage in your community.*

Movies — *Jodie Foster creates a believable "Nell."*

Travel — *Kate Rosevear, co-owner of Carlson Travel Network-Suncoast Travel in Plymouth, offers tips for champagne travel on a beer budget.*

Music — *Wally Pleasant is back with "Houses of the Holy Moly."*

Looking ahead

- *Locally produced "Xtinct!" is a mish mash of the pop culture icons we love and despise.*
- *Comedians share their New Year resolutions.*

Learn to ski winners head for slopes

BY KEELY WYGONIK
STAFF WRITER

The response to our "Learn to Ski" contest was great! We received over 40 entries, and would like to thank everyone for participating.

Nancy Pichla of Garden City was the winner of our contest. She will soon be headed to Sugar Loaf Resort to spend the weekend skiing with her son.

Runner up, Martha Breen of Livonia, received a Michigan Ski Industries Association White Gold Card which allows her to ski one time free at each of the participating ski areas across the state during the 1994/95 season.

"My girlfriend and I are single parents, each of us has a 15 year old son," wrote Pichla explaining why she would like to learn how to ski. "The boys are always wanting to know why we can't go away for weekends or have a day on the ski slopes like some of their friends.

Pichla and her friend, Pat Terry, also of Garden City, will be getting a few pointers on skiing from their sons. Pichla's son, Brett, and Terry's son, Steven, have skiied before, but their moms have never tried it.

Breen wrote that she's been skiing twice and snowplowed all the way down the beginner's hill before falling to a stop. Her husband is the only one in their family who has done any "real skiing." The Breens have a son and two daughters.

Sugar Loaf Resort is one of 29 Michigan ski areas and shops teaming up to offer an array of special ski programs this winter.

Working with McDonald's restaurants and Ski Industries America, the Michigan Ski Industries Association is introducing beginner snowboard, downhill and cross-country ski programs under the heading "Menu of Michigan Skiing." The menu which is broken into three courses — "Discover Michigan Skiing," Discover Michigan Snowboarding," and "Cross-Country Ski Festival," begins on January 3.

Look for details of the Menu of Michigan Skiing on tray liners at McDonald's restaurants or send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Menu of Michigan Skiing, 7164 Deer Lake Court, Clarkston, MI 48346-1271.

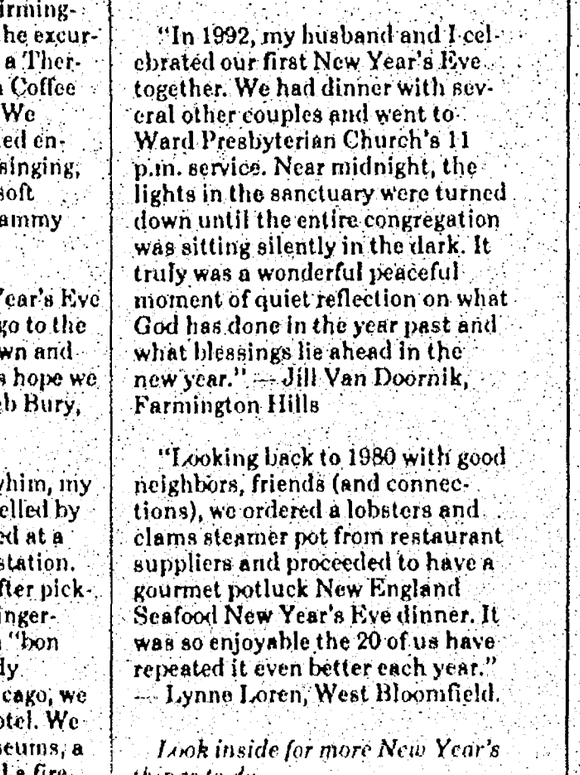
Participants in Discover Michigan Skiing and Discover Michigan Snowboarding receive three beginner lessons, each consisting of a 90 minute beginner lesson, an all-day lift ticket to ski, and rental equipment, all at very low introductory prices. Participants must pre-register.

The price for the first session of Discover Michigan Skiing is $25 for adults, and $15 for children seven to 14. The second session is $30 adults, and $20 kids, and session three is $35 adults, $25 for kids.

"The average cost of a lift ticket alone is $28," said Jim Bartlett, president of the Michigan Ski Industries Association and general manager at Nubs Nob Ski Area. "Add rental equipment and a group lesson, and the package at most ski areas would be about $55."

Cross Country Ski Festival introduces new cross-country skiers to the joys of proper skiing techniques on well-groomed trails. On Sunday, Jan. 8 all participating ski areas will offer a free, group lesson and free trail pass. Ski equipment is not included, but may be rented to all pre-registered participants.

Nearby participating resorts include Mt. Brighton, Mt. Holly, Pine Knob, and Riverview Highlands.



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Skiers: *J.J. Hill explains ski resort information to the Baughman Family of Farmington Hills, Ashley, Gail and Bill at the Michigan Ski Show. Tyler Christensen and Matt Kessler, look at boots.*

LET'S GO! DINING

Couple brings a taste of Poland to Plymouth

BY RENEE SKOGLUND
SPECIAL WRITER

■ The Necovskis know that busy people appreciate a homemade taste, especially around the holidays.

The owners of Brothers Family Restaurant, Chris and Debbie Necovski, know that when it comes to food, everybody's a little bit Polish.

That's why the menu at one of Plymouth's newest eateries, located on General Drive near Joy Road and Lilley, includes stuffed cabbage, kielbasa and sauerkraut.

And like any good Polish kitchen worth its pierogis, Brothers boasts a daily offering of at least six soups.

Kimberly Woodard and Mary Kay Conville, co-workers in a Plymouth dental office, were having lunch at Brothers on the restaurant's busy opening day a few weeks ago. Both had ordered chicken dumpling soup.

"It was fabulous. It was homemade quality," said Woodard.

Conville, a Canton resident, agreed: "Tons of dumplings, and it was not greasy. And another thing, everything was real hot. That's really good because a lot of food is served tepid," she said.

The women followed their soup with a pork chop sandwich, pierogis and dishes of warm rice pudding.

Conville stressed that she had tasted "only one" of her friend's pierogis, then added, "I drink diet water."

The Necovskis, both long-time Canton residents, have a history of satisfying their customers. In addition to Brothers in Plymouth, they own Three Brothers on Warren near Southfield in Detroit, a favorite eating spot of Ford Motor Co. employees who work in Dearborn.

Their secret for creating loyal customers?

"It's friendly waitresses, a clean place and good food," said Chris Necovski.

Debbie Necovski said their best-selling dish has always been the combination plate "because it has stuffed cabbage, three pierogis and kielbasa and sauerkraut. And we make the pierogi — kraut, cheese and potato — here every single day."

The cabbage soup — from Chris Necovski's mother's recipe — is their most popular soup.

The Necovskis know that busy people appreciate a homemade taste, especially around the holidays.



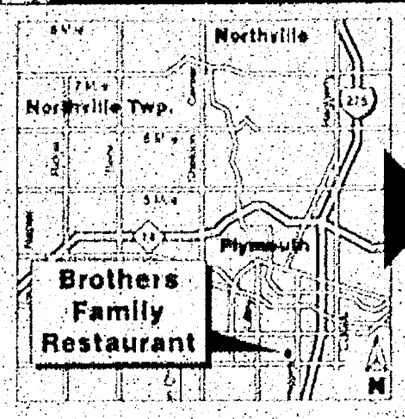
Polish restaurant: *Chris and Debbie Necovski, owners of Brothers Family Restaurant in Plymouth.*

Brothers' general manager, Bruce D'Amico, echoed the Necovskis when he said: "What I really want to do is let (the community) know this is good home cooking with Polish-American flair."

He also said the restaurant soon would be faxing out daily specials to area businesses and is looking into take-out taxi service. What more could you ask for? Home-delivered pierogis.

By the way, Brothers Family Restaurant makes 14 differen kinds of soup (I counted).

Send recommendations for restaurants to feature in Let's Go! to: Keely Wygonik, Let's Go! editor: Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, Inc., 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150. Be sure to explain why this is one of your favorite restaurants. If you're a restaurant owner, send along a copy of your menu.



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Festive events

CAFE CORTINA
The restaurant at 30175 W. 10 Mile, Farmington Hills, is offering a Christmas Eve dinner — 7 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 24. Warm, cozy dinner served in various courses with guests selecting a choice of entree. Cost $48 per person. New Year's Eve, open, limited menu, seatings at 4:30 p.m., 5 p.m., 6:30 p.m. 7 p.m. Party begins at 9:30 p.m. with disc jockey, dancing in garden room, 6-course dinner, champagne, party favors, cost $65 per person, reserved seating, deposit required.
(810) 474-3033

NORMAN'S ETON STREET STATION
Special New Year's Eve menu includes appetizers, entrees such as filet mignon, stuffed jumbo shrimp and whitefish. Mel Rancher performs at the piano 5:30-8:30 p.m. followed by dancing with music by David Myles and the Myles-tones.
(810) 647-7774.

RUSSIAN BEAR
Banquet Style dinner, live entertainment, strolling musicians from Moscow, party favors, cost $95 per person. Advance tickets on sale now.
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RITZ CARLTON DEARBORN
New Year's Eve celebration begins 6:30 p.m., Mel Ball and Colours, performs. Cost $349 per couple; includes champagne toast, party favors, keepsake photo, overnight accommodation. Cocktail attire or black tie optional. World's Smallest New Year's Eve party for children ages 5-10, $30 per child. New Year's Day buffet, live entertainment, assortment of fruits cheese, caviar, seafood, pastries, entrees, $30 per person; children ages 6-10, $15.
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OPUS ONE
Three dinner seatings on Saturday, Dec. 31, beginning at 5 p.m. The third at 9:30 or 10 p.m. is $75 per person and includes a four-course dinner, ordered off the menu, plus dancing to the Mutual Admiration Society, and party favors. The restaurant is at 565 E. Larned, Detroit.
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Jazz

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Jack Brokensha Quartet, 8 p.m. Thursdays, at the inn, 28000 Grand River, north of Eight Mile, Farmington Hills. Admission $5 per person with a two drink per person minimum. On Thursday, Dec. 22, Brokensha will be performing tunes from his Christmas album.
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LE METRO
Jazz Duo, Marvin Kahn on alto clarinet and Keith Vreeland, piano, Thursday nights at Le Metro, 29855 Northwestern, Southfield.
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COUNTRY EPICURE
Wilbert Peagler, piano and Bob Barnes Sax, 6:30-10:30 p.m. Wednesdays and Thursdays. Wilbert Peagler Jazz Quartet featuring vocalist Renee Jackson, Fridays and Saturdays. The restaurant is at 42050 Grand River, Novi.
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College restaurants

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(810) 471-7786

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE
New Gourmet Alternative buffet served by the college's restaurant, American Harvest, 6-8 p.m. Thursdays, beginning Jan. 19. The cost is $15 per person. Call for reservations.
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Brunch

BRADY'S
Brady's will offer a special price of $19.95 for a family of four (2 adults and 2 children) for the entire month of January. This brunch is available normally for $12.95 for adults, $8.95 seniors, and $4.95 children ages 5-12; and free for kids 5 and under. Brady's is at 38123 W. 10 Mile Road inside the Holiday Inn, Farmington Hills. Brunch served 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sundays.
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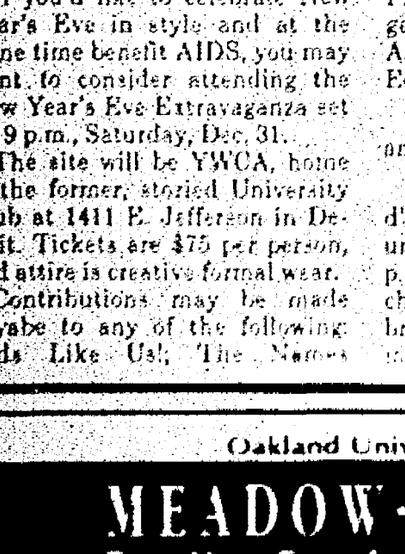
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ROSEDALE PLAYERS
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ATTIC THEATRE
"Inspecting Carol," a holiday comedy about a small Midwest theater company trying to get through its annual production of "A Christmas Carol," continues through Jan. 8.
(313) 875-8284

FARMINGTON PLAYERS
"What I Did Last Summer," by A.R. Gurney opens 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 27 at the player's barn, 32332 W. 12 Mile, Farmington Hills.
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Auditions

PLAYER'S GUILD OF DEARBORN
Youth Theatre auditions for "Cinderella," 5-7 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 3 at the playhouse, 21730 Madison, near Outer Drive and Monroe. Ages 8 to 18, come prepared to sing and dance, bring sheet music or tape. Call Lisa Andres.
(313) 427-1775

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Youth ages eight to 19 for "Aladdin" 7 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 17-18. Auditioners will be required to read a one-minute monologue or poem and song. Call Community House for appointment time.
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CRANBROOK ART MUSEUM
Story-teller Judy Sima spins tales of dragons, clowns, animals and more, 2, 3 and 4 p.m. Dec. 28-30 at the Cranbrook Art Museum, 1221 N. Woodward, between Lone Pine and Long Lake, Bloomfield Hills.
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Comedy

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Festive events welcome new year

"What are you doing New Year's Eve?" — If you haven't made plans yet, here are some ideas.

■ Ring in 1995 with a festive and romantic New Year's Eve tradition called "Night in Old Vienna" 9 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 31, at Orchestra Hall in Detroit. This concert features the Detroit Symphony Orchestra led by Leslie B. Dunner, performing the music of Vienna, along with internationally famous soprano, Kaaren Erickson.

During the concert, professional ballroom dancers, Glenn Clarke and Cyndy Geralds, and Steven and Susan McFerran will whirl across stage to the beautiful waltzes of Vienna. After the performance, concertgoers are invited to dance on stage to the sounds of the Mack Pitt Orchestra. The New Year will be kicked off with party favors and a champagne toast at the stroke of midnight. Tickets range from $20 to $38, box tickets are $80. Call (313) 833-3700 or Ticketmaster, (810) 645-6666.

■ Organizers of First Night/Birmingham '95 are getting ready for a lively New Year's with a myriad of outstanding performances, headlined this year by the Chenille Sisters.

First Night is a non-alcoholic festival of the arts for all ages, featuring over 20 performers, which takes place in easily accessible locations throughout central Birmingham from 2 p.m. until midnight on Dec. 31. Admission is a $7 button (admission for children ages 3-5 is $1; children 2 and under are admitted free). For information, call (810) 540-6688.

Other headliners include: Southern Exposure, Mr. "B," Peter Madcat Ruth and Shari Kane; Ursula Walker and Buddy Budson, bluegrass artist Neil Woodward; Merlin the Magician; two puppet troupes; and children's interactive theater preformances.

A "Hoedown Countdown to Midnight" will take place in Shain Park to "rope" in the New Year, showcasing the foot-warming, knee-slapping, toe-tapping country music of Southern Exposure.

■ Put another quarter in the jukebox, break out the go-go boots, mini skirts, pink fishnet stockings, and hairspray and prepare to rock the night away this Year's Eve and celebrate the 100th performance of "Beehive," the 1960s musical now playing at the Gem Theatre in Detroit.

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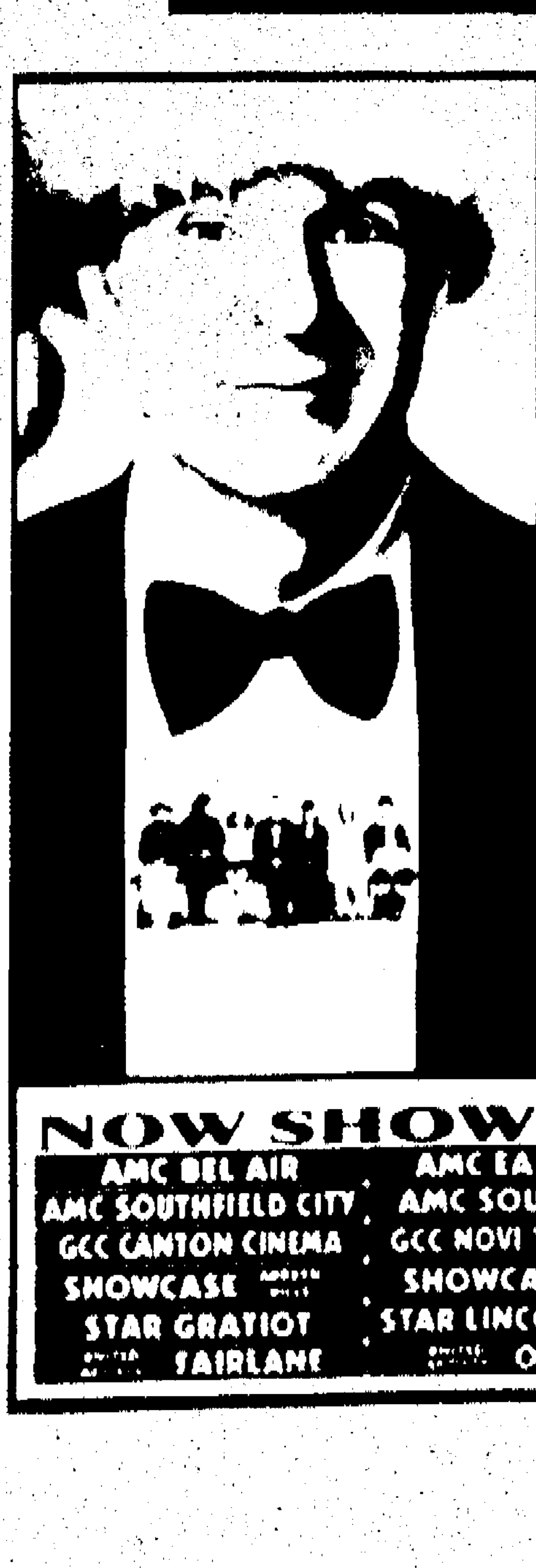

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Talented Jodie Foster creates a believable 'Nell'

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■ REVIEW

I'm not exactly sure what Jodie Foster studied in college, but I bet it had something to do with psychology. Her directorial debut in "Little Man Tate" focused on a child prodigy placed in the hands of the scientific community.

Foster's new movie, "Nell," has a different twist but essentially the same conflict. A young woman raised solely by her mother deep in the woods must become acclamated to the real world or continue the rustic life she's used to.

Unfortunately, "Nell" follows "Tate's" fate — it reads like a long-winded master's thesis. Though full of good intentions and Foster's strong lead performance, the point becomes painfully obvious after about five minutes; the rest merely serves as filler.

It's not until Nell's mother dies that anyone even knows of her existence. According to the papers, the mother was once the victim of rape, resulting in a complete withdrawal from the community and the clandestine birth and rearing of Nell.

Nell has never seen another human being and has thus picked up her mother's manner of speech, virtually unintelligible since half of the older woman's face was paralyzed by a stroke. The movie's audience on its toes trying to figure out what she's saying.



ANDREW COOPER

Drama: *Natasha Richardson is Paula Olsen, (left to right), Jodie Foster is the title character, and Liam Neeson is Jerome in "Nell."*

The jury is out, at least for three months, as the court decides what to do with Nell. Liam Neeson's scruffy country doctor would like her to stay put. The medical community, represented by Natasha Richardson, wants her in the hospital for observation.

He watches Nell from a nearby campsite while she, on a floating laboratory, logs her every move on video monitors. For Richardson, studying Nell will lead to juicy articles in the scientific journals, probably even a university position. His motives remain cloudier.

In a year when quality women's roles have been scarce, Foster already has Hollywood buzzing about a third Best Actress Oscar.

Where co-stars Richardson and Neeson have trouble maintaining believable Southern accents, Foster creates an entirely new language.

Director Michael Apted has a clever way of bringing compassion and dignity to mountain people, just as he did in 1980s "Coal Miner's Daughter." He can't, however, make up for the sappiness in the script, especially at the end, where a courtroom scene wrenches tears from its much-too-manipulated audience.

And I suppose this is fine for the Christmas season. If you want truth, however, check out "The Wild Child," Francois Truffaut's clinical yet emotional study of an actual 18th-century boy raised in the French woods. The 1969 classic can be found at better video stores.

If you have a comment for John Monaghan, call him at 953-2047, mailbox 1866, on a Touch-Tone phone, or write to him care of Street Scene, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150.

Screen Scene

A sampling *of what's playing at alternative movie theaters across metro Detroit as reviewed by John Monaghan.*

■ MAGIC BAG THEATRE
22918 Woodward, Ferndale. Call 810-544-3030 for information. ($6)

Spike and Mike's Sick and Twisted Festival of Animation. Dec. 22 - 30 (call for showtimes). Beavis and Butthead made their Detroit debut during an earlier edition. So you can imagine what's in store in this new compilation, featuring such titles as "Home Honey, I'm High," "Brian's Brain," and "Lloyd's Lunchbox." Not for the weak at heart — or stomach.

■ MAIN ART THEATRE
118 N. Main Street at 11 Mile, Royal Oak. Films play through at least Thursday, unless noted otherwise. Call 810-512-0180 for information and showtimes. ($6.50; $4 students and matinee; $3 twilight)

"The Last Seduction" (USA - 1994). The follow-up film noir from John Dahl, director of "Red Rock West." This time Linda Fiorentino stars as a ruthless femme fatale who double crosses her husband, then hides out in a Smalltown, USA.

"Bullets Over Broadway" (USA - 1994). Woody Allen's latest, set in the 1920s, finds an ambitious playwright (John Cusack) offered the chance to direct his own play. The only hitch: he has to cast a mobster's girlfriend in a key role.

"Heavenly Creatures" (New Zealand - 1994). The tale, based on a true story about two imaginative girls who find themselves involved in something they can't control. An acclaimed new movie from Peter Jackson, the director of "Dead Alive." Starts Dec. 23.

■ MAPLE THEATRE
4135 W. Maple, Bloomfield. All titles play through at least next Thursday. Call 810-855-9090 for information. ($6; $2.95 twilight)

"Little Women" (USA - 1994). Yet another screen treatment of Louisa May Alcott's American classic about a woman and her four daughters. Susan Sarandon, Wynona Ryder, and Gabriel Byrne star. Directed by Gillian Armstrong ("My Brilliant Career").

"Nell" (USA - 1994). Jodie Foster tries for a third Oscar in this sometimes moving, often sappy story of a woman facing the world after growing up alone with her mother in the woods. Liam Neeson and Natasha Richardson help her along. Opens Dec. 23.

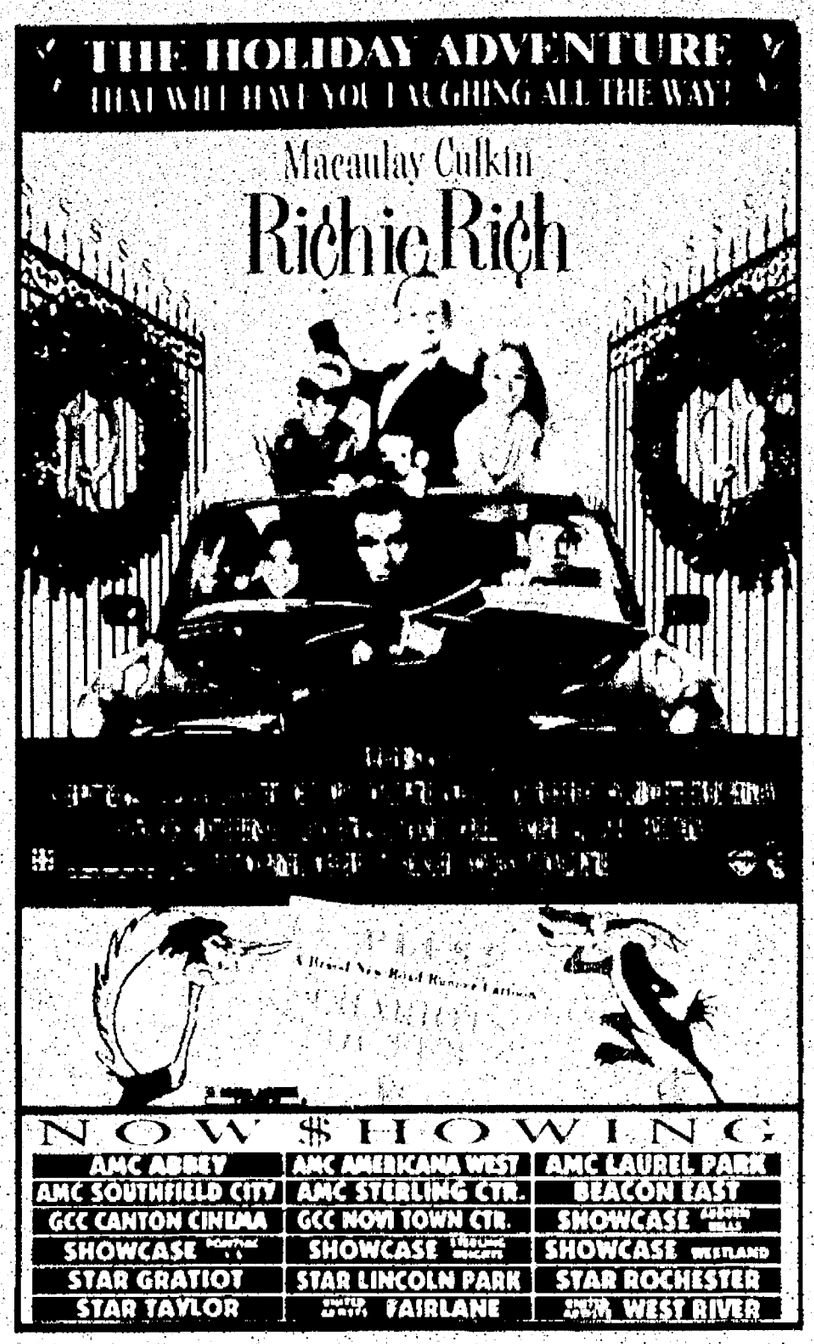
"Mrs. Parker and the Vicious Circle" (USA - 1994). Alan Rudolph ("The Moderns") seems well-suited to resurrect Dorothy Parker and the other literary luminaries who held court over lunch and drinks at New York's Algonquin Hotel. Jennifer Jason Leigh stars. Opens Dec. 23.

■ MICHIGAN THEATRE
603 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Call 313-668-8397 for information. ($5; $4 students/seniors)

"Heavenly Creatures" (New Zealand - 1994). Through Dec. 30 (call for showtimes). See Main Art Theatre listing above.

■ STATE THEATRE
2115 Woodward, Detroit. Call 961-5450 for information. ($1)

"Natural Born Killers" (USA - 1994). 9 p.m. Dec. 26. Oliver Stone's hyperviolent story of homicidal lovers on the run, based on a story by Quentin Tarantino. Juliet Lewis, Woody Harrelson, and Tommy Lee Jones star.











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LET'S GO! MOVIES

Disney presents "Jungle Book'

Walt Disney Pictures' presents "Rudyard Kipling's The Jungle Book," at metro Detroit movie theaters on Christmas day.



FRANK CONNOR

In the jungle: *One of Disney's most honored animated classics comes to life on the big s... Jason Scott Lee stars in "Rudyard Kipling's The Jungle Book."*

Based on Kipling's short stories, comes the bold and sweeping adventures of Mowgli (Jason Scott Lee), a young man raised since childhood by wild animals in the jungles of India. Mowgli becomes a young man and is eventually drawn from the jungle by his attraction to the beauiful Kitty (Lena Headey), daughter of Major Brydon (Sam Neill), and important English military official. But when Mowgli makes the decision to re-enter civilization to be near Kitty, he embarks on a life-changing adventure beyond his wildest imagination.

When a military officer named Captain Boone (Cary Elwes), forces Mowgli to reveal the jungle's hidden treasures, the so-called civilized world suddenly becomes the most brutal place Mowgli has ever been. Only with the help of his loyal animal friends who come to the rescue) including Grey Brother, a wolf; Baloo, a bear; and Bagheera, a black panther — can Mowgli survive the perilous ordeal and unite with Kitty.

"The Jungle Book" was first filmed in 1942. More than 25 years later, in 1967, the Walt Disney Pictures animated movie was released. Then last year, more than a quarter of a century after the intial theatrical release of that film, producer and film distributor Mark Damon read a new script that Indian producer Raju Patel had been developing for three years.

"Having read 'The Jungle Book' stories, I thought this might be a perfect opportunity to highlight the animal kingdom with a strong a cherished storyline," recalls Patel. 'Ever since exploring India when I was a teenager, I'd wanted to capture its rich color and history on film."

Readers confess fashion blunders

Gloria Ketai is the grand prize winner of our giveaway for "Ready to Wear, (Pret-a-Porter)," a fashion comedy opening nationwide Dec. 25.

Ketai received a gift certificate for a pair of fashion boots from Lainmereaux. Three runners-up won one year subscriptions to "Elle" magazine. Everyone who entered got a pass for two to the opening premiere of "Ready to Wear" 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 20 at AMC Old Orchard.

Here are their stories.

"My worst, fashion Faux Pas," was at a cocktail party," wrote Ketai. "I wore a body suit, which was a size too small, under a sheer skirt. The snaps on the body suit would not stay closed giving the appearance that I was wearing a diaper under my skirt."

Runner-up June Romano of Birmingham wrote about an outfit she wore in the early 1970s while having lunch with a friend.

"Picture this, a large brim straw hat with a large flower, huge hoop earrings, a long sleeve drawstring neck, wild animal print blouse, long black skirt and chunky heeled clogs. And to finish off this smashing outfit, I chose a large shopping bag made out of straw with the word Florida in shocking pink.

"As I was leaving the restaurant, two young men eating lunch did a double take, and one said to the other, 'what in the hell was that?' I thought I'd die right there."

"Luckily, no one had a camera so my fashion blunder can only be told, not actually seen," wrote runner-up Harriet Jacobson of West Bloomfield. "Going to my son's graduation in New York City a couple of years ago we were in a hurry to catch our plane. I had brought two pairs of shoes, exactly the same, except one was black and one was navy. Some time later I happened to glance down at my fee. My gaze landed on my feet! To my shock and horror I had on one navy shoe and one black shoe. The plane would arrive after stores were closed in New York and the graduation ceremony would begin before I could get to a store in the morning. Hopefully, few noticed. At least the style was the same."

Vikie Rubin of Livonia wrote about a dinner party she and her husband attended this past summer. "The invitation said 'black tie optional," wrote Rubin. "My husband decided to wear a dressy sports jacket and slacks. When we got to the party everyone was wearing a tuxedo. My husband was so embarrassed that he went home to change and put on his tuxedo. I stayed at the party. Fortunately, we didn't live to far from the party."

Every year in Paris, the top designers and supermodels stage the world's hottest fashion show. It's called "Pret-a-Porter," and it means "Ready to Wear." Only this time, there's been a murder, and everyone is suspect.

Robert Altman's "Read to Wear," is a lively send-up of the fashion world. The action begins as parish is abuzz with anticipation for the start of the world's greatest fashion show. Amid the chaos, the head of the fashion council is suddenly found dead in his limousine. Although he's really choked on a ham sandwich, the police think it's murder, and everyone who's touched his life is suspect -including his wife (Sophia Loren), who hasn't talked to him in years, and his lover (Anouk Aimee), a famous designer getting ready for her big show.

The movie also stars Julia Roberts and Tim Robbins, as reporters who are among those thrown onto the case. Marcello Mastroianni, as a mysterious murder suspect, Linda Hunt, Sally Kellerman, Tracey Ullman, Stephen Rea, Rupert Everett, and Lyle Lovett.

Also joining the party are the legendary, ex-"Vogue" editor (Lauren Bacall); a cigar-smoking store buyer (Danny Aiello) and his happy-go-lucky wife (Teri Garr) whose a serious shopaholic; a TV fashion reporter (Kim Basinger) who's lost without her cue card, and a "New York Times" photojournalist (Lili Taylor) who's always in the right place at the right time.



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Fashionable comedy: *Marcello Mastroianni and Sophia Loren in Robert Altman's "Ready to Wear (Pret-a-Porter)."*

Coming Attractions

There's something for everyone at the movies. Here's a list of what's in the wings:

Opening Friday, Dec. 21

■ "Mixed Nuts" — A Christmas comedy for the '90s about a group of people at a suicide hotline on Christmas Eve, dealing with love, birth, death and fruitcakes. Stars Steve Martin and Madeline Kahn.

"Little Women" — Exclusively at AMC Maple. Opens at additional theaters Dec. 25. Drama based on the classic American novel by Louisa May Alcott. Tells the story of the March family; a mother and her four daughters, caught in the enchanting years between girlhood and womanhood. Stars Winona Ryder, Gabriel Byrne, and Trini Alvarado.

Opening Friday, Dec. 23

■ "Heavenly Creatures" — Exclusively at the Main Art Theatre. Based on a true story, the extraordinary tale of a friendship between two young women who in the course of their intense association find themselves on dangerous ground.

■ "Street Fighter" — Based on the video game, a U.S. born kickboxer trapped in a Thailand prison comes back six years later to get revenge on his captor. Stars Jean-Claude Van Damme.

Opening Sunday, Dec. 25

■ "Ready-to-Wear" — Director Robert Altman shows a world of intrigue, romance, comedy and suspense against the Paris fashion industry. With a large cast of stars.

■ "Rudyard Kipling's The Jungle Book" — Live action version of the classic tale of an Indian boy who is virtually raised by animals in the jungle, and at age 17, embarks on a life-changing adventure. From Disney.

■ "I.Q" — Romantic comedy has Albert Einstein playing matchmaker between his niece and and a not-so-simple auto mechanic. Stars Meg Ryan, Tim Robbins and Walter Matthau.

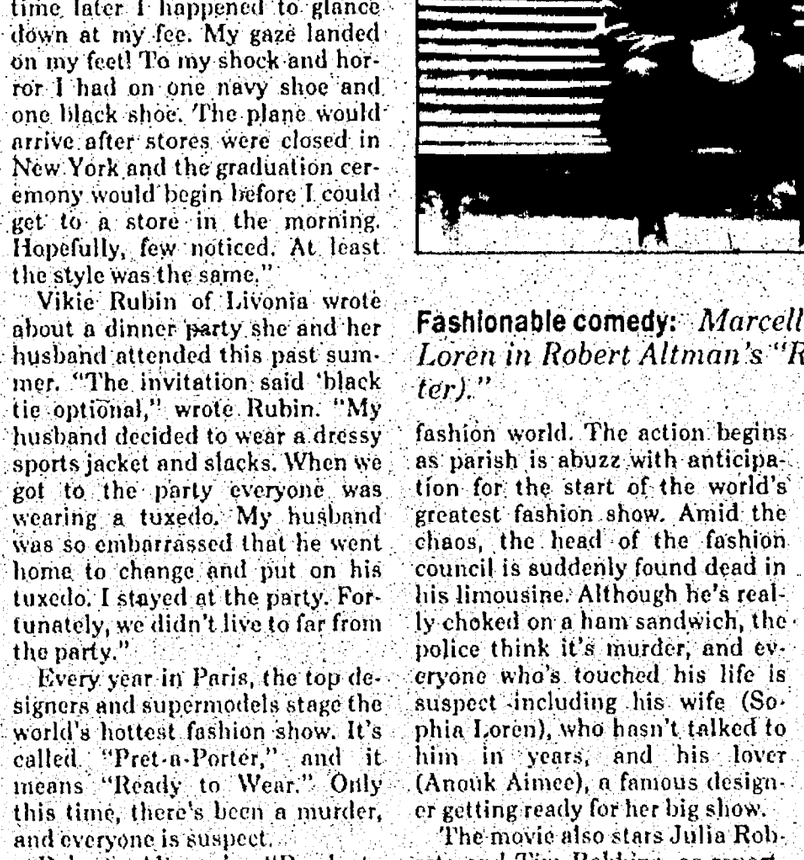
Opening Friday, Jan. 6

■ "Cobb" — Sports writer is contacted by baseball great Ty Cobb to write his life story, and finds the dark truth behind the legend. His dilemma, write the real story or maintain the myth. Stars Tommy Lee Jones.

■ "Immortal Beloved" — On of history's great romantic mysteries: the search from among scores of women for the one whom the mercurial musical genius Ludwig Van Beethoven called his "Immortal Beloved."

Opening Wednesday, Jan 11

■ "Higher Learning" — From the streets of South Central to the college campus, the locations may be worlds apart, but some of the stories remain the same.



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American classic: *Trini Alvarado (clockwise), Susan Sarandon, Claire Danes, Kristen Dunst and Winona Ryder star in the Louisa May Alcott classic, "Little Women," a Columbia Pictures Release.*

LET'S GO! TRAVEL

Tricks of the trade: Champagne travel on a beer budget

BY SUE MASON
STAFF WRITER

On the one hand, there's Robin Leach who rounds up the rich to travel on a champagne budget for his TV show.

On the other hand, there's Kate Rosevear, co-owner of Carlson Travel Network-Suncoast Travel in Plymouth, explaining champagne traveling on a beer budget.

The opening act to the Schoolcraft College Women's Resource Center's luncheon series, Rosevear served up words of wisdom, practical tips and personal experience to an audience interested in seeing the sights for less.

A travel agent's services are paid for by the providers of travel — the airlines, hotel and motels, cruise lines — so his or her services are free of charge to the client.

"You have people who say they can save money if they do it themselves, but sometimes the best prices aren't the best values," she said. "A travel agency has become a travel resource center, so you can make one call to a travel agent and access the airlines, car rental agencies, 4,000 hotel and motel chains.

"A travel agent can access in a few key strokes what you could spend days on the telephone trying to access."

Granted the worst nightmare is the traveler who, usually in mid-February, "wants out of here right now to anywhere," but the smart traveler is the one who plans ahead, is flexible about travel dates and times and flies when businessmen don't fly.

The smart traveler also books at least 12 months in advance for peak travel times — Christmas and Easter breaks and Thanksgiving — and still gets the best fares, even though rates haven't been set. The idea, according to Rosevear, is to lock in the seats in advance and then take advantage of the fare wars.

Rosevear has rewritten tickets four to five times and saved clients $150-200 because of the fare wars. Airlines wait to see how well seats are selling, and if it's slow, they'll start a fare war to clear up unsold seats, she said.

The cheap seats

Travelers also should keep in mind that airlines peddle lowest fares when businessmen aren't flying. It is the businessmen who let the leisure traveler fly cheaply.

"He may pay $800-1,000 because he booked today to fly tomorrow and have the worse seat on the plane, while you paid $300 for a window seat with a beautiful view of the mountains," she said.

Booking early also can pay off for cruises. The earlier you book, the less you pay, "but you won't pay more than when the cruise lines sell off" close to the sailing dates, Rosevear said.

Deals also can be had by taking a positioning cruise. That's when the cruise lines move their fleets from Europe or the Pacific Ocean to the Caribbean. There are wonderful values to be found like on the Queen Elizabeth II with positioning cruise fares of $3,000 compared to $4,500-6,000 during the season, Rosevear said.

As for the Caribbean cruise season, the best prices generally can be found during October and November when there may be "a few little storms," like hurricanes.

Frequent flier clubs and credit cards that offer travel points are another way to pare down plane fares and using an airport hotel that offers overnight accommodations, parking for your car while you're gone and a shuttle service to and from [illegible] can save.

Be creative

Being creative with lodging also can pay off.

"The Chicago Hilton is one of two five-star hotels in Chicago; you can spend $145 a night during the week, but on the weekend it's $89," Rosevear said. "I booked two men in a honeymoon package midweek because it was cheaper. They had double beds, so who cares what it's called, and no one can ask questions."

As for her final words of wisdom: "Use but don't abuse your travel agent."



Carol Rosevear

Money saving tips

Here are some more tips from Carol Rosevear.

- Travel in the off-season for the best price. When is the off-season? When the kids are in school and the weather is OK here and not quite great there.
- Take carefully selected charter air and escorted tours. For single travelers, ask for trips with a guaranteed shared option. With many tours based on double occupancy, a shared option let's you pay less and be assured of a roommate of the same sex.
- Discover the joys and economics of condominium vacations. Generally available [illegible] areas, couples, [illegible] foursomes, even retirees wanting to try out an area before buying can save money by renting a condominium weekly or monthly.

"It's a great way to travel," Rosevear said. "We've spent 10 years working with a developer in the south and retirees setting up three to four months in the south so they can try it out."



Wish you were here

When In Rome. . . *The Rev. Michael Molnar and Deacon Jim Hensel of Westland's St. Theodore Catholic Church attened the recent Vatican City ceremonies in which Detroit Archbishop Adam Maida was elevated to the rank of cardinal. The pair posed in St. John Lateran Church.*

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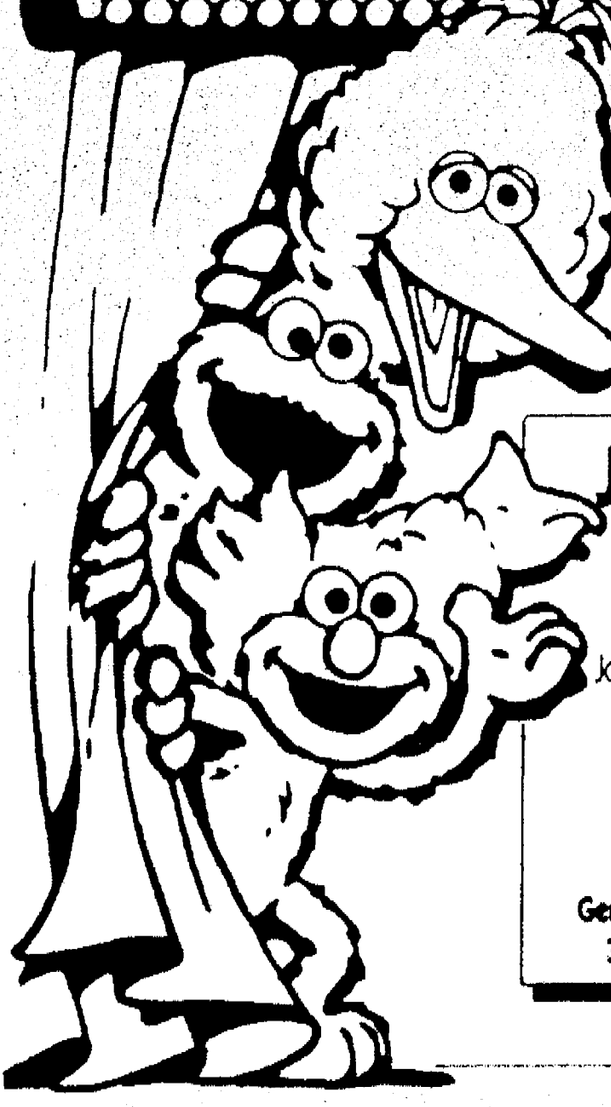
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Have a bluesy New Year's Eve

Blues fanatics who didn't get their fill from the recent autism benefit at the Soup Kitchen or homeless fund-raiser at the Majestic, have a trio of dilemma-inducing choices for how best to ring in the New Year:

■ Sully's, 4758 Greenfield, Dearborn, (313) 846-1920 — Chris Duarte, one of the hottest guitarists to burn up the rockin' blues turnpike this year, is certain to pack it to the rafters at Detroit's blues mecca.

Frequently compared to Stevie Ray Vaughn, Duarte does indeed share many of the string assaulting characteristics of the master, but, as his powerful Silvertone debut disc, "Texas Sugar/Strat Magik," admirably demonstrates he's nobody's clone.

Chockful of high octane burners that will bring Vaughn, Johnny Winter and Jimmy Thackery to mind, he works enough of his own gritty and strikingly soulful persona into the mix to emerge as a major player in his own right.

■ Sisko's on the Boulevard, 5855 Monroe Blvd. at Van Born, Taylor, (313) 278-5340 — Harry Sisko has what many local blues fans will consider the coup of the year for assembling the reunion of the year.

Steve Gornall, who was hailed as one of the most important charter members of the local blues scene for years and relocated to San Francisco last winter, is back for a one-time reunion with the Blue Collar Blues Band at Sisko's. Expect it to be one of the most emotionally charged parties of the year.

■ The Attic Bar, 11667 Joseph Campau, Hamtramck, (313) 365-4194 — Long known as the local haven for fans of straight-ahead blues, The Attic Bar has a local reunion of their own on tap as well.

Uncle Jessie White, who has been there every Saturday night for the last seven years, is assembling what is being called the Original 29th Street Blues band.

It won't really be original, of course. When White moved to Detroit in 1950 from Jackson, Miss., he found a community of like-minded enthusiasts and began hosting popular jam sessions at his 29th Street house. John Lee Hooker, Eddie Burns and Boogie Woogie Red were among the first to visit.

For this evening, he'll be joined by Johnny "Yard Dog" Jones and four other journeymen blues players.

If you have a question or comment about the adult alternative music scene, call Mark Gallo at 953-2047, mailbox number 1898, on a touch-tone phone, or write him at The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

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Liquid Plumber



Photo by P.J. Hansen

Members:

- **Mikey Piontek:** singer/rhythm guitar
- **Greg Giles:** lead guitar
- **Rob Piontek:** bassist
- **Jeff Poirier:** drums

Liquid Plumber has only been together for about six months, but the group can count tongue in cheek acoustic performer Wally Pleasant amongst its fans. Pleasant did what most local musicians wouldn't think of doing — hired an inexperienced band made up of barely out of high-school students to open for his record release party at the Majestic on Thursday, Dec. 22. He called Plymouth-Canton school district's high school radio station, WSDP, looking for a band and Liquid Plumber fit the bill.

Liquid Plumber's influences are a variety of acts from They Might Be Giants to Smashing Pumpkins. The band has played at University of Detroit Mercy's Grounds Coffeehouse and Ypsilanti's Cross Street Station.

Liquid Plumber may be a short-lived project, however. Singer Mikey Piontek is hoping to attend the Art Institute of Chicago upon graduating from high school. He also hosts WSDP's "The Asylum," a music and poetry improvisational show.

—*Christina Fuoco*

'Holy Moly,' it's Wally Pleasant

■ Wally Pleasant has developed a following with his tongue-in-cheek acoustic music, and with the help of his Miranda Records is releasing his latest effort, "Houses of the Holy Moly."

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER

Tongue-in-cheek acoustic performer Wally Pleasant has played some pretty off-the-wall gigs, but none has intrigued him more than when he was asked to play the Ram's Horn in Maine.

"I thought it was a Ram's Horn restaurant. I thought, 'This is gonna be pretty weird,'" the always pleasant Pleasant said. "I wondered if I was gonna stand up on a booth or something."

When he got there he realized it wasn't a diner, but a hip coffeehouse on the campus of the University of Maine: "It was the complete opposite of a Ram's Horn. The walls were dark purple with a big Andy Warhol banana hanging on the wall. It was really a nice place."

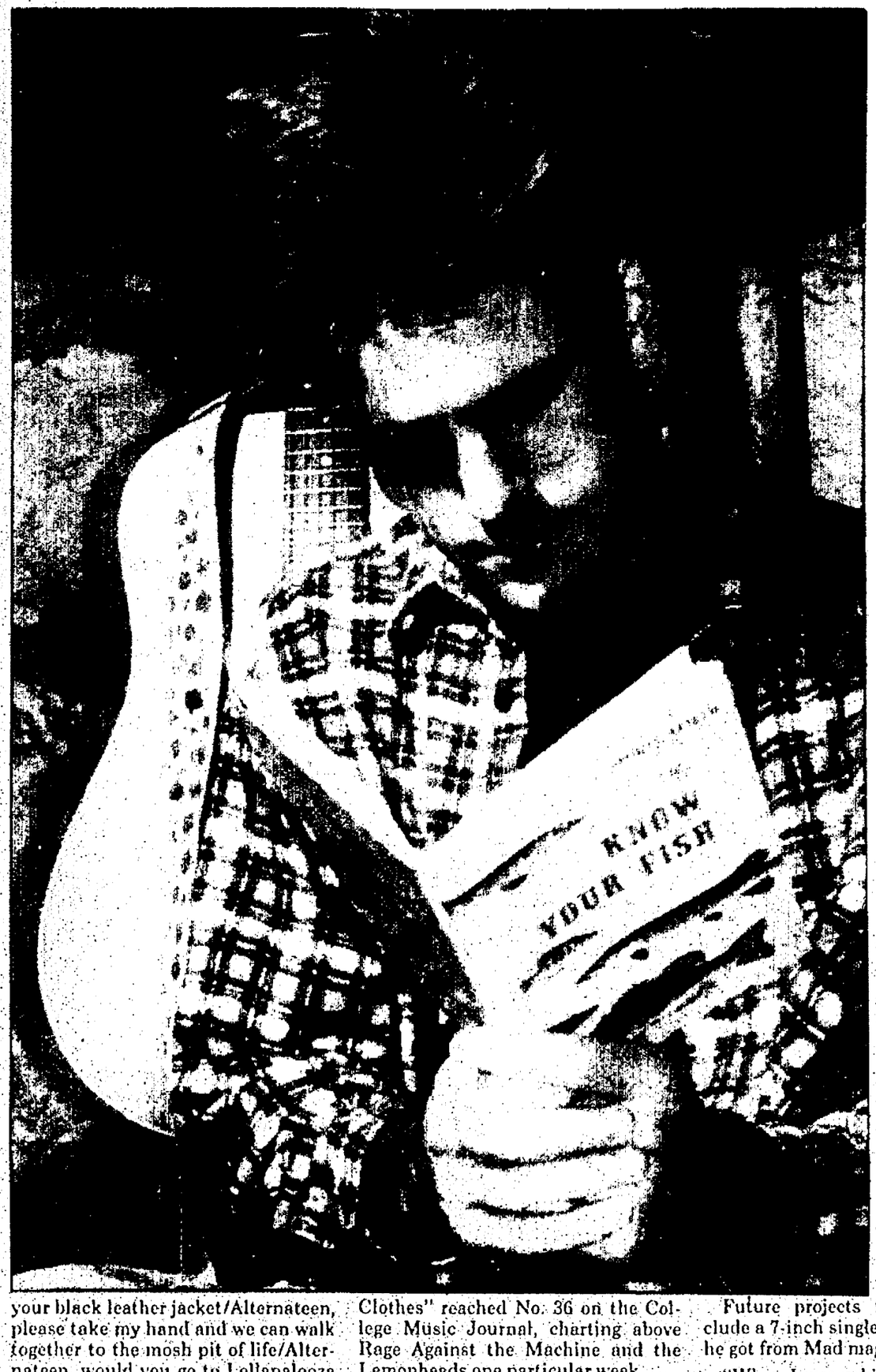
Restaurants are in the future for the former Birmingham resident, however. On Friday, Dec. 23, he'll play at an Arby's in Hastings where he'll share a bill with a ventriloquist and Santd Claus.

While Santa is celebrating Christmas, Pleasant is feting the release of his new album, "Houses of the Holy Moly" (Miranda Records) with an all-ages party at the Majestic in Detroit on Thursday, Dec. 22. Like his previous efforts, the acoustic, tongue-in-cheek performer's new CD takes a comedic look at life on the road and the perils of "twentysomething" life.

The frustrations of post-graduate degrees are covered in "Post-Graduate Overeducated" where he sings: "I was just lookin' for an easy high-paying career/But I could wallpaper my bedroom with the rejection letters I got this year/'Cause entry level job picture just ain't what it ought to be/But at least I can blame all my problems on the economy/I got the post-graduate overeducated out-of-work blues."

That feeling continues with "Out of Work Blues" and "Stupid Day Job." He looks back to his campfire days with a cover of "Cat Came Back."

The best song on the album is "Alternateen" where he pokes fun at the MTV generation. "Alternateen you are so beautiful to me with your Nine Inch Nails bumper sticker on your black leather jacket/Alternateen, please take my hand and we can walk together to the mosh pit of life/Alternateen, would you go to Lollapalooza with me and we can pay $5 for a glass of water?"



Pleasant fun: *Wally Pleasant will celebrate the release of his third album "Houses of the Holy Moly" with an all-ages performance at the Majestic in Detroit Dec. 22.*

Pleasant sings about topics that almost anyone can identify with, which is probably why he's been so successful. The single "She's Addicted to Clothes" reached No. 36 on the College Music Journal, charting above Rage Against the Machine and the Lemonheads one particular week.

"It's kind of weird for some goofy guy from Michigan getting higher than all these people who are spending all these millions of dollars on promotion. There's humor in that for some reason," Pleasant said.

Future projects for Pleasant include a 7-inch single based on an idea he got from Mad magazine as a child.

"When I was a kid (there was this single) that had seven different endings. The needle would intermittently pick an ending," he explained.

As owner of Miranda Records, he's trying to expand his roster.

Yard Boss: Staying 'tough' with '3'

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER

After releasing their debut CD "Swollen" in 1993, Yard Boss became the "tough guys" in town, mimicking their namesake.

Ardent fans swarmed to Yard Boss shows, screaming the band's name in between songs. The energy at the club-sized gigs rivaled any arena act's shows.



Tightenin' up: *Yard Boss — bassist Todd Pocobello (from left), vocalist/guitarist Marty Conselyea and drummer Rico Grazioli — has used the loss of two members to regroup as a tighter sounding trio.*

Riding high on the success of "Swollen," the Madison Heights-based band hit the road beginning what they now consider a lesson-learning trip. They went through the "on-the-road depression thing," according to vocalist Marty Conselyea.

During a southeast tour, two members of the band — guitarists Nick Sokolowski and Greg Savela — realized Yard Boss wasn't in their future. The band returned to their Dexter home after which the duo split for Seattle.

The remaining members — singer/guitarist Conselyea, bassist Todd Pocobello and drummer Rico Grazioli — meanwhile restructured Yard Boss as a tighter-sounding three-piece band.

"Two broken spokes in a wheel don't roll right," Conselyea commented in retrospect.

Once again the band is on a roll with the recently released EP "3," available only at Yard Boss shows. The six-song cassette proves the band still has a strong-hold on Detroit's hard rock scene.

Vocalist Conselyea's one-part swirly, one-part funky guitars fill the dueling-guitar void. Pocobello's groove-heavy bass and the authoritative no-holds barred drumming by Grazioli fill out each song more than the five-piece band ever did.

Yard Boss plays only a few songs from "Swollen," but if it were up to Pocobello he'd "never play old stuff at all."

Conselyea, however, said their shows give fans an adequate Yard Boss update.

"It's a good realistic taste of what we're really like," he said.

Yard Boss performs at 3-D, 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak, on Thursday, Dec. 29. For more information, call (810) 589-3344.

Have a listen

To hear music by Yard Boss and Wally Pleasant, you can call the Street Scene Music Line by dialing (313) 953-2025 with a touch-tone phone.

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Featuring The Charm Farm and DJs Bono, D. Wynn, Buzzard and Clark at Industry, 15 S. Saginaw, Pontiac. (pop rock/disco)
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Singles Mingle

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Dance parties

HOLIDAY MINGLE
The Farmington Single Progessionals along with the Metropolitan Single Professionals will host the Single Mingle Dance at the Clarion Hotel, 31525 W. 12 Mile Road in Farmington Hills, from 7:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Dec. 23. Admission is $6 for non-members. Attire is dressy; men must wear a coat and tie.
(810) 478-9181.

WESTSIDE SINGLES
Westside Singles will hold a Christmas Dance on Friday, Dec. 23, at Burton Manor on Schoolcraft Road, west of Inkster Road. The dance is open for adults 21 and older. $2 before 8:30 p.m.
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NEW YEARS DANCE
Moondusters New Years Dance will be Saturday, Dec. 31, at Bobby's Country House, 35760 W. Five Mile, Livonia. Tickets $37.50/person or $75/couple. Family style dinner, live band, Mike Wolverton, open bar. Singles tables available for men and women.
(313) 422-3298 or (810) 347-1749.

NEW YEARS PARTY
ance
Farmington Singles is hosting a New Years Eve Party ance on Saturday, Dec. 31. Ticket prices range from $25 to $35 per person. Call Dave at 478-4919 for further information.
Wednesday Dance

WEDNESDAY SUBURBAN SINGLES WILL hold a dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Wednesdays in December in Burton Manor, I-96 and Inkster, Exit 177, Livonia. Age 21 and older, proper attire, no jeans. Cost is $3.
(313) 842-0443 or (313) 477-8050.
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MEGADANCE. SINGLES DANCE PARTY. will be 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. every Sunday at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill. Dress is sharp, age 21 and over. Admission is $3.
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Ballroom dancing

STARLITERS
Ballroom dancing for singles age 40 and older will be 9 p.m. to midnight every Friday in the Northwest YWCA, 25940 Grand River, at Beech Daly, Livonia. Dressy attire, no jeans. Married couples welcome.
(313) 525-8913.

ANN ARBOR SINGLES
Ann Arbor Singles Ballroom Dancers meet 8:30-11:30 p.m. Tuesdays in the Grotto Club of Ann Arbor, 2070 W. Stadium Blvd. Live band. Admission $4.50 per person. Dance lessons available 7-8 p.m. for a fee.
(313) 9[illegible]2, (313) 665-6013 or

Single groups

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The U.S. Singletons (Dearborn-Livonia Chapter) meets at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 18, at Ernesto's Hillside Inn, 41661 Plymouth Road, Plymouth. Cocktails will begin at 2 p.m. with dinner at 3 p.m. There will be a $10 gift exchange. Singles ages 45 and older wishing further information may write to: U.S. Singletons, P.O. Box 2175, Fort Dearborn Station, Dearborn, 48123.

BETHANY FARMINGTON
A holiday get-together is planned at Our Lady of Sorrows, 23615 Power Road, Farmington, 8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 9. Bring a dish to pass or pay $3.
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NEWBURG SINGLES
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ACTIVITIES GROUP
The Activities Group is single adults participating in a variety of activities on an organized year-round basis. They are not affiliated with any self-help group, religious or political organization. Membership fee is $30.



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Sports

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Churchill spikers 2-0

Kelly Ashworth recorded 11 total kills as Livonia Churchill opened its 1994-95 volleyball season with wins Dec. 15 over host Westland John Glenn (15-8, 15-11) and Wayne Memorial (15-3, 15-11).

Candice Ribar and Sarah Fabirkiewicz contributed nine and six kills, respectively.

Theresa Arciero served seven points against Wayne.

Wayne, behind the hitting of senior Stacy Roberts and the setting and serving of Tammy Raines, beat John Glenn in the other match (15-12, 15-11).

■ On Monday, Lutheran High Westland, led by junior setter Katie Ollinger's 17 assists, opened its season with a 15-4, 8-15, 15-10 victory over visiting Allen Park Inter-City Baptist.

Senior Becky Cannon was the Warriors' top hitter with four kills.

Seniors Julie Twietmeyer and Jenny Pruchnik combined for nine blocks. Twietmeyer also made good on 100 percent of her serves.

College sports notes

University of Michigan junior goalkeeper and captain Alicia Smith (Livonia Stevenson) was recently named to the All-Big Ten Academic Team for women's soccer.

She will also represent the University's Board in Control of Intercolleigate Athletics during UM's football game, Dec. 30, when Michigan plays Colorado State in the Holiday Bowl at Jack Murphy Stadium in San Diego, Calif.

■ Wayne State senior center Randy Calcaterra (Livonia Churchill) scored 13 points in the Tartars' 69-67 men's basketball victory Tuesday over Ashland (Ohio). Calcaterra is WSU's top rebounder. The Tartars enter the holiday break with a 6-3 overall record.

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Patriots win in closing seconds

A last-second shot by Franklin sophomore center Matt Bauman carried the Patriots to a 59-57 triumph over Livonia Churchill. The win gives the Patriots a 1-2 mark entering the holiday break, while Churchill is 0-4.

By Brad Emons
Staff Writer

For being only a sophomore, Matt Bauman is showing cool consistency under fire.

The 6-foot-6 center gave Livonia Franklin its first "official win" of the season Tuesday when he drilled a 15-foot jump shot with only two seconds left to keep host Churchill winless on the season, 59-57.

Last Friday, Bauman sank a free throw in the second sudden death overtime period to beat the Franklin alumni team in an exhibition game, 72-71.

He finished with 16 points, seven rebounds and four blocks in the win over Churchill.

Franklin milked the clock for nearly 38 seconds after Churchill's Matt Hughes (11 points) nailed two free throws to tie the game at 57.

The Patriots passed the ball around until Joe Blaskiewicz (11 points) spotted Bauman open, a few feet from the free-throw line extended.

"I knew we were going to take the last shot, but I didn't know who'd take it," Bauman said. "I figured I was where I had to be. Once I looked up at the clock, I knew it (the ball) had to go up.

"I was just hoping we'd win the game somehow. These are the kind of things you try and practice when you play a 20-game season. Somehow we made it count."

Churchill junior guard Allen Polanski, who led all scorers with 21 points, tried a desperation 40-footer as time expired, but the ball bounced off the back of the rim.

"From where I was standing I thought it would go in," said Churchill coach Tom Lang, whose team slipped to 0-4 overall. "I guess it went off the heel. He was the secondary person on the play."

The one thing Franklin coach Larry Jackson told his team prior to the final shot was to avoid sending Churchill to the free-throw line.

"I figured they throw it to anybody open," the Franklin coach said. "They got the ball to the hash mark and he (Polanski) did a good job of drawing iron. I didn't want any fouls. If we were going to lose it was going to have to be by an act of God. Tom's kids did a nice job. They hung in there and battled back."

Churchill rallied from an 11-point deficit in the third quarter.

They tied the game, 53-53, with 4:04 left in the final period on Polanski's steal and layup.

The Chargers missed a chance to go ahead with 2:17 left after Jackson was slapped with a technical foul for arguing with officials.

Polanski's two free throws tied the count at 55, but Franklin's Mike Aubuchon (14 points) came up with a key steal and was fouled. He connected on a pair of free throws with 1:55 remaining to make it 57-55.

Rudy Hatfield, a first-year varsity senior forward who finished with 11 points and 14 rebounds, couldn't convert the front end of a one-and-one with 1:39 to play, but the Chargers came back on two free throws by Hughes with 40 seconds to go. That came after Franklin's Chad Glaza made a steal (with 1:31 left) followed by a Bauman miss inside (with 1:05 to play).

After an 18-all first-quarter deadlock, Franklin took control in the second period behind eight points from Blaskiewicz and five by Bauman.

The Patriots led 37-31 at intermission, shooting 15 of 29 from the floor. They committed only seven turnovers to Churchill's 13.

"The difference in the game was the second quarter," Lang said. "They (Franklin) did a real nice job of putting pressure on our guards.

"Another thing Franklin did well was their man-to-man defense. We had trouble getting into our offense."

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Guy Warner/Staff Photographer

Inside job: *Franklin's Tim Miller (dark jersey) tries to launch a shot over Churchill center Jim VanWagner.*

Holiday blues

Crusaders stumbling into break

By C.J. Risak
Staff Writer

■ BASKETBALL

Time for Christmas.

Good cheer, best wishes, a holiday spirit filled with gift-giving.

Madonna University's men's basketball team has a lengthy list for Santa to satisfy, if possible. Start with a few big guys who can move their feet fast enough to play defense and can jump high enough to rebound.

Throw in a couple of quick fellas — size isn't all that important here, although it would help — who can play defense and who can think fast enough to pass the ball to an open shooter.

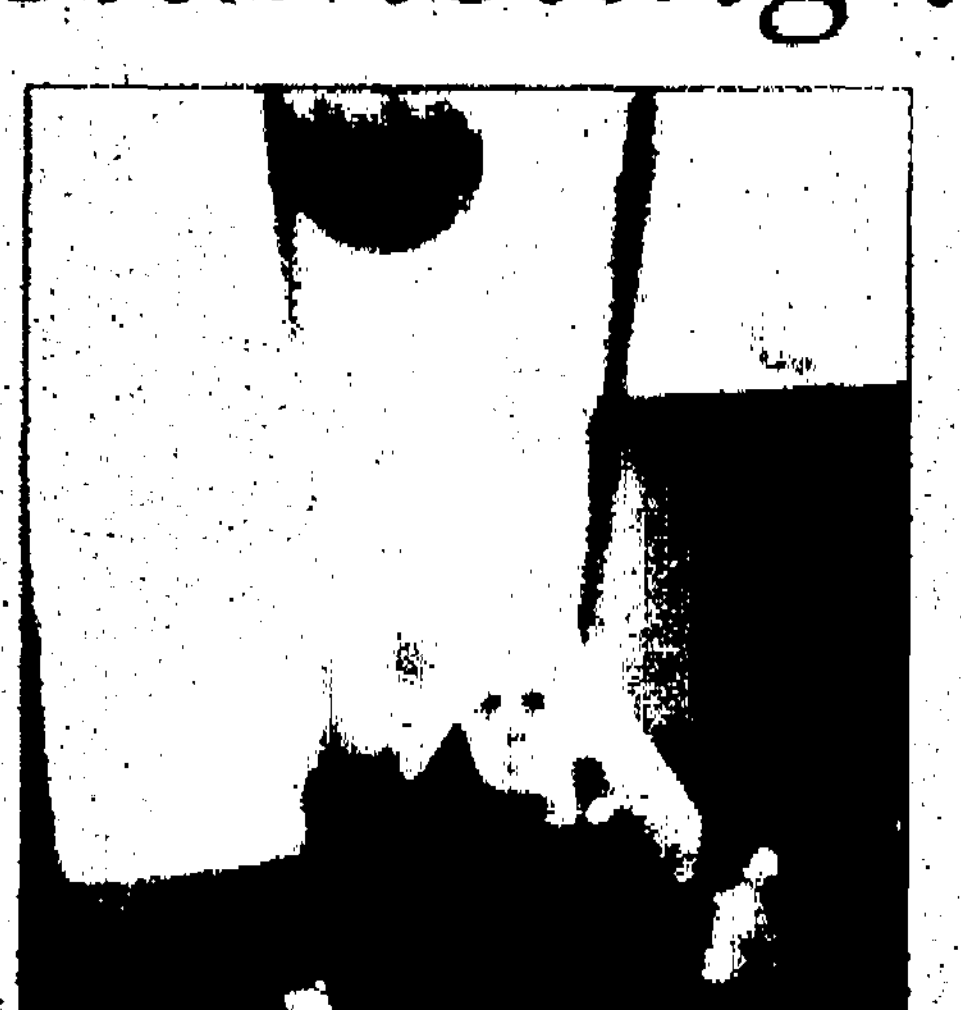
Then finish with two or three 'tweeners — good runners, good shooters, good size. Oh yeah, they got to be able to play defense, too.

Give Madonna coach Bill Sharpe everything on that list (between you and me, Santa, I'd bet Bill would settle for half) and things would be much different. The Fighting Crusaders wouldn't be 1-11 entering the holiday break.

Northwood University dropped them 133-95 Tuesday at Madonna, to start their Christmas break on a solemn note.

The Crusaders are in the middle of their second season, and they've shown little progress. They're not just losing games, they're not even able to stay close.

The reason is listed often in the aforementioned gift list, and it was evident against Northwood — a fair NCAA Division II school, a member of the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference with a 6-3 overall record.



Bill Bresler/Staff Photographer

Taking aim: *Madonna University sophomore guard Christian Emert fires up a shot against Northwood.*

Madonna can't play defense

The Crusaders managed to stay within striking distance for 11½ minutes. With 8:31 left in the first half, Eric Furlotte made 1-of-2 free throws to pull the Crusaders to within 35-28.

In that last 8:31, they were outscored 26-8.

"It is ugly," a frustrated Sharpe said. "When they want to play well, they can."

However, inconsistency wasn't really the problem for Madonna defensively. For most of the game, they were consistent — consistently bad. The Crusaders weren't big enough to challenge Northwood on the boards (they were outrebounded 47-20) and weren't quick enough to guard them on the perimeter (the Northmen made 13-of-23 three-pointers, 56.5 percent).

"At some point in time, it will dawn on them that they'll have to play defense to win," said Sharpe. "They're not stopping the ball out high enough. The concept of straight-up man-to-man defense is lost."

After those first 11½ minutes, it looked like gunnery practice for Northwood. Inside men John Tillery (13-of-15 from the floor for 29 points, with 11 rebounds), Calvin Pruitt (11 points), Steve Ryan (10 points, seven boards) and Harley

See ROUT, 3C

Stevenson surprises Milford, 64-63

Livonia Stevenson jumped out to a 23-5 first-quarter advantage Tuesday and held on to upset host Milford in a non-league boys basketball game, 64-63.

The Spartans head into Christmas break with a 3-0 record.

Stevenson allowed Milford back into the game, being outscored 29-12 in the second quarter as the lead was cut to 35-33. Each team scored 16 points in the third quarter and the Spartans held on in the fourth quarter with some clutch free throw shooting and defense down the stretch.

Jim Crowe's two free throws in the final minute put Stevenson up one. After each team failed to score on a couple possessions, Stevenson's Rob Drolet sealed the victory with a steal of an inbounds pass with 10 seconds remaining.

Erick Giovannini led three players in double figures for the Spartans with 24 points. Niko Joviovic added 13 points and Jim Balow contributed 10.

Eric Curl had eight points, all in the second quarter.

Nike Demeester led Milford with 17 points. Milford's top player, senior guard Bob Kofahl, added 16 and Jon Booms had 14.

The Spartans won despite making only eight of 16 free throw attempts. Milford was 26 of 36 at the line.

■ **NEW BOSTON 56, LU. H. WESTLAND 45:** On Tuesday, New Boston Huron outscored Lutheran Westland 44-25 in the second half to win a non-league game.

The Warriors, who led 20-13 at halftime, fell to 2-2 overall.

Senior guard Chris Tiernan led Lutheran Westland with 18 points. Sophomore forward Joe Pruchnik added seven points and a team high 16 rebounds.

Junior forward Jason Richards had 17 for New Boston Huron, which improved to 3-1.

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WRESTLING

GARDEN CITY WRESTLING TOURNAMENT
Saturday at Garden City

Team standings: 1. Livonia Stevenson, 225 points; 2. Dundee, 174½; 3. Dexter, 167; 4. Monroe, 162½; 5. Northville, 117.5; 6. Dearborn, 114; 7. Melvindale, 97; 8. Westland John Glenn, 92; 9. Lutheran Westland, 91; 10. Garden City, 79; 11. (tie) Livonia Franklin and Dearborn Fordson, 76; 13. Livonia Churchill, 60; 14. Dearborn Heights Crestwood, 53; 15. Trenton, 46; 16. Redford Union, 35; 17. (tie) Dearborn Divine Child and Inkster, 16; 19. Dearborn Heights Annapolis, 13.

DIVISION RESULTS

Heavyweight: Joe Chimento (Fordson) pinned Bryan Sellers (Luth. Westland), :45; **consolation:** Nick [illegible] (Northville) def. Jacob Even (Dexter), 3-2; **fifth place:** Rod Fowler (Churchill) pinned Shawn Speer (Monroe), 2:31.

100: Jeff Prentice (Dexter) pinned Andrew Barringer (Melvindale), 5:05; **consolation:** Jeff Brach (Stevenson) def. Walter Bell (Luth. Westland), 9-2; **fifth place:** Ken Taylor (Glenn) def. Josh Tanon (Northville), 11-6.

106: Greg Mason (Dundee) def. William Lawton (Melvindale), 7-2; **consolation:** Sam Saran (Northville) pinned Craig McGahan (Garden City), 2:47; **fifth place:** Tony Antal (Crestwood) pinned Dan Burk (Luth. Westland), :51.

112: Manuel Cantu (Melvindale) def. Brandon Alread (Crestwood), 8-0; **consolation:** Dan Smith (Dearborn) def. Dave Falzon (Stevenson), 8-3; **fifth place:** Nick Root (Dundee) def. John Fedulchak (Glenn), 4:02.

119: Jason Milne (Garden City) def. Brad Scott (Monroe), 10-2; **consolation:** Peter Karageorge (Dexter) def. James Rye (Northville), 6-1; **fifth place:** Dan Christenson (Stevenson) def. Todd Vaughn (Annapolis), 7-0.

126: Leo Schamber (Dundee) def. Paul Wisniewski (Dexter), 4-3; **consolation:** Josh Banks (Churchill) pinned Aaron Reardan (Monroe), 3:31; **fifth place:** Derrick Davis (Garden City) def. Shawn Adams (Dearborn), injury default.

134: Shannon Staton (Dexter) def. Jon Sata (Stevenson), 12-2; **consolation:** Adam Hill (Franklin) def. Jacob Davis (Dundee), 12-10; **fifth place:** Ted Begley (Churchill) def. Fred Bates (Dearborn), 3-2.

142: Scott Goldman (Stevenson) def. Derrick Kelp (Dearborn), 14-4; **consolation:** Mike Scappaticci (Northville) pinned Nate Fisk (Monroe), 5:40 (overtime); **fifth place:** Tony Dettore (Franklin) def. Kevin Scott (Trenton), 8-6 (OT).

151: Chris Mullett (Stevenson) def. Essen Davis (Trenton), 11-5; **consolation:** Joe Scappaticci (Northville) def. Aaron Daniel (Monroe), 7-0; **fifth place:** Greg Harlow (Dundee) def. Kevin Townsend (Fordson), injury default.

160: Pat Motylinski (Dundee) pinned Ben Boyce (Dexter), 1:40; **consolation:** Chris Jaztrzembski (Stevenson) def. Paul Kiley (Monroe), 4-2; **fifth place:** Jason Brasgalla (Luth. Westland) pinned Jeremy Hardwick (Trenton), 1:16.

172: Ben Lewis (Stevenson) def. Brian Kolb (Glenn), 6-5; **consolation:** Felipe Washington (Dearborn) def. Brian Bayer (Franklin), 6-3; **fifth place:** Jesse Wilson (Melvindale) def. Matt Root (Dundee), 9-5.

185: Rob Alston (Monroe) def. Andrew Hill (Franklin), 7-0; **consolation:** Shaun O'Shucke (Dundee) def. Matt Fisher (Stevenson), 10-8; **fifth place:** Mustafa Jaddallah (Fordson) def. Mike Shaw (Melvindale), 13-3.

215: Craig Martin (Stevenson) def. Ryan Balcom (Dexter), 10-3; **consolation:** Cory Fannin (Monroe) pinned Jim Horrigan (Dundee), 5:53; **fifth place:** Hisham Essa (Fordson) pinned Noel Williams (Crestwood), :15.

LIVONIA STEVENSON 60
LIVONIA FRANKLIN 3
Dec. 19 at Stevenson

Heavyweight: Jon Townsend (LS) pinned William Sait, 1:26; **100:** Jeff Brach (LS) won by void; **106:** Katsuhiko Sueda (LS) won by void; **112:** Dave Falzon (LS) p. Ryan Daig, 3:13; **119:** Dan Christenson (LS) p. Troy Bailey, 3:00; **126:** Ryan Vartoogian (LS) p. John Gries, 5:24; **134:** Adam Hill (LF) decisioned Jon Sata, 16-6; **142:** Scott Goldman (LS) tech. fall Tony Dettore, 22-7; **151:** Chris Mullett (LS) p. Joe Marentt, 0:19; **162:** Chris Jaztrzembski (LS) won by disqualification; **172:** Ben Lewis (LS) p. Shawn O'Connor, 0:58; **185:** Matt Fisher (LS) dec. Drew Hill, 6-4; **215:** Craig Martin (LS) p. Mike Fortuna, 0:27.

Stevenson's dual meet record: 2-0 overall.

LIVONIA STEVENSON 75
REDFORD UNION 0
Dec. 15 at Stevenson

Heavyweight: Jon Townsend p. Joe Moradian, 1:42; **100:** Jeff Brach won by void; **106:** Jacob Woodworth won by void; **112:** Dave Falzon p. Brad Hill, 2:35; **119:** Dan Christenson p. Jim Cartwright, 1:17; **126:** Ryan Vartoogian p. Randy Malecki, 1:55; **134:** Jon Sata p. Andy Root, 1:18; **142:** Scott Goldman p. Dan Gonzales, 3:14; **151:** Chris Mullett p. Jason Stevens, 2:20; **162:** Chris Jaztrzembski won by technical fall over Ben Caudill, 17-2; **172:** Nick Potyk dec. Terry Moon, 15-8; **185:** Ben Lewis p. Steve Wright, 0:11; **215:** Craig Martin p. Mike Connally, 1:22.

Spartans repeat as champs

ROUNDUP

The Livonia Stevenson wrestling team enters Christmas break about where it expected to be.

The Spartans, who are 2-0 in dual meets, won their second tournament Saturday with an impressive showing at the 30th annual Garden City Christmas Invitational.

The Spartans captured four weight classes and also had one second place, two thirds and two fourths to finish with 225 points. Dundee came in second place (174½), followed by Monroe (162½) and Northville (117).

Westland John Glenn finished eighth (92), Lutheran Westland was ninth (91), host Garden City, 10th (79), Livonia Franklin tied for 11th (76), Livonia Churchill, 13th (60) and Redford Union, 16th (35). *See statistical summary.*

Stevenson, the defending Garden City champion, won the Trenton tournament earlier in the season.

After being shut out of titles in the first six classes, the Spartans got championships from Scott Goldman (142), Chris Mullett (151), Ben Lewis (172) and Craig Martin (215). Jon Sata took second place at 134, and Chris Jaztrzembski (160) and freshman Jeff Brach (100) each placed third.

"I was kind of hoping (for titles) at 160 and 134; they've been wrestling well and they're good kids, and it's hard to see them lose," Stevenson coach Don Berg said. "But we were very happy with the four who won. And I was very pleased with our freshman 100-pounder. If you've got a 100-pounder, you better hang on to him. Those little guys are hard to find. How many seniors do you know who are 100 pounds?"

Brach improved his record to 8-3 overall, while Lewis, Mullet and Martin remained undefeated.

Martin, the defending Class A state heavyweight champion, beat Dundee's Ryan Balcom, the defending Class B state champ, 10-3 in the final. The two also met in last year's final round at Garden City, with Martin winning in overtime.

In another interesting match, Lewis defeated Westland John Glenn's Brian Kolb, 6-5. This was the first meeting of the two, according to Berg.

Kolb wrestled last year at 160 and Lewis was at 171.

"Kolb had a little different style and takedown, but nothing Ben didn't adjust to," Berg said. "They're pretty close in ability, as the score would tell."

Garden City's Jason Milne continued his successful early season with a championship at 119 pounds, beating Monroe's Brad Scott in the final, 10-2. No other Observerland wrestlers won a class, but Adam Hill of Franklin and Bryan Sellers of Lutheran Westland each finished second.

Hill was second at 185, losing 7-0 to Monroe's Rob Alston in the final; Sellers was pinned in :45 in the heavyweight final by Dearborn Fordson's Joe Chimento.

Shamrocks win pair

Redford Catholic Central captured a pair of dual meets Dec. 15 at home against Plymouth Salem and Flint Ainsworth.

CC beat the Rocks 52-21.

Salem winners against CC were Greg Mitchell at 119; Viau at 126; and Phil Mitchell at 134. The Shamrocks got wins from Dave O'Hara at 100 (by void); Dario Ianni at 106; Bill Lamb at 112; Dave Gardner at 142; Kevin Griffen at 151; Scott Menoch at 160; Lucian Harbar at 172; Dan Krueger at 185; Andy Short at 215; and John Spolsky at 275.

That win and its 62-3 thrashing of Ainsworth pushed CC's record to 3-0.

Churchill tourney bid stopped in OT

HOCKEY

Playing its third game in three days, Livonia Churchill fell victim to the fatigue factor Sunday as Ann Arbor Pioneer won the University of Michigan Holiday Hockey Tournament at Yost Arena, 4-3, in overtime.

"Pioneer skated four lines, and we were spent by the overtime," said Churchill coach Jeff Hatley, whose team is 7-1 overall. "It was like a fire drill in our end. We were very tired. But everyone got their three dollars worth. I'm very proud of the kids."

Churchill sent the game into overtime with a pair of third-period goals, 17 seconds apart, by Dave Higham. The first came on an assist from Steve Webb; the second from Jason Lee and Mark Bugnell.

Pioneer won it at 1:31 in overtime on a power-play goal.

Bugnell tallied a second-period goal for Churchill on assists from Higham and Clint Robert.

On Saturday, Churchill defeated Ann Arbor Huron, 7-1, behind Higham's two goals and two assists.

Kyle Dawley, Chris Kiehler, Robert, Bugnell and Webb each added a goal.

Chris Kiehler contributed three assists, while Jason Kiehler, Joe Pace and Kris Maki (first career point) added one apiece.

■ **G.P. SOUTH 4, REDFORD CC 3:** On Saturday, host Catholic Central suffered its first defeat of the year as visiting Grosse Pointe South scored twice in the final period to notch the Michigan Metro victory at Redford Arena.

Terry Brennan and Jeff Kimmel scored at 1:19 and 4:50, respectively, in the third to give the Blue Devils the victory.

CC's Neil Bratcher, on assists from Jason Couture, cut the deficit to one goal with :57 seconds remaining, but the Shamrocks, who pulled goalie Jason Hohenschildt for the extra attacker, couldn't score the equalizer.

After trailing 1-0 after one period, CC scored twice in the second period to even the count at 2-2.

Dan Hunt scored the first goal from Couture and Jeff Helner.

The second came off Helner's stick from Hunt and Matt Giordano.

CC outshot South, 29-18.

■ **FRANKLIN 12, LAHSER 0:** Dan Hofelich scored his first varsity goal and sophomore goaltender Brendon Frazier stopped 18 shots to earn his first varsity shutout as Livonia Franklin blanked host Bloomfield Hills Lahser, Dec. 15 at the Detroit Skating Club.

Dominic Catanzarite and Jeff Berger each tallied five points for the Patriots, who improved to 4-3 overall and 3-2 in the Suburban League.

Catanzarite had three goals and two assists, while Berger added two goals and three assists.

Other Franklin scorers include Kevin Bernardi, two goals and two assists; Matt Harrigan, two goals and one assist; Ed Krushka, one goal and two assists; Rick Leinstein, one goal and one assist; Jason Schniers and Greg Job, two assists each.

■ **FRANKLIN 6, ROYAL OAK 3:** Livonia Franklin scored three power-play goals to offset a pair of short-handed goals in a SHSHL win Dec. 14 at Edgar Arena.

Matt Harrigan tallied three goals, two off the power play for the victorious Patriots, now 3-3 overall and 2-2 in the Suburban circuit.

Harrigan also added one assist.

Greg Job added a pair of goals and one assist, while Dominic Catanzarite chipped in with a power-play score and an assist for Franklin.

Brad Dicks also collected two assists.

Franklin netminder Pete Stasevich stopped 31 of 37 shots.

■ **STEVENSON 9, WYANDOTTE 2:** Kyle McNeilance notched the hat trick and Kevin Berger added two goals Dec. 14, leading Livonia Stevenson (5-2, 4-0) to the Suburban win over the host Bears at Wyandotte's Yack Arena.

Stevenson led 1-0 after one period before outscoring Wyandotte 6-2 in the second period and 2-0 in the final 15 minutes.

Brian Tarsin, Jason Baylis, Brett Reinhart and Mo Lanspeary also scored goals for the Spartans.

Brian Calka and McNeilance each contributed two assists.

Jordan McCormack was the winning goaltender.

In Stevenson's 25-0 win Dec. 13 over host Southfield at the Civic Center, Scott Brevik, Berger and McNeilance each had the hat trick.

Andy Perry, Mike Schmidt, Nick McCormack and Jeff Blazok each added two goals, while Lanspeary, Chris Jarczak, Baylis, Jason Wesley, Reinhart, Calka and Tarsin collected one apiece.

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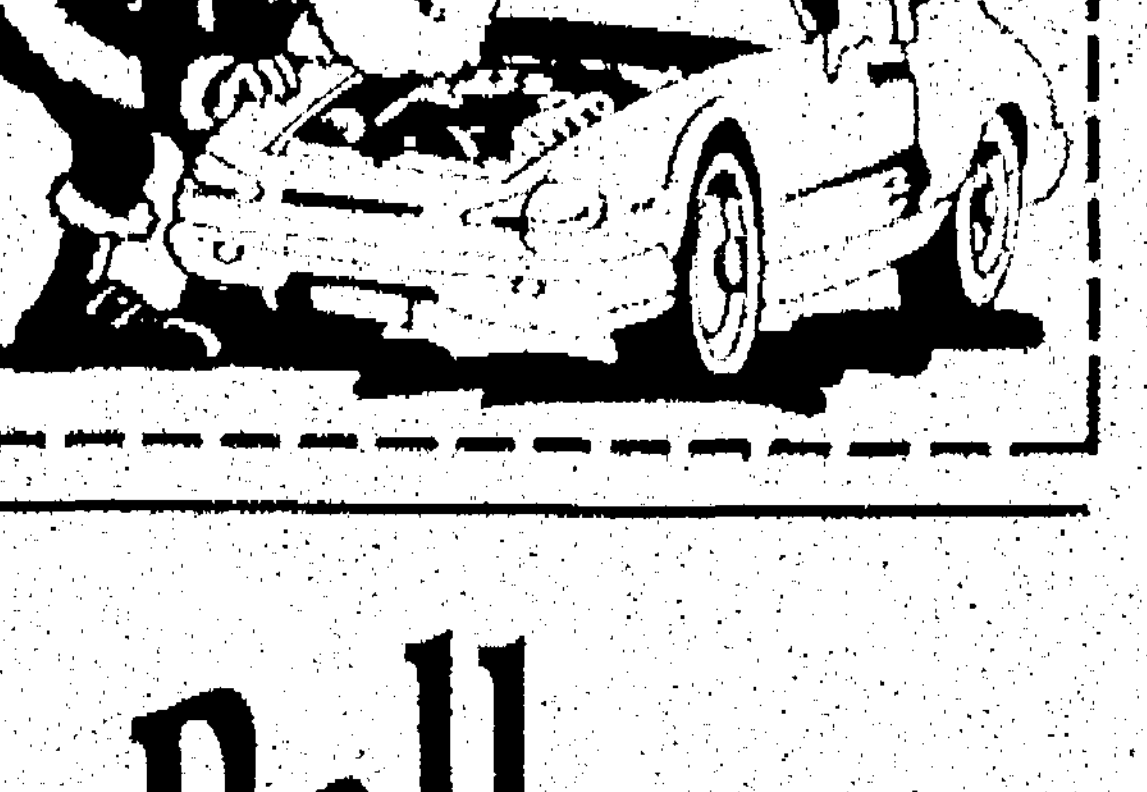

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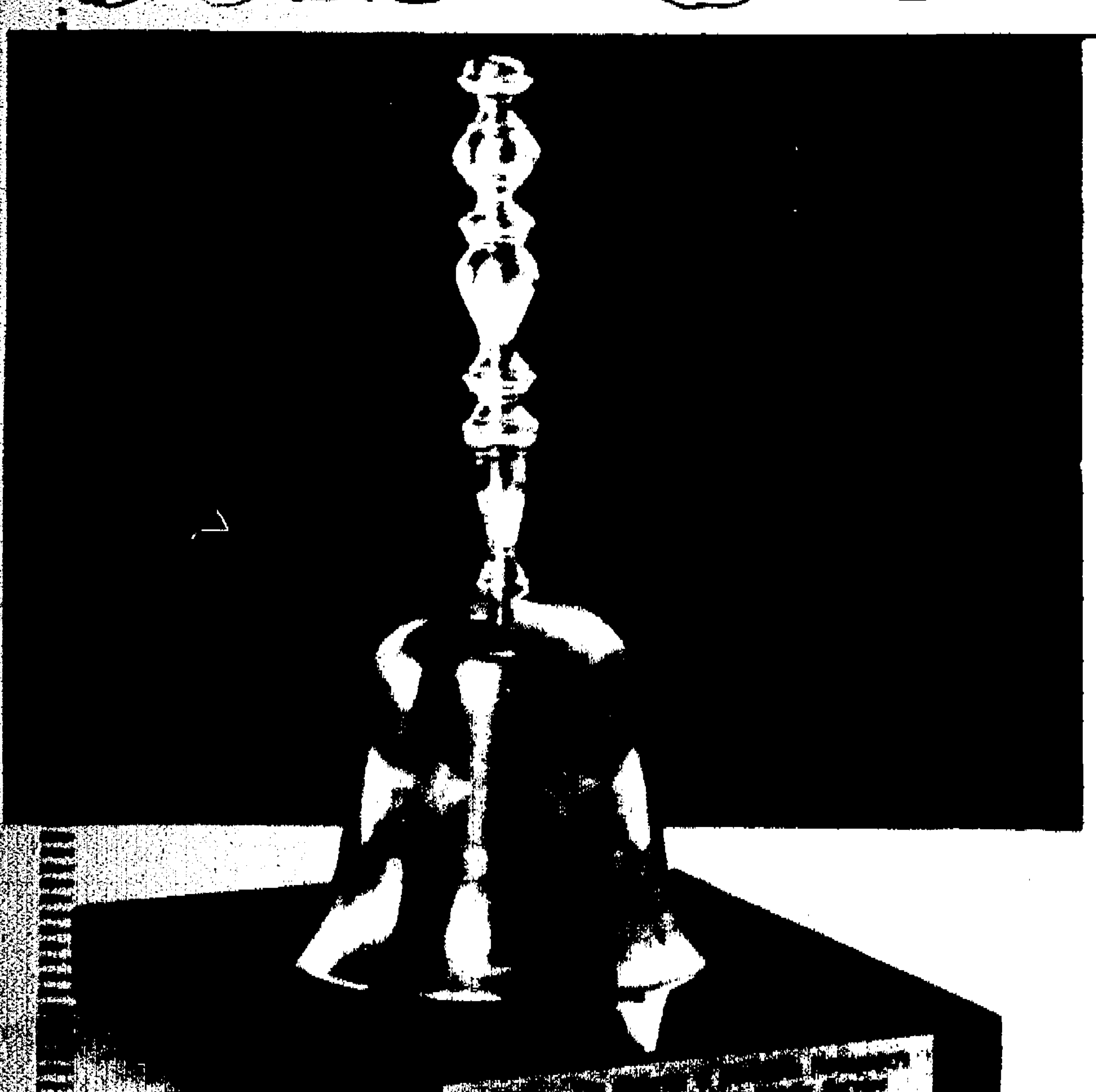

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Trojans denied, 95-90

BY NEAL ZIPSER
STAFF WRITER

After two years attending Redford St. Agatha, Cujuan Davis spent one year going to military school in Kentucky. But Davis missed St. Agatha — and missed playing with his teammates.

Davis returned home for his senior year and has led the Aggies to a 4-0 start.

On Tuesday, the 6-foot-3 center scored 36 points and pulled down 13 rebounds to lead Agatha Aggies to a thrilling 90-85 overtime victory over Livonia Clarenceville in non-league action.

Agatha dearly missed Davis in last year's meeting, losing by about 50 points at Clarenceville.

"Basketball was one of the reasons why I came back to Agatha," Davis said. "This is where my heart was."

Davis, who now has a 22.5 points per game average, needed a strong heart to survive Tuesday's game. Clarenceville rallied from a 46-29 halftime deficit and force overtime with a running baseline jumper by senior guard Bill Lyons as time expired in regulation.

After the Trojans took a four-point lead to start the extra period, the Aggies went on a 15-6 run to hang on for the victory.

Davis scored the first basket for the Aggies in overtime to cut Clarenceville's lead to two. He later scored on a put-back to give the Aggies the lead for good at 84-83.

Senior guard Bill Matti followed with a baseline jumper and sophomore guard Mike Fenbert added two free throws to extend Agatha's lead to 86-83 with 24 seconds left. The Trojans couldn't get any closer.

The Trojans lost for the third time in a row after winning their season-opener against Southfield Christian in overtime.

"We had a couple defensive letdowns in overtime and were forced into fouling them," Clarenceville coach Rick Larson said. "I don't think the team is down, however. We have too many good-hearted guys on this team to get down."

The Aggies received 12 points apiece from Fenbert, Matti and sophomore guard Spencer Galaway.

Steve Parks scored 21 points to lead Clarenceville. Lyons added 20 points for the Trojans, who also got 12 from Mark Berry and Scott Barnhard and 10 from Jim Vallimont.

Both teams were on fire in the first quarter as Agatha missed only four shots and led 21-19.

"We wanted to come out and run a bit because 15 is the most amount of points we've been able to score in the first quarter this year," Larson said.

Clarenceville took the lead 27-25 in the second quarter, but in a key moment of the game, the momentum changed. Davis scored on a breakaway and Berry was called for a technical for slapping the backboard.

After Galaway made both free throws, the Aggies made it a six-point possession with a Davis jumper. With Berry, a 6-foot-7 senior center, on the bench with three fouls, Agatha went on a 19-2 run to end the first half.

Berry played sparingly the rest of the game. He has struggled since scoring 12 in Clarenceville's season-opener.

"That's how it's been for Berry — a technical, three fouls and he's on the bench," Larson said. "His intensity is down. I tried to get it up before the game. But Jason Merritt came in and did a fantastic job."

The Trojans came back by forcing the Aggies into 25 second-half turnovers. In all, St. Agatha committed 33 turnovers to Clarenceville's 16.

Despite 11 third quarter points from Davis, Clarenceville cut Agatha's 17-point halftime lead to 62-55 entering the fourth quarter.

The Trojans tied the game at 71 when Merritt scored on a layup with 1:58 remaining. After free throws by Agathat's Davis and Clarenceville's Vallimont, Mike Fenbert gave the Aggies a 75-73 lead with two foul shots.

Lyons sent the game into OT when he drove through the Agatha defense and hit a running 10-foot baseline jumper as the final buzzer sounded. He scored nine in the fourth quarter.

"Bill had a rough first game and I put him on the bench for awhile," Larson said. "He had a taste of the bench last year and he wasn't going to have it anymore. He's been playing great since."

Agatha's shooting was more impressive than their ballhandling as the Aggies shot 59 percent from the floor (35-of-59) and 74 percent from the free throw line (20-of-27).

The Trojans shot 41 percent from the floor (31-of-75) while converting 60 percent of its free throws (21-of-35).

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Marks (eight points, five boards) were in command.

Not that they needed to be. On the outside, there was Jeff Edwards (26 points, 6-of-9 on threes), Linzy Bennett III (19 points, six assists), Brian Smith (15 points) and Alan Reinge (11 points, 11 assists).

How bad was it? Madonna shot reasonably well from the floor: 37-of-79, 46.8 percent. Northwood, however, was 54-of-91, 59.3 percent. The Northmen also had eight steals and committed just 10 turnovers, while the Crusaders made 20 turnovers.

Brandon Slone's 27 points led Madonna, but 24 of those came in the second half when the game was out of reach. Jay Dimes had 22, and Jeff Kennedy and Brandon Lemley netted 12 each.

■ **MICHIGAN CHRISTIAN 98, Madonna 70:** Once Michigan Christian got rolling Saturday at Madonna, there was no stopping it.

The Crusaders trailed 47-32 at the half and were outscored 51-33 in the second half. Michigan Christian made 37-of-65 floor shots (56.9 percent) to Madonna's 24-of-74 (30.5 percent).

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But things quickly changed in the second half.

Franklin turned the ball over 11 times to Churchill's four.

"We got a little careless," Jackson said. "A couple of times we turned the ball over because we didn't make good decisions and didn't step to the ball."

But it was a far cry from the Patriots' first two defeats of the year, when they turned it over 74 times in losses to Dearborn and Wayne Memorial.

"We're managing the ball better and making better decisions," Jackson said. "We had some success against the alumni team, but this game by far has got to help our confidence. It felt good last Friday, but it feels good when they've beaten their peers.

"And Matt (Bauman) is a confident kid, too."

Henry Ford CC cages Ocelots, 77-73

■ **BASKETBALL**

A fine performance against a fine team, but it did Schoolcraft College's men's basketball team no good in the win-loss column — the Ocelots still lost, 77-73 at Henry Ford CC Saturday.

The defeat left SC at 1-10 overall, 0-3 in the Eastern Conference. Henry Ford is 6-4 overall, 2-1 in the conference.

"The kids played a great game," said SC coach Dave Bogataj. "But we still lost. They played an absolutely brilliant game — they controlled the tempo, rebounded well . . . they did everything but win."

The Ocelots led 39-35 at the half, but a cold streak in the second half left them trailing 69-60 with just over three minutes left. They didn't give up, however, rallying to tie the game at 73-all with 11 seconds left on a Mark Cady free throw.

On Henry Ford's ensuing possession, the ball came loose and in the scramble for possession it was knocked forward to the Hawks' Raymond Ellison. Ellison took one step inside the three-point arc and buried a jumper with four seconds remaining. An SC turnover on the inbounds pass resulted in another Henry Ford basket at the buzzer.

Five Ocelots reached double figures in scoring, and all of them helped in the rebounding. Cady led with 19 points and seven boards; Tony Maciejewski had 12 points and nine rebounds; Jason Maschke (from Livonia Franklin) and Eric Powell each contributed 11 points and six boards; and Doug Walters finished with 10 points and four rebounds.

Fadi Bazzi totaled eight points, seven assists and three steals.

Ellison and Terry Primm topped the Hawks with 17 points apiece. Aaron Bailey had 12 and Mickey Brown 10.

"I saw some real nice things that I hadn't seen before," said Bogataj of his team's effort. "Especially on defense and rebounding. This was one of those things that hopefully, once it starts it'll be a floodgate. Once we turn it around, hopefully it'll carry over."

■ **HENRY FORD 65, S'CRAFT 64 (women):** An outstanding effort by Amy Pietila was wasted by SC's women's team Saturday at Henry Ford, which edged the Lady Ocelots in overtime.

The loss left SC at 6-5 overall, 1-2 in the Eastern Conference.

SC led 64-63 but committed a foul with 1.4 seconds left in OT. Both free throws fell, and the Ocelots' hopes for victory with them.

Pietila poured in a game-high 26 points, including a three-pointer with fewer than 10 seconds left in regulation that knotted the score and forced overtime. Megan Heslip and Shelly Sockow (from Plymouth Salem) added 10 points each.

Erica Anderson's 17 points paced the Hawks. Leslie Swik had 10.

Pelc leads Madonna past No. 10 team

Dawn Pelc came off the bench to pour in a game-high 18 points in leading Madonna University's women's basketball team to a 66-62 upset in overtime of 10th-ranked Indiana Wesleyan Friday at Madonna.

The Lady Crusaders followed that with an 89-72 win over Wisconsin Lutheran Saturday at Madonna, but on Monday — playing their third game in four days — they wore down and lost 69-53 to Northwood University in Midland.

The 2-1 stretch raised Madonna's record to 5-8 overall.

Poor shooting plagued the Crusaders in two of the three games, including their win over Wesleyan. Madonna was just 23-of-60 from the field (38.3 percent); fortunately, Wesleyan was even worse, converting 23-of-64 (34.4 percent).

Madonna led 29-26 at the half. The game was tied at 56-all going into overtime, during which the Crusaders outpointed Wesleyan 10-6.

Joining Pelc in double figures in scoring for Madonna were Mary Bieniewicz with 13 points and Vikki Koenig with 12. Koenig also had 14 rebounds.

Wesleyan, which slipped to 9-4 with the defeat, got 12 points from Deb Porter, 11 from Andie Lehr and 10 from Andrea Kitchel. Kitchel and Cathy Morris each grabbed 11 rebounds.

The Crusaders' shooting was far better in Saturday's victory over Wisconsin Lutheran. They made 36-of-66 shots from the floor (54.5 percent); Lutheran was 26-of-62 (41.9 percent).

Balance highlighted Madonna's scoring, with four players in double figures and three others with six or more. Pelc led with 17 points; Francine Williams added 16 points, seven assists, six rebounds and five steals. Koenig contributed 15 points and nine boards, and Stephanie Crelley totaled 11 points and five rebounds.

Lutheran was paced by Nicole Humane's 14 points. Lori Henning had 13, Joy Vertz had 12 (and 10 assists) and Anne Sonnabend 10.

Madonna opened up a 42-33 lead by halftime and never let up.

At Northwood Monday, the Crusaders kept it close for a half, trailing 32-28 at the intermission. But their fatigue caught up with them; the Northwomen outpointed them 37-25 in the second half as Madonna hit just 5-of-31 shots (16.1 percent).

For the game, the Crusaders were 15-of-53 from the field (28.3 percent); Northwood made 19-of-62 (30.6 percent). The biggest differences came at the free-throw line (Northwood, 31-of-37, 83.8 percent; Madonna, 21-of-30, 70 percent) and on the boards, which Northwood controlled, 51-40.

Crelley's 19 points were best for Madonna. No other Crusader reached double figures. Northwood (now 4-5) got 18 points (and 17 rebounds) from Sarah Brandt, 11 from Gretchen Super and 10 from Jennifer Fox.

SWIMMING

WLAA RELAYS MEET RESULTS
Dec. 17 at Salem HS

Team standings: 1. Plymouth Salem, 248 points; 2. North Farmington, 215; 3. Farmington, 202; 4. Northville, 189; 5. Livonia Stevenson, 164; 6. Livonia Churchill, 161; 7. Plymouth Canton, 125; 8. Livonia Franklin, 104; 9. Farmington Harrison, 86; 10. Walled Lake, 82; 11. Westland John Glenn, 56.

400-yard medley relay: 1. Farmington (Scott Brown, Chris Owen, Dan Berlanger, Todd Benavegna), 3:57.90.

400-yard freestyle relay: 1. Plymouth Salem (Eric Seidelman, Matt Martin, Joe Ervin, Dave Bracht), 3:29.35.

200-yard breast stroke relay: 1. North Farmington (Ryan McKelly, Drew Sophia, Matt Swartz, Phil Zaia), 1:58.76.

200-yard backstroke relay: 1. Livonia Churchill (Mark Campbell, Rob Grant, Matt Sodice, Jon Carlson), 1:47.32 (meet record; old record, 1:47.55 set by John Glenn in '92).

200-yard butterfly relay: 1. North Farmington (Charlie Jacobs, Chris Rands, Drew Sophia, Jason Speer), 1:47.49.

Diving: 1. Walled Lake (Casey Buntzville, Joe Grizio), 452.85 points combined.

400-yard individual medley: 1. Plymouth Salem (Eric Seidelman, Tim Buchanan, John McLenaghan, Joe Ervin), 3:56.41 (meet record; old record, 3:56.88 set by Stevenson in '88).

Crescendo relay: 1. Livonia Churchill (Todd Selloch, Mark Campbell, Rob Grant, Jon Carlson), 4:25.48.

200-yard medley relay: 1. Livonia Stevenson (Brian Butico, Ted Burmeister, Chris Teeters, Jeff Buckley), 1:45.46.

200-yard freestyle relay: 1. Plymouth Salem (Pat Morgan, Phil Werman, Marc Levitt, Dave Bracht), 1:36.05.

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Dec. 20 at Wayne

200-yard freestyle: Matt Ferguson (WM), 1:59.8; **200 individual medley:** Jason Garlough (WM), 2:20.7; **50 freestyle:** Clint Nemeth (WM), 26.02; **100 butterfly:** Jason Garlough (WM), 1:04.25; **500 freestyle:** Matt Ferguson (WM), 5:26.2; **200 freestyle relay:** Charlie Bailey, Jon Brama, Greg Barber and Matt Ferguson (WM), 1:49.07; **100 backstroke:** Clint Nemeth (WM), 1:08.3.

Wayne's dual meet record: 2-0-1 overall.

Wayne's next meet: 7 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 28 vs. alumni team (men and women). Warmup starts at 6 p.m.

CLARENCEVILLE COHOE CANDY CANE SPLASH MEET
Dec. 9-11 at Clarenceville High

BULLDOG AQUATIC RESULTS
(all A events unless noted)

Boys open: David Le — second place, 1,650 yard freestyle (18:42.3).

Boys 13-18: Kevin Crabill — third, 100 backstroke (1:06.35); fourth, (B) 50 freestyle (26.85); sixth, (B) 200 freestyle (2:11.55); Joshua Mishou — third, (B) 100 butterfly (1:10.79); fourth, (B) 100 backstroke, 1:12.64; eighth, (B) 200 freestyle (2:16.66).

Boys 11-12: Scott Whitbeck — second, (B) 100 freestyle (1:04.45); third, (B) 50 breast stroke (39.64) and 50 butterfly (32.64); sixth, 50 freestyle (30.05); eighth, 50 backstroke (36.8); David Whitbeck — first, (B) 100 breast stroke (1:23.46); second, (B) 50 butterfly (32.5); third, 50 backstroke (35.72); fourth, 100 freestyle (1:05.42); fifth, 50 freestyle (30.03).

Boys 10 and under: Mark Summer — eighth, 50 butterfly (41.28); Nick Mishou — first, (B) 100 individual medley (1:23.38); second, 50 backstroke (37.68); fourth, 100 backstroke (1:21.98) and 100 freestyle (1:12.65); fifth, 50 butterfly (39.51); seventh, 50 freestyle (32.63); Andrew Carlin — second, 100 freestyle (1:08.95) and 100 backstroke (1:21.21); fourth, 50 butterfly (38.09); 50 backstroke (39.04) and 100 IM (1:20.68); sixth, 50 freestyle (32.48).

Boys 8 and under: Steve Summer — first, (B) 25 freestyle (16.26), (B) 25 backstroke (19.85), (B) 25 butterfly (17.7); (B) 50 freestyle (35.77), (B) 50 backstroke (42.36); second, (B) 25 breast stroke (22.04), (B) 50 breast stroke (50.01) and (B) 100 IM (1:31.3).

Girls Open: Kelly Carlin — first, 1,650 freestyle (18:35.91); Audrey Hals — third, 1,650 freestyle (19:28.72).

Girls 13-18: Audrey Hals — first, 200 freestyle (2:06.1); (B) 100 breast stroke (1:20.71); second, 100 butterfly (1:07.33) and 50 freestyle (27.23); third, 100 freestyle (58.65); Terri Hanson — first, 100 butterfly (1:03.26), 100 freestyle (57.92), 100 backstroke (1:06.83) and 50 freestyle (26.76); second, 200 backstroke (2:23.52) and 200 freestyle (2:05.38); Angela Frost — second, 400 IM (5:20.06); fourth, 200 freestyle (2:13.93); fifth, 200 backstroke (2:32.23); sixth, 100 freestyle (1:00.52); seventh, 50 freestyle (28.53); eighth, 100 butterfly (1:11.01).

Girls 11-12: Kelly Carlin — 100 freestyle (59.03); third, 50 backstroke (32.78); 50 butterfly (30.79) and 50 freestyle (27.92); eighth, 100 breast stroke (1:22.87); Keelah Gould — third, (B) 100 freestyle (1:05.61); fifth, (B) 50 backstroke (36.41); Katie Lucy — first, (B) 200 IM (2:41.75); fifth, 100 breast stroke (1:21.43) and (B) 100 freestyle (1:06.01); eighth, 50 breast stroke (37.69); Jessica Hals — fifth, 100 backstroke (1:12.22); sixth, 100 freestyle (1:03.58); seventh, 50 backstroke (34.12) and 50 butterfly (33.0); eighth, 50 freestyle (29.2).

Girls 10 and under: Andrea Horn — first, (B) 50 freestyle (33.38) and (B) 50 backstroke (39.97); second, 100 breaststroke (1:31.15); third, (B), 100 IM (1:25.07); fourth, (B) 50 butterfly (43.61); sixth, (B) 100 freestyle (1:18.65), seventh, 100 backstroke (1:25.83); Jenny Crabill — third, (B) 50 butterfly (43.31); sixth, (B) 50 breast stroke (46.85).

Girls 8 and under: Breanca Good — third, (B), 100 IM (1:37.74); fourth, (B) 50 breast stroke (50.56); fifth (B), 25 butterfly (18.89), (B) 25 breast stroke (23.8) and (B) 25 freestyle (17.39); sixth, (B) 50 freestyle (39.45); eighth, (B) 25 backstroke (23.34).

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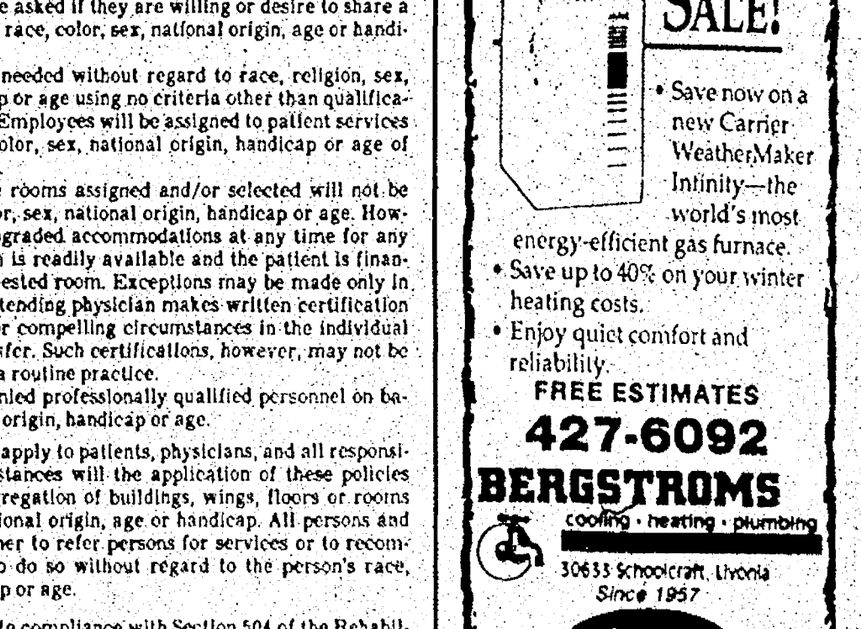

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SOMETHING SPECIAL

■ **MAID OF ERIN**
Women 17-23 years old of Irish descent are eligible for the "Maid of Erin" pageant to be held at the Irish-American Club next February. The winner will go to Ireland and participate in all Irish functions during Irish week. She will appear on various radio shows. Bridie Glynn, 464-8556, or Peggie Boland, 255-7677.

HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS

■ **LIGHTFEST**
Wayne County Lightfest will continue through Jan. 1, 1995, with a closing on Christmas Day. Four miles of giant, animated characters made from twinkling lights will be open 7-10 p.m. nightly on Hines Drive in the Middle Rouge Parkway. Enter Hines Drive at Merriman, 2¼ miles south of I-96, between Warren and Ann Arbor Trail in Westland. Donation $5. 261-1990.

■ **BINGO JANUARY 1**
St. Bernardine Men's Club is sponsoring its annual New Year's Bingo at St. Bernardine's, 31463 Ann Arbor Trail, west of Merriman Road, with doors opening at 3 p.m. Sunday, and games starting at 5 p.m. There will be prizes up to $500.

CRAFTS/ BOUTIQUES

■ **CRAFTERS SEARCH**
Schoolcraft College is accepting applications for its 1995 spring craft show to be held from 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Saturday, March 11, in the college's physical education building. Over 150 exhibitors will be accepted. 462-4417.

KIDS AND TEENS

■ **YOUTH BASKETBALL**
Wayne-Westland YMCA is accepting registrations for fall and winter youth basketball program. Two different sessions available for grades three through nine. Sessions are one practice a week and one game per week, running through Feb. 4. Cost is $25/Y members and $40/Y program members. 721-7044.

■ **CHEERLEADING**
Cheerleading and pompon dance classes will be 7-8 p.m. Mondays or Wednesdays, at Wayne Community Center, Howe at Annapolis, Wayne. Cost is $20 for 8-week session. Ranae Paulus 729-8417.

CLUBS

■ **FOUR SEASONS FISHING**
Four Seasons Fishing Club will hold meet at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 4, at the Maplewood Center, on Maplewood west of Merriman, Garden City. Outdoor writer Bob Mitchell will discuss and demonstrate successful ice-fishing tackle and techniques. (810) 477-3816.

■ **HOLLIDAY NATURE PRESERVE**
The Holliday Nature Preserve Association will hold its general meeting 7 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 11, in the Michigan Room of the Livonia Civic Center Library on Five Mile Road east of Farmington Road

■ **CIVIL AIR PATROL**
Volunteers meet 6:30-9 p.m. Tuesdays at 34850 Marquette, between Wayne Road and Newburgh, Westland. Emergency services, cadet program, aerospace education, ages 13-17 for cadets. The program is for persons age 18 and older.

■ **TOPS**
Take Off Pounds Sensibly Michigan 53 Westland, meets 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at St. John's Episcopal Church, 555 S. Wayne Road, Westland. Kellee Hassell, 522-1641, or Rosalie Fisher, 728-0299.

■ **CAMPING CLUB**
Moonliters Camping Club meets 8:15 p.m. the last Tuesday of the month at Canfield Community Center, 1801 N. Beech Daly, south of Ford, Dearborn Heights. Family camping with all ages, scheduled campouts during the camping season. Harvey and Marion Grigg, 427-3069.

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

■ **TOASTMASTERS**
Toastmasters International Club No. 6694-28 meets 6 p.m. Thursdays at Denny's Restaurant, 7725 N. Wayne Road, Westland, for people who want to practice and develop public speaking skills. 421-0264.

■ **HOLY SMOKE MASTERS**
The Holy Smoke Masters Toastmasters Club meets 6 p.m. Thursdays in Denny's Restaurant, 7725 N. Wayne Road. 455-1635.

■ **DEMOCRATS**
Garden City Democrats meet at 7:30 p.m. the third Thursday of the month at Maplewood Community Center, Room 5. Alice Leclercq, 421-1169, or Billy Pate, 427-2344.

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

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

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

■ **WESTLAND JAYCEES**
Westland Jaycees meet 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month in the Berra VFW Post, on Hix south of Warren. Hot line 261-7856.

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

■ **CAMARO BUFFS**
The new Eastern Michigan Camaro Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Thursday of each month at Krug Chevrolet in Taylor. 326-5668.

Sitting pretty



ART EMANUELE/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Santa's season: *Local children like Briana Southard, 2, will have only two more days to cozy up to Santa Claus before he leaves to deliver Christmas gifts. St. Nick will be at area malls through Saturday and at the Garden City Santaland in City Park, Cherry Hill east of Merriman, through Friday night.*

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

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

RECREATION

■ **YMCA**
The Wayne/Westland YMCA is offering a speical winter membership drive from Monday, Jan. 2, to Wednesday, Jan. 21. Fees (valued at $68) for new members will be waived. Free guest passes are available to tour the facility, 827 S. Wayne Road. 721-7044.

■ **BASKETBALL**
Registrations being accepted for men's and women's basketball leagues with Westland Parks and Recreation Department, 36651 Ford Road, Westland. 722-7620.

■ **COUNTRY GYPSIES**
The Country Gypsies country dance club meets once a month at the Cambridge Center, 23901 Cambridge east of Middlebelt, Garden City. They also meet once a week to practice line dancing and couples dancing, and once a month they go to a country dance. Nancy 421-5895.

■ **SQUARE DANCE CLASSES**
Beginner square dance classes will be 7:30-9:30 Tuesdays, in Bailey Recreation Center, (behind City Hall), Ford Road, Westland. Fee $3/person weekly. Mike Brennan, 274-3394.

■ **OPEN SKATING**
The Westland Sports Arena will be available for open skating Saturdays and Sundays 1-2:45 p.m. through April 15. Admission is $2.50 for 17 and under and seniors, $3 for adults. Skate rental $2. 729-4560.

■ **FOR DISABLED PEOPLE**
A recreational get-together for teens and adults who are disabled will be the second Friday of each month at the Westland Bailey Center. 722-7620.

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

SCHOOLS/ PRESCHOOLS

■ **SUBURBAN CHILDREN'S**
Suburban Children's Co-op Nursery has openings in its 2-year-old toddler parent class Fridays 9:30-11 a.m. There are openings in the 3-year-old class on Mondays and Wednesdays 9:15-11:15 a.m. Janet Maceuga 453-9018.

■ **UNITED CHRISTIAN**
Enrollment is now being accepted for preschool through 12th grade at United Christian School, on the corner of Middlebelt and Florence. For information or application forms, call 522-5099.

■ **ST. RAPHAEL**
Registrations now being accepted at St. Raphael School, 31500 Beechwood, Garden City. There are openings in grades two, five and six; possible openings in grades three, four, seven and eight. 425-9771.

■ **SPARKEY PRESCHOOL**
The Wayne-Westland school district is taking applications for its preschool Sparkey program, open to 3- and 4-year-olds. Residents and nonresidents may apply to the tuition-based program. For appointments, call 595-2660.

■ **PLUS PRESCHOOL**
Registration for preschool by appointment for the Wildwood and Hicks Elementary School area is ongoing. Children must be 4 years old by Dec. 1. Family must meet two "at risk" factors. Program runs four half days a week. Parents must provide their own transportation. Program is free for those students who qualify.

■ **GARDEN CITY**
Garden City Cooperative Garden City Cooperative Nursery is accepting applications for this year's 3-year-old classes. The school is located in the Garden City Presbyterian Church, 1841 Middlebelt, Garden City. The school is not affiliated with the church. Michele, 981-5360 or Debi, 425-0174.

■ **MCKINLEY**
McKinley Cooperative Preschool, at Good Shepherd Reformed Church, 6500 N. Wayne, is accepting applications for children ages 2-4. Call Denise Gillette, 421-0015, about 4-year-olds, Chris Hickson, 261-4843, regarding 3-year-olds and Susan Cruz at (810) 486-1539 about toddlers. The preschool is administered by parents and taught by certified teachers, not church-affiliated.

BENEFITS

■ **BINGO**
Pope John XXIII assembly of the Knights of Columbus Council 1536 hosts bingo games every Thursday evening at 6:45 p.m. The K-C hall is on 28945 Joy Road, Westland. 525-0585.

■ **FRUITCAKE SALE**
Garden City Rotary Club is selling holiday fruitcakes. Proceeds of the drive assist members in their work with youth, seniors and the handicapped. The Benson fruitcakes are $6.50/2 pounds and $8.50/3 pounds. Ray Wiacek 421-0106, or stop in at the City Hall.

■ **BINGO**
Wayne Civitan Bingo is 6:30 p.m. every Monday on Elizabeth between Michigan Avenue East and Michigan Avenue West next to the Farmer Jack in Wayne. Money raised helps support many projects in the community; such as youth, park equipment, Special Olympics, First Night Wayne and Reading Projects. Information, 728-3915.

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

HISTORY ON VIEW

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

VOLUNTEERS

■ **COMPANIONSHIP**
Volunteers are needed for companionship, telephone reassurance and conducting phone surveys with the ill, disabled and elderly. Diana 981-8820.

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

■ **VOLUNTEERS WANTED**
Youth Living Centers are looking for people interested in being an evening receptionist, a youth mentor or people to work with the youth assistance program. Dorothy Murphy, 728-3400.

■ **HOST FAMILIES**
Fifteen families are needed to provide a place to stay for exchange students from countries including: Sweden, Norway, Finland and Germany. Students are well screened and have good English skills. Information, Maria Bayne at 729-6102.

■ **FOSTER PARENTS**
Youth Living Centers offers classes for people interested in becoming foster parents, on Tuesdays and Thursdays for a two-week session. Noreen Green, 728-3400.

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

■ **GIRL SCOUTING**
Michigan Metro Girl Scout Council and Huron Valley Council are looking for girls and adults who would like to be involved in Girl Scouting. Michigan Metro, 964-4475, Huron Valley, 483-2370.

SENIORS

■ **WORK REFERIAL**
Information Center, Inc. refers workers to seniors who need help. The program is for people interested in providing transportation, yard work, housework, etc. Workers can specify the type of work they are willing to do and the communities they want to serve. Chore Worker Program, 422-1052.

■ **LINE DANCING**
Line dancing lessons will be offered to senior citizens at 10:45 a.m. each Friday at the Westland Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh, at Marquette. Fee is $2 per session. 722-7632.

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

Mondays, Senior Chorus at 1:30 p.m.

Tuesdays, arts, crafts and needlework at 9:30 a.m.

Wednesdays, Kitchen Band, 10 a.m., bingo at 1 p.m.

Thursdays, ceramics, arts, crafts at 9:30 a.m.

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

FOR YOUR HEALTH

■ **CANCER SCREENING**
Annapolis Hospital offers free prostate cancer screenings monthly. Includes physician exam and PSA blood test. For an appointment, call 467-5555.

CALENDAR FORM

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

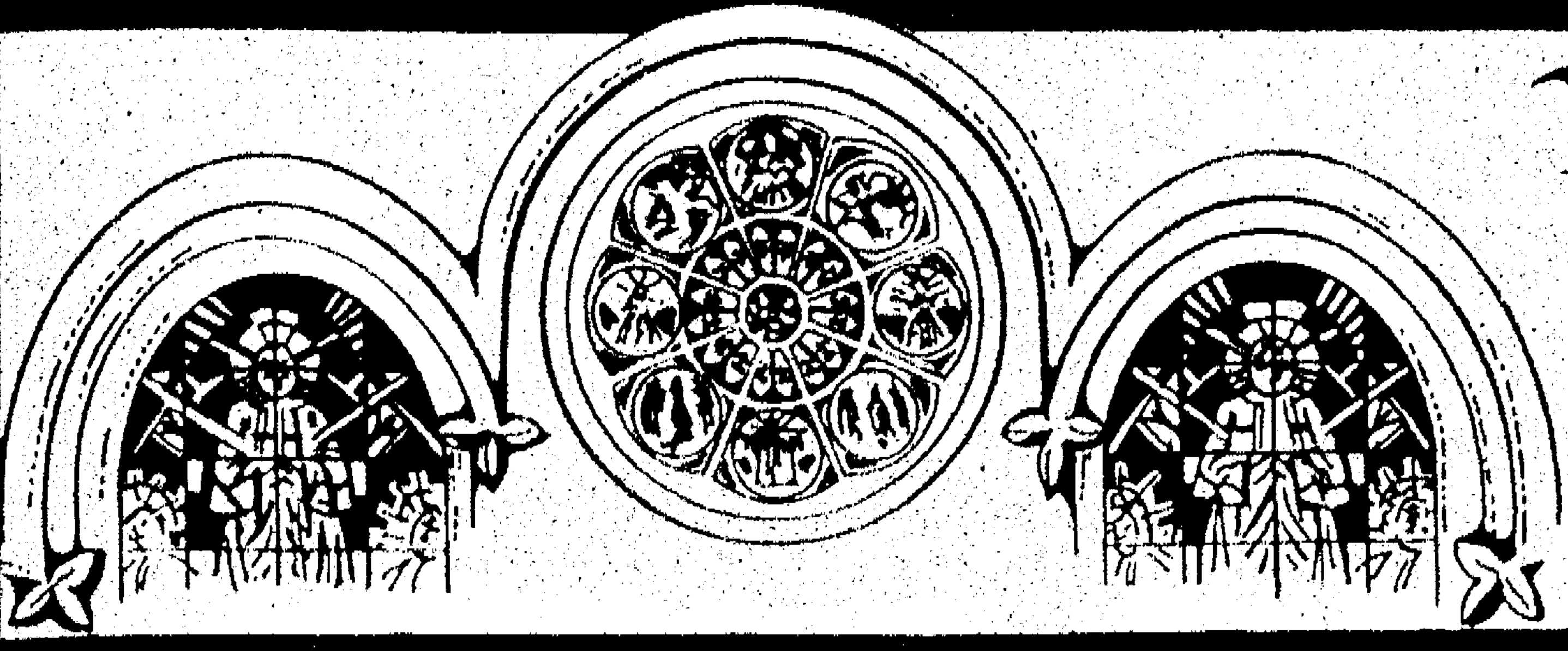
Event

Date and Time:

Location

Telephone:

Additional info



Your Invitation to Worship

Mail Copy To: **OBSERVER & ECCENTRIC NEWSPAPERS**
36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150
FOR CHURCH PAGE COPY CHANGES OR INFORMATION ON ADVERTISING IN THIS DIRECTORY PLEASE CALL: LINDA RIGDON AT 953-2161

BAPTIST

INDEPENDENT BAPTIST BIBLE FELLOWSHIP
BETHEL BAPTIST TEMPLE
YOUTH AWANA CLUBS
29475 W. Six Mile, Livonia
525-3664 or 261-9276



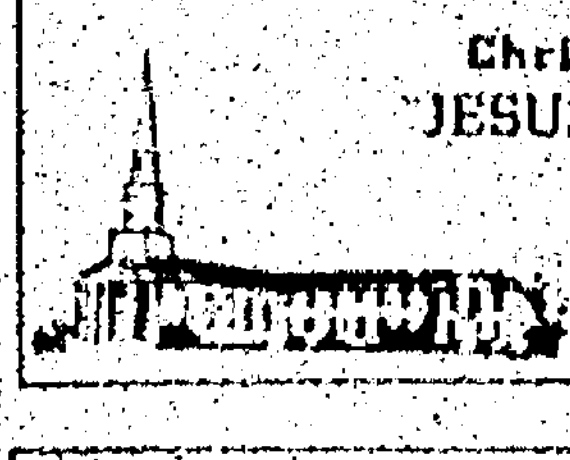
H.L. Pelly
Pastor

Sunday School.......10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship.......11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship.......6:00 P.M.
Wed. Family Hour.......7:30 P.M.

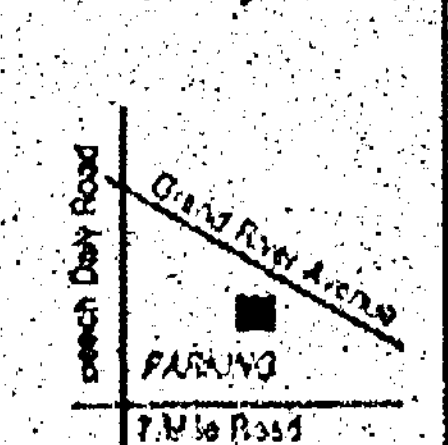
December 25th
10:30 a.m. "The Greatest Night"
5:00 P.M. Guest: Rev. Steve Leathley

"A Church That's Concerned About People"

REDFORD BAPTIST CHURCH
25295 Grand River Avenue at 7 Mile Road
Redford, Michigan 533-2300
Sunday Worship 9:30 A.M. Church School 10:45 A.M.
Midweek Family Program, Wednesdays 5:45
Christmas Day - December 25th
"JESUS, THE PRINCE OF PEACE"



Pastor Herbert Dominquez
Minister for Children, Shuan Scott
Director of Music, Donna Clausen



GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH
Welcomes You!



DR. KENNETH D. GREE
PASTOR

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES
425-6215 or 425-1116
FAMILY WORSHIP.......SUN. 10:30 A.M.
BIBLE SCHOOL.......SUN. 6:00 P.M.
Please call Church Office for schedule of other services.
28440 LYNDON, LIVONIA, MI

FARMINGTON HILLS CHURCH
(Independent Baptist)
Sundays 10:00 A.M. Comfort Inn Conference Room
12 Mile Rd. at Orchard Lake Rd. & 696
We continue the five phases of salvation. Phase TWO is the LEGAL Divine transaction when Christ bore the sins of His elect (Heb 9:14-15). His death satisfied the holy nature of God. Sinners are redeemed and justified and God's holy nature is satisfied so He can legally forgive sinners (Rom 3:23-26). This is salvation from the just PENALTY OF SIN.

NORTHWEST BAPTIST CHURCH
23845 Middlebelt 1½ Blks. S. of 10 Mile • 474-3393
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday Service 7:00 P.M.
Nursery Provided
Rev. Richard L. Karr, Pastor

APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN

FIRST APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN CHURCH
26325 Halstead Road at 11 Mile
Farmington Hills, Michigan
Services Every Sunday at 10:30 A.M.
Also, 1st & 3rd Sunday at 7:00 P.M.
Sunday School - 9:15 A.M.
Bible Class - Tuesday 7:30 P.M.
Song Services - Last Sunday of Month 7:00 P.M.

EPISCOPAL

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
16360 Hubbard Road
Livonia, Michigan 48154
421-8451
Mon.-Fri. 9:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist
Wednesday 6:00 P.M. Dinner & Classes
Saturday 5:00 P.M. Holy Eucharist
Sunday 7:45 & 10 A.M. Holy Eucharist
10:00 A.M. Christian Education for all ages
Sunday Morning - Nursery Care Available
The Rev. Robert Clapp, Rector
Every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.
Phil. 2:11

EPISCOPAL CHURCH of the HOLY SPIRIT
9083 Newburgh Road
Livonia • 591-0211
The Rev. Emery F. Gravelle, Vicar
The Rev. Margaret Haas, Assistant
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
10:30 a.m. Family Eucharist & Sunday School
A Barrier Free Facility for the Handicapped

Faith Covenant Church
Making Faith a Way of Life
Sunday School For All Ages 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:45 a.m.
Wednesday Night Activities
Dinner 6:00 p.m.
Youth 7:00 p.m.
Adult Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
35415 W. 14 Mile Road (at Drake Road)
Farmington Hills
810-661-9191
Rev. Dawn Engebretson Rev. David Norman

CATHOLIC

ST. ANNE'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
Society of St. Pius X • Traditional Latin Mass
23310 Joy Road • Redford, Michigan
5 Blocks E. of Telegraph • (313)534-2121
Priest's Phone (810) 781-9511
Mass Schedule:
First Fri. 7:00 p.m.
First Sat. 9:00 a.m.
Sun. 7:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.
Mon. 11:00 a.m.
Confessions Heard Prior to Each Mass

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL
1160 Penniman Ave.
Plymouth • 453-0326
Rev. John J. Sullivan
Masses: Mon.-Fri. 9:00 A.M., Sat. 5:00 P.M.
Sunday 8:00, 10:00 A.M. and 12:00 P.M.

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. Richard A. Perfetto, Pastor
48755 Warren Rd., Canton, Michigan 48187
313-451-0444
MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday 4:30 p.m.
Sunday, 9:45 a.m. - Our Lady of Providence Chapel
16115 Beck Rd. (west side) between Five and Six Mile Rds.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST

MEMORIAL CHURCH OF CHRIST
(Christian Church)
35475 Five Mile Rd. 464-6722
MARK McGILVREY, Minister
Paul Rumbuc, Youth Minister
BIBLE SCHOOL (All Ages) 9:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.
Morning worship 9:30 & 10:45 a.m.
Adult Worship & Young Groups 6:30 p.m.

KENWOOD CHURCH of CHRIST
Celebrating 40 Years
20200 Merriman Road 476-8222
MIKE HAZELTON, Minister
Ray Sanders, Youth Minister
BIBLE SCHOOL (All Ages) 9:30 A.M.
MORNING WORSHIP 10:30 A.M.
EVENING WORSHIP & YOUTH MEETINGS 6:30 P.M.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

PLYMOUTH SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH & SUPERIOR ADVENTIST ACADEMY Grades 1-8
4295 Napier Road - Plymouth
WORSHIP SERVICES
SATURDAY Sabbath School 9:15 a.m.
Divine Worship 11 a.m. 12 p.m.
Elder: Dr. Weaver 810-349-5551
School 459-8222

CHRISTADELPHIANS
Sunday
Memorial Service 10:00 A.M.
Bible Class
Wednesdays 8:00 P.M.
36516 Parkdale, Livonia • 425-7610

LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD

CHRIST OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH
14175 Farmington Rd. (Just N. of I-96) • Livonia
Church • 522-6830 School/Day Care • 513-8413



Rev. Luther A. Werth, Pastor
Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School & Bible Class 9:45 a.m.
Christmas Eve Worship: 7:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m.
Christmas: 10:00 a.m.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN MISSOURI SYNOD
High & Elm Streets, Northville
T. Lubeck, Pastor
L. Kinne, Associate Pastor
Church 349-3140 - School 349-3146
Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Wednesday Worship 7:30 p.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD
25630 GRAND RIVER at BEECH DALY
532-2266 REDFORD TWP.
Worship Service
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
Nursery Provided
Rev. Victor F. Halboth, Pastor
Rev. Timothy Halboth, Assoc. Pastor

ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN
Church & School 5885 Venoy
1 Blk. N. of Ford Rd., Westland 425-0260
Divine Worship 8 & 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class & SS 9:30 A.M.
Monday Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Ralph Fischer, Pastor
Gary D. Headapohl, Associate Pastor

HOSANNA-TABOR LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
9600 Leverne • So. Redford • 937-2424
Rev. Glenn Kopper, Rev. Lawrence Witto
WORSHIP WITH US
Sunday Morning 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Monday Evening 7:00 P.M.
Adult Bible Class 9:45 A.M.
Christian School: Pre-School-8th Grade
Mrs. Pat Sadler 937-2233

Risen Christ Lutheran
46250 Ann Arbor Road
(1 Mile West of Sheldon)
Plymouth • 453-5252
Worship Service 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Family Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
K. M. Mehrl, Pastor
Hugh McMartin, Lay Minister

ST PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
20805 Middlebelt (corner of 8 Mile & Middlebelt)
Farmington Hills, Mich.
WORSHIP SERVICES
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Sunday Morning 9:15 a.m.
Bible Class & Sunday School 10:45
Pastor Ralph E. Unger • 474-0679

LUTHERAN CHURCH WISCONSIN SYNOD

Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Churches
WISCONSIN LUTHERAN RADIO HOUR
WCAR-1090 SUNDAY 10:30 A.M.

In Livonia
St. Paul Ev. Lutheran Church
17810 Farmington Road
Pastors Carl Pagel & James Hoff
261-1360
WORSHIP SERVICES
Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School & Bible Classes 9:45

In Redford Township
Lola Park Ev. Lutheran Church
15750 Kinloch
Pastor Gregory Gibbons • 532-8655
Worship Services
8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA

Timothy Lutheran Church
8820 Wayne Rd.
(Between Ann Arbor Trail & Joy Road)
Livonia • 427-2290
Sunday Services 9:00 & 10:30 A.M.
Sunday School 9:00 A.M.
Rev. Mary T. Olivanti, Pastor
261-0766

Worship Together

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Plymouth
1100 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth, MI
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Wed. Evening Testimony Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Reading Room - 445 S. Harvey, Plymouth
Open M-S 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Fri. 7-9 p.m.
453-1676

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH OF AMERICA

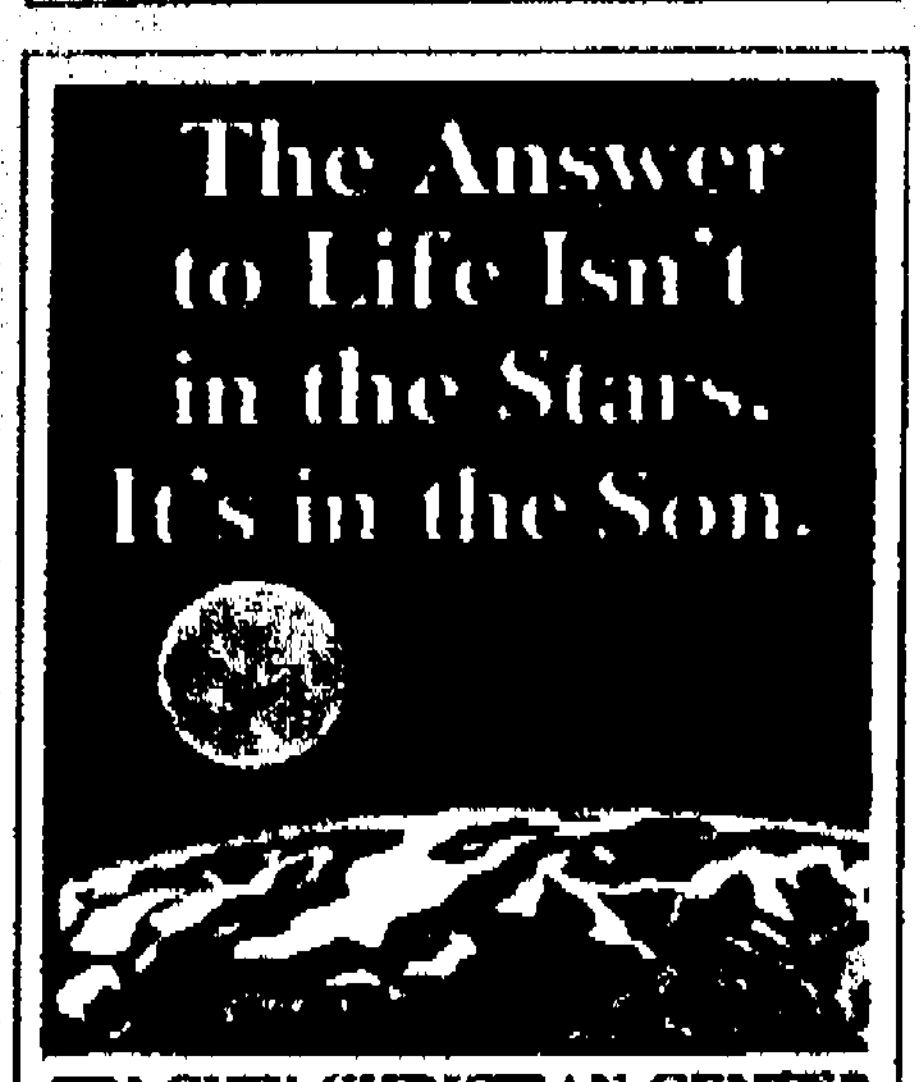
Canton Community Church
The Ageless Truth for a New Generation
Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Nursery Provided
Active Childrens' & Teens Ministry
Care Groups & Discipleship Ministries
Eric Moore-Pastor 455-6022
Meeting at Plymouth-Canton High School's Little Theater on Canton Center Rd.
Part of The Willow Creek Association

PENTECOSTAL

CHRISTIAN HARMONY MINISTRIES
24230 West McNichols
2 Blocks West of Telegraph
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Friday Praise and Worship 7:00 p.m.
Pastor Donna Lach 532-1000

FULL GOSPEL CHURCH OF PLYMOUTH
291 E. SPRING ST.
2 Blocks N. of Main - 2 Blocks E. of Mill
SUNDAY
Bible School 10:00 A.M.
Worship 11:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.
(Nursery Provided)
WEDNESDAY
Bible Study 7:00 P.M.
(Classes for all ages)
Pastor Frank Howard Ch. 453-0323

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD



TRI-CITY CHRISTIAN CENTER
MICHIGAN AVE & HANNAN RD
1 LIGHT EAST OF I-275
SUN 8:15A, 11:00A, 6:00P

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

Brightmoor Tabernacle
Assemblies of God • Calvin C. Ratz, pastor
26555 Franklin Rd. • Southfield, MI (I-696 & Telegraph • West of Holiday Inn) • 352-6200
9:15 a.m. Family Sunday School Hour • Wednesday 7:00 p.m. "Family Night"
December 25th
10:30 a.m. *"Your Light Has Come"*
Christmas Eve Candlelight Service
7-8 p.m. *(Sanctuary is lit by 500 candles)*

EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN



TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
10101 W. Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth
5 Miles W. of Sheldon Rd.
From M-14 take Gottfredson Rd. South
Worship Services
8:15 a.m. Prayer & Praise Service
11:00 a.m. Traditional Service
SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES
9:30 A.M.
Dr. Wm. C. Moore - Pastor
Rev. Wm. Branham - Associate Pastor
Nursery Provided
Phone 459-9550

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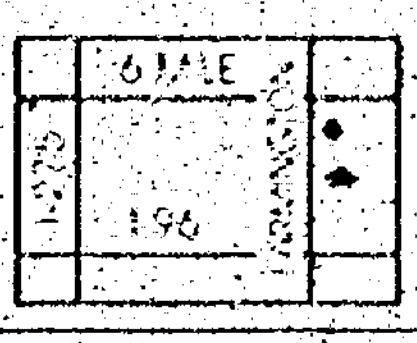

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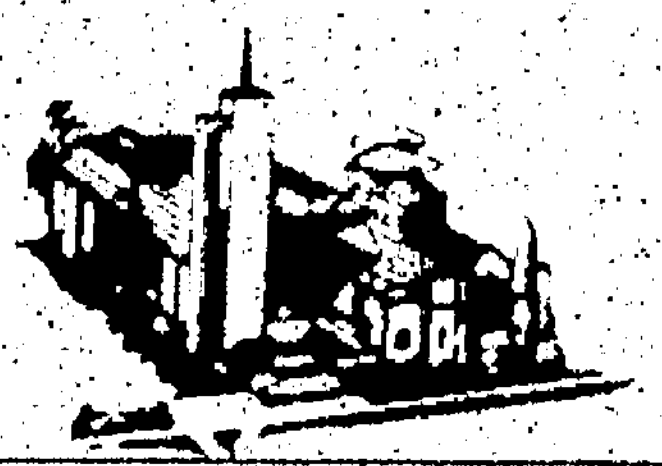

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Carols and scripture readings celebrate Christmas

Christmas carols and Scripture lessons are familiar activities in many churches during the holiday season, but did you know that the Service of Lessons and Carols comes from King's College in Cambridge, England, and was introduced in 1931?

The immediate origins of the service reach back to 1880, to the cathedral of Truro in England's southernmost country of Cornwall. There, in a wooden building used while a new cathedral was being built, the Service of Lessons and Carols was introduced. It replaced another carol service which two years earlier had taken the place of a custom in which the Truro choir sang carols in the community on Christmas Eve.

Though the immediate roots of the Service of Lessons and Carols are recent, the structure of the service is deeply embedded in Judeo-Christian practice and follows an ancient custom of placing music between Scripture reading.

Today, the King's College Service of Lessons and Carols has gained popular attention through its airings on radio and television. Many churches have followed the service as closely as possible; some have adapted it by changing the lessons or otherwise altering it to fit their own needs and desires.

A variation of the Service of Lessons and Carols will be presented at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church on Christmas Eve, Saturday, Dec. 24, at the 11 p.m. candlelight service. Through song, Scripture, prayer and Christmas selections by the Choir of Christ Our Savior, Handbell Choir and instrumentalists, the Christmas story will unfold.

Worshipers will be given a votive candle to raise during the singing of "Silent Night." There also will be a concert of organ and instrumental music at 10:30 p.m.

Christ Our Savior also will have a Family Christmas Eve service at 7 p.m., featuring the Cherub, Choristers and Handbell choirs and a special children's message. Christmas Day worship with communion will be at 10 a.m. The church is at 14175 Farmington Road, Livonia. For more information, call (313) 522-6830.

Special Christmas services also are planned for other area churches:

■ Memorial Church of Christ will hold a candlelight communion service at 7 p.m. Christmas Eve, Dec. 24. The program will feature special music, congregational singing, Scripture reading, a meditation on the season, communion and prayer. The church is at 35475 Five Mile, Livonia. For more information, call (313) 464-6722.

■ Merriman Road Baptist Church's candlelight communion service will begin at 6 p.m. Christmas Eve, Dec. 24. The church is at 2055 Merriman Road, Garden City.

■ Lola Park Evangelical Lutheran Church will have its Christmas Eve service at 7 p.m. Dec. 24. The theme will be "Jesus, Name of Wondrous Love," and the Sunday school, junior and senior choirs will perform. There will be one service on Christmas Day, Dec. 25, at 10:15 a.m. The message will be "Mary Had a Little Lamb." The church is at 14750 Kinloch, Redford. For more information, call (313) 532-8655.

■ Newburg United Methodist Church will begin its Christmas Eve celebration at 6:30 p.m. Dec. 24, with a family celebration. Carols and candlelighting will follow at 8:30 p.m., and communion accompanied by "Faces at the Manger" by Dr. Gilson Miller and the Rev. Melanie Lee Carey at 11 p.m. Child care will be provided. The church is at 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia.

■ St. Matthew Lutheran Church in Westland will have a Christmas Eve family service at 6:30 p.m. Dec. 24 and a Christmas Eve candlelight service with communion will be at 10:30 p.m. while Christmas Day worship with communion will be at 10 a.m. Dec. 25. The church is at 5885 Venoy, Westland.

■ St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church will have its Christmas Eve service at 7 p.m. Dec. 24, with its Christmas Day service scheduled for 10 a.m. Dec. 25. The church is at 17810 Farmington Road, Livonia.

■ Good Hope Lutheran Church will have a Christmas Eve family worship service at 7 p.m. Dec. 24. It will include junior anthems, a children's sermon, a motion choir and carol communion service. The Christmas Eve candlelight service will be at 11 p.m. and will include senior choir anthems, a carol communion liturgy and candlelighting ceremony involving all worshipers. Good Hope is at 28680 Cherry Hill, between Inkster and Middlebelt roads, Garden City.

RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday's issue.

■ NEW OFFICERS
Congregation Beit Kodesh will have its installation of officers at 8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 23, at the synagogue, 31840 W. Seven Mile, Livonia. A kiddush will follow.

Elected officers are: Jeffrey Kirsch, president; David Gross and Martin Diskin, vice presidents; Deborah Parks, treasurer; Lynn Calnek and Paula Kirsch, secretaries; and Elliott Grodsky and Lynn Wagner-Ditzhazy, trustees.

■ RADIO SHOWS
WAAM 1600 AM's radio show "What Is This Christian Science and Who Are These Christian Scientists?" continues at 9 a.m. Sundays. The final show of the year will be "What Kind of Faith in God Heals?" on Dec. 25.

■ SISTERHOOD MEETING
The Sisterhood of Congregation Beit Kodesh will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 27, at the synagogue, 31840 W. Seven Mile, Livonia. Following the general meeting, a video, "If I Were a Rich Man," featuring Jan Peerce and Isaac Stern, will be shown. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call (810) 474-7616.

■ FUND-RAISER
Clarenceville United Methodist Church of Livonia is conducting a fund-raiser. It has 1995 Entertainment Passbooks available for a donation of $40. They are available by calling Jim Robinson at (810) 347-1535 or the church office at (810) 474-3444.

■ SINGLE PLACE
Single Place Adult Ministries will have an Old Fashioned Picnic and Light N' Lively, featuring the singing of Karina and Ronnie J, at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 28, in Boll Hall of the First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main, Northville. The cost is $7.05. The group also will play volleyball 9-10:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 30, at the Northville Recreation Center, 303 W. Main, Northville. Cost is $3 per person.

On New Year's Eve, Saturday, Dec. 31, Single Place will go bowling at the Novi Bowl at 8 p.m., followed by dinner at 11 p.m. at the Akropolis Cafe in Northville. Dinner choices are steak, barbecue ribs or shark steak. Cost is $30 for reservations made by noon Friday, Dec. 30, and $34 after that deadline. For more information and tickets, call (810) 349-0911.

■ SINGLE POINT
Single Point Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church plays volleyball at 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays in the church gym. Ward Church is at Farmington and Six Mile roads, Livonia. For more information, call 422-1854.

■ WEDNESDAY SERVICE
St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile, Livonia, has a new 7 p.m. Wednesday service open to all people, especially those who cannot attend regular Sunday worship services. For more information, call the church at (313) 422-1470.

■ NEW YEAR'S SERVICES
St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church will have New Year's services at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 31, and 8:30 and 11 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 1. The church is at 17810 Farmington Road, Livonia.

■ St. Matthew Lutheran Church in Westland will have a New Year's Eve service with communion at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 31, and a New Year's Day service with communion at 10 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 1. The church is at 5885 Venoy, Westland.

■ WATCH NIGHT
Nathan DiGesare will perform during Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church's New Year's Eve celebration. The evening will begin with fellowship, dinner by reservation, and a Watch Night Service at 10:40 p.m. For more information, call (313) 422-1826. The church is at 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia.

■ COMMUNITY PARTY
Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church also will host a New Year's Eve party for the community Saturday, Dec. 31. A festive dinner party will held, following a 7 p.m. worship service, in the church's Parish Center.

There will be a buffet dinner, disc jockey, non-alcoholic beverages, games, dancing and countdown to midnight. Tickets are $15 per person and must be ordered before Dec. 25 by calling Bob at (313) 522-6830 or Jackie at (313) 953-9619.

Christ Our Savior is at 14175 Farmington Road, north of I-96, Livonia.

■ NEW CHURCH
Crossroads Church of Livonia, a new church of about 70 adults and children, is looking for people to be part of its nucleus. If you are searching for a church home and enjoy contemporary worship, relevant Bible teachings and small groups, call Rob Eddy at (313) 981-7163.

■ CHARISMATIC PRAYER
A charismatic prayer group meets at 6 p.m. Sundays in Patio Classroom 1 on the ground floor of the University Center at Madonna University, Schoolcraft and Levan roads, Livonia. For more information, call Shawn at (313) 464-9057 or Julie at (313) 464-4566.

A group also meets at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays for praise Scripture and singing at St. Edith Church, 15089 Newburgh, Livonia. The group meets in the church meeting room. (Use rear entrance 2.) Call Sandy at (313) 462-2243.

■ SPIRIT OF THE CROSS
St. Theodore Church's Spirit of the Cross Prayer Group meets at 8 p.m. Wednesdays in the social hall, 8200 N. Wayne Road, Westland. For more information, call John at (313) 422-5611 or Margaret at (313) 427-9125.

■ LOOKING FOR A CHURCH?
An open invitation is extended to anyone inquiring about membership in the Catholic Church by St. Richard's Church, 35637 Cherry Hill, Westland. For more information, call Claudia at (313) 729-4411.

■ MEN'S FELLOWSHIP
Single Point Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church sponsors a men's fellowship group at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month in Garden City. For more information, call the Single Point office at (313) 422-1854.

■ SENIOR FELLOWSHIP
Bethel Baptist Temple, 29475 W. Six Mile, Livonia, sponsors meetings for senior citizens and retirees the first and third Tuesday of the month. For more information, call (313) 525-3664 or (313) 261-9276.

■ ALCOHOLICS
The Alcoholics for Christ, Meet Your Needs Group, meets 7 p.m. Tuesdays at Tri-City Christian Center, Michigan Avenue at Hannan in Canton. Alcoholics for Christ is a nondenominational, nonprofit Christian fellowship for alcoholics and their families. The group's chief goal is to direct alcoholics, family members and other concerned people to a dedicated, sincere relationship with Jesus Christ. For more information, call (313) 326-0330.

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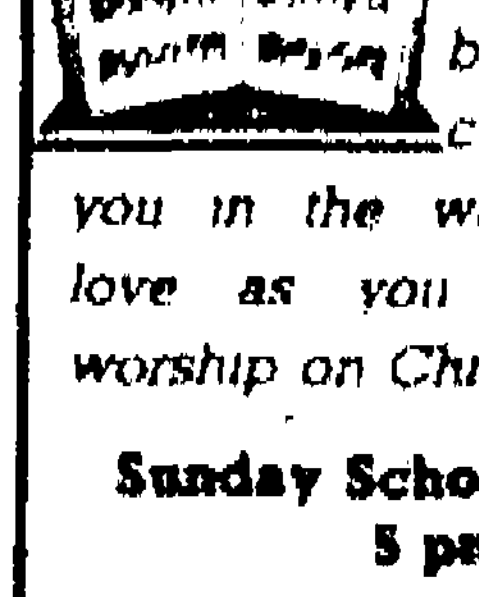

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CREATIVE LIVING

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GARDEN SPOT



MARTY FIGLEY

Live plants make special holiday gifts

Old St. Nick is breathing down the chimney and you still haven't decided on a gift for Uncle Joe and Auntie Mary or the neighbors across the street or down the hall! What to do??

A living plant at this time of year brings more than a Christmas gift, but a decoration and lasting memory of the giver. And, with the proper care, it will last for many months or years.

A lovely poinsettia (Euphorbia pulcherrima) is the traditional Christmas plant and they are now available in colors other than red (although it is still a popular choice).

Poinsettia pointers

Paul Ecke Ranch in California has developed a series called Eckespoint (R). Freedom Red has ruby red bracts and dark green foliage. The bracts of Monet are multi-colored cranberry red/rose and cream with gradated tones. This award winner is in limited supply now, but more will be available next year.

Pink Peppermint has softly speckled, pastel peach/pink bracts while Jingle Bells is a bright speckled poinsettia with light pink flecks on dark red bracts. Lemon Drop, the first true yellow poinsettia, has very dark green foliage.

Six hours of sunlight is recommended. Water thoroughly (to the point when water just seeps through the drain holes) when the soil surface feels dry to a light touch. Don't fertilize now, but give the plant a 10-5-10 solution about mid-January. Follow label directions.

Christmas cactus

The Christmas Cactus (Schlumbergera Truncate) blooms in red, white, orange or pink to suit any decor. It is a short day plant and survives well with just a little sun. Night temperatures can go as low as 45 degrees F.

Allow the soil surface to dry between thorough waterings; reduce water after flowering stops. Fertilize the plant in spring and summer once a month with half the recommended strength of a soluble fertilizer.

Amaryllis

Amaryllis (Hippeastrum) bulbs will provide a spectacular display for at least a month. Each bulb will produce two and sometimes three marvelous blooms. If you buy a bulb, the recipient will be able to watch the miracle unfold six to 10 weeks after water is given.

A bright, directly sunny, southern or western window is preferred, and as with poinsettias, average house temperatures are fine. Water this plant every five to six days and apply one-fourth strength liquid fertilizer midway through the growing season.

Amaryllis flowers last longer if you pinch out the anthers of newly opened blossoms, and they do make beautiful, long-lasting cut flowers.

After bloom time, continue feeding at every other watering; stop when the foliage yellows

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LOOKING AHEAD

What to *watch for in Creative Living next week:*

- Antique toy dealers, Dave Hudson of Westland, and Bill and Karen Portman of Livonia exhibit everything from turn-of-the century transportation to Hot Wheels Jan. 7 in Dearborn.
- Very Special Arts seeks special artists' works for exhibit March 10 to April 9, 1995 at Urban Park-Detroit Art Center in Trapper's Alley.
- Linda Chomin's Artistic Expressions column spotlights "Behind the Window," a softcover book by Redford Township resident Therese Duffy on the history of St. Valentine's stained glass windows.

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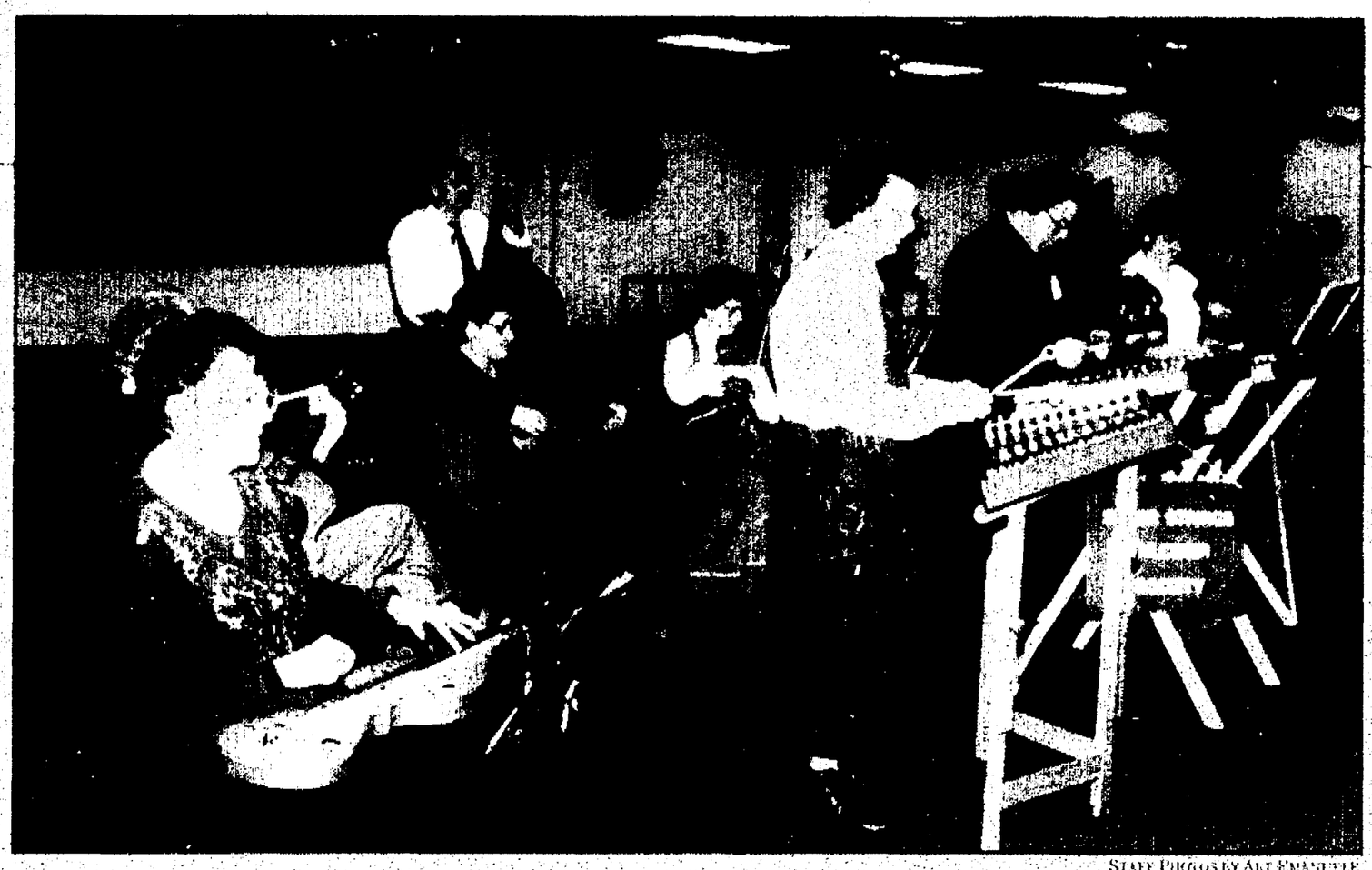

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Mountain melodies: *Members of the Mixylodians Mountain Dulcimer Club, and Silver Strings Dulcimer society recently joined forces for a performance at the Dyer Center in Westland.*

The DULCIMER

Dulcimer music is toe-tapping, happy music. Players from Observerland take delight in the mountain music sound as well as each other's company.

By Linda Chomin, special writer

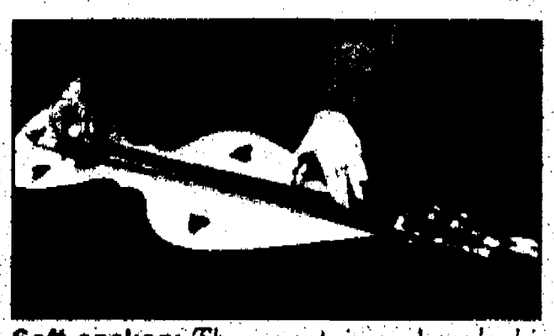
There's something about dulcimer music that spreads cheer. Two clubs grounded in the ancient instruments devote many hours to praising, practicing and performing its magical sound.

That's right, instrument in the plural form. The hammered dulcimer, and the mountain dulcimer are two distinct instruments.

"The mountain dulcimer is a very soft instrument, more of a folk instrument. They all have different voices because they're all handmade. No two sound alike," said Marie Naster, founder of the Mixylodians Mountain Dulcimer Club which meets every Tuesday evening in her Canton Township home. Nester's husband, Tom, plays harmonica with the group.

"The hammered dulcimer is an old instrument mentioned in the Bible. It sits on a stand. They all have different voices, too."

Self taught except for a few lessons taken through the Dearborn Public Schools adult education progam, Naster formed the Mixylodians two years ago to encourage group playing by mountain dulcimer aficionados. The club boasts 18 members age 30 and up from Westland, Livonia, Garden City, Plymouth, Northville, Dearborn, Milford, Taylor and Canton Township.



Soft spoken: *The mountain or Appalachian dulcimer is strummed or played with a pick. A member of the plucked zither family, its hourglass or teardrop shape body rests on the player's lap.*

The instrument is soft voiced so it is usually drowned out when accompanying hammered dulcimers, guitars and the like. One of very few instruments to originate in America, the mountain or Appalachian dulcimer is strummed or played with a pick. A member of the plucked zither family, its hourglass or teardrop shape body rests on the player's lap. It is thought to have been invented in the early 1800s.

"The instruments are so unusual we can't find anyone to play with. We're actually trying to recruit new members," said the 55-year-old Naster.

Members of the Mixylodians and the Silver Strings Dulcimer Society crossover and perform together regularly. Formed 11 years ago to promote the hammered dulcimer, a trapezoidal shaped multi-string percussion instrument, Silver Strings meets the first and third Thursdays of the month at Good Hope Lutheran Church in Garden City.

The hammered dulcimer was popular in medieval times but declined until the the 1960s when a renewed interest in folk music revived it from near extinction.

"We formed the groups for the preservation of good American music, good mountain music, and because of the fellowship. The best people

See DULCIMER, 2D

Winning photographer colors environment

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
STAFF WRITER

Livonia photographer, Jim Morphew won two awards for his portraits of children, and people in late October. But in the eyes of the staff and patients at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia he was already a winner. Morphew recently created then donated nine mother and child portraits for the new Miracle of Life Maternity Center which opened last April.

"That's always been my favorite subject, the mother and child. I love what I do and it shows in the work," said Morphew.

Mothers and children featured in the photos answered a want ad for models that Morphew had placed in the Observer Newspapers. The 16 by 20 inch portraits tell a story from the anticipation of birth through the bonding of mother and child afterwards. Bath time, story time, cuddle time - Morphew went for a look that reads soft, warm and fuzzy.

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Warming the environment: *Livonia photographer, Jim Morphew recently donated a wall of mother-and child portraits to the new Miracle of Life Maternity Center at St. Mary Hospital.*

Artbeat features *various happenings in the suburban arts world. Send news leads to Creative Living Editor, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, 48150, or fax them to (313) 591-7279.*

Art Beat

■ TEXTILE PAINTING

Westland artist, Saundra Weed exhibits fabric paintings along with traditional watercolors through Dec. 27 in the Harvest Room at Schoolcraft College in Livonia.

Weed, a painting instructor at the college, recently displayed her fiber art in "The Coat as Art' Fiber Fashion Forum, an exhibition of wearable art held in the Community Arts Gallery at Wayne State University. One of the pieces, "Conversation with a Fish," is an ivory cotton coat embellished with quilting, couching applique, and random machine stitching.

Previous to the fiber fashion form, Weed returned from Maryland where she was studying new fabric painting and silk dyeing techniques.

■ CALL FOR ENTRY

Attention Observerland artists. The 1995 Greektown Art Fair, produced by the Greektown Merchants Association in co-operation with the Michigan Guild of Artists and Artisans, is searching for fine artists and contemporary craft's people for its' show May 19-21. The Guild sponsors the Ann Arbor Summer Art Fair.

Deadline for submissions is Feb. 3, 1995.

For more information, or an application to jury write The Guild at 118 N. Fourth Ave., Ann Arbor 48104-1402 or call (313) 994-3888.

Dulcimer

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in the world are people who love music. We've had people come who haven't spoke English," said Larry Allen a retired Wayne State University professor of languages living in Livonia. He plays guitar and a little mountain dulcimer with both groups.

Adèle Grant, a violinist with the Livonia Symphony Orchestra, plays with Silver Strings because she likes the music.

"It has a beat. The jigs are fast. It's the kind of music that makes you want to dance and move



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Performing: *Members of the Mixylodians Mountain Dulcimer Club and the Silver Strings Dulcimer Society played recently in the Dyer Center at a meeting of Arches, a 91-year-old organization of women aimed at promoting the arts.*

Retired Livonia veterinarian, Bob Ewald and wife Dorothy play bass fiddle and guitar with the groups. He also performs with square dance, and blue grass groups.

"The hammered dulcimers make the music unique, that and the fact the group is made up of all stringed instruments," said Bob Ewald.

Members of both dulcimer groups performed with the Dearborn Symphony recently, and at a meeting of Arches, a 91-year-old organization of women dedicated to promoting the arts.

"A lot of our group goes to opera and plays. Dulcimer music has grown up with our country, but not a lot of people know about it," said Dee Martin, Arches vice president.

"One of our members, Ellen Rowland suggested it. Her husband plays with the group."

Paul Rowland has built 30 of his dulcimers and guitars. A retired Ford Motor Co. employee, he joined both groups because of his fondness for the music.

"I love the sound of the instrument, and it's a relatively new thing," said the Westland resident.

During a lull in the Arches performance at the Dyer Center in Westland, Sue Tanner spoke about the hammered dulcimer and the music. She demonstrated how by using the soft side of the

■ 'We formed the groups for the preservation of good American music, good mountain music, and because of the fellowship. The best people in the world are people who love music. We've had people come who haven't spoken English.'

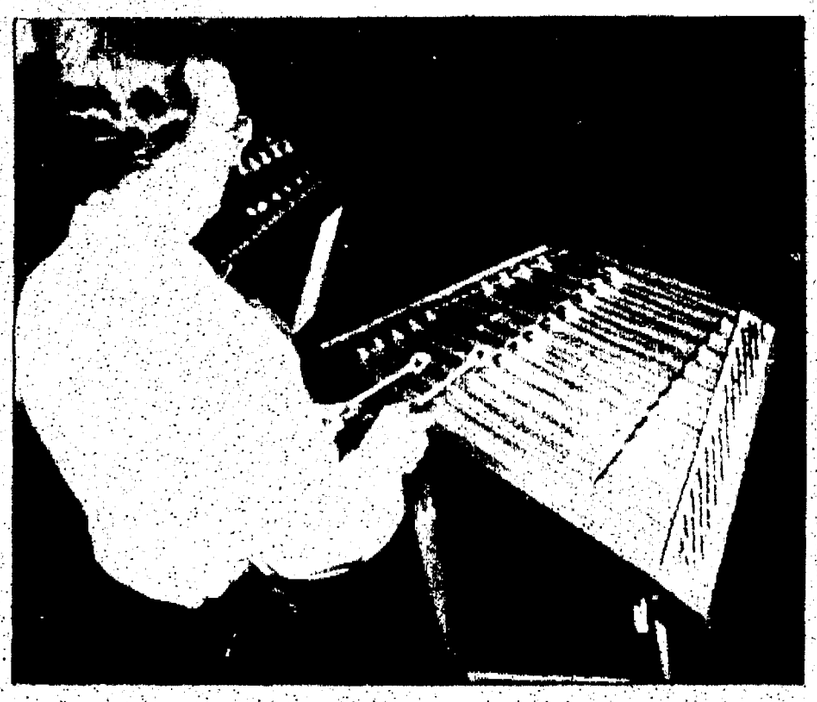
Larry Allen

hammers she could make the instrument sound like a harp.

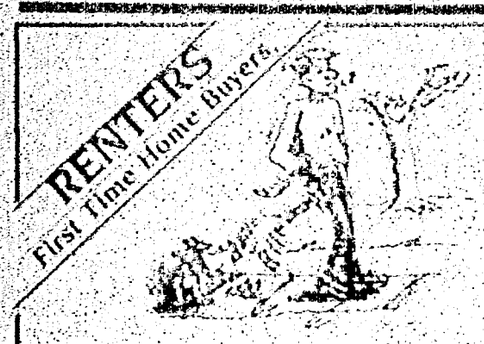
Tanner, a West Bloomfield resident, was a music major at the University of California, San Diego. Her instrument was the harpsichord. She first heard hammered dulcimer music at a street fair in Los Angeles 15 years ago.

"'Dulcimer is an ancient word which means sweet music. It dates back to 800 A.D. and is the first instrument to travel west across America because of its portability," said Tanner, education coordinator of SCAMP, a day camp for special needs children in Bloomfield Hills.

"I love the music so much that I built the first hammered dulcimer I owned because I was too poor to bu



Sweet music: *The hammered dulcimer is an ancient instrument dating back to medieval times.*



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Figley

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and store in a cool, dark place for six to eight weeks, when new growth appears. Replace an inch of topsoil with fresh, set in a sunny spot and resume watering, then wait for the show.

A gift certificate for an Amaryllis can be ordered from the Park Seed Company (call (800) 845-3369), which has a catalog featuring this plant.

Orchid

An orchid (Orchidaceae) is an elegant gift, although not too easy to find at this time of year. The Orchid Lady of Birmingham, Carolyn Butcher, will be able to fulfill your request. You may call her at (810) 643-6266.

The right amount of light is a critical factor in growing orchids, and it is best to know what amount is necessary for the one you choose. They also have varying temperature needs — cool, intermediate and warm.

It's best to drench the potting medium, then let it dry out before rewatering. Moisture is important. Pots on a pebble tray that is filled with water helps and a humidifier will also supply needed moisture. The blooms of orchids are as varied as their names — Cattleya, Paphiopedilum or Phalaenopsis — any one of them would be appreciated.

Lucas Nursery in Canton has the poinsettias and Christmas Cactus. Tiffany Florist in Birmingham carries all but the cactus. Call ahead to avoid disappointment.

Travel plans

Join me for "A Kingdom in Bloom: The Majestic Splendor of the Gardens of Britain," a special guided tour of gardens and manorial homes, and a visit to the Chelsea Flower Show, May 23 to June 4.

Each site of the itinerary has been carefully selected on the merits of its beauty and variety as well as its horticultural specialty. They include Hampton Court's 17th century garden, the garden at Sissinghurst Castle by Vita Sackville West, the Royal Horticultural Society Gardens at Wisley, Blenheim (Churchill's birthplace) and Hord, an Elizabethan manor in an isolated garden by Harold Peto.

A welcome wine buffet and an illustrated talk about the gardens by an outstanding horticulturist will be given the first evening. Expert guides will be on hand at each stop. There will be time for sightseeing, shopping and a dinner theater excursion.

Reservations are limited to 30 people. For more information, call me at (810) 644-2178 or Flying Suitcase Travel at (800) 679-1976. Don't miss out on this one-of-a-kind opportunity. I'll be happy to give a slide presentation about this trip to your club.

TIMELY GARDEN TIPS

■ Wait until the ground is frozen before applying mulch to your perennial beds.

■ Snip evergreen boughs, boxwood, English ivy and other evergreen plants for a pretty "home-crafted" arrangement. Some artemesias and lamb's ears will add a silver touch.

■ Save the "plastic" pellets that protect gifts, for the compost pile. Those made of cornstarch will melt in water and will break down easily there.

■ While the youngsters are home for the holidays they can prepare a tree for the birds. Strings of popcorn and cranberries, orange or grapefruit shells filled with a mixture of 2 parts each ground suet, cornmeal and sugar and 1 part flour and a little water will satisfy the birds. Punch several holes around the edge of the rind and tie a string to each hole to use as a hanger. Birds also like pinecones spread with unsalted peanut butter and a suet mixture.

■ Be sure to protect your gift plants from the cold winter winds when you deliver them.

■ Have the Merriest Christmas ever — and the Happiest of New Years!

Marty Figley is an advanced master gardener based in Birmingham. You can leave her a message by dialing (313) 953-2047 on a touch-tone phone, then her mailbox number, 1859. Her fax number is (810) 644-1314.





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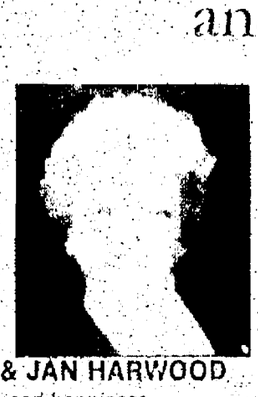



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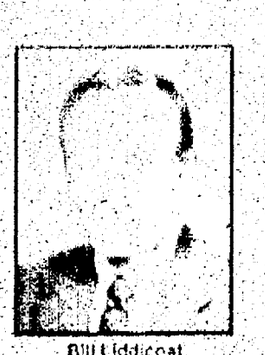
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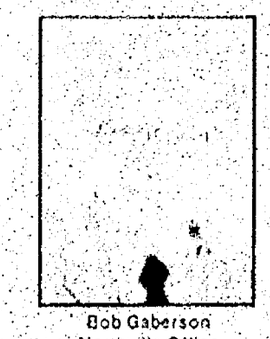
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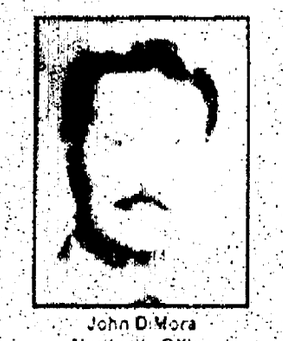
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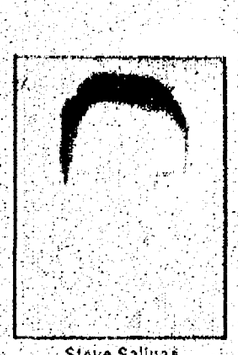
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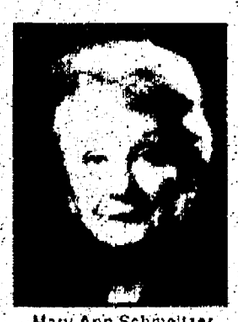
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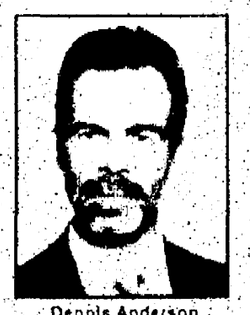
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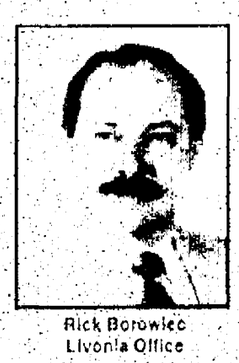
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EXHIBITIONS

Send announcements *of art gallery exhibitions to: Creative Living Editor, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150; fax (810) 644-1314.*

■ LIVONIA LIBRARY
Through Dec. 30 — The Livonia Arts Commission presents a collection of Barbie dolls painted by Livonia resident Marty Fishman. The 50-doll exhibit is on display in the Livonia Civic Center Library showcases, Five Mile, just east of Farmington Road. Hours are 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday and 1-5 p.m. on Sunday.

■ NELSON'S GALLERY
Through Dec. 31 — Director Laura Hardy presents her annual Art as Gift show featuring smaller, reasonably priced gift art now through Dec. 31 at the gallery 16376 Middlebelt between Five and Six Mile in Terrence. An open house takes place 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 10. This year's show spotlights 13 artists working in a variety of media from painting and glass to jewelry and clay. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

■ G.R. H'NAMDI GALLERY
Through Dec. 31 — "Scrapple from the Apple," an exhibit of works on paper and monoprint by Vincent Smith, will continue to Dec. 31. Opening reception for the artist 6-9 p.m. Friday. Smith will lecture on his work 2 p.m. Sunday; call the gallery at (810) 642-2700 for reservations. The show concentrates on Smith's jazz images. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 1-4 p.m. Sunday, 161 Townsend, Birmingham.

■ SWORDS INTO PLOWSHARES PEACE CENTER AND GALLERY
Through Dec. 29 — La Raza, a Canadian artists collective, will be presented in an exhibit called "Urban Realities," continuing to Dec. 29. Opening reception for the artists 5 p.m. Friday. The group of large paintings focuses on difficulties in urban living — homelessness, current economic, political and social crises and the breakdown of the family unit. Hours are 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 33 E. Adams, Detroit, (313) 965-5422.

■ JANICE CHARACH EPSTEIN MUSEUM/GALLERY
Through Jan. 12 — A retrospective of internationally acclaimed artist Samuel Bak will continue through Jan. 12. Opening reception, which Bak will attend, 7 p.m. Saturday; Bak will speak 1 p.m. Sunday and sign copies of his catalogs and books noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. Bak's work reflects his experiences as a survivor of the Holocaust. His beautifully rendered paintings contain a visual vocabulary addressing universal themes and the plight of the human condition. Hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, in the Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple at Drake in West Bloomfield, (810) 661-7641.

■ WOODWARD GALLERY
The gallery at 1357 Davis in Birmingham is the only dealer in the United States authorized to sell a limited edition series of photographs of jazz legends Miles Davis and Dizzy Gillespie. Gallery president and owner Dan Winter took the Davis photos. The Gillespie series spans this jazz great's career. Also available are original prints and paintings by more than 300 artists, including Peter Max, Karel Appel, Robert Indiana, Romare Bearden and Agam; an unusual collection of sports photos and posters; and vintage photos and newspaper articles. Call (810) 642-1357.

■ THE MOLE HOLE
Local photographer Karen Lueck has brought life and vibrancy to her photographs the old-fashioned way. She paints them the way they used to be before color film was developed. Lueck's work is on display at the gallery, 128 S. Woodward in Birmingham. Among the scenes and landmarks captured are Quarton Lake, the Birmingham Theatre, the falls at Quarton Lake, St. James Church and the Hunter House. Custom work is available. Call (810) 644-8233.

■ GALLERY: FUNCTIONART
"The Spirit of CCS," the first in the gallery's Design School Exhibition series, continues. The show features works by Matthew Norris, Gonzalo Rodriguez, Dave Gillespie, Jeff Tilley, Jessica Ingolia, Jason Coffer, Greg Hanson and Vincent Tingler. The gallery is at 23-B W. Lawrence in Pontiac. Call (810) 333-0333.

■ MEADOW BROOK ART GALLERY
Through Dec. 29 — The gallery at Oakland University in Rochester opens its 1994-95 season with "Art of Book Illustration: Selected Works by Arthur Ignatius Keller." Keller was recognized as one of the leading illustrators of the turn-of-the-century period called the "Golden Age of Illustration." His illustrations appear in more than 100 books, including "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow" by Washington Irving, "A Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens and "The Virginian" by Owen Wister. Hours are 1-5 p.m. Wednesday, 2-6:30 p.m. Saturday-Sunday and evenings of a Meadow Brook Theatre performance, from one hour before the show through the first intermission. Call (810) 370-3005.

■ DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS
To Jan. 8 — "So You Want to Build a Museum," at 5200 Woodward, includes plans, drawings and renderings of the 1888 Detroit Museum of Art by James Balfour and the 1927 Detroit Institute of Arts by Paul Cret. Call (313) 833-7900.

■ DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS
Through Jan. 8 — "Impressions on a Theme: Print Portfolios and Series" features prints by acclaimed artists spanning nearly five centuries. Among the works are "Los Proverbios" by Francisco Goya (1864), "Japonisme" by Felix Buhot (1883), all 16 of the DIA's rare, second-edition Impressions of Giovanni Battista Piranesi's "Prisons" (1761), Albrecht Durer's "Apocalypse" or "The Revelation to St. John" (1498), Henri Matisse's "Jazz" (1947), Joan Miro's "Album 13" (1948) and David Hockney's "A Rake's Progress" (1963). The DIA is at 5200 Woodward. Call (313) 833-7900.

■ DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS
To July 31 — "An Evolution of 20th Century Sculpture" continues at 5200 Woodward. The exhibit traces formal and thematic development in sculpture with American and European works from the permanent collection. Call (313) 833-7900.

■ INSTITUTE FOR THE HUMANITIES
Through October 1995 — A faculty exhibit features a variety of two- and three-dimensional works by the faculty of the University of Michigan School of Art. The institute is in Room 1524 of the Horace Rackham Building, 915 E. Washington in Ann Arbor. Call (313) 763-4138.

■ THE ANDY SHARKEY GALLERY
This Royal Oak art gallery offers an unusual collection of Michigan artists featuring painted furniture, pottery, glass, jewelry, a Kids' Corner, custom painting and more. The gallery is at 204 W. Fifth. Call (810) 546-6770.

■ BRIDGE STREET GALLERY
The recently opened gallery features Alaskan art and designer glass. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, 208 N. Bridge, Linden, (810) 735-1393.

■ DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET
Fore ART! Golf, an indoor miniature golf course with 18 holes by 22 artists, has been extended indefinitely due to popular demand. It is at 300 River Place, Jos. Campau at Guoin in Detroit. Call 259-8345 for general information, 886-1623 for groups and parties.

■ PONTIAC GLASS COMPANY GALLERY
The gallery features the local talent of Michigan Glass Guild members displaying blown, fused and flat glass sculpture, decorative and architectural items. Hours are noon to 6 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday, noon to 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, by appointment only Tuesday, 23 W. Lawrence, Pontiac, (810) 332-6619.

■ GALLERY VON GLAHN
The gallery is now carrying the limited edition print series, "Star Trek — Art from the Final Frontier." The images include portraits of the command officers from the first USS Enterprise and "The Next Generation," and paintings of the Enterprise soaring through space. The gallery is at 319 S. Main in Ann Arbor.

Award winner *from page 1D*

"The wall of photos has two dimensions to it. It provides enjoyment for the people visiting, and for the moms," said community relations director, Julie Sproul.

"I'm excited about the next group of photographs Jim's doing with the father and child because the whole concept of the center is family care."

Morphew, who has been entering competitions and winning them since 1985, won two Award of Merit at the Detroit Professional Photographers Association competition for Southeast Michigan. About 80 to 100 prints were entered for judging by a panel of five professional photographers with master's of photography degrees.

"It's a challenge. It keeps you sharp," said Morphew. "The judges are looking for a high quality image with impact, and a blue ribbon quality to it."

Owner of LaMoore Photography Studio in Livonia since 1981, Morphew specializes in portrait and wedding photography. "The Waiting is the Hardest Part" was culled from an actual wedding assignment. It was shot with natural window light at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church in Livonia. Groom-to-be, Greg Jones of Ann Arbor appears lost in the importance of the moment.

"Midnight," is a photo of Morphew's cat. To capture this shot it took Morphew about one hour. The impact of the cat's face, the color and the line of the basket all work together to lead the viewer's eye again and again to the cat's face.

"We started with the basket upright but that didn't work. I had to play with string to get his attention," said Morphew.



Special moment: *"Midnight," is a photo of Morphew's cat. The impact of the cat's face, the color and the line of the basket all work together to lead the viewer's eye again and again to the cat's face.*



Portrait: *"The Waiting is the Hardest Part" was culled from an actual wedding assignment. Groom-to-be, Greg Jones of Ann Arbor appears lost in the importance of the moment.*

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■ NEW NAME



Travis

Troy Travis, former co-owner, has purchased Century 21 Palazzolo and Travis and has renamed the real estate company, **Century 21 Travis and Associates Inc.**

Travis has been in real estate for 20 years and a partner in the Troy office since 1987.

Since Travis joined Century 21 Palazzolo and Travis, he has been recognized for individual sales and the office has achieved Centurion status.

Century 21 Travis and Associates has been designated a VIP office for expertise in helping clients move in and out of metro Detroit.

Travis plans to expand his 40-person staff to 60 Realtors.

■ NEW DIRECTOR

Karen Pelto was named director of property management for **David G. Miles Inc.**

Pelto joined the Southfield firm two years ago. Her responsibilities will include managing various commercial properties.

■ REALTORS CITED

Two local **Real Estate One** Realtors were awarded the Certified Residential Specialist designation by the Residential Sales Council of the Realtors National Marketing Institute.

Marie Chmielewski and Jeanne Andrews, both of the West Bloomfield office, have joined the ranks of the less than 3 percent of all Realtors who hold this designation, for which they completed required courses and demonstrated specific expertise in applied residential real estate marketing.

Chmielewski and Andrews belong to the Metropolitan Board of Realtors.

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— Compiled by Becky Burns

Historic homes draw special sales pitch

BY BECKY BURNS
SPECIAL WRITER

For a home buyer investing in a historic home, the purchase requires more than just the responsibility of a new house. It requires a responsibility to the new house.

Most people don't realize all that goes into keeping historic homes as such or what goes into selling them.

"Once it's historic, it's always historic," said Jerry McKeon, general manager of Hall & Hunter Realtors in Bloomfield Hills.

The designation places the home in something of a protective custody where owners must solicit approval from a state or local commission before doing anything to alter the exterior of the house.

"Anyone who decides to buy a historic home finds out rather quickly that they have to deal with the historic commission," said Max Horton, a member of Birmingham's Historic District Design and Review Commission.

Owners do not need permission to renovate inside the house.

Birmingham's commission, a leg of the city government, last year set up guidelines limiting expansions of historic homes to no more than 50 percent larger than the original size.

"It got out of hand for awhile," McKeon said of Birmingham's guidelines. "Prior to that, homes were going well beyond 50 percent in some cases, sometimes doubling in size."

Owners of historic homes wanting to add on to their homes are encouraged to do so at the rear of the house, or on the side, near the back, so long as the front remains the same, Horton said.

Most local communities have boards similar to Birmingham's set up to enforce guidelines, said Ben Skelton, vice president of ERA Rymal Symes in Northville and Novi. Homes can be designated historic at either the state or local level.

The official cutoff date for a home to be considered historic in Birmingham is 1900, but the city has included in its collection of 40 residences a few built later than that. The youngest one is the Quarton House on Maple Road, built in 1928.

For Realtors, trying to sell a historic home may be challenging.

"I don't think anyone goes out looking for a historic home," McKeon said, adding that there are a few exceptions.

He said people who are interested in the homes gradually accustom themselves to the idea after falling in love with the house.

Skelton offers a different perspective. "Historic homes appeal to a different audience than the traditional homes we're used to selling," he said. "One of the most important aspects of marketing a historic house is to identify a likely audience the house will appeal to."

Skelton and his office go to great lengths to let that niche know when a historic home goes on the market. They send direct mailings to antique dealers and historical societies and commissions, among other organizations in many areas.

"We recognize that people who have an affinity for these types of property aren't limited by geographical boundaries," Skelton said.

Many times, they will send the information to ERA's foreign offices, too.

Skelton did agree with McKeon that historic homes don't always meet the needs of the 20th-century home buyer.

"One reason is they're all old houses, and old houses come often with few of the custom conveniences we've all been used to," Skelton said.

He listed huge closets and luxury bathtubs as hard-to-come-by features in these homes.

Historic homes with modernized interiors are more likely to have a higher resale value, McKeon said.

"What makes homes more valuable is the condition of the home. A historic home in marvelous condition brings top dollar," he said.

"Chances are an old home isn't going to last very long if it's not modernized," McKeon added. "This is something potential historic home buyers need to take into consideration. Modernizing a historic home does not mean slapping on some vinyl siding here or installing plastic gutters there. Those things would never pass commission regulations.

"A lot of maintenance on historic homes is a lot more challenging both in cost and in finding tradespeople to do the work," Skelton said. "Not all people are up to the challenge."

And not all Realtors are up to the challenge. Skelton said he likes selling the occasional historic home because it as well as the people involved are so interesting, but he would not want to concentrate on old homes full time.

Weigh these ideas to put limits on cars, planes

CONDO QUERIES



ROBERT M. MEISNER

Q. We are trying to control speeding in our condominium project. The roads are private and the police seem not to be wanting to get involved. How can we effectively limit speeders so as to protect our residents?

A. Traffic control in a condominium is extremely difficult because the association, obviously, does not normally have a private police force, nor a radar gun available to it.

It is possible, of course, to have eyewitness testimony as to flagrant speeders and, as in any other situation, the association can impose penalties on speeding automobiles, including fines and, if necessary, injunctive relief.

Another way of controlling speeding, although somewhat controversial, is the installation of speed bumps.

In any event, speeding in a condominium can be avoided if there are citizens who live at the condominium who are willing to assist the board of directors in enforcing this limitation.

I would also not rule out the possibility of working with your local police department, which may feel more sympathetic to the needs of the condominium association if the board makes a personal visit to the city hall.

Q. Our condominium is near the airport and we are continuously being buzzed by low-flying planes. Our condominium association has appealed to the local municipality in charge, but to no avail. Is there anything we can do?

A. I am not clear from your question as to whether you are talking about commercial aircraft or general aviation. In any event, you should check with the municipality involved to determine where the flight patterns are as it relates to the airport and your condominium project.

You may have some recourse with the Federal Aviation Administration or your local municipality, to the extent that your condominium association is being unreasonably harassed.

There is some question, of course, about whether there has been some form of inverse condemnation of your property because of this "taking" of your property and the use and enjoyment by the low-flying aircraft.

This is obviously an issue that should be discussed with an attorney who has familiarity with the issues involved, including potential condemnation.

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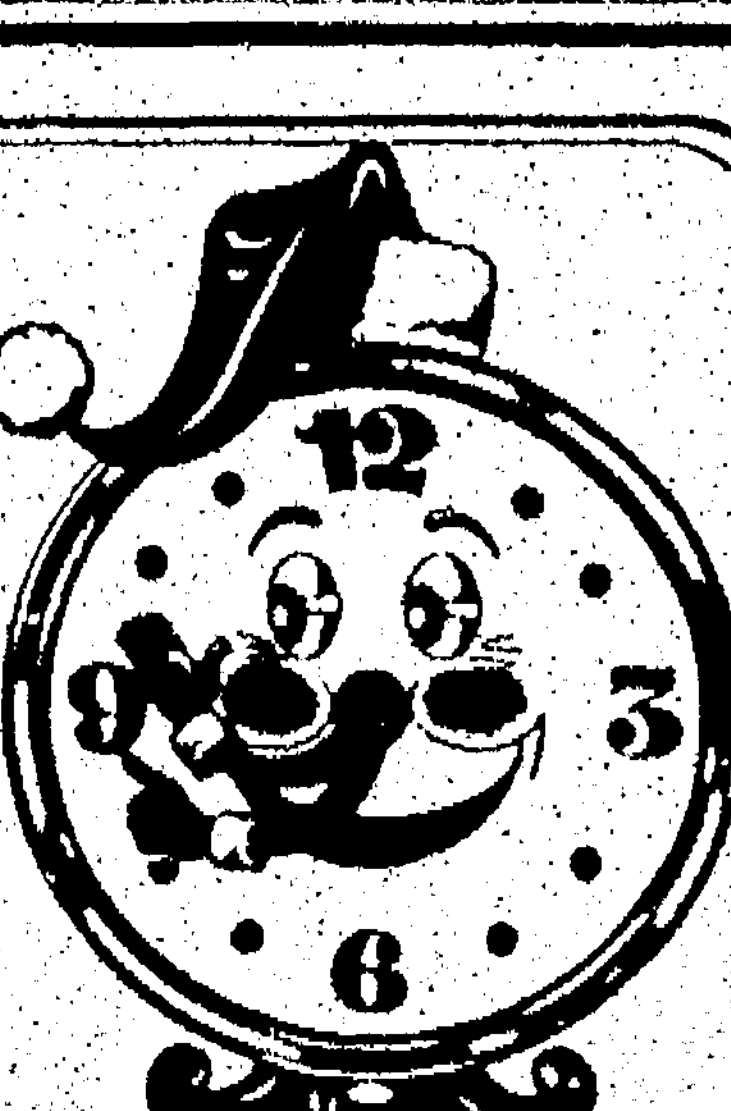

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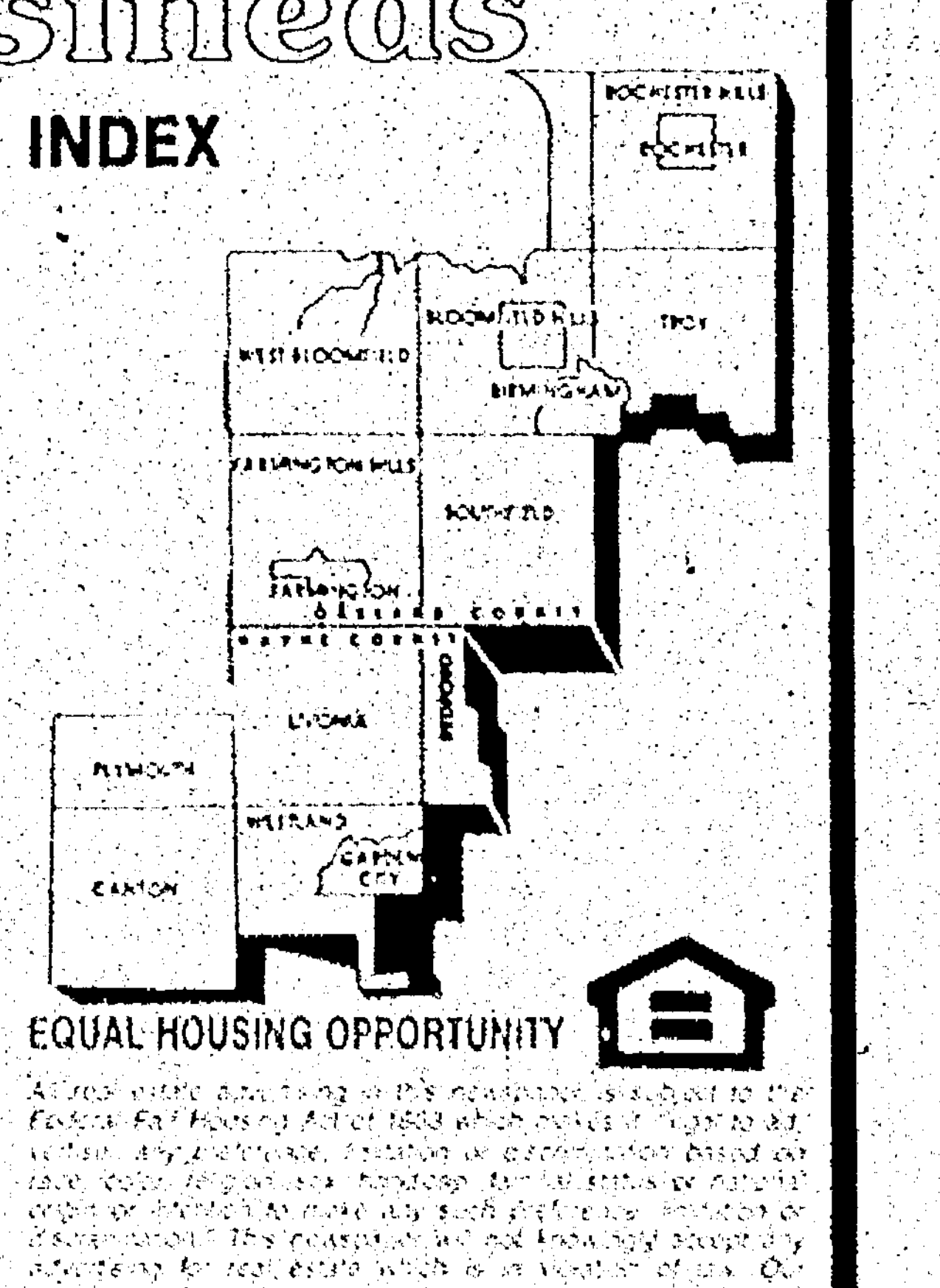

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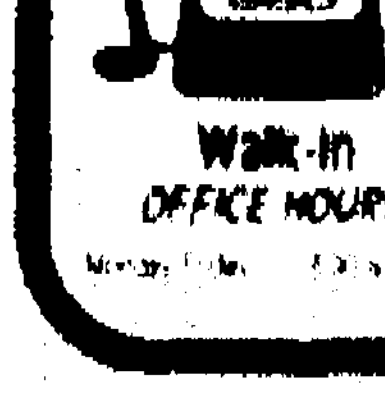

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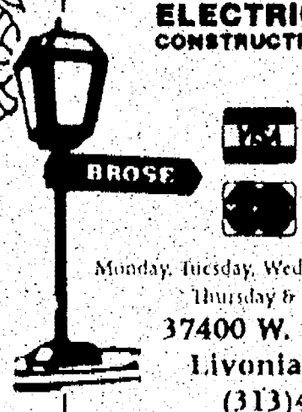

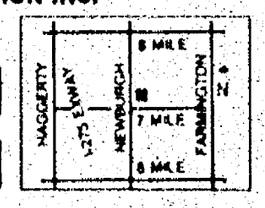

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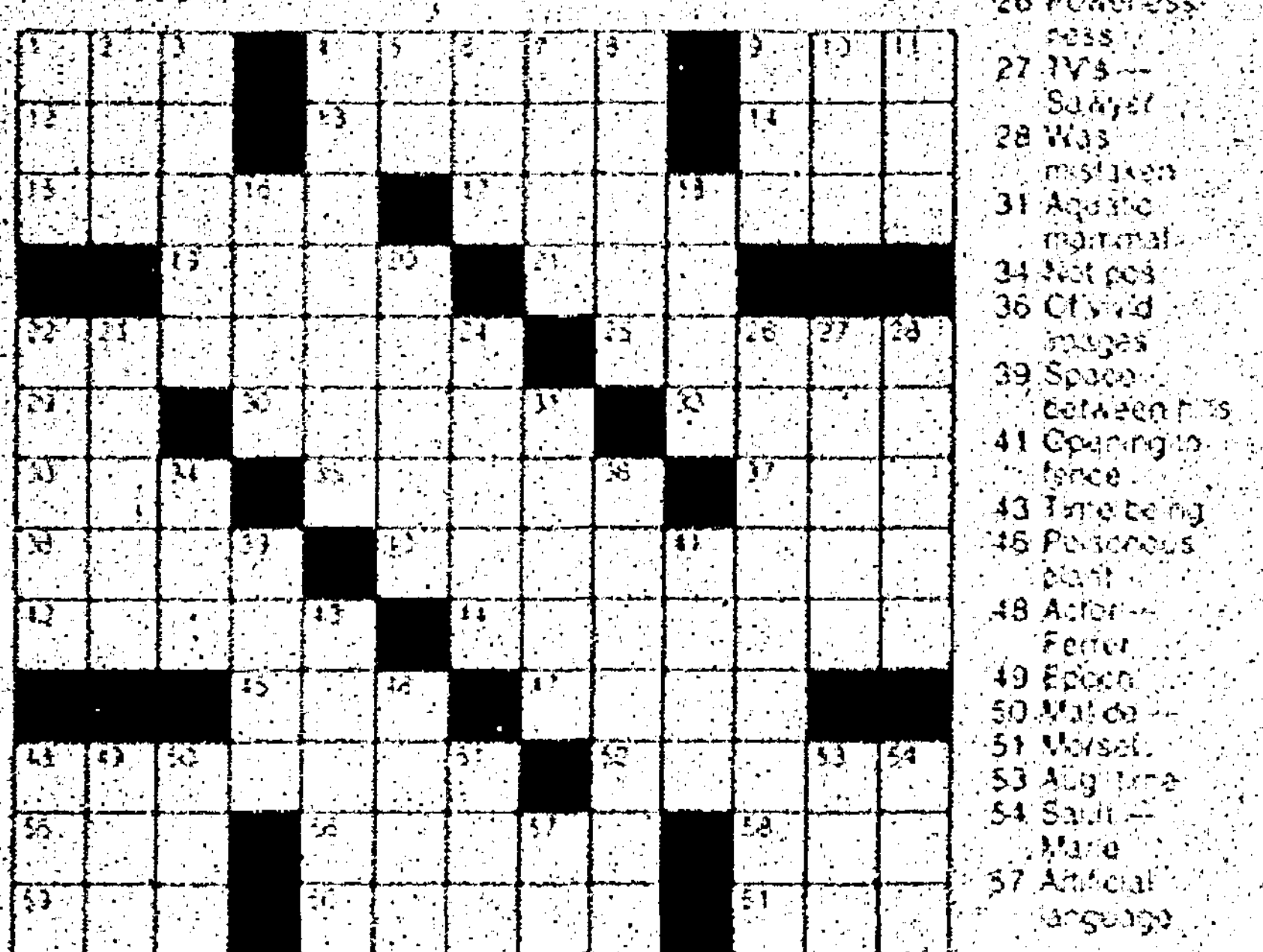

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313 Canton

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[illegible] 4 bedrooms, 1st floor laundry, deck, [illegible] many updates. [illegible] 45370 [illegible] Canton Center [illegible] For further details call:
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Take advantage of this new construction being built. Three bedrooms, 1,410 sq. ft., spacious kitchen, cathedral ceiling, large lot, much, much more, other lots, plans available. $136,000.

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WESTLAND
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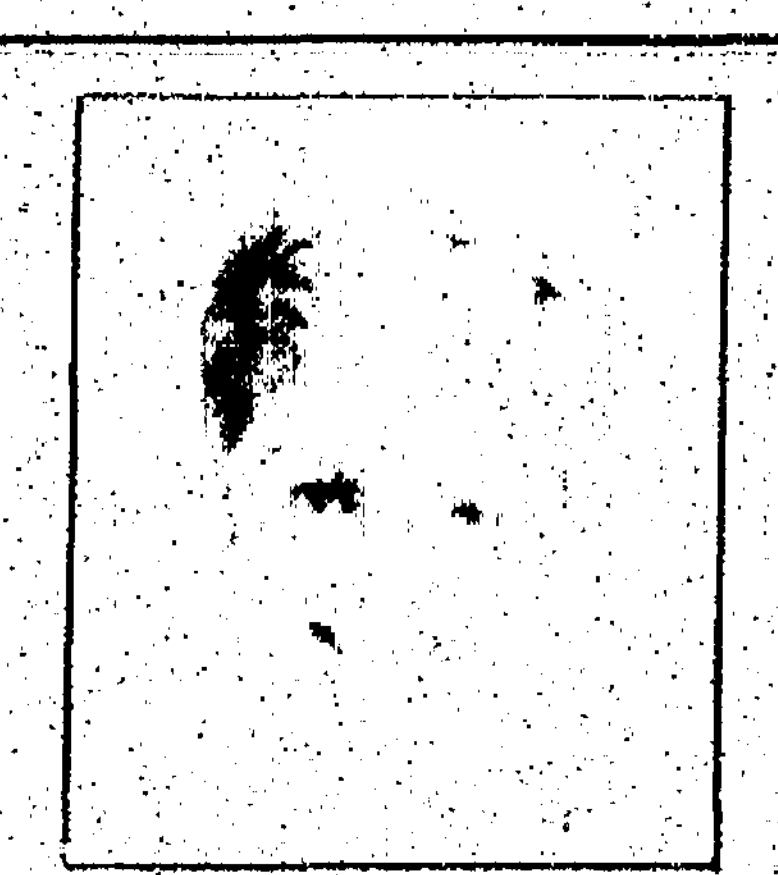

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18260 Brentwood, Solid "Fixer", large lot, $64,900

Livonia Condominiums
16549 Middlebelt, stunning 1-BR Condo, $62,900
18362 University, 2-BR Condo, 1370 sq ft, $89,900
32633 Five Mile, 2-BR & Burnt Town-hs, $78,000

Westland Home - barrier-free ranch
30461 Steinhauer, 3-Bedrms, garage $69,500

Redford Township Homes
19703 Gaylord, 3-BR Bungalow $62,900
18268 Denby, Superb 3 BR, $66,900

Old Redford (Detroit) Split Level
18645 Grayfield, overlooks golf course, $69,900

Southfield New Construction
21250 VanBuren, 3 BR Colonial, $99,900

Garden City Ten-Unit Apt Building
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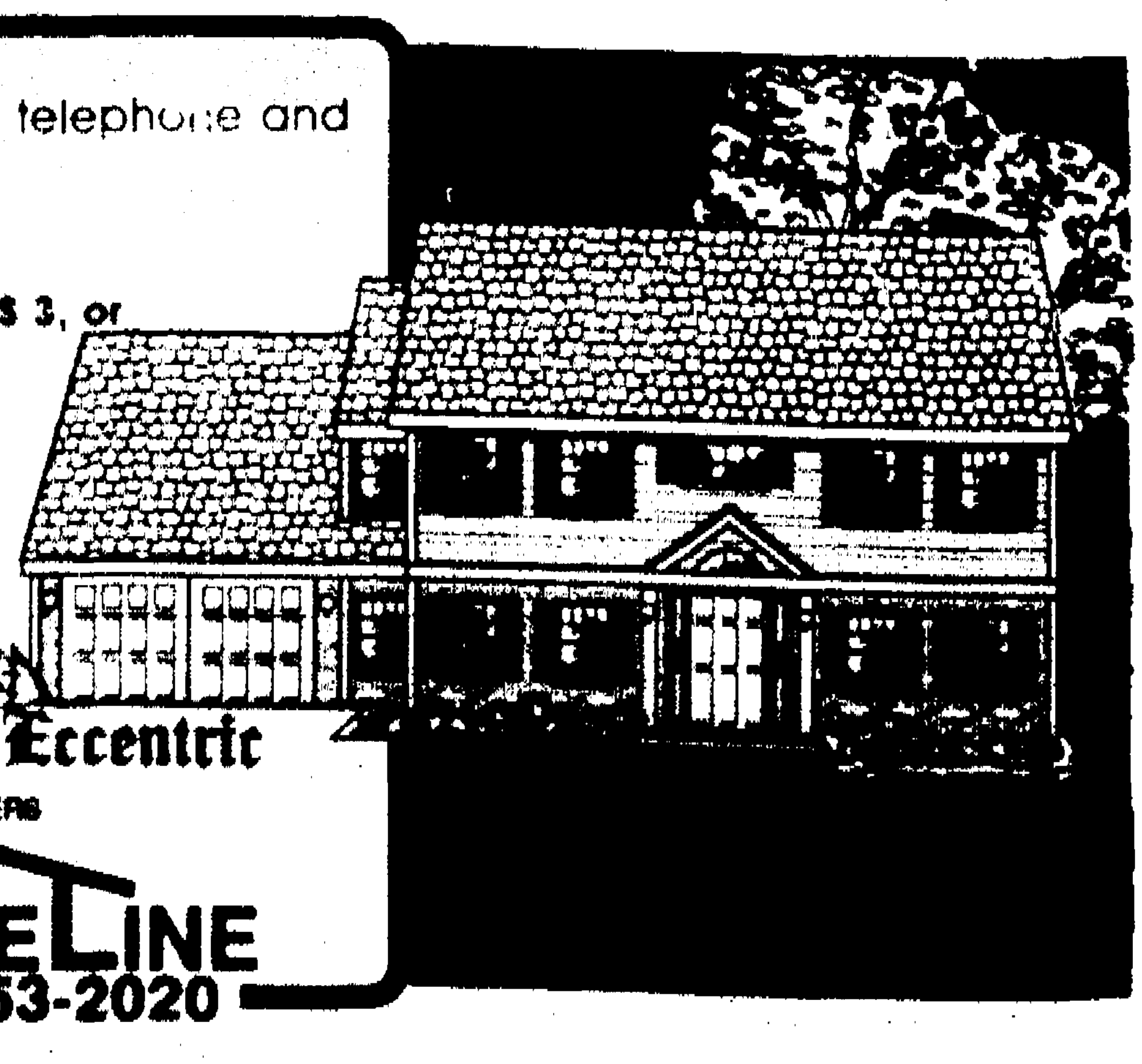

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314 Plymouth

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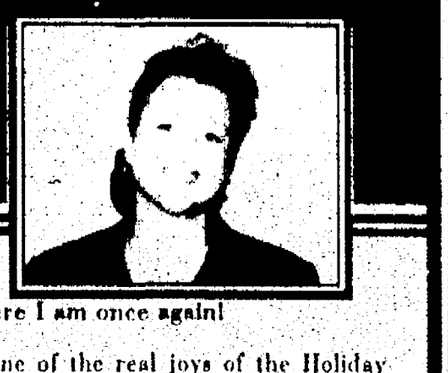

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316 Westland Garden City-Wayne

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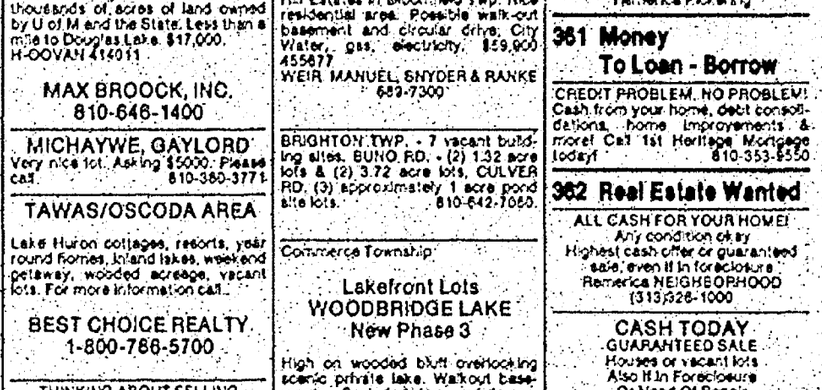

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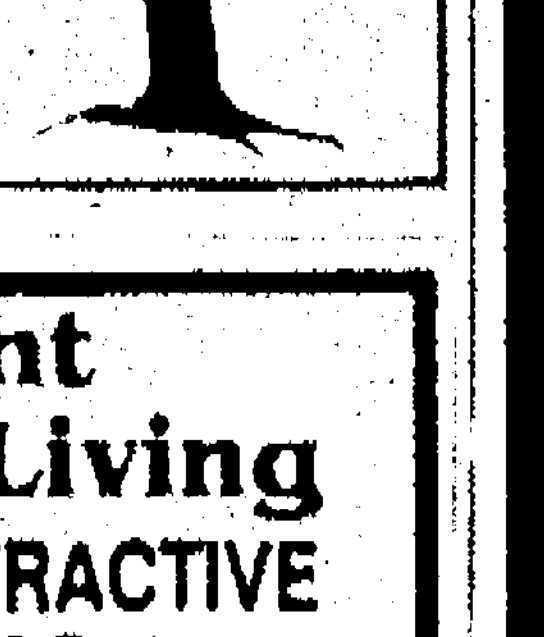

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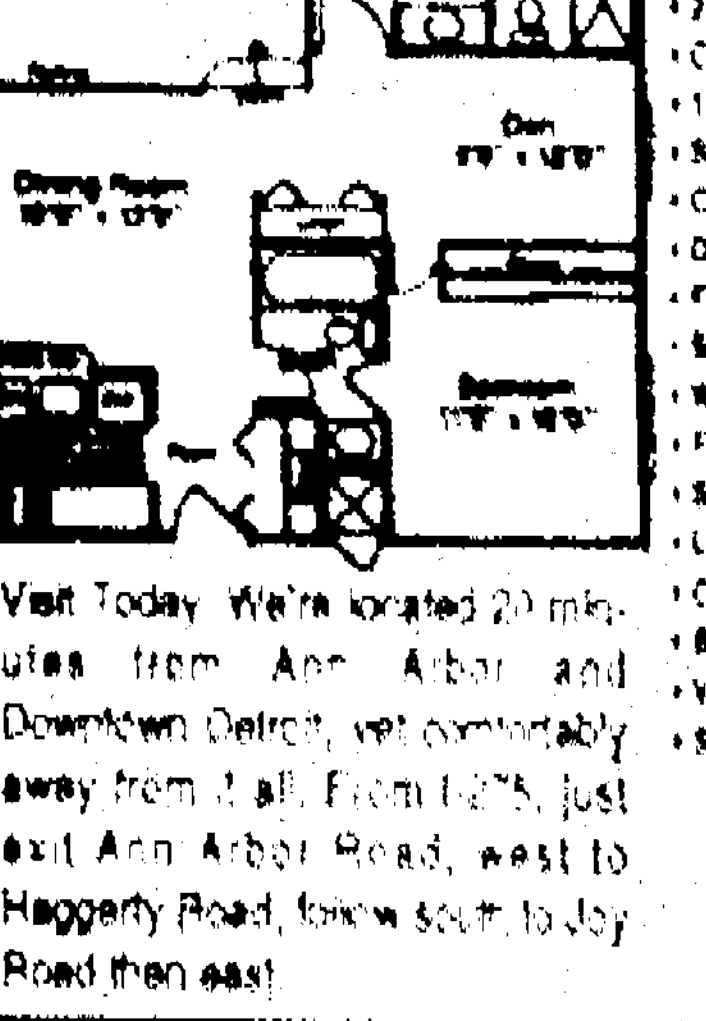

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Building & Business OBSERVER STARS

This column highlights *promotions, transfers, hirings and other key personnel moves within the suburban business community. Send a brief biographical summary - including the towns of residency and employment and a black-and-white photo, if desired - to: Stars, Building & Business, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.*



Walker

James Walker of Rochester Hills was named director of sales and marketing for MascoTech Accessories/Rack Systems Inc. in Auburn Hills. Walker had been automotive sales and marketing manager of the safety restraints operation of Allied Signal Automotive Inc.



Scott

Kristi Scott of Birmingham was promoted to account executive on the Pontiac account at D'Arcy Masius Benton & Bowles/Bloomfield Hills. Scott joined the agency in 1992 as part of the professional development program. In 1993 she was promoted to assistant account executive.



Bercaw

Allan M. Bercaw of Troy was promoted to coordinator of the computer information systems department at the Detroit College of Business-Warren. Bercaw joined the college in 1991 as a computer course instructor and was instrumental in implementing the computer system on campus.



Bond

Gail Bond of Southfield was promoted to director of human resources with Perry Drug Stores Inc. Bond joined the company's human resources staff in October 1993. She is responsible for assisting the vice president of human resources activities in many areas.



Palchesko

Michael A. Palchesko of Troy was named a regional manager in Wayne County with Detroit Edison. Palchesko works in communities in our circulation area such as Garden City, Livonia, Plymouth, Wayne, Westland, Canton Township and Plymouth Township.



French

Timothy French was promoted to general manager of Troy-based Sidney Krandall & Sons Jewelers. French will oversee all showroom activities as well as supervise department managers. He holds a marketing degree from Lawrence Technological University in Southfield.



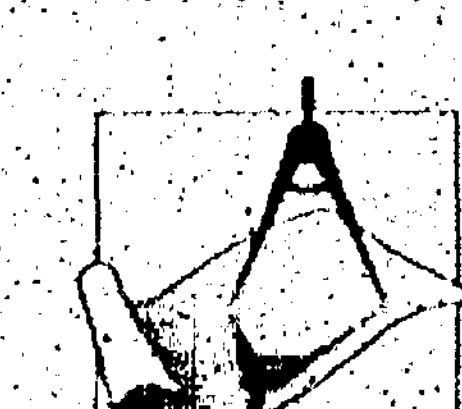
Wincel

Jeffrey P. Wincel of Farmington was named manager of purchasing and SQA for ASC Inc. Wincel joined ASC after working for Ford Motor Co. for five years. During his tenure with Ford, he was a management team member working as a purchasing specialist.



Creative mix: *Red porcelain enamel panels blended with precast concrete and glass make for an impressive appearance at this building in Troy.*

Porcelain panels clothe buildings



Brick and glass continue to be popular facings for commercial buildings in this area. However, there are alternatives, which an area supplier is pleased to tout.

By Doug Funke
Staff Writer

William H. Scarlet, an architectural panel specialist with a business in Southfield, has left his imprint all over the metropolitan area.

He's done work on the 12 People Mover stations in downtown Detroit and movie theatres at Northland in Southfield, the Hampton in Rochester Hills and the Terrace in Livonia.

He's done wall murals at the Detroit Lions offices at the Silverdome and provided replacement tile panels for the Detroit-Windsor Tunnel.

His stamp appears on the Sidney Krandall & Sons Jewelers store in Troy.

He's done work on palaces in Saudi Arabia and a house for shopping center magnate Al Taubman in Florida. He's currently involved with construction of the new veterans hospital in the medical center.

Scarlet specializes in supplying steel panels coated with enamel porcelain that attach to building exteriors and roofs.

"You shear it, notch it so it can fold, form it, spray it and fire it," he said. "Its benefits are longevity and freedom of color and form. It gives architects and designers freedom to create a design."

Scarlet started as an errand boy for Wolverine Porcelain Enameling of Detroit in 1949. Experience was a great teacher. He eventually purchased the full-service manufacturing/retail operation in 1973.

A spate of ill health prompted him to dissolve the business and sell off pieces in 1980.

Now, Scarlet is a sales rep for several paneling manufacturers. He also owns satellite companies that clad or attach panels to building skeletons.

Versatility is his biggest kick on the job.

"Nothing is alike. Buildings are all different. The challenge is different - how you approach to get what an architect wants to achieve," Scarlet said.

Personal contacts cultivated through years help Scarlet get work. He also attends trade shows, advertises in trade journals and sends out mailings.

"An owner will go to an architect and say, 'I want a building.' It's up to the architect . . . to do a materials consideration, a feasibility study, how much masonry costs, aluminum, all glass," Scarlet said.

"Usually when they do a materials consideration, we have an opportunity to go in and make a presentation," he said. "Having the benefit of being a manufacturer and installer gives us a great edge. We can talk cost projections, scheduling."

Porcelain steel panels clean fairly easily, stand up to the elements and are cost competitive, Scarlet said.

"You can do panels 4-by-eight feet cutting down drastically on labor in the field," he said.

Distinctive porcelain panels become an effective marketing tool, Scarlet added. "Every kid knew what a Howard Johnson orange roof was. Everyone knew what a Cunningham green porcelain panel was."

Scarlet also supplies stainless steel, galvanized steel and aluminum panels. He said he realizes annual sales ranging from $2 millon to $5 million.

Scarlet sees great potential for work in Detroit for himself and others. Casino gambling, he believes, can be a catalyst for development.

"Gambling will get convention business," Scarlet said. "Where else can you go to two nations within a three to five mile district?

"When you do that, hotels will fill up. You'll remodel and there's a lot of work to update. That will encourage great restaurants.

"By making Detroit more attractive, it will encourage big anchors (stores) to come back," Scarlet continued. "That will get investors interested and they will come in and build housing."

But there's another part of the equation.

Utilities like Ameritech and Edison, which have a captive audience, and companies like Ford and General Motors, which have made fortunes here, need to become bigger players in redevelopment by promoting and funding massive community clean-ups, Scarlet said.

That, also, will encourage retailers like Hudson and Kmart to enter the picture, he said.

"Suburbs will still be where development is until we can get business investment to inner cities," Scarlet said. "It's all tied in. If Detroit goes down the drain, the suburbs will hiccup."

Holidays needn't run you into debt

If you've refinanced your home to pay off credit cards - or plan to do so - don't be fooled into thinking you've eliminated debt.

That's a word of warning from Farmington Hills-based Consumer Credit Counseling Services of Michigan.

"Refinancing only transfers debt, it doesn't eliminate it," says Al Horner, president and chief executive officer for Consumer Credit Counseling Services of Michigan.

"People get into trouble because they get a false sense of security and start abusing credit cards again," he said. "This leaves them with greater debt than before."

Consumer Credit Counseling Services is a non-profit, financial counseling agency for individuals and families.

Horner predicts that when bills start arriving in mid-January from holiday spending, his firm will see an influx of clients who are in over their heads financially.

"Understand what your capacity is to handle payments," Horner said. "In every family, there's fixed costs every month - rent, mortgage, car payment, food, utilities. What's left is what you have to make payments on credit.

"If credit payments are more than 20 percent of take-home income. You

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Wary shoppers: *Consumers are urged by credit counselors to be careful about running up credit card debt*

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Here's how to access the World Wide Web

O&E ONLINE



EMORY DANIELS

The last major area on the Internet this column has not yet addressed, not counting Usenet, is the World Wide Web (WWW).

Usenet will be the last major area covered before leaving the "tutorial" stage of this column and turning attention to interesting things to do and go with O&E On-line.

Our regular system accesses WWW through a tool called Lynx. By providing a graphical user interface (gui), Mosaic is the fastest-growing access tool to the Web. But Lynx remains the most popular text-driven tool to access WWW. O&E On-line subscribers who sign up for a Serial Length Internet Protocol (SLIP) account will use Mosaic to scan the Web but most users have not yet chosen this option and will go to Web sites using Lynx.

The Web uses hypertext as the means to connect with another site. Hypertext is "highlighted" words on a page and functions in the same manner as Help Menus built into software. The page containing hypertext words to select is known as a Home Page. When you click on the hypertext word(s), you arrive at a new Home Page with other hypertext choices or you arrive at the final document. MAC and Window users merely click on the highlighted word(s) while DOS users navigate with arrow keys and hit RETURN. Gopher links menus together while WWW links documents.

Besides the ease of use offered with hypertext, the Web also is very popular because of its versatility. The Web can be used to access gopher sites, FTP sites, to do Veronica searches, to access Usenet groups, and can be used to Telnet to IRC or another site. At the prompt, users would substitute FTP, telnet, or gopher for http.

Some feel the ease of use and versatility of Web is so great that Gopher will soon become obsolete, especially with the growing popularity of Mosaic. I'll leave that debate to others, but it appears safe to assume that most users will spend more time with the World Wide Web than with other tools.

O&E On-line, as it has done with Gopher and FTP, offers users a choice when they first arrive in Lynx. The user can select a default Home Page that has been provided and then visit Web sites by clicking through Home Pages, in much the same way as you burrow from one layer to another with Gopher. Or the user can choose the "Select Your Own Home Page" option and be greeted with a Web prompt.

The web prompt is http: The letters http (which stand for hyper text transfer protocol) is followed by a forward slash. Our typesetting system cannot produce a forward slash and so it is depicted here with a "heart" symbol. Users should substitute the heart symbol with the forward slash whenever the heart appears in this column.

To select your own Home Page, you need to know the Universal Resource Locator (URL) of that page. The URL will use a double-backward slash after the colon followed by www for World Wide Web. A typical URL for the Web is constructed as follows: http://www.ziff.com. This is the Web site for Ziff Communications which PC World, Interactive Week and other computer magazines. Another URL, this one to get to "Yanoff's List" of Internet resources, is: http://www.uwm.edu/Mirror/inet.services.html. To acquire Arlene Rinaldi's Netiquette guide, use this URL: http://rs6000.adm.fau.edu/faahr/arlene.html.

As you can see, some sites will end with the extension .htm or .html. SLIP users will find that the forward-slash is not needed in the URL and regular users may find that it is not always needed.

When you start from a Home Page and begin clicking on hypertext you are travelling from one document to another, or from one site to another, without having to enter the site address. The URL is needed to get you to the initial Home Page. And so the Web works behind the scenes. When you wish to "return" to a page you've already visited use the left-arrow key.

In summary, the Web is a collection of all of the files and information that can be accessed through Home Pages using a Web browser. Mosaic and Lynx are browsers that all your to access the Web. Next week we will look at specific places to go and discoveries to make on the Web. Users who already have travelled the Web are encouraged to share their Web jewels with me via e-mail and I'll pass them on.

You can direct questions to Emory Daniels by e-mail with emory@oeonline.com, at voice mail at 953-2047 then dial 1910, or fax number 953-2111.

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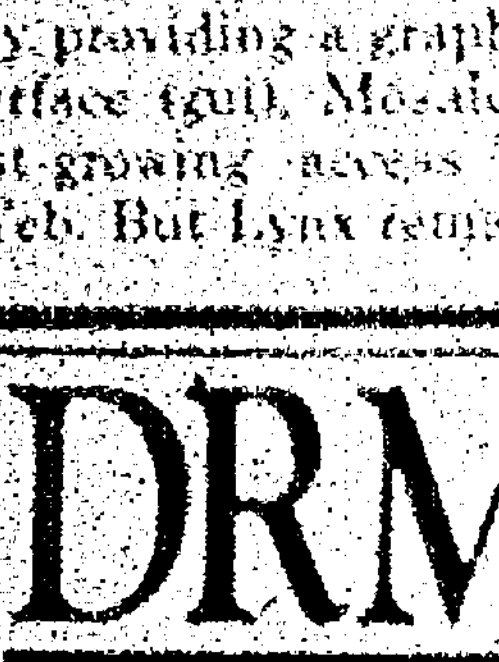

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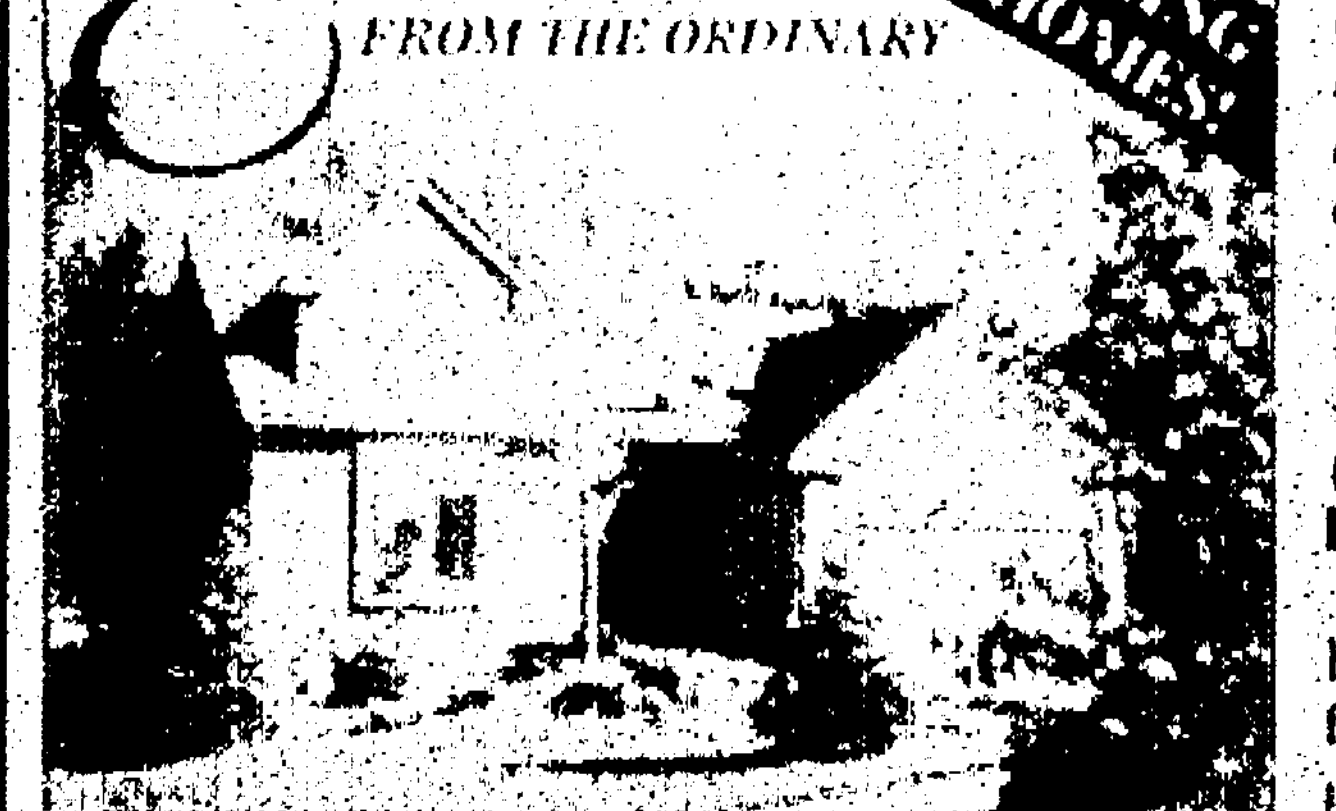

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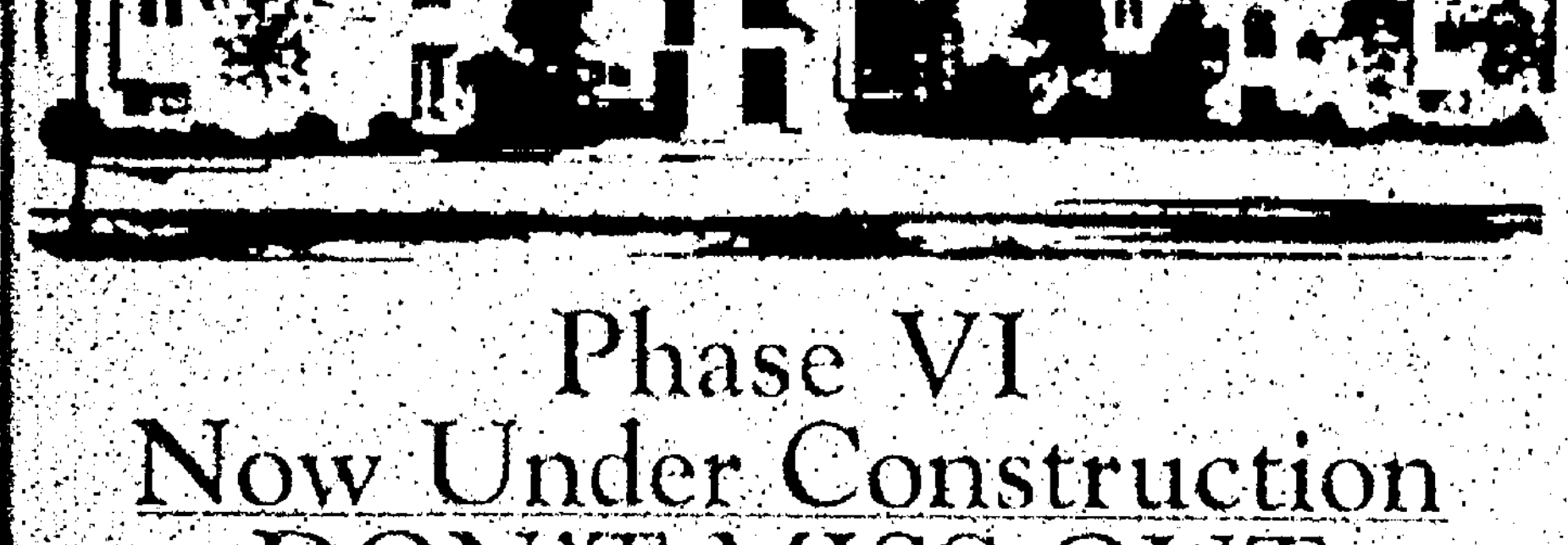

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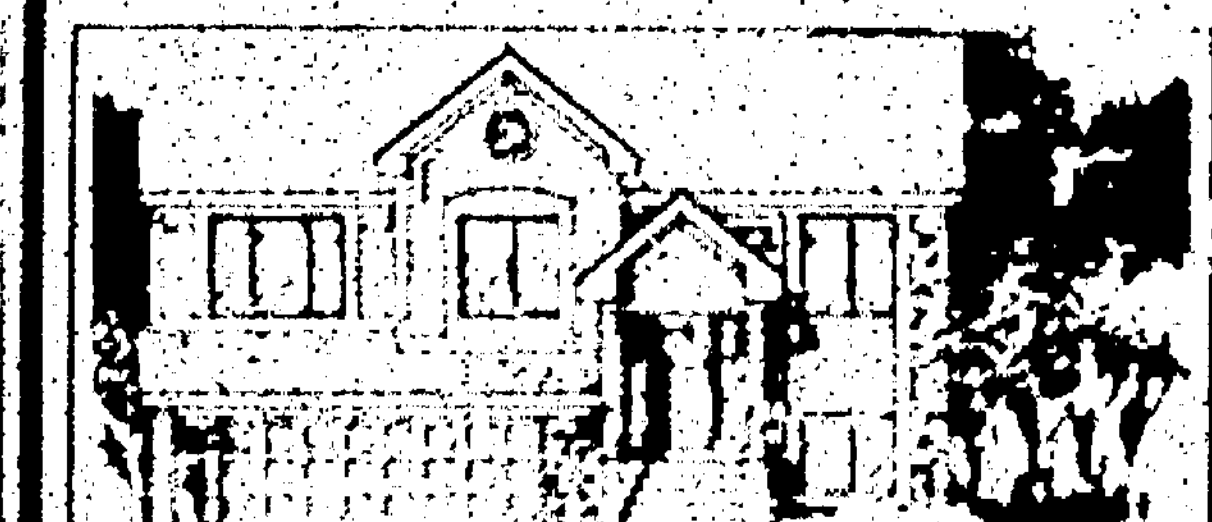

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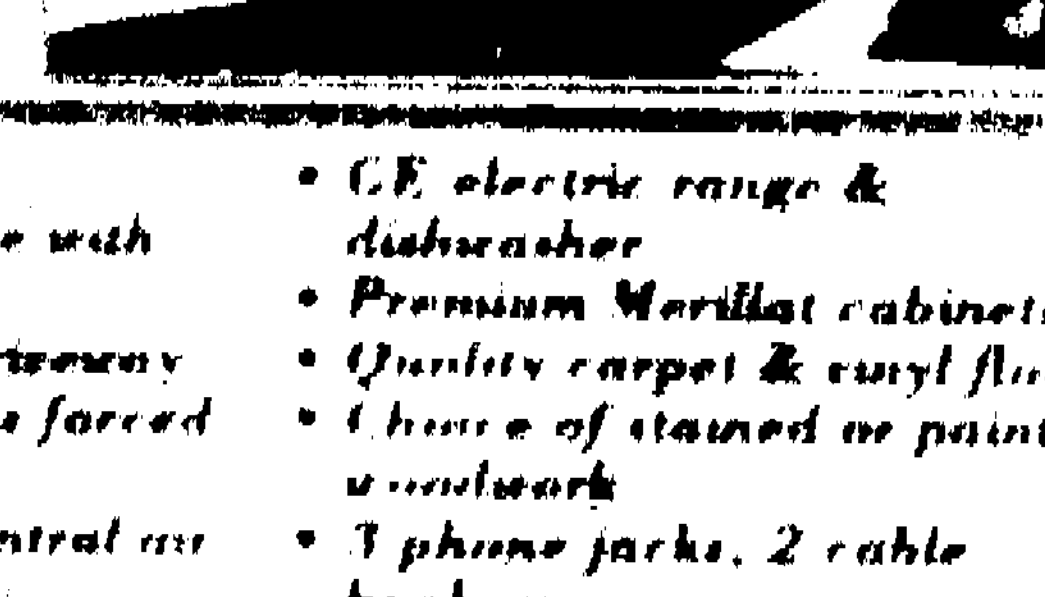

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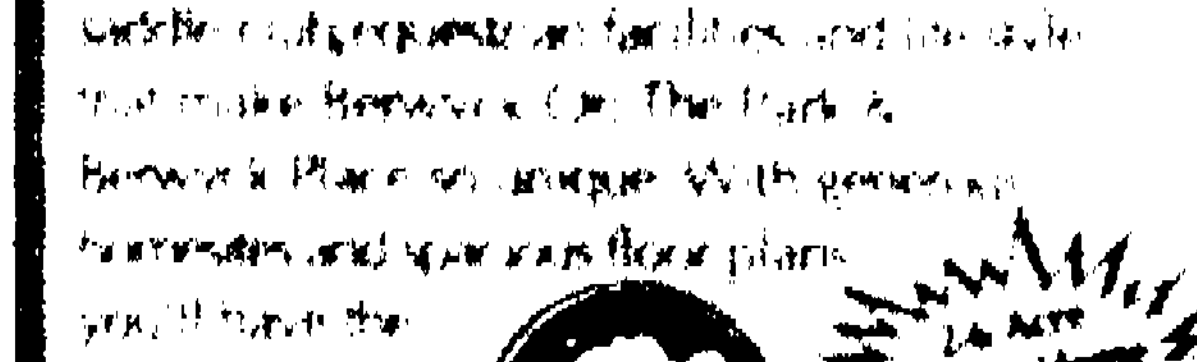

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■ **ENGINEERING AWARD**

Soil and Materials Engineers of **Plymouth** has won an outstanding achievement award from the Michigan Society of Professional Engineers.

Soil and Materials won for its work on the Elizabeth Park Marina in Trenton.

The new 52-slip full-service marina was designed to fit into an already developed river front without adversely impacting the natural beauty of the area.

■ **C&B SCENE**

C&B Scene, a public relations and marketing firm which recently moved to **Southfield** from **Farmington Hills**, has been hired by CBS Television to assist with publicity during the transition of CBS programming to Channel 62 here.

■ **FREUDENBERG-NOK**

Freudenberg-NOK, an automotive supplier with offices in **Plymouth**, has teamed with TBM Consulting Group and Universal Management Concepts to form the Growth Alliance.

The consortium was designed to help auto suppliers and American industry adopt lean business systems.

■ **CPA LONGEVITY**

The certified public accounting firm of Jim Mathews, George Reich, Tony Perna and Mark Rottermond is celebrating its 20th year in business. The firm is located at 30100 Telegraph, Suite 268, **Bingham Farms**.

■ **OPERATION ABLE**

Operational ABLE, a non-profit service agecy that helps adults 45 years and older find employment, has opened a satellite office in the Pontiac State Bank Building, 28 N. Saginaw St., Suite 1114, Pontiac, (810) 338-4666.

Operation ABLE's main office is in **Southfield** at 16250 North land Drive, Suite 102.

■ **FOODLAND DISTRIBUTORS**

Foodland Distributors, the **Livonia**-based food wholesaler, was honored with a Golden Penguin Award for outstanding achievement promoting National Frozen Food Month.

Foodland's program included a retail coupon book, outdoor and radio advertising support, a children's coloring contest and a fundraising effort to benefit the Detroit Zoo.

The award was given by the National Frozen Food Association.

■ **BOZELL CONSOLIDATES**

Nearly a year after the Detroit office of Bozell Worldwide expanded its client base and absorbed the 280 employees of CME*KHBB Advertising, the agency has consolidated its two area offices into one location.

The 500 combined employees now occupy seven floors at Prudential Town Center's Tower 1000 in **Southfield**.

"Under one roof, with one unified name, the blending of our two cultures into one amazing new agency will finally be a reality," said Michael J. Vogel, CEO of Bozell, Detroit.

■ **KARATE SCHOOL**

Certain Victory Martial Arts has opened in the South Orchard Plaza, 23327 Orchard Lake Road just north of Shiawassee, **Farmington Hills**.

Cal and Debbie Weaver, Chris Ostrander and Roger Combs, who trained together at the Michigan Blackbelt Academy, are the principal investors/instructors.

■ **ARBOR EXPANDS**

Arbor Drugs, headquartered in **Troy**, has signed an agreement to acquire Rizzo Pharmacy located in the Grace Hospital Professional Office Building, Detroit.

The specialized pharmacy, which will provide prescriptions and ove-the-counter drugs, becomes Arbor's sixth medical center pharmacy unit. The company operates 159 stores, all in Michigan.

■ **SALON KENNICE BASHAR**

Cellular phones, a fax machine, lunch service and 10-minute stress-relief treatments are among the services provided for clients in the new Salon Kennice Bashar, 228 Maple just west of Woodward in downtown **Birmingham**.

A second shop is located at 32512 Northwestern between Middlebelt and 14 Mile in **Farmington Hills**.

■ **METROBANK BRANCH**

Metrobank has opened a fourth branch location in southern Oakland County at 7950 West Maple in **West Bloomfield**. Lynne M. Dodson is branch manager.

■ **EDCOR CONTRACT**

edcor Data Services of **Farmington Hills** has signed a contract with Chrysler Corp. to administer Chrysler's dealership technician training programs.

The contract will cover all training administration activities for over 45,000 people.

■ **LIFESOFT CLIENT**

LifeSoft, a developer and supplier of computer-based transaction processing systems in **Bingham Farms**, has signed an agreement to provide multi-media software to American Ticketing Systems.

The system will consist of kiosk units which operate similar to automatic teller bank machines. The first order of 150 will be delivered to southern California.

■ **CONTRACT INTERIORS**

Contract Interiors, **Southfield**, has earned the Exemplary Performance Award from Steelcase, the world's leading ofice furniture manufacturer.

"Steelcase created this award to recognize dealers with outstanding business practices in support of total customer satisfaction," said James P. Hackett, chief operating officer for Steelcase.

Only four dealers in North America won awards.

■ **BARTON MALOW**

Barton Malow, a **Southfield**-based construction services firm, has won a construction management contract from the city of Wayne to construct a $5 million Aquatic Center adjacent to the Community Center and Ice Arena.

The 29,000-square-foot center will house a six-lane, 25-yard competitive pool, water slide, jogging track, sun deck, administrative offices, snack area and multi-use rooms.

The project architect is TMP Associates of **Bloomfield Hills**.

Debt *from page 1F*

could have problems, 30 percent you will have problems," he said.

Horner offered some tips to minimize credit card debt not only during the holiday season, but any time of the year.

■ Be cautious when you spend. Determine your ability to buy by knowing your fixed, inflexible expenses and calculating exactly how much discretionay income you have to spend.

■ List, in advance, exactly how much you want to spend on each person.

■ Stay within the budget.

■ Shop well in advance of the gift-giving occasion. This can help relieve last minute shopping anxiety which can lead to the purchase of higher priced items.

■ Pay off the credit card in full within the no-interest grace period, usually 25 days.

■ If that isn't possible, pay more than the minimum required by the credit card company.

■ Consider using cash.

"My advice we give folks this time of year is to set aside money you need for Christmas next year now so you have cash," Horner said.

Credit card holders can then charge the purchase knowing they have the cash to pay bills when they arrive.

"The value of the credit card to people who can handle it appropriately, that is, pay it off within the grace period, is that it gives an accounting record and . . . it's a lot easier if you havea difficult merchant to go back to the credit card folks," Horner said.

Know the terms of your credit cards — grace period, interest rate and annual user fees, he added.

A purchase paid over a year or more at 18 percent interest becomes much more expensive than if paid at point of purchase or in the first billing notice.

The average client of Consumer Credit Counseling Services of Michigan's current 7,000 clients has 13 creditors and owes $48,000 not including a mortgage, Horner said.

"We hear every story in the book why they did it or how they expect to get out — Uncle Lou or Aunt Tillie will die and they expect an inheritance, overtime will come in, they'll get a promotion.

"We find that people use the last two or three lines of credit to pay others. They rob Peter to pay Paul until there is no more Peter.

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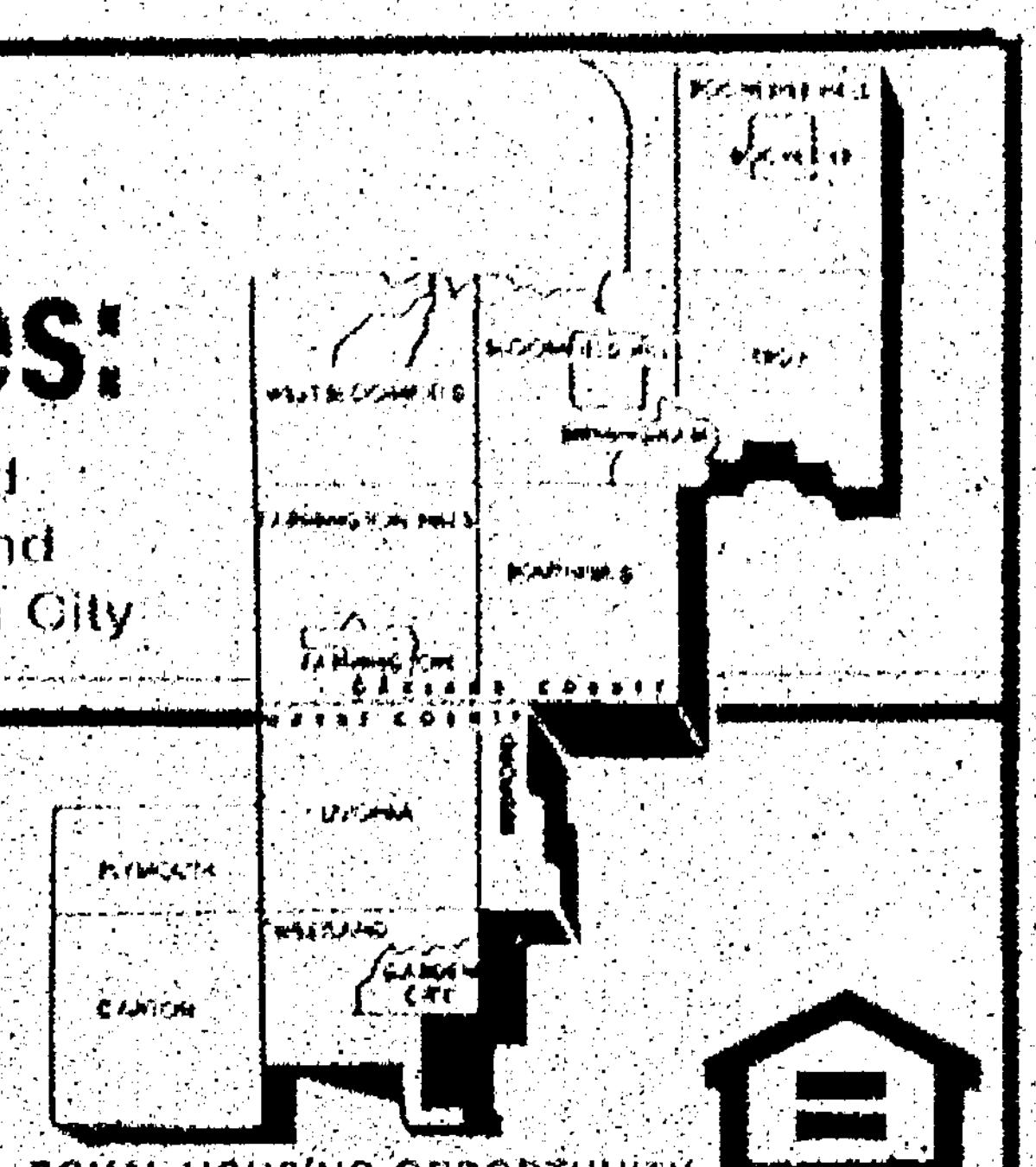

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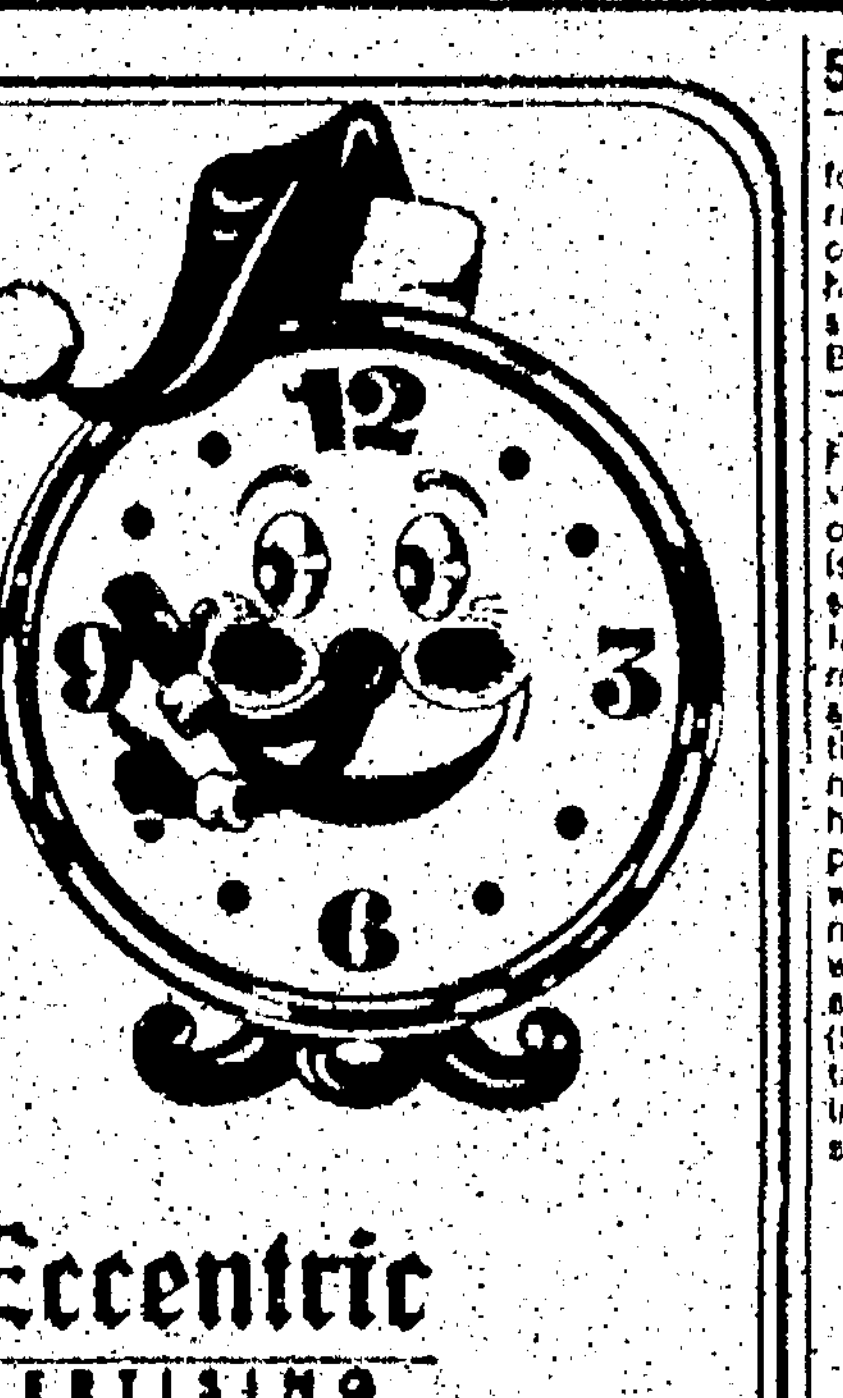

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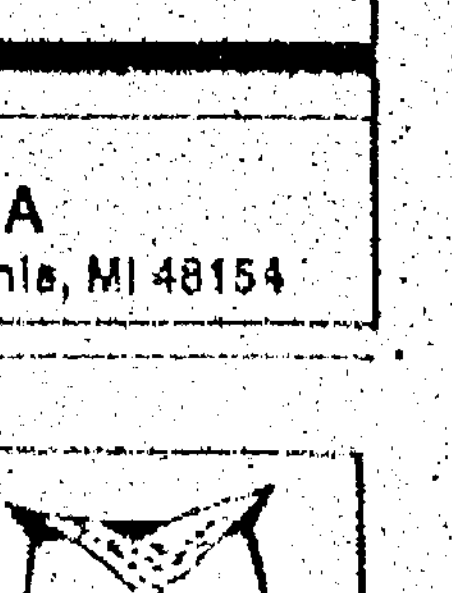

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500 Help Wanted

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Northville based recycling plant looking for hard-working, full-time employees. Full medical & dental benefits after 90 days with good attendance and work performance. Day, afternoon and nights available. Apply in person, Mon-Thurs, 9am-3pm. Bring valid ID & SS card.
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Please call Lynne at 810-351-7051 or send resume to:
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Tool & Die
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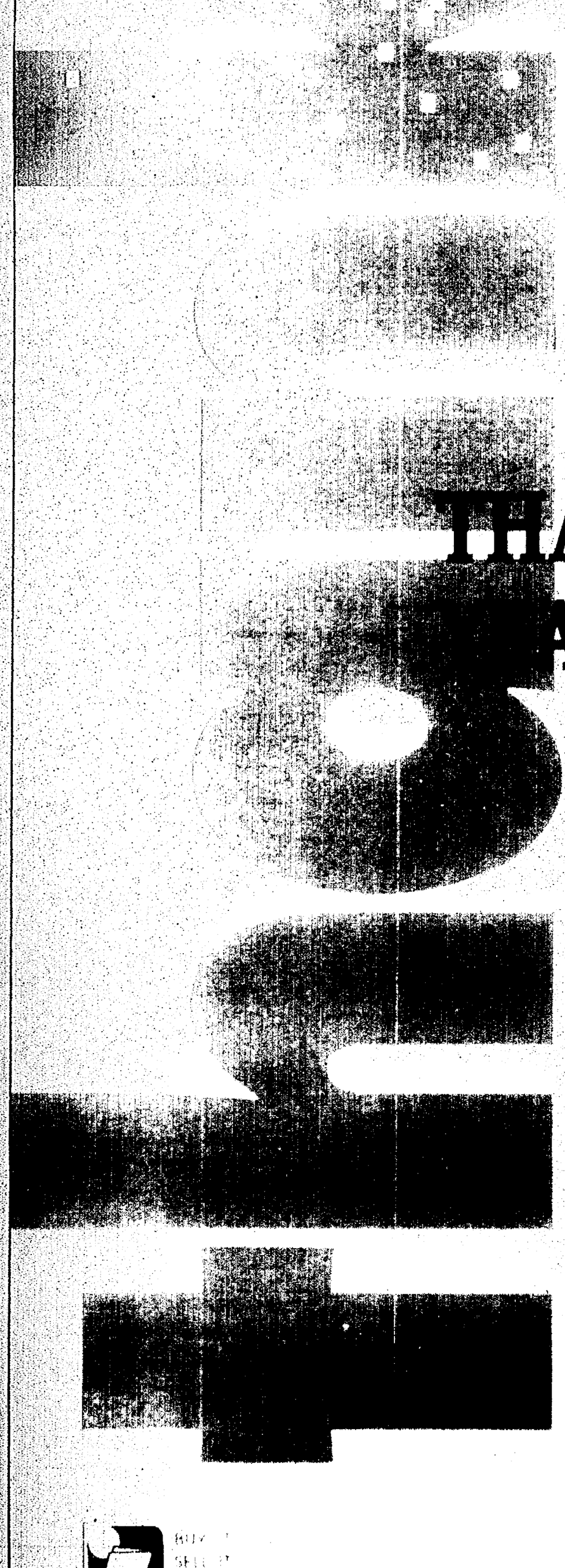

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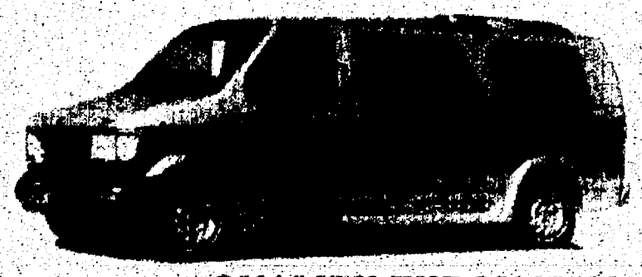

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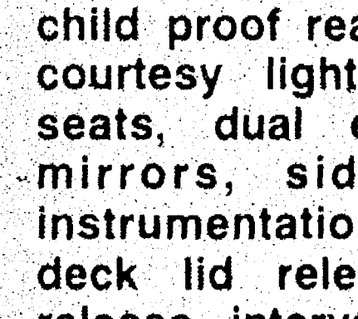

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620 Men Seeking Women

ARE YOU under 35, slim, sensual, warm, fun loving, intelligent & independent? I'm a 5'9", 170 lb 30 year old non-smoking, white male who likes music, dancing & just having a good time. ☎ 45157

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FOR THE attractive, romantic, professional, 44, 5'8", 150 lbs. seeking fun, loving, romantic woman. Looking for a serious relationship with a best friend & lover. ☎ 44781

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Divorced white male, 35, nice looking, fun, honest, outgoing, non-smoking, professional, light hearted, easy going, seeks petite female, 20-45, for a friendship based relationship ☎ DC445181

DIVORCED WHITE MALE, 45, self employed, financially secure, honest, caring & loving. Seeks single white female, 35-45, weight proportionate to height ☎ 45041

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HONEST, DOING more, attractive, 28, I have brunette hair, blue eyes, 5'8", single, busy, down to earth, positive & fun. Seeking honest, humorous, creative, discipline female, for friendship, possible relationship ☎ 45135

HONESTLY, I have always dreamed white male, 32, 5'8", 150, physically fit, romantic with a positive attitude, seeks attractive fun slim female seeking relationship ☎ 45030

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SINGLE WHITE MALE, young professional, 25, 5'11", 175 lbs., seeks single white female, 21-29, for friendship, maybe more. ☎ 45114

SINGLE WHITE male, 45, 190 lbs., 6'1", brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys sports, movies, dining out, seeks single white female, 30-45, for friendship, maybe more. ☎ 45118

SINGLE WHITE male, 48, 5'10", 170 lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys sports, movies, dining out, seeks single white female, 30-45, for friendship, maybe more. ☎ 45118

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Single white male 30, 5'10", 175#, decent looks, non-smoker, social drinker, honest. Likes concerts, music, sports, outdoors, quiet evenings. Seeking single thick female with similar qualities for relationship ☎ 45093

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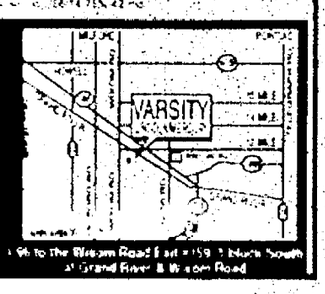

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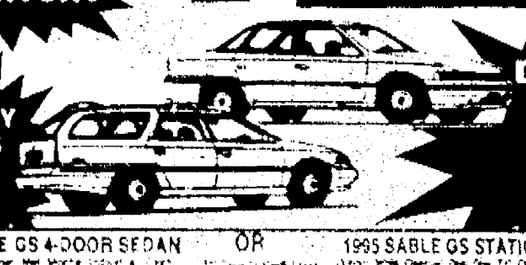

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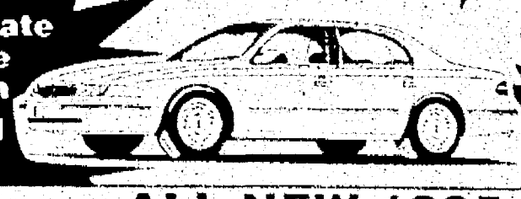

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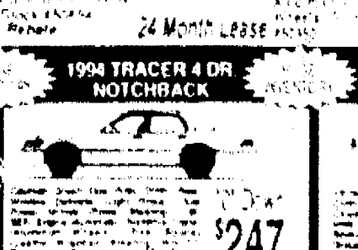

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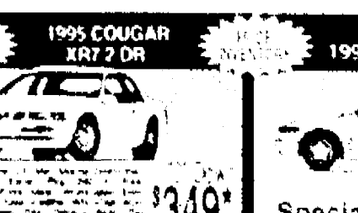

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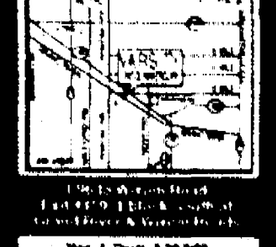

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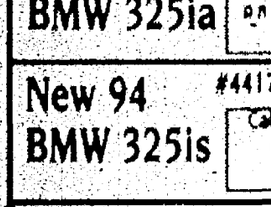

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