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The Lotto jackpot was worth at least \$2 million. The Michigan lottery numbers for Wednesday, Oct. 11, are:

■ **DAILY 3:**
801

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Council hopefuls debate issues



The eight-way race for four Westland City Council seats is beginning to heat up. On Tuesday, four incumbents and four challengers met collectively for the first time during the campaign to discuss issues.

BY DARRRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

Westland City Council candidates, appearing collectively in their first public forum as they head for a Nov. 7 election showdown, fielded questions Tuesday during a luncheon sponsored by the Westland Chamber

of Commerce.

Touching on issues from revitalizing commercial areas to protecting the environment, candidates aligned themselves on some key questions from the audience, but also unveiled some significant personal proposals. The forum, at the Hellenic Cultural

Center on Joy Road east of Newburgh, will be shown locally on Channel 8 (WEND) to give residents an opportunity to hear remarks from the four incumbents and four challengers.

Competing for four seats are incumbents Glenn Anderson, Thomas Brown, David Cox and Charles Pickering, and council hopefuls Justine Barna, Richard LeBlanc, Kenneth Mehl and Dorothy Smith.

The top three vote-getters will win four-year terms. The fourth-place finisher will serve for two years.

Candidates hardly differed on some issues. Specifically, all eight supported a Downtown Development Authority intended to help revitalize deteriorating commercial areas. Under that plan, tax revenues collected from property assessment increases in a designated area will be used to spur improvements in that area.

But candidates also had an opportunity to distinguish themselves from their competitors. Following are some highlights of their statements:

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Blood donors seeing red



ART EMANUELE/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Red Cross drives: Craig Masserant, one of many blood donors Thursday at Schoolcraft College's Radcliff Center last week, has nurse Linda Lanbach draw blood. The American Red Cross has scheduled mobile blood drives this month at churches, schools, and hospitals to meet the demand of area hospitals. Call the Red Cross at 274-5450.

Runners will remember hit-run victim

BY M.B. DILLON
STAFF WRITER

Christine Byndas will run her first marathon Sunday, but in a drastically different fashion than she planned.

A product design engineer for Ford Motor, Byndas was training with her sister, Caryn Casaz, for the Sunday's Detroit Free Press/Mazda International Marathon. The Chicago-born sisters — runners since childhood — were following a 16-week training pro-

gram, putting in weekly track workouts and 20-mile endurance runs.

Casaz, also a Ford engineer, was running alone on Hines Drive near Merriman in Westland Sept. 13 when she was struck by a driver.

Paul Raymond Sadler, 42, of Garden City is charged with second-degree murder, causing an accident resulting in death while under the influence of liquor, and leaving the scene of an injury accident in connec-

tion with the 24-year-old's death. Awaiting trial, he is being held in Wayne County Jail on \$500,000 cash bond.

"We were going to run our first marathon together," said Byndas, 26. "We figured at least one of us would feel good at any given time. It was my sister's idea to go out and buy the same running outfit, to run together, and cross the finish line together."

The plan was to keep up with train-

ing partner Anne Bork of Saline, a research engineer at Ford and a three-time marathoner who's shooting for a time of 3:20.

Byndas and Bork will attempt to finish the marathon together. Every step of the way, Caryn's image will be with them — literally. A friend of Ford, with help from Byndas, designed a T-shirt that will be a family affair.

See RUNNERS, 3A

New school chief moves into district

In his fourth month on the job, Wayne-Westland school Superintendent Duane Moore has moved to Westland from his former South Lyon residence.

Moore and his wife, Becky, an elementary principal in the Plymouth-Canton district, completed their move to their new Westland condominium on Friday.

"We are fairly well settled," Moore

told the seven-member Wayne-Westland school board during a meeting Tuesday night.

When Moore said he would move close to work, he meant it. He said he had only one traffic light to pass through when he drove to work Monday morning.

"I think it took me about 45 seconds to get to the office," he said, smiling.

Moore, 53, has said that he and his

wife were eager to move to Westland. During an interview in July, he cited the abundance of restaurants and other conveniences as making the city an appealing place in which to move.

"We're sure glad that that day has finally passed and we can move on from there," he told the school board.

Moore pledged when he was interviewed for the Wayne-Westland job that he would move into the district.

His decision avoided the type of

criticism that some people aimed at former Superintendent Larry Thomas, who lived in Westland but in the Livonia school district portion of the city.

School board member Richard LeBlanc commended Moore on Tuesday for his swift move into the district.

"You made it a priority, and I believe that people appreciate that," he told Moore.

Haunted history

"The Haunted Theatre" will be sponsored this month by the Palace Theater Co. as a fund-raiser to restore the 86-year-old structure in downtown Wayne. The annual Halloween tour isn't "just another haunted house," a group spokesman said. The haunted theater will be open from 7:30-11:30 p.m. every night now through Oct. 31. Admission is \$7 for adults and \$3.50 for children under 12. Proceeds will be used to restore the former Wayne Theatre, on westbound Michigan Avenue, just west of Wayne Road, Wayne. The restoration group also hopes to open the building as a performing arts center for western Wayne County. For information, call 728-5100.

PLACES & FACES

Halloween music

In another Halloween activity, the Schoolcraft College Wind Ensemble will perform in a holiday concert at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 29, at the school's Radcliff Center Community Room, on Radcliff, south of Ford and east of Wildwood. Admission is free and people are encouraged to attend in costume. Refreshments will be served.

Clarification

Mrs. Mildred Evans objected to a reference "an

old horse" in the Places and Faces column of Thursday, Oct. 6. She insisted that the comment was in reference to someone else, not her, by a woman who spoke at an earlier city council meeting.

Senior of month

Marjorie Pengelly has been named the Westland senior resources department's senior of the month for October. Mrs. Pengelly, 80, has been a Westland resident for 12 years and is active in the St. Theodore Church Over-50 Group, St. Bernardine Church Club and the city of Westland's senior resources department. She is also chairwoman of the Friendship Center's Thursday pinocle group and helps the chairperson of the new Sunday Shufflers Card Group.

Council from page 1A

Anderson, seeking his second four-year term, underscored a wide array of projects in which he has been involved. He cited an early warning siren system, emergency medical services improvements, a computer-aided police dispatch system and efforts to move toward an advanced life support training for Westland firefighters.

Anderson also said he wants to see storefront improvements along Wayne Road, particularly between Ford Road and Palmer.

Barns, a former council member and state representative, said the Downtown Development Authority should become part of a new master plan study that has been embarked upon by the city.

Barns also called for more emphasis on such programs as parenting education classes. She said

parents need to become more responsible for their children.

Barns also noted some of her past accomplishments, such as fighting successfully to keep a prison from being built in Westland.

Brown, a former mayor and state representative, touted the council's efforts to hire new police officers and firefighters. He said the council set goals several years ago for beefing up public safety personnel, and he added that the council has exceeded its goals.

Brown also defended the city's Tax Increment Finance Authority district, in which tax revenues from assessment increases were captured for area improvements. (Among the projects occurring in the TIFA district is the construction of Westland's first-ever public library.)

Cox, an incumbent finishing his first two-year term, stressed that city leaders not only need to focus on revitalizing the Wayne Road commercial corridor, but also other aging areas.

Specifically, Cox mentioned the Ann Arbor Trail/Merriman area, the Cherry Hill/Merriman area, and Warren Road west of Inkster Road.

Cox emphasized his other roles in helping the city, such as serving as vice chairman of the Nankin Transit Commission. He also noted his involvement in the city's leaf pickup program and a pilot curbside recycling project.

LeBlanc proposed a local woodlands ordinance that would help to protect natural areas. He said a balance can be achieved between developer rights and the community's interests.

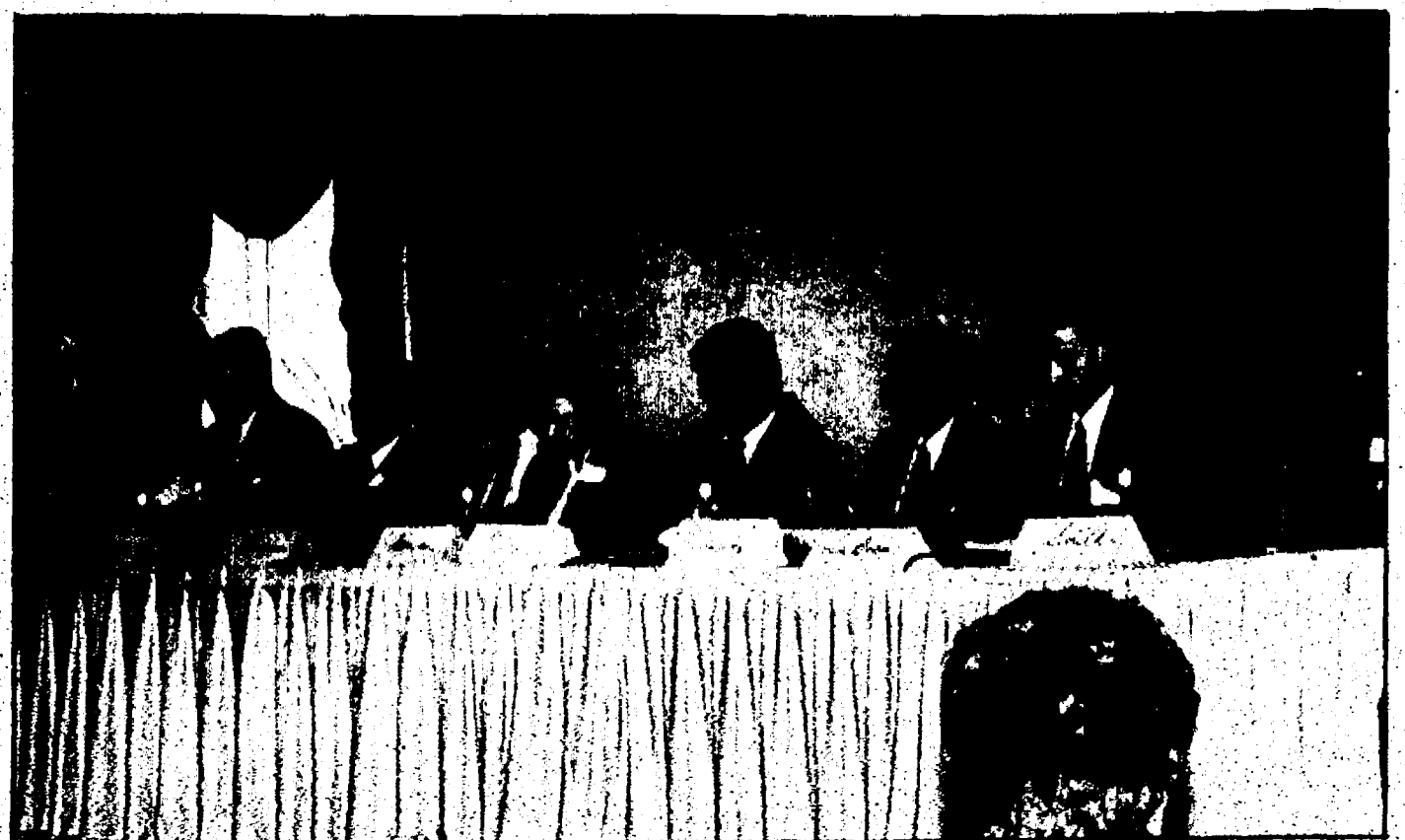
LeBlanc also suggested all of Westland should become part of the Schoolcraft Community College district. Much of it is now in the Wayne County Community College boundaries.

He is currently in the last year of a four-year Wayne-Westland school board term. He would have to resign that post if elected to the council.

Challenger Mehl, a former council member who lost a mayoral bid two years ago, said if elected he would resume his role as spending watchdog.

"I certainly would not shy away from asking tough questions that I have in the past," he said, adding that current council members aren't prying enough into spending matters.

He said the city has to stop what he called "deficit spending,"



ART EMANUEL/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Candidates' forum: Chamber of Commerce representative Kim Shunkwhiler (standing at left) fielded questions from the audience to city council candidates (starting second from left) David Cox, Glenn Anderson, Tom Brown, Justine Barns, Kenneth Mehl, Charles Pickering, Richard LeBlanc and Dorothy Smith.

an apparent reference to the city's decreasing general fund balance.

Mehl also voiced concern about restaurants and small businesses closing.

Councilman Pickering said the city needs to seek closer ties with school districts to improve the community. Efforts to revitalize deteriorating areas are important not only to the city, but to schools as well, he said.

On public safety issues, Pickering said the city needs to become

more involved in domestic violence and youth gang activities.

Pickering also boasted his record on environmental issues. He also said the city must fight for its fair share of funding from state coffers.

Challenger Smith, who hasn't missed a regular city council meeting in nearly 15 years, said the city shouldn't seek to bring in businesses that have already proliferated in the city.

"Do we need any more restaura-

rants? Do we need any more party stores? Do we need any more gas stations?" she asked.

Smith said she would like to see some greenery remain in the city.

She also called for a change in leadership, and said she is persistent in asking questions at council meetings because she cares about Westland and its residents.

"I'm on your side," she said of residents. "Every question that I ask is a benefit to you."

Westland leaf collection

Be on a schedule. Marking the leaf collection areas and the dates they will be picked up. Please note that leaves should be raked to the curb the night prior to pick-up. This residents who choose not to rake for the leaf collection may still bag their leaves for the weekly compost pickup.

Leaf collection schedule:

- 11/1/95 and 12/1/95: Newburgh to Harrison, Cherry Hill to Joy, Wayne to Newburgh, Warren to Joy.
- 11/8/95 and 12/8/95: Joy to Warren, Wayne to Harrison.
- 11/15/95 and 12/15/95: Joy to Ann Arbor Trail, Farmington to Merriman.
- 11/22/95 and 12/22/95: Joy to Ann Arbor Trail, Merriman to Palmer.
- 11/29/95 and 12/29/95: Merriman to Inkster, Ann Arbor Trail to Warren.
- 12/6/95 and 12/26/95: Warren to Marquette, Wayne to Newburgh.
- 11/1/95 and 12/1/95: Warren to Ford, Wayne to Varsity.
- 11/8/95 and 12/8/95: Ford to Cherry Hill, Palmer to Wayne, Wayne to Newburgh, Marquette to Cherry Hill.
- 11/15/95 and 12/15/95: Cherry Hill to Glenwood, Newburgh to Harrison.
- 11/22/95 and 12/22/95: Cherry Hill to Glenwood, Newburgh to Carson, Palmer to Glenwood, Carson to Wildwood.
- 11/29/95 and 12/29/95: Cherry Hill to Palmer, Wildwood to Carson.
- 12/6/95 and 12/26/95: Varsity to Wildwood, Cherry Hill to Glenwood.
- 12/13/95 and 12/13/95: Ann Arbor to Van Born, Harrison to Varsity, Varsity to Henry Ford.
- 12/20/95 and 12/20/95: Henry Ford to Inkster, Palmer to Glenwood, Varsity to Henry Ford.

Note: These dates were selected to avoid garbage days. Leaves will be picked up one day later.

TAMMIE GRAYES/STAFF ARTIST

Trial scheduled in nude photos case

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

A former Westland man, charged with photographing his 14-year-old niece while she was nude, has been scheduled for trial in Detroit Recorder's Court.

Michael Dobby, 31, is scheduled for a Jan. 29 trial on two counts of engaging in child sexually abusive activity, a court clerk said Tuesday.

He could face a maximum sentence of 20 years in prison if convicted.

He also could be fined up to \$20,000.

Pending trial, Dobby remains in the Wayne County jail in lieu of a \$25,000 cash bond set during his Aug. 31 arraignment before Westland 18th District Judge C. Charles Bokos.

Dobby is accused of taking nude photographs of the girl at his former residence at Westland Woods Apartments on Wildwood north of Ford, Westland police Sgt. Terry Donohue has said.

Dobby also is accused of mak-

ing a videotape in which the girl was partially undressed, he said.

Police said the photographs and videotape were found during an April 27 drug raid at Dobby's apartment. He was arrested on marijuana charges and subsequently spent several months in jail.

Shortly after his release, he was arraigned on the two counts of engaging in child sexually abusive activity.

Dobby was bound over to Detroit Recorder's Court for trial af-

ter he waived a preliminary hearing Sept. 7 in Westland 18th District Court. His decision to give up his right to the hearing averted courtroom testimony that day.

The girl wasn't living with Dobby at the time she was allegedly photographed, police have said. The incidents are said by police to have occurred while the girl was visiting.

Dobby has been jailed for six weeks, unable to secure the money for his release.

Center thanks Russo for support

The Burger Center for the Autistic staged an Italian theme dinner and open house last week to show its appreciation for the financial backing of businessman Jack Russo and his family.

At the Garden City center's annual open house for parents, the gym and hallways were decorated in an Italian theme, including "Russo's Vineyard," as well as pizza being served throughout the evening.

Russo's connection to Burger started two years ago when he helped provide money and equipment for the construction of a playscape for students in the center, on Beechwood and Dillon.

Since, Russo has also helped start a courtyard garden at the school.

At the open house program, the Russo family and others were guests of the Burger staff with dinner served at a table covered with a red and white-checked tablecloth and balloons with the Italian colors.

Also recognized for his help was Downriver barber Bruno Buccì, who has a son at Burger. It was Buccì's comments about Burger's needs to Russo, one of his customers, that prompted the playscape and other improvements at the school.

"Bruno cried on my shoulder (in the barber shop)," Russo told the audience of parents, students and Burger staffers. "I was just the messenger in helping people get a break."

Teacher Colleen Presley commented that Burger, which had

been the target of a planned closing five years ago, "not only has been saved, but has triumphed."

Since parents and staff members rallied to fight the planned closing and keep the center open, the building has been renovated.

But with no money for special projects, Jack Russo and his family entered the picture to help.

"He wanted Burger students to have the fun and growth experiences that the playscape would provide," she said. "So, Mr. Russo gave up a money gift that more than doubled the size of our playscape fund that we had spent untold hours amassing. He gave us renewed hope for our students."

A year later, Russo provided funds for converting the school's courtyard into a garden.

At first, Presley said, Russo said he didn't want to get involved with the school or students.

"But he made the mistake of entering the school. He met our kids and our staff and then his heart would not let him remain 'uninvolved.'"

Presley and the staff publicly recognized the entire Russo family, including Jack's wife, Noella, and children Paul, Justine, Lisa, Sal and Michael.

The appreciation was also extended by the Autistic School Association and the Wayne County Society for Autistic Citizens.

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Runners from page 1A

lar sight on the streets of Windsor and Detroit Sunday.

More than 200 people have purchased the T-shirts, proceeds from which will help raise funds for a bike path on Hines east of Newburgh. Mothers Against Drunk Driving is spearheading the project.

The words "Running like MADD for Caryn" are silk-screened on the front of the shirt. On the back is a picture of Caryn, who as a youngster competed in the Junior Olympics and throughout the U.S.

"My mom was going to get a few T-shirts made up," said Byndas. "I told a few people at work about it, and the response has been overwhelming." Thirty-four relatives and friends of Casaz are traveling from Chicago for the race.

A research engineer in Ford's safety office, Steve Nyquist of Canton got to know Casaz while competing with her on Ford's Corporate Cup team.

"I put a message out on our electronic mail as soon as I found out about Christine's T-shirts, and immediately started getting all kinds of messages," said Nyquist. "Obviously, Caryn touched people other than runners."

A portion of the proceeds will go to the Caryn Terese Casaz scholarship fund at the University of Illinois, where both Casaz and Byndas earned degrees. Ford is putting up matching funds, Nyquist said.

Among the 30-40 Plymouth-Canton residents planning to wear the T-shirts marathon day will be Plymouth attorney John Stewart, and Ford employees/Canton residents Tim Underwood, Avery Burks and Belinda Burks.

"Caryn was a couple years younger than my daughter, yet I could relate to her real well. There wasn't that generation gap, if you will," said Nyquist. "She was a bubbly, very outgoing 24-year-old." Nyquist recalled that Casaz helped Ford achieve its first Corporate Cup championship last June when she ran an impressive 39:35 on a 10-kilometer cross country course at Cass Benton



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Running like MADD: (From left:) Wally Poupore, Anne Bork, Christine Byndas and Steve Nyquist will be dedicating their marathon Sunday to fellow Ford engineer Caryn Casaz, who was killed by a driver while running. Casaz was Byndas' sister.

She finished first among the Ford women, and second overall.

Ford had plans for Casaz. The company recruited her out of the University of Illinois for its college graduate program, which groomed candidates for management.

Casaz graduated in December of 1993 and moved to Farmington Hills before starting with Ford in February 1994. She spent a year working in Dearborn before being assigned to Atlanta for six months to help launch the Taurus. She'd just returned to Michigan Sept. 10. "She moved in with me and my husband and had saved a lot of money. She was going to buy a house in Ann Arbor," said Byndas.

The last time she saw her sister

alive, Byndas had a premonition.

The night she died, "Caryn was supposed to run with Anne and I from the Ford Fitness Center," said Byndas.

Because Casaz forgot her running shoes, she went home to run. "I had this feeling I wouldn't see her for a while; as though she was going back to Atlanta or something. I wanted to say something or give her a hug, but I didn't. I just stared at her a couple seconds, and she said, 'I'll see ya.' I thought she'd skip the day and not run."

When at 8 p.m. there still was no sign of Casaz, Byndas' husband, Brian, went looking for Casaz. The Byndases learned from the police that something had happened to Casaz, and drove to the hospital.

"A doctor told me to sit down, and I knew something was terribly wrong," said Byndas. Byndas was told it wasn't known whether "the woman in the next room was my sister, because she had no identification, but if it was, she was dead. It was the worst feeling I've ever had in my whole life. It's just not fair. She had so much going for her."

In addition to being a rising star at Ford, Casaz was a violinist, guitarist, artist and comedian.

Byndas will continue to sell T-shirts after the marathon. Anyone interested may send a check payable to her to 674 Easley, Westland 48186. The cost is \$9 per shirt, plus \$3.50 for postage. For sizes XL and XXL, add \$1.25 per shirt.




Remembering Caryn: Christine Byndas will run her first marathon Sunday and dedicate the 26.2-mile race to her sister, Caryn Casaz.



Champion: Caryn Casaz was a star at Ford Motor and among runners.

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OBITUARIES

EDWARD J. OPACHICH

Services for Mr. Opachich, 75, a founding member of Garden City's St. Dunstan Church, were Oct. 10 from the Santelu & Son Funeral Home, followed by cremation. His remains are interred at Cadillac Memorial Gardens West Cemetery.

Mr. Opachich died Oct. 6 in Plymouth. He had been living in the Plymouth Court Nursing Home. Born Sept. 1, 1920, in Slickville, Pa., he was a grinder for Unisys Business Machines, Plymouth.

Survivors include: daughters, Sandra Humphrey, Stephanie Doran and Theresa Gibbons; son, Edward; four grandchildren; brothers, Alvin, Leo, George and Nick; and sisters, Sophie Werder and Helen Lyons.

Memorials may be donated to the American Lung Association.

RUDOLPH PROKOP

Services for Mr. Prokop, 71, of Rochester Hills, were Oct. 9 from the Potere-Modetz Funeral Home, Rochester. The Rev. Thomas Kuehnemund of St. Andrew Catholic Church officiated.

Mr. Prokop died Oct. 6. Survivors include: sons Robert of Garden City, the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers' publishing services coordinator, Jack and Patrick; grandchildren Brian, Drew and Marty, and sister Edith Bernca. Preceding him in death was his wife, Betty.

ELIZABETH C. DAVIS

Services for Mrs. Davis, 73, of Westland were Oct. 2 from the R.G. and G.R. Harris Funeral Home, Garden City, with burial in Knollwood Cemetery, Canton Township. The Rev. Luther Stanley of the First Baptist Church of Garden City officiated.

Mrs. Davis died in Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center, Wayne. Born Aug. 14, 1922, in Finger, Tenn., she was a longtime local resident and an automotive

company plant employee.

Survivors include: sons Donald Davis of Howell and James Davis of Westland; daughters Linda Davis of Westland and Jeri Trosper of Garden City; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

RICHARD JOSEPH FOY

Services for Mr. Foy of Westland were Oct. 6 from St. Raphael Catholic Church, Garden City. The Rev. Edward Prus officiated.

Mr. Foy died Oct. 1 in Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center, Wayne. Born in Gladstone, Mich., he was a Chrysler Corp. factory employee and a local resident for many years.

Survivors include: daughters Sharon Foy of Kalamazoo, Kathleen Nance of Waterford, Susan Sims of Westland and Jacqueline Sims of Westland; and son Richard of Garden City.

Arrangements were by the R.G. and G.R. Harris Funeral Home, Garden City.

BEATRICE M. SEGEL

Services for Mrs. Segel, 76, of Westland were Oct. 6 from the Will and Schwarzkoff Funeral Home, Mount Clemens, with burial in Clinton Grove Cemetery, Clinton Township.

Mrs. Segel died Oct. 4 in Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center, Wayne. Born Sept. 15, 1919, in Detroit, she was a bookkeeper for Dearborn Insurance Agency for 15 years before serving as a leasing agent for Waynwoods Apartments, Westland.

Survivors include: daughters, Irene Segel of Howell and Sylvia Ross of Belleville; son, Jack of Ypsilanti; five grandchildren; and sister, Shirley Blansford of Phoenix, Ariz. Preceding her in death was a daughter, Barbara Evanoff, and a sister, Celia Buda.

THOMAS JOSEPH WEIS

Services for Mr. Weis, 58, of

Westland were Oct. 12 from St. Richard Catholic Church with interment in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West Cemetery. The Rev. John Hall officiated.

Mr. Weis died Oct. 9 in St. Mary Hospital, Livonia. Born July 8, 1937, he was a personnel manager.

Survivors include sisters Lois Moore, Marilyn Rogers and Judy Devlin.

Arrangements were by Uht Funeral Home, Westland. Memorials may be made to the donor's choice.

LOIS LOUELLA WONG

A Mass for Mrs. Wong, 61, of Westland was Oct. 10 from St. Richard Catholic Church with burial in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield. The Rev. John Hall officiated.

Mrs. Wong died Oct. 7 in Royal Oak. Born Nov. 10, 1933, in Cullowhee, N.C., she was an elementary school library aide.

Survivors include: husband Derek; daughter Vicki Wong of Garden City; mother Imogene Cline of Cullowhee, N.C.; sisters Dorothy Buchanan of Waynesville, N.C., Hazel Wyatt of Tennessee; Genevieve Meador of Sterling Heights and Rachel Rogers of Concord, N.C.; and brothers John Cline of Tampa, Fla., Harold Cline of Hillman, Mich., and Bill Cline of Madison Heights.

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

Memorials may be in the form of Mass offerings or to the donor's choice of charities.

BETTIE TAVERNA

Services for Mrs. Taverna, 74, formerly of Wayne and a longtime Garden City Kmart employee, were Oct. 10 from the Hopcroft/Swanson Funeral Home, Madison Heights. The Rev. Michael Mutzelburg of St. Patrick Episcopal Church officiated.

Mrs. Taverna died Oct. 8 in her

Madison Heights home.

Born May 5, 1921, in Pine Grove, Mich., she lived in Wayne for more than 40 years.

Survivors include: daughter Judy Agullar of Madison Heights; son Donald Miner of Port Orchard, Wash.; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be donated to the Hospices of Southeastern Michigan.

QUENTIN HUGH BOND

Services for Mr. Bond, 74, formerly of Westland, were Oct. 10 from the Uht Funeral Home, Westland, with interment in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West Cemetery. The Rev. Chris Edwards officiated.

Mr. Bond, of Jacksonville, Ark., died Oct. 6 in the Rebsamen Regional Medical Center in that state.

Born May 15, 1921, he was a retired supervisor.

Survivors include: wife, Edith; son, Rodney; daughter, Joyce Benton; grandsons Brian Peek and Kevin Bond; granddaughter Trisha Bond; great-granddaughters Amanda Peek and Molly Peek; mother Queen Bond, and sisters Bonnie Martindale, Katherine Wilson, Betty Tal-madge and Delores Rassmasen. Preceding him in death were his father, Allen Bond, and brothers Arthur and Merwyn.

JOHN W. 'PETE' REBER

Services for Mr. Reber, 50, vice president of A-Aprin of Michigan, Westland, were Oct. 9 from the Keehn Funeral Home, Brighton, followed by cremation at Evergreen Cemetery, Detroit. The Rev. Ronald Walker of Brighton Wesleyan Church officiated.

Mr. Reber died Oct. 6 in his Brighton home after a heart attack. Born Nov. 4, 1944, in Meridian, Miss., he moved to the Brighton area from Minnesota in 1985.

He served in the Air Force from 1967-73, and under combat conditions, received a field promotion

to captain. He was also awarded the Purple Heart, Bronze Star and Silver Star. He served in the Air Force Reserves until 1978.

Survivors include: wife, Esther; son, Brandon; daughters, Robin and Erin Swantack, both of Brighton; parents, Ruben and Hilda Reber of Fort Wayne, Ind.; and a sister, Patsy Young of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

His close friend and partner was James Jablonski.

Memorials may be donated to the American Heart Association.

WILLIAM HISHOK

Services for Mr. Hishok, 97, of Westland were Oct. 9 from the Harry J. Will Funeral Home, Livonia, with interment in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West Cemetery. The Rev. James Skimins officiated.

Mr. Hishok died Oct. 6 in St. Mary Hospital, Livonia, of organ failure.

Born May 13, 1898, he was a retired Ford Motor Co. machine set-up man and one of the first organizers of UAW Local 600 and the local's first recording secretary. A family spokesman said Mr. Hishok was believed to be one of the oldest dues-paying members of the UAW. He was also a World War II veteran.

Survivors include: sons, William Jr. of Chesapeake, Va., and Clyde of Warren; daughters, Fay McNinch of Livonia, Jane Clark of Royal Oak and Joyce Pice of Westland; 16 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; and sister, Mae Nimer of Florida.

ROSE M. FRENCH

Services for Mrs. French, 78, of Westland were Oct. 7 from the Uht Funeral Home with interment in Parkview Cemetery, Livonia. The Rev. Larry Rowland officiated.

Mrs. French died Oct. 3 in Garden City Hospital. Born June 25, 1917, she was a quality control

employee for a dental supplies company.

Survivors include: husband, Charles; daughters, Patricia Lukas and Ruth Curtis; grandsons, Perry Lukas and Scott Lukas; two great-grandchildren, and mother, Edith Tullis.

CLARENCE W. BROOKER

Services for Mr. Brooker, 81, of Westland were Oct. 5 from Uht Funeral Home with interment in Azalia Cemetery, Azalia, Mich. The Rev. Drex Murton officiated.

Mr. Brooker died Oct. 3 in Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center, Wayne. Born Aug. 24, 1914, he was an automotive technical writer.

Survivors include: nieces, De-lores Bickel and Lois Brooker.

MARJORIE B. TEEFEY

Services for Mrs. Teefey, 81, of Westland were Oct. 12 from the L. J. Griffin Funeral Home. The Rev. Wilton Fluegge officiated.

Mrs. Teefey died Oct. 6 in University of Michigan Hospital. Born Dec. 23, 1913, in Kankakee, Ill., she was a cook in the food and beverage industry.

Survivors include: step-daughter, Helen Cunningham; three grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren, and sister, Edna Ferrill. Preceding her in death was husband, Robert.

FREDRIC HALE SUTHERLAND

Services for Mr. Sutherland, 78, of Dearborn Heights were Oct. 8 from Our Lady Grace Church.

Mr. Sutherland died Oct. 2 in Providence Hospital, Southfield.

Born May 12, 1917, in Greenfield, Mass., he was a lithographer for an offset printing company.

Survivors include: wife Margaret; sons John, Christopher and Kevin; daughters Janet Pund and Susan; 10 grandchildren, and brothers John and Alec.

Arrangements were by the L.J. Griffin Funeral Home, Westland.

Conference for seniors planned

A conference, "A Time for Seniors," will be held Saturday, Oct. 28, to discuss the needs of the elderly and programs and services that are available.

The conference will be from 8:30 a.m. to noon at Garden City's Maplewood Community Center, on Maplewood west of Merriman.

Involved in the conference are federal, state and county officials whose districts include Garden City and Westland.

Among those expected to attend are Rep. Lynn Rivers, D-Ann Ar-

bor; State Sen. George Hart, D- Dearborn; state Reps. Eileen DeHart, D-Westland, and Thomas Kelly, D-Wayne, and county Commissioner Kay Beard, D-Westland.

The conference is free and open to the public.

The half-day conference will cover wills, long-term care, Social Security, and personal safety.

As a co-host, Rivers will discuss pending federal legislation — such as Medicare and Medicaid cuts — which will affect sen-

iors. A community resource fair is planned.

To round out the day, seniors will have a number of workshops from which to choose. Rivers said the attendees will be able to learn from experts about seniors' legal rights.

"A Time for Seniors" is modeled after the "Aging Toward the Future" conference that has been held over the years in Washtenaw County.

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Telecom bill on fast track in Lansing

BY TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

The concepts are simple, but the details are intricate in the new state telecommunications bill being pushed through the Legislature.

Designed to replace a 1991 law expiring at the end of the year, the new bill could affect local telephone service and cable TV, say its two chief Republican sponsors.

They are Sen. Mat Dunaskis of Lake Orion and Rep. Barbara Dobb of Union Lake, chairs of their respective Senate and House committees.

Goals: "allow competition" in local phone service, "restructure regulation to focus on price and quality of service and not on the provider," and "encourage the introduction of new services," according to Senate Bill 722 itself. The bill became available in

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printed form Oct. 9. Dunaskis' Committee on Technology and Energy was expected to report it out Oct. 11. The sponsors said they worked on it six months.

Criticizing several sections was Rep. Alma Stallworth, D-Detroit, leading minority member of Dobb's panel. "Seniors over 65 will qualify for a new 10 percent discount on basic local telephone service, but only if they limit their local calls to 35 each month — which is only one call a day," she said, citing Sec. 316.

"Consumers who wish to pay a flat-rate for local telephone ser-

vice will have to pay additional charges after their first 200 calls in any month, instead of the current 400," Stallworth complained. People who do volunteer work from their homes will be affected.

A brief section (309a) allows Ameritech to get into the cable TV business. It says, "A provider of basic local exchange service may provide cable television service," eliminating the words "if allowed by federal law." The Dunaskis-Dobb background statement called this section "a direct challenge to the Federal Cable Act."

Ameritech, the leading provider of local service in most of the state, may be hurt and helped if the bill is passed as written.

On one hand, there could be more competition for local service from AT&T and other long-distance providers. On the other, Ameritech could benefit from a crackdown on so-called "alternative operator service" (AOS) companies that charge unsuspecting callers from public pay phones and phones in hotels and motels.

"Thousands of Michigan consumers are being systematically gouged when they use certain public phones to make long-distance calls," Attorney General Frank Kelley said. "These AOS providers complete the 'O-plus' long-distance calls placed by the consumer."

Result: Consumers are shocked

See TELECOM BILL, 12A

O'Hair supporters to host pig roast

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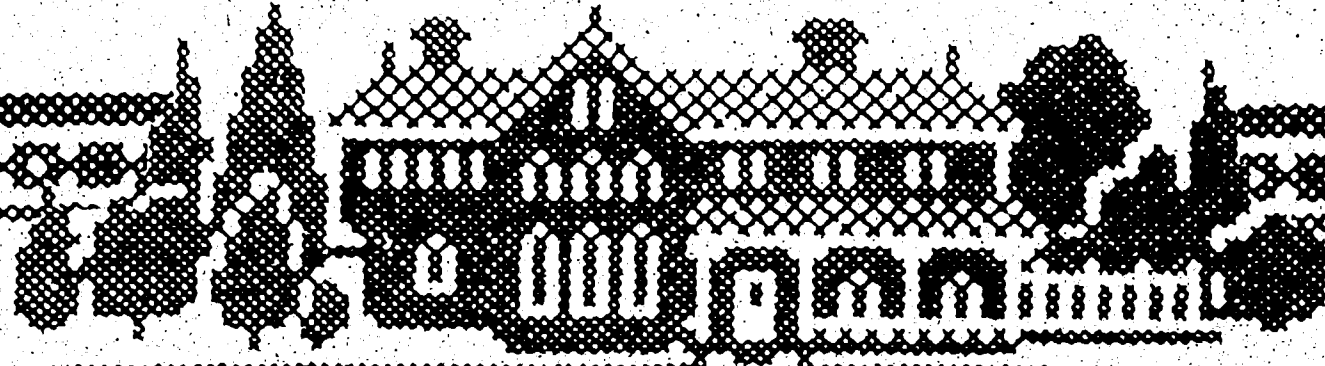
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ROLL CALL REPORT

Area reps split on workplace bill

Here's how *Observer & Eccentric-area members of Congress* were recorded on major roll call votes in the week ending Sept. 29

HOUSE

Labor Issue: Voting 221 for and 202 against, the House sent the Senate a bill (HR 743) giving companies leeway under federal labor law to operate employer-employee groups for addressing workplace issues and increasing productivity. The bill was supported by the Chamber of Commerce and opposed by the AFL-CIO. The 1935 National Labor Relations Act makes it an unfair labor practice for companies to financially support or dominate employee organizations. This bill eases that ban so that management and workers in non-union shops can participate in Japanese-style problem solving teams set up and administered by management. Critics say these teams can easily become illegal company unions.

Supporter Randy Cunningham, R-Calif., said the measure "says simply that an employer can work with employees, period. It does not permit illegal employer unions. It does not affect union shops at all. It does not intrude on collective bargaining. It simply allows employers and employees to work together."

Opponent Martin Frost, D-Tex., called the bill "nothing more than a thinly disguised attempt to return to the old days of company unions

... a return to the early 20th century when employers controlled both sides of the bargaining table ... a fundamental change in the rights of working men and women."

A yes vote was to pass the bill. **Area representatives voting yes were:** Joe Knollenberg, R-Birmingham. **Voting no:** Dale Kildee, D-Flint, Sander Levin, D-Southfield and Lynn Rivers, D-Ann Arbor.

To Elect Employees: The House rejected, 195 for and 288 against, an amendment requiring secret-ballot elections to pick employee representatives who sit with management on workplace teams authorized by HR 743 (above) within the framework of the National Labor Relations Act. The elections were to replace management selection of worker representatives. The amendment was backed by labor groups and opposed by business organizations.

Sponsor James Moran, D-Va., said elections "will make sure that the only people who are representing the employees are not the teacher's pet types of individuals who in fact are not representative." He said his amendment "prevents the deliberate formation of sham unions."

Opponent Dave Weldon, R-Fla., said: "The whole concept of this (bill) is that you get away from an adversarial environment (and) everybody is kind of coming together and everybody is giving their input

into the process. Usually it is extremely democratic. . . . So the point of having an election is unnecessary."

A yes vote supported the labor-backed amendment. **Area representatives voting yes were:** Dale Kildee, Sander Levin and Lynn Rivers. **Voting no:** Joseph Knollenberg.

Three Judges: By a vote of 266 for and 159 against, the House sent the Senate a bill (HR 1170) making it more difficult for the federal judiciary to block a referendum approved by the voters of a state. The bill requires appeals on constitutional grounds to be heard by three U.S. judges rather than one, to prevent plaintiffs from "judge shopping" to find a sympathetic jurist. The bill was prompted by events in California, where Proposition 187 denying social services to illegal immigrants was approved by voters but found unconstitutional by state and federal courts and not implemented.

Supporter Frank Riggs, R-Calif., said: "Too often, as seen in California, special interests can misuse the courts. . . . this legislation corrects a fundamental wrong, a flaw in our system, because we believe on this side (of the aisle) it is wrong for one activist federal judge to issue an injunction thereby thwarting the will of the people."

Opponent Pat Schroeder, D-Colo., said: "The bottom line behind this bill is whether or not the Constitution is a rough draft,

whether or not people can amend it simply by having a referendum.

. . . I always thought we in this body . . . were to 'protect and defend' the Constitution. Apparently some people think it is 'protect and amend'."

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

SENATE

Spending Bill: By a vote of 55 for and 45 against, the Senate sent to conference with the House a bill (HR 2099) appropriating \$80.9 billion in fiscal 1996 for a variety of departments and agencies. The bill cuts the Environmental Protection Agency budget by 22 percent, the Department of Housing and Urban Development by 19 percent and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration by four percent. Among major agencies funded by the bill, only the Department of Veterans Affairs and the National Science Foundation escape major cuts. Senators preserved the space station (below), but killed the administrations' AmeriCorps program (below).

Supporter Christopher Bond, R-Mo., said deep cuts were inflicted in EPA's Superfund program for cleansing toxic waste sites because "there is overwhelming documentation of how lawyers and other administrative cost burdens are milking the lion's share of

See ROLL CALL, 9A

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Police unit seeks suspects charged in auto theft ring

BY LEANNE ROGERS
STAFF WRITER

Police are looking for a suspect arrested in connection with an auto theft ring that has hit communities across the Metro Detroit area.

Mircea Bobic, 22, is being sought on fugitive warrants from Detroit Recorder's Court and 36th District Court after failing to appear on charges of receiving and concealing stolen property.

Bobic, his brothers, and other Romanian nationals have been charged with operating a ring which steals and strips vehicles, according to Michigan State Police Lt. David Gentry of the Western Wayne Auto Theft unit.

The thefts have occurred in communities all over Wayne and Oakland counties, as well as Macomb County.

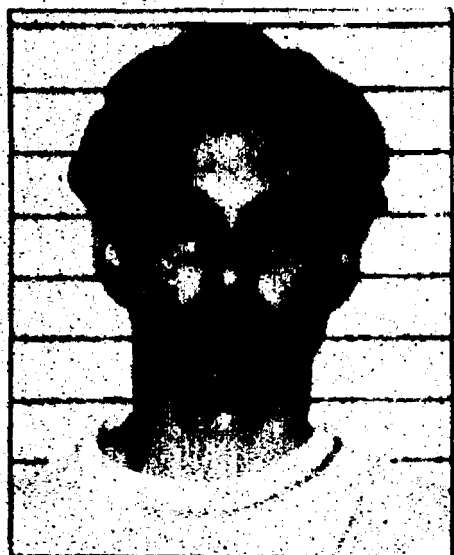
The Western Wayne unit has been spearheading the investigation, which has also involved the state police-run Downriver Auto Theft team, the Oakland County Sheriff's Department auto theft unit, Detroit Police, Bloomfield Township Police, and a number of other area departments.

"We don't really know how many vehicles have been stolen. Between us we've arrested about 12 people; some have been arrested more than once," said Gentry.

Using the example of a Lexus stolen from Westland, Gentry outlined the typical scenario for a vehicle taken in this group of thefts.

"The Lexus was recovered four days later in Detroit. It was stripped of everything," said Gentry. "Everything was surgically removed. They don't damage anything. Often you find a two-liter pop bottle full of nuts and bolts (taken from the vehicle)."

The shell of the vehicle is abandoned and recovered, Gentry said,



Suspect sought: Police are looking for Mircea Bobic, 22, who failed to appear for court on charges of receiving stolen property. He and members of his family are facing charges in connection with a number of auto thefts.

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Lt. David Gentry
state police

noting the group usually leaves the shell along the Detroit-Dearborn boundary in the area of Wyoming or Warren.

"They bought the Lexus in the stripped state and got a salvage

title," said Gentry. "The car is reassembled. Then they went to Indiana and got a clean title."

In this case, Van Buren Police ran the license plate on the Lexus when Mircea Bobic's brother arrived to bail him out of jail driving the vehicle. When Van Buren checked further, the marked parts on the Indiana-registered Lexus were identified as coming from the car stolen from Westland.

"They take cars from malls, apartment complexes, from driveways. They don't have a set pattern," Gentry said. "They take the cars wherever they can find them."

Unlike some others who have made sport utility vehicles the top on stolen vehicle lists, this group favors Toyota Camry, Ford Probes and higher-end Hondas. Gentry said many of the stolen vehicles had been shipped to Eastern Europe, one located in Canada.

Western Wayne officers raided four locations in May including a storage facility in Allen Park, a house on Wheeler Street in Detroit, a nearby garage on Kirkwood, and a home on Trenton Street in Detroit owned by Mircea's brother Ion Bobic.

"We actually went to the house to arrest Ion Bobic for outstanding warrants from Washington state. Mircea was hiding in the garage on Kirkwood," said Gentry. Ion Bobic has since been extradited to Washington.

Mircea Bobic lists a Melvindale address on his driver's license but has lived in Detroit. Gentry said Bobic also has relatives who use an address on John R in Rochester Hills and has connections with a woman who resides in Sterling Heights.

Anyone with information about Mircea Bobic is asked to call the Western Wayne Auto Theft unit at (313) 397-0090.



BILL BRISLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

All in pieces: Michigan State Police Lt. David Gentry looks over a Toyota Supra which officers were collating after seizing the parts in a raid. Behind him are parts to a Dodge Viper which was stolen from a Farmington Hills apartment complex. Officers recovered about 1,500 parts in a series of raids.

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these funds. This allocation of resources serves neither the environment nor other taxpayers. . . . Opponent John Kerry, D-Mass., said he liked some of the bill's housing reforms but that it fails to come close to meeting the housing needs of this country. More than five million very low income Americans face severe housing needs. They suffer from homelessness, they pay rents that take more than (half) of their household income, or they live in severely substandard conditions. We have not been willing to provide the resources . . . to meet these needs. . . .

A yes vote was to pass the bill, Michigan Senators Carl Levin, D, voted no. Spencer Abraham, R, voted yes.

National Service: The Senate rejected, 47 for and 52 against, a

bid to keep alive the two-year-old National Service program known as AmeriCorps. The amendment sought to include \$425 million in HR 2099 (above) for the program in which some 20,000 youths receive college tuition and a living allowance in return for community service. Both houses now have voted to kill the high-priority administration program.

A yes vote was to continue National Service. Michigan Senators Levin voted yes. Abraham voted no.

Space Station: Voting 35 for and 64 against, the Senate rejected an amendment to kill the space station Alpha. This preserved \$1.83 billion in HR 2099 (above) to advance the 12-year-old NASA project, now a joint venture with the Russians, which aims to put the first elements of a manned

space laboratory in orbit within the next few years.

William Cohen, R-Maine, said Congress cannot rightfully trim programs such as Medicare and Head Start and then come up with B-2 bombers . . . at \$30 billion or come up with a space station that will cost another \$100 billion. And there may be no end in sight . . . as to how much this program is ultimately going to cost. . . .

Opponent Larry Pressler, R-S.D., said it would be "a sad waste of time, effort and money spent . . . if we were to give up now. Since 1984, the United States has spent \$12 billion on the space station. Equally important, 13,000 Americans in 38 states . . . have been working hard to make this great dream become a reality. . . . It is time to finish what we started. . . ."

A yes vote was to terminate NASA's space station. Michigan Senators Levin and Abraham both voted yes.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1996

Upcoming election Council vote is important

Local voters will go to the polls in less than four weeks to elect four city council members from a field of eight candidates.

If history is any teacher, the Observer expects a light turnout because there are no mayoral candidates on the ballot nor are there any money proposals to get voters fired up and emotional.

But the results of the election will be just as important as a local vote with a heavy turnout. The reason, simply, is that the winners of the Nov. 7 election will be in office for up to four years, or the edge of the 21st century. They will vote on future expansions or reductions of city services and programs which impact on the lives of residents and businesses.

What Westland voters should be focusing on is the nominees' individual vision of the future, skills, talents and creative juices.

Experience may be nice for some voters, but the public should be also concerned with the quality of those experiences.

At the same time, voters should look at the nominees' accomplishments in the public or private sector. If a nominee initiated a major program at the city council as an incumbent or through a church or civic organization, defended it before the ultimate decision-makers and saw it through final approval, that person could continue to use those same skills in the public sector.

While the city of Westland has progressed nicely in recently years, there are still prob-

lems to be resolved.

As a minimum, the city's election winners should be problem-solvers who look for ways to resolve conflicts and find solutions instead of those who sit back and criticize proposals without offering alternatives.

At the same time, the new council should realize that the city's property tax base is quickly being developed. That will result in a declining number of large vacant sites for future commercial, industrial or residential developments.

Typically, city officials count on those new developments to expand the tax base and generate new property tax revenues to pay for the increased costs of city services.

The successful candidates in the Nov. 7 vote will be those who are the most effective in communicating a positive vision of the city for the next decade.

There aren't many ways to improve rubbish collection, but there are plenty of ways to improve the quality of life for all ages.

One of those was approved by the mayor and council last year when they approved a plan to build the city's first independent library, now under construction and expected to open next year.

Effective communications are keys to any successful political campaign.

Hopefully, nominees will realize that and make sure the voters get the message in the next few weeks.

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"Winning this battle requires as many members as possible, demanding that future Medicare beneficiaries retain their right to choose their own physicians, specialists and other providers."

Lydia Cohn, Westland

food we used to know how to grow. And in the process of earning the money for our daily food, clothing and shelter — government enslaves us with taxes, charges and fees totaling nearly 50 percent of the value of our labor.

What fools we have become to let this happen! No wonder the public sector is thriving and the private sector is downsizing."

Walter Warren, Westland

Story appreciated

I am writing about the recent article by Barbara Wilson regarding remote control airplanes. I think this article was very informative. I appreciate learning the cost for a radio controlled airplane isn't only money, it costs time.

Aaron Sparkman, Garden City

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Taxes are enslaving

I made the following entry in my journal a couple weeks ago: "What slaves we are: We work for money to buy things we used to know how to make. We purchase the

COMMUNITY VOICE

QUESTION:

Do you plan to watch the live TV interview of O.J. Simpson (which was scheduled to be aired Wednesday night, Oct. 11)?

We asked this question of people at the Westland Chamber of Commerce luncheon Tuesday.



"No. It's been oversaturated." Virginia Mathison, Westland



"No. The (not guilty) verdict is a miscarriage of justice." Sam Corrado, Westland



"No. I don't have the time." Mark Welch, Salvation Army co-commander



"Absolutely not. I'm not interested. He (Simpson) has more than enough press." Diane Abbott, Westland

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POINTS OF VIEW

Commission offers help for parents, teens

For anyone who has followed this column over the years, you may have picked up on the fact that all of the articles are written about substance abuse and families.

As this writer reflected on what our organization has done over the years, it became apparent that prevention efforts are far and wide. The Community Commission on Drug Abuse, a nonprofit organization, has spent the last five years getting our message into as many places as possible. CCODA staff members work closely with city governments, civic and service organizations, schools, churches and parent groups in western Wayne County.

Several projects are worth noting here. The Wayne-Westland schools have created a Parent Resource Center where parents can turn for parent education, information and referrals. We have piloted a very special program there called parenting assistance. It al-

lows parents to make an appointment for a one-hour consultation with a master's level social worker regarding any issue that may be on the parent's mind.

We have worked with homeless families as well as those who may not know what to do with a child who won't go to school. Parents share concerns for which they have no one to turn to short of seeking out a professional therapist. Depressed and worried parents leave the meeting feeling much more positive about what to do next.

CCODA also works with community task forces to help create after-school and summer programs for kids. Romulus has collaborated with the city's recreation department, school PTAs and Mayor's Task Force to bring elementary and middle school students a plethora of fun substance-free activities. When communities bring various groups together to sponsor and participate in these kinds of projects, CCODA

GUEST COLUMNIST



JACQUE MARTIN-DOWNS

is often in the background helping with that collaboration.

CCODA fashioned a program for pregnant and parenting teens after the highly successful Youth Assistance programs, allowing teen mothers the chance to see how substance use and abuse is closely linked to pregnancy. More recently, CCODA has piloted a

special six-hour program with Girl Scouts to learn more about their sexuality as it relates to drug/alcohol use.

School districts have used CCODA's prevention specialists to run student support groups, eight-week conflict resolution classes, and present alcohol, drug and tobacco messages to classes.

CCODA also created a workshop for parents and students together to address the issues and obstacles related to that child's lack of school success. That program often leads to a parent support group that is held bi-monthly. Our parent education and parent discussion groups are prevalent in many schools and churches where people can gain enormous support from each other and the CCODA facilitator.

CCODA's highly touted PAAW and SWAP programs allow at-risk students to see how their behavior has consequences and that they do have a choice to change directions before it's too late. Both programs have a parent compo-

nent to help the parent "take back control" of the child.

Finally, CCODA is hopeful that the media coverage via newspapers, radio and cable television has also been educational and informative. Our goal is to increase community awareness as to the detrimental effects of substance abuse.

We would like to think that we planted a seed through one message, one comment or one fact that allowed you to think differently about substance abuse and how it impacts your family.

Our aim is to serve you. If you would like a program brought to you, please contact us. All of our programs are free of charge and paid for by Southeastern Michigan Substance Abuse Services (SEMSAS).

Jacquie Martin-Downs, is prevention coordinator for the Community Commission for Drug Abuse. She can be reached at 613-7598.

No research to back 'charter school' claims

Suspicion confirmed: The "new majority" on the State Board of Education has no research to back up its repeated assertions that "charter schools" and the "marketplace" will improve education. They simply repeat their ideological mantras without citing a shred of evidence to support them.

The "new majority" is headed by State Board president Clark Durant. His No. 2 is Marilyn Lundy. Both are Detroit-area Republicans. Durant's key aide is Michael David Warren, a lawyer from Southfield who is administrative assistant to the board.

None has any experience on a public school board or in public school administration. It shows.

Others in the "new majority," as it is charitably called, are Gary Wolfram of Hillsdale, Sharon Wise of Owosso and Ruth Braun of Saginaw. They are essentially Durant's Tory backbenchers, to borrow the parliamentary term.

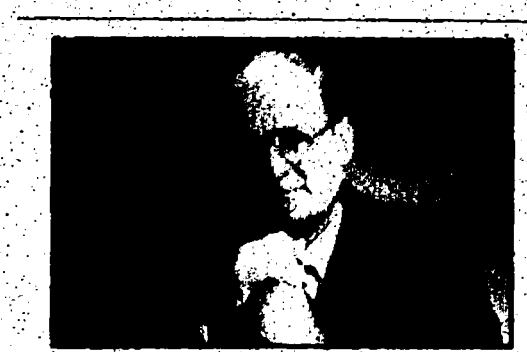
Durant couldn't attend, but Warren

and Lundy appeared at a Sept. 28 forum in Birmingham on the changes they hope to make. They were asked to cite any research that shows the marketplace will weed out bad schools and let good ones survive.

"I look at the history of western civilization," Warren began, citing the Eastern Bloc's collective farms that failed to produce enough food. He answered the question with two questions: "Why don't we apply the same principle that we use in every other part of our lives? Why don't we think about applying the market?" He cited no educational research.

Lundy said: "We are the only free country that doesn't allow choice in education." She never addressed the question — not surprising from one who sees "no evidence" of evolution. (No, it wasn't I who shouted "baloney" at her.)

Research is important with new products. America doesn't trust new drugs to the marketplace; it requires



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much testing before a new drug may be sold. West of Milford is a proving grounds where General Motors tests vehicles before marketing them; it's a good way to avoid more lawsuits.

Our state Department of Transportation tests many kinds of yellow paint on the highways before it buys one that will be used for lane markers; it doesn't blindly trust the marketplace. Our veterinarian wouldn't perform a ligament

operation on the Head Poodle's knee until he had practiced first on cadavers.

Outside the State Board of Education meeting room on the fourth floor of the Hannah Building in Lansing is a rack of research pamphlets. Educators do research on technology in the classroom, parental involvement, early childhood literacy, high school anthologies, even "integrating education and human services" — a pet idea of Gov. John Engler. Yet the "new majority" proposes to expose kids to charter academies without research and testing.

It so happens there is research on school privatization, which is where the charter school movement is heading. It comes out of Chile and was reported in the September NEA Today, a magazine of the National Education Association. Sure, NEA is a union, but it has done some research; Durant, Lundy and Warren don't even use the word.

The article by Fred J. Soloway says Chile's military government in 1979 with "government decrees turning all public schools over to municipalities and authorizing a new kind of school — the private subsidized, or "mixed school." Anyone could start a mixed school. "It didn't matter if they had the proper infrastructure or hygiene. Each school, be it public or mixed, got money from the government based on its enrollment."

That's precisely what Durant is advocating: local control, easing of certification rules, the money following the child.

Chile's results: large class sizes, 170,000 dropouts in Santiago, frozen per-pupil allocations (allegedly to encourage collapse of public schools and total privatization), no paid time for classroom preparation, no incentives for teachers to do graduate work, decreasing access of working-class children to higher education.

Facts justify fear: Young drivers need experience

My younger son, Nathan, is 13. He's already looking forward to driving a car. And my wife Kathy and I are — well — nervous.

Any parent who has watched a teenager drive off into the gathering dusk has felt the gnawing dread of the late-night phone call that their child has had an accident and is injured or dead.

The fear is justified by the facts.

Nationally, drivers under age 20 make up around 6.5 percent of the driving population, yet they account for 12.6 percent of drivers in fatal crashes and more than 14 percent of drivers in all accidents. Fully 40 percent of 16-year-old drivers have an accident that requires a police report.

The Michigan statistics are similar. Drivers under 20 account for about 6 percent of the state's licenses. But these young drivers account for more than 12 percent of all crashes, 15 percent of crashes involving injuries and 13 percent of all fatality accidents.

How come? Most likely explanation is that young drivers simply lack the experience behind the wheel to deal effectively with difficult driving situations.

After all, under the current Michigan licensing system, a 16-year-old who has completed an approved driver training course — usually 30 hours class time and six hours behind the wheel — can get a full driving license. Getting a learner's permit for a 16-year-old is even easier: 10 hours in the classroom and two hours of driving instruction.

That's not much. "Parents have the mistaken notion that driver's education teaches kids how to drive," said Patricia Waller, director of the University of Michigan Transportation Institute. "All it does is give you the rudimentary training to learn how to drive."

And if state Rep. Dan Gustafson, R-Williamston, has his way, young people will need to have a lot more experience before they are fully licensed to drive. Gustafson is the main sponsor of a bill reported out of the House Transportation Committee last week. It would:

- Lower the age to enroll in driver training from 15 years to 14 years, nine months.
- Require kids while enrolled in driver training to log 60 hours of driving with a parent or legal guardian in the car.
- Allow restricted licenses for 16-year-olds only



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after passing a state-approved road tests. (The Michigan road test requirement was eliminated in 1980.)

■ Raise the eligible age for an unrestricted license to 17, but only for those who have had no accidents for the prior six months.

Sounds pretty tough and, at least to my years, pretty good.

It also sounds pretty complicated and hard to keep track of, especially since most of the rules are on the honor system. I couldn't get a lot of police officials to comment on the bill, I suspect because they're reluctant to add a lot of detail when officers pull young people over for an infraction.

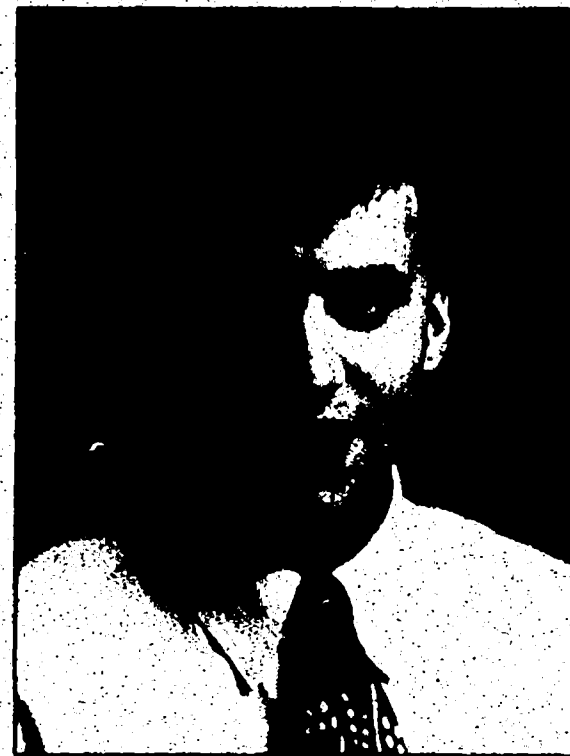
Doug Cruce, former state senator from the Birmingham-Troy district and sponsor of the state mandatory seatbelt law, had an interesting perspective for those parents who see driving around with their kids for 60 hours as a burden. "I don't see it as a huge burden. Any parent who says it opens themselves up for an immature driver in the family to get hurt."

Despite its complexity, I hope Rep. Gustafson's bill becomes law.

Nathan won't like it. But Kathy and I do, and it must make those long evenings dreading the late phone call a little easier to bear.

Phil Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper. His Touch-Tone voice mail number is (313) 953-2047 ext. 1680.

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GOP tort reform law fends off deep-pocket lawsuits

BY TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

Local governments no longer will be "deep pockets" for lawsuits under a Republican tort reform law signed by Gov. John Engler.

Warmest in praise was state Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton, a former township clerk.

"There have been instances in Canton Township where tragic accidents have occurred, clearly at the fault of the plaintiff," Bennett said after the Sept. 28 vote. "But if the plaintiff is able to prove the township even one percent at fault, it opens a conduit for the plaintiff's family to sue for tens of thousands of dollars — or more — all at taxpayer expense."

Over Democratic protests, the Senate pulled House Bill 4508 out of the Judiciary Committee, fought off a series of Democratic amendments, then passed it on nearly a party-line vote, 20-18. Voting against it were two Republicans, David Honigman of West Bloomfield and Jon Clisky of Saginaw, and all 18 Democrats.

What law does

The new law, which takes effect April 1, 1996, will:

- Block "jury shopping" by requiring civil lawsuits to be filed in the county where the damage occurred. This is likely to block the flow of suits into Wayne County, where juries are allegedly more generous to those who sue.

- Deny non-economic (pain and suffering) damages to plaintiffs who are more than 50 percent at fault for their own injuries. This section most pleased Bennett and the bill's sponsor, Rep. Michael Nye, R-Litchfield.

- Abolish "joint and several liability," where a defendant who was only partly at fault can be required to pay 100 percent of the award if a second defendant is broke or lacks insurance. (An exception: medical malpractice, where "J & S" was retained.)

Business and government groups hailed the new law. Trial lawyers and labor deplored it.

Peters objects

One of the most vocal objectors was freshman Sen. Gary Peters, D-Bloomfield Township, whose district includes Pontiac and Southfield and contains one of the state's biggest concentrations of lawyers.

Peters, a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee, complained that chairman William Van Regenmorter, R-Jenison, asked him to "hold off now" on amendments because "we'll take them up later." But Senate Republicans cut off testimony and debate, Peters said, by discharging the bill from committee and bringing it to the floor after limited testimony.

Peters' amendment to restore "J & S" liability in cases involving wrongful death was defeated on a 19-19 tie vote. Honigman and two other Republicans joined Democrats in support.

Another Peters amendment would have restored "J & S" where the defendant did damage intentionally, was convicted of a crime in which gross negligence was an element, or was drunk while operating a motor vehicle or boat that caused injury. It went down 16-20.

"Rejecting that amendment and passing this bill protected three groups of people: the guilty, the negligent and wrongdoers. So much for holding people accountable for their actions," said Peters, using the Republicans' own accountability phrase against them.

Sen. Dianne Byrum, D-Onondaga, lost on her amendment to restore "J & S" to damage suits over breast implants. It went down 16-21.

Sen. Bill Schuette, R-Midland, argued that it was aimed "at a specific employer, who happens to

be in my district." Dow Corning, a maker of silicone implants, employs 4,000. Schuette said that if one company were singled out today, "It could be BOC (Buick-Olds-Cadillac Division) in Lansing; it could be Steelcase in west Michigan; it could be Upjohn for a vaccine; it could be a big construction company in Detroit" tomorrow.

Sen. Alma Wheeler Smith, D-Salem, voiced her opposition in the Senate Journal, saying: "What we are doing here is creating a new deep pocket in Michigan, and that is the victim of negligent, injurious action."

What's next

Applauding the bill was Michigan Voters Against Lawsuit Abuse, a coalition of business organizations and governments.

Its chairman, Paul Boudreau, director of governmental affairs

for AlliedSignal Automotive, said it will help cure "one of the worst" tort systems in the nation.

Boudreau called for House passage of a companion measure, Senate Bill 344, a product liability measure that would:

- Prevent people who alter products from collecting damages from the manufacturer.
- Prevent persons who injure themselves while under the influence of alcohol or drugs from collecting damages.

- Require "expert witnesses" to meet the same requirements used in federal suits. This provision is aimed at what businesses call "junk science" by experts who make a living testifying in lawsuits.

- Limit "pain and suffering" damages to \$280,000 in most cases and \$500,000 in serious cases. Economic damages, including medical treatment and work loss benefits, would not be capped.

Telecom bill from page 6A

weeks later "when their carrier sends them their monthly bill to find the call astronomically billed at up to seven times the rate charged by AT&T, MCI or Sprint," Kelley said, citing a bill of \$7.14 for a one-minute call between Flint and Frankenmuth.

Kelley said mall owners get big commissions from AOS providers for allowing them to install their phones. The attorney general called for more mandatory information to be posted on such public phones — the name of the AOS provider, rates and instruction on how to access a preferred carrier.

Sec. 317 caps AOS rates at 200 percent of the current statewide average for public phones, one of the GOP's few concessions to price controls.

Dunaskiss and Dobb huddled in an unused, fourth-floor committee room of the State Capitol Tuesday with local government representatives concerned about how the bill may affect their fees.

According to a Dunaskiss-Dobb "highlights" sheet, the new bill "prohibits a local unit of government from exerting authority over a provider of a competitive service, except for the maintenance of rights of way."

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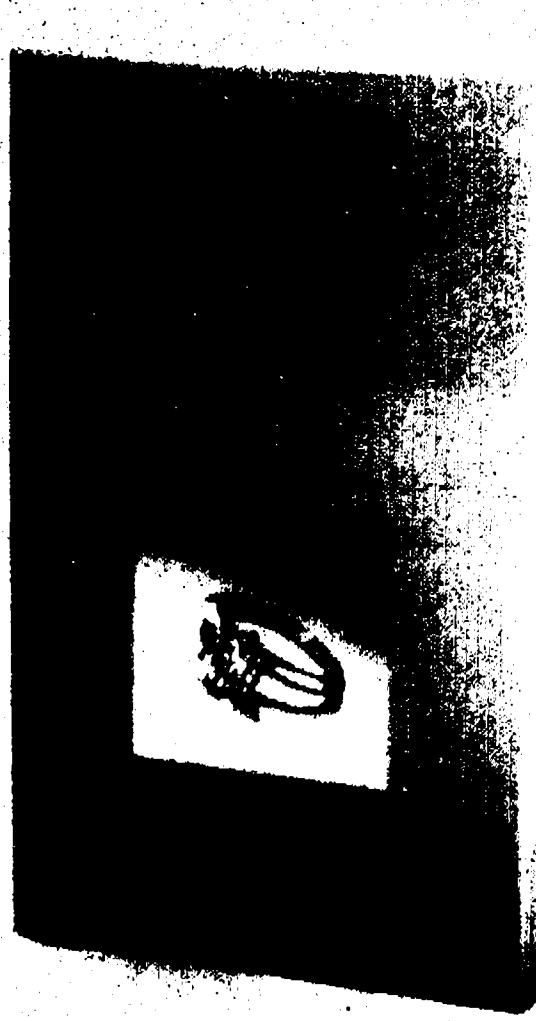


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A Meier salute to C. Columbus

Happy Columbus Day! It's today, you know. The real, the original, the authentic Columbus Day, although nowadays, most calendars don't let on to that. But Oct. 12 is, indeed, the real Columbus Day — it's when, 503 years ago, Columbus and his crew first spotted land after their very long voyage across the ocean.

And it is the date when Columbus actually landed in the New World. In the Bahamas, to be exact, although he thought it was China and called the people there Indians. But that's neither here nor there. I'm going to overlook all that today.

What I am concerned with here is the date of that discovery — Oct. 12. That's what's in question today. And I was rather upset for not being absolutely sure about that date this year. Why, I even had to resort to looking it up in the encyclopedia because my memory wasn't sharp on this anymore and the calendar on my wall didn't help at all. It said Columbus Day was this past Monday, Oct. 9. Good grief! Columbus would still have been bouncing around on the waves on Oct. 9, trying desperately to prevent a mutiny. Certainly nothing to celebrate there.

Anyway, I had this feeling that Oct. 9 wasn't the real Columbus Day. And it wasn't. The ninth, of course, turned out to be one of those Monday holidays, a someone-has-messed-with-tradition holiday.

Now I have to say, Monday holidays are starting to have an adverse effect. It's getting harder to remember important historical dates.

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'Light Up' benefits hospice



STAFF PHOTOS BY JIM JACQUEL

The three F's — food, fashions and fun — will liven up the evening when the Italian American Club of Livonia and Jacobson's Laurel Park Place stage the eighth annual "Light Up a Life" benefit for Angela Hospice next month.

A popular pre-holiday event, the gala get-together will be held 6-9 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 5, at Jacobson's Laurel Park Place store, Newburgh and Six Mile roads, Livonia.

A popular pre-holiday event — last year it attracted more than

1,000 people — the benefit will include a taste fest, featuring food and beverages from more than 30 area restaurants and specialty shops, children's and celebrity fashion shows, and entertainment.

"A children's fashion show is planned and St. John Knits has promised a bigger and spectacular showing of their 1995-1996 holiday and cruise wear, and everyone will have an evening of shopping," said benefit organizers Carolyn DiComo of Northville Township and Loretta Burni of Farmington Hills.

New this year is a special VIP reception with the celebrities — Tiger broadcasters Frank Beckman and Lary Sorenson; WXYZ-TV reporters Cheryl Chodun, Dan Springer and Don Shane; former Detroit Tigers Milt Wilcox and Rick Leach; WDIV Channel 4 weather reporter Paul Gross; WJR radio personality Jimmy Lounce; and Channel 50 anchorman David Scott — 5:30-6:30 p.m. in the Community Room at Jacobson's.

VIP event tickets (which include the reception) are \$50 per person.

General admission tickets are \$35 per person.

The strolling supper will feature samples of food and beverages from Livonia's Allie's American Grill, Jacobson's, Laurel Manor and Fonte D'Amore, Tavern on the Green, Lorries Confectionately Yours, Chimento's, Mountain Jacks, The Olive Garden, Livonia Italian Bakery, Joe's Produce, De Palma's, D. Denison's, Chef Jean-Paul Le Page of Angel Hospice, Macaroni Grill, Sur-

See **BENEFIT**, 14A

Fun with fashions: Loretta Burni of Farmington Hills (at left, from right), Jacobson's store manager Norman Kesman and Carolyn DiComo of Livonia are busy putting the finishing touches on the "Light Up A Life" fashion benefit that will have Mark Sorensen, 9 (top photo, from left) Addison Kelley, 31/2, and Laura Sorensen, 13, as models.

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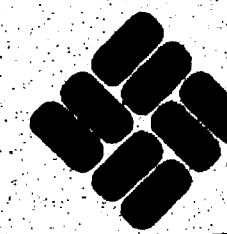
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Family Room from page 13A

Because of them, our history is becoming fuzzy. They're making us, I believe, all a little dumber. And most assuredly, they're reducing our chances of winning the big money on "Jeopardy."

Monday holidays are just plain confusing. And frequently not very fair. Just some of the people get the benefit of an extra day off while the rest of us get our garbage days mixed up and our bills in the mail a day late and a sudden urge to buy a large appliance.

Anyway, today is indeed the date Columbus discovered the New World. And today's date, along with Columbus's accomplishments, is certainly worth remembering.

It's easy to remember Columbus's accomplishments; they were nothing short of astounding. And they were astounding for many reasons. Not the least of which was his unwavering sense of direction. When traveling south to the Canary Islands after leaving Spain, he knew good and well that he was indeed traveling south. And then when he left the Canaries and headed westward, although he may not have known the exact name of his destination,

he knew, without a doubt, what direction he was going in to get there. And that's astounding... at least to those of us who've worn the label "directionally dysfunctional" for all our lives.

North, south, east, west. They may make sense to millions and they made sense to Columbus. But to me, it's Greek. And yet every day, I see people who are as comfortable with north, south, east, west as they are with their own socks. These people manage to "get there," wherever there is, by first going north, then turning west, then heading south for a short way.

How do they do that? Those are such flimsy directions — so unconnected to anything tangible and handy — unlike "left." And "right." Now, I have a left hand and I have a right hand and both are with me all the time. What I don't have is an east hand. Or a west hand. Therefore, it's completely understandable that when I drive up to a freeway entrance ramp with its circlly U-shaped roadway, north becomes south, south becomes west, and east meets west. And I get lost.

Directionally gifted people never have these troubles. And direc-

tionally gifted people insist that a sense of direction is characteristic to all life forms, even the lowest, even plankton, someone once tried to tell me. Well, that's just plain aggravating to be compared with plankton. Not to mention humiliating. Not to mention the premise of the argument is a big fat lie. Being directionless affects lots of species, people included. Like my whole side of the family.

My own mother, father, brother, and sister are directionless. And various aunts, uncles and first cousins are, too. This is all a matter of genetics. Like eye color and blood type. Not finding your way out of a paper bag has nothing to do with your standing in the animal or plant kingdom.

West, east, north, south. I salute all who are able to divine any meaning from these. And today, Oct. 12, I salute, especially, Christopher Columbus whose mastery of all these allowed him to find new worlds and stay out of paper bags.

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.

Benefit from page 13A

ell Catering from Daniel Lord Knights of Columbus and Villa de Roma.

Others include Da Vinci and Trattoria Bruschetta of Novi; de Ros Delicacies of Redford Township, Plymouth's Ernesto's and the Water Club Seafood Grill, Northville's Great Harvest Bread Company, U Take the Cake, Rocky's and MacKinnon's.

Others include Henry Ford Estate at the University of Michigan-Deerborn; Mary Denning's Cake Shoppe, Westland; Michigan Star Clipper Dinner Train, Walled Lake; Old Mexico of West Bloomfield; and Proper English Products (Scones) of Danaville.

Entertainment for the evening will be supplied by Livonia's Franklin High School Jazz Band.

Another popular feature is the raffle with eight prizes to be given away at 8:40 p.m. Tickets for the raffle are \$1 each. First prize is a 51-inch maple china cabinet, donated by Chris Furniture. Other prizes include a \$500 gift certificate from Jacobson's, a weekend for two at the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island, two round-trip tickets to Orlando via USAir, a 1996 golf membership for two at the Northville Greene Golf Course, a VIP game package for four to a Detroit Lions football game (1996), brunch for two adults and four children at Second City to watch the Thanksgiving Day Parade and more.

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The Italian-American Club hopes to raise \$50,000 for Angela Hospice's "My Nest Is Best" pediatric bereavement program

which reaches out to children who have experienced a loss through death, whether it is a loss of a sibling, parent, grandparent, friend or family member. This is the second year the pediatric program has been on the receiving end of the benefit.

Angela Hospice Home Care was founded in 1985 by Sister Mary Giovanni under the sponsorship of the Felician Sisters of the Presentation Province in Livonia.

For more information about Angela Hospice, call (313) 464-7810.



Model citizens: Detroit Tiger broadcasters Frank Beckman and Lary Sorenson will be joined by WXYZ-TV reporter Don Shane on the runway for the "Light Up a Life" celebrity fashion show.



Caffeine helps performance

Enjoy that cup of coffee. Order a double cappuccino.

According to Eastern Michigan University Assistant Professor Paul Gordon, large doses of caffeine actually helped a group of cyclists last longer and psychologically feel better during vigorous exercise.

Gordon, who teaches in EMU's Department of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, conducted his research with a group of male cyclists who were semi-professional athletes. The subjects rode about 100 miles a week and abstained from caffeine, drinking less than one caffeinated drink per week.

"I looked at whether caffeine has an effect with multiple bouts of exercise," Gordon said. "My questions were: does caffeine make a difference? Do athletes who take caffeine appear more rested for their second bout of exercise?"

Gordon found the answer is yes. For the experiment, he first asked the cyclists to ride computer integrated stationary bikes in a particularly vigorous manner so that they depleted their leg muscles of glycogen, a stored form of glucose or sugar that fuels muscular activity.

The cyclists then were given one of three combinations: caffeine and glucose, a placebo and glucose or two placebos. The

caffeine was administered in 500-milligram tablets equal to five cups of coffee — all at once.

After a three-hour rest, the men performed another ride at their maximum capacity, riding until exhausted.

"The individuals who took the caffeine rode for a longer period of time, even with this intensive effort," Gordon said. Statistically, the caffeine drinkers lasted 15 percent longer than those with just the glucose or the placebo.

"Another interesting result was that the subjects with caffeine seemed to feel better," Gordon said. "Caffeine seemed to alter their perceptions. Things felt easier. It appears caffeine may aid in allowing a person to feel more rested."

Gordon, however, was cautious in suggesting implications from his results.

"When an athlete has to sit out a while, caffeine could improve the later performance," he said. "It might be appropriate for the U.S. Army to feed caffeine to soldiers who apt on the march."

Gordon added that in moderate amounts caffeine does increase alertness in most people and is safe to ingest. In excessive amounts, caffeine is associated with an increased risk of heart disease and gastrointestinal problems.

Gordon is one of 20 partici-

pants selected to take part in a national conference this September focusing on physical activity and public health. The conference, sponsored by the Centers for Disease Control, the American Heart Association and the University of South Carolina School of Public Health, will focus on establishing a national research agenda for the fields of physical activity and public health.

Did you know . . .

When it comes to the nation's work force, women have become a permanent fixture.

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And when it comes to educational attainment, women still trail men.

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Harmon-Mikkelsen

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Harmon of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Katherine Mary, to John Richard Mikkelsen, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Mikkelsen, also of Livonia.

The bride-to-be, a graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School, is a senior at the University of Michigan-Dearborn where she is majoring in secondary education.

Her fiancé, a graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School and the University of Michigan-Dearborn, is employed by the Ford Motor Co. as a mechanical engineer.

A December wedding is



planned in St. Aidan's Catholic Church in Livonia.

Benson-Gray

Tina Marie Gray and James Paul Benson II were married June 24 in First United Methodist Church in Plymouth by the Rev. Dean Klump. She is the daughter of Ken and Carol Gray of Farmington Hills; he is the son of James and Sally Benson of Livonia.

The bride is a graduate of Ladywood High School and Eastern Michigan University. She is employed as an elementary teacher.

The groom is a graduate of Livonia Churchill High School and is the owner of Sunrise Powerwash Inc.

Erin Martin served as maid of honor with bridesmaids Ruth Nasholm and Kim Pierscinski.

Peter Leventis served as best man with groomsmen Brian Gray



and Tom Giorgi. The couple received guests at Walnut Creek Country Club in South Lyon. They are making their home in Minnetonka, Minn.

LaVeck-Helzerman

Amy Lynn Helzerman and William Tracy LaVeck were married May 6 at First United Methodist Church in Ypsilanti, with the Rev. David E. Kidd officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Chester and Betty Jones of Ypsilanti and Thomas and Patsy Helzerman of Ann Arbor. The groom is the son of Phillip and Joyce LaVeck of Canton.

The bride, a graduate of Ypsilanti High School, is attending Shelby State Community College in Memphis, Tenn.

The groom is a graduate of Plymouth-Salem High School and Eastern Michigan University with a degree in aviation management technology. He is employed at Federal Express in Memphis, Tenn.

Julie Agar served as maid of honor. Cheryl Houghton, Yvonne LaVeck, Ami Favara and Kelley Klenda served as bridesmaids.

Garrett Bowie served as best man with groomsmen Jackson Fougerousse, Robert LaVeck,



Robert Ruete and Christopher Kennedy. Ushers were Daniel Helzerman, Alan Jones, and Craig Petix.

The couple received guests at Radisson on the Lake in Ypsilanti, before leaving for Cancun, Mexico. They are making their home in Memphis, Tenn.

Balash-Wagnon

David and Eleanore Balash of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Teresa Marie, to Garth Michael Wagnon, the son of Val Morgan of Dearborn Heights and the late Jerrold Wagnon.

The bride-to-be is a 1987 graduate of Plymouth-Canton High School and a 1992 graduate of Madonna University with a bachelor of arts degree in secondary education, history and political science. She is employed as a secondary teacher by the Redford Union School District.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Clarkston High School and the owner of a heating and cooling



company. A February 1996 wedding is planned in St. Theodore's Catholic Church in Westland.

Borys-Langlinals

James E. and Gerri Borys of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Darlena V., to Benedict L. Langlinals, the son of Kent and Jeanette Langlinals of Youngsville, La.

The bride-to-be is a 1986 graduate of Stevenson High School and 1991 graduate of GMI Engineering and Management Institute. She is employed by GMPT-Livonia Engine.

Her fiancé is a 1981 graduate of Vermilion Catholic High School and a 1988 graduate of University of Southwestern Louisiana. He is employed by EDS.

A November wedding is



planned at St. Genevieve Catholic Church in Livonia.

Kaucic-Hedrick

Thomas and Judith Kaucic of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Carolyn Ann, to John Franklin Hedrick III of Westland, the son of the late John and Fran Hedrick.

The bride-to-be is a 1988 graduate of Ladywood High School and 1992 graduate of Wayne State University with a bachelor of arts degree in psychology. She is employed by Services to Enhance Potential in Livonia as a case coordinator.

Her fiancé is a 1987 graduate of Thoms River High School-South in Thoms River, N.J., and 1992 graduate of Michigan State University with a bachelor of arts degree in general business. He is employed by Spartan Metal Finishing in Detroit as a controller. He is working on his master's de-



gree in accounting at Eastern Michigan University. An April wedding is planned at St. John's Episcopal Church in Plymouth.

Here's how to submit your announcements

Local engagement, wedding and anniversary announcements run in the Thursday editions of The Observer.

Residents of Livonia, Redford, Garden City and Westland, should send their engagement,

wedding or anniversary information, with or without photograph, to The Observer, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Residents of the Plymouth-Canton area should send information to The Observer, 744 Wing St., Plymouth 48170.

Preprinted forms that outline the information needed for your engagement, wedding or anniversary announcement are available at either office.

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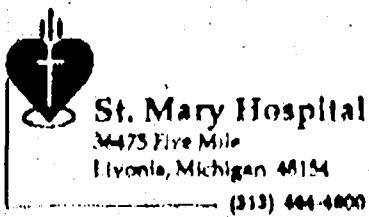
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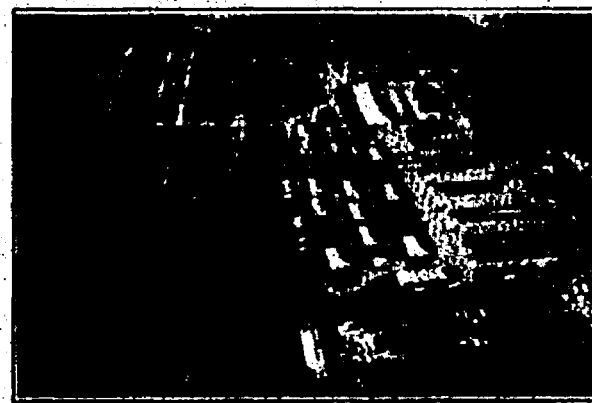
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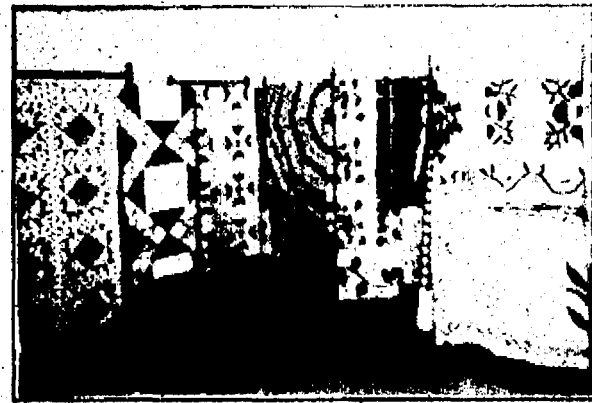
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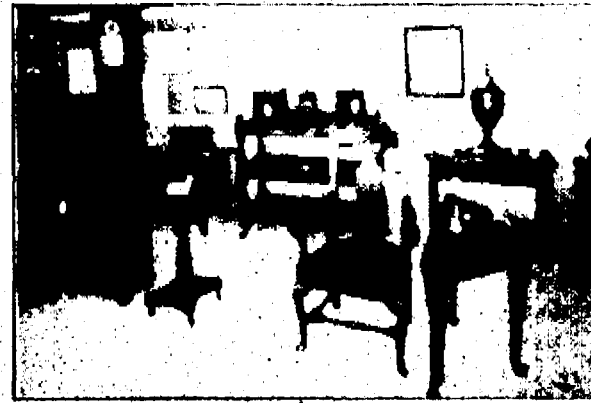
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Angels, stories, big band sounds: Town Hall has it all

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER

The Livonia Town Hall speakers' series is taking a local angle for its 1995-96 season, beginning

Wednesday, Oct. 18.

Astrologer Linda Newman, who will soon start her own radio show, kicks off the season when she is scheduled to talk about

"Angels and Their Presence."

"With angels being such a rage at the present time, I think we're on the ground floor getting Linda Newman," said Dee Dee Dittmar,

this year's chairwoman.

A long-time member of the Detroit Storytellers League, Florence Dinghy Sharp will visit the Town Hall series on Wednesday, Nov.

15. The former Farmington special education teacher who has been recognized as a pioneer in remedial education, tells how her grandfather, A.C. Spalding, invented the first baseball and bat and recounts "Twas the Night Before Christmas," written by her great-grandfather Samuel Clement Moore.

Listeners to WJR's Kaleidoscope program should recognize Michael Whorf's voice when he speaks to the Town Hall crowd on Wednesday, Jan. 17. Whorf, who started at WJR in 1965, will recount the history of broadcasting from 1940-1950.

"Everybody recognizes Mike Whorf's name and voice and they want to see him in person," Dittmar said. "He doesn't avail himself that much so when you get him, everybody says, 'Oh my God. I have listened to him and I know him and I want to see what he's like in person.'"

Plymouth resident Weldon Petz will close out the season Wednesday, March 20, when he will speak about his career as a professional musician. He's been a member of Horace Heidt, Johnny Long and Jimmy Dorsey bands. He also has recorded with Ella Fitzgerald.

His vivid storytelling and his insights into "The History and Sounds of the Big Band Era" should revive the spirit of the era, according to Dittmar.

Petz has spoken on other occasions about the history of Lincoln and his 5,000-plus Santa Claus collection that has been displayed at the Plymouth Historical Museum.

"We have had him talking about Lincoln and everybody was really enthralled with him," Dittmar said. "He could talk for four hours and nobody would move a muscle. He's such a storyteller."

Dittmar said that many times the audience is more interested in local folks.

"We find that when you have a good local speaker, they're a bigger draw than somebody who's well-known as an aging beauty queen or an author or something like that," she said. "We try to give it a nice mix so that they're entertained and educated."

"It gives us a little bit of information for everybody to be interested in."

Season tickets are \$32, and single tickets are \$10. Either can be bought at the door. The lunches are \$12 and reservations must be made the Friday before the lectures are held. The lectures are at 10:30 a.m. at Burton Manor, 27777 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia.

To buy season tickets, make checks payable to Livonia Town Hall and mail to Joanne Buhl, 35638 Perth, Livonia 48150. For more information about tickets sales or to volunteer, call her at (313) 691-1673.

To make luncheon reservations, send checks, payable to Livonia Town Hall, to Dee Cullen, 9824 Berwick, Livonia 48150. Contact her at (313) 625-4696.



Linda Newman



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Weldon Petz

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Handwriting shows she wants to be architect of her own life experiences

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LORENE GREEN

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Today's writer wants to be the architect of her own life. She seeks freedom for growth and change. She is not inclined to conform to customs or traditions simply because they are established. She needs logical reasons for doing so.

Currently, she seems to be jumping from one activity to another. This could be caused by some unhappiness due to a lack of fulfillment in the emotional sense.

The writer wants to feel what she is doing is the result of her own choice. The consequences of her activities are both important and valuable to her.

This woman is versatile and creative. Whatever she does will have her personal stamp upon it.

Our writer is mentally productive, efficient and shows sound judgment. She is capable of mental shortcuts and can weed out the superfluous. She is skillful in putting her ideas into practice and probably enjoys mental challenges. She has strong feelings about some of her ideas. If necessary, she is prepared to defend them.

She is mentally mature with a good sense of reality and a mat-

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ter-of-fact attitude. Goals are realistic and she usually avoids extremes.

Her ability to simplify complicated information and render it more effective cannot be missed. Her mind is often at work, creating new ideas to achieve her results. She can identify a problem, then look for the most viable solution. Considering the intuiting here, she is probably able to weigh the soundness of other people's reasoning.

This woman is time-aware and she uses hers wisely. She is interested in quick results and has an aversion to delays and wasted time.

Her manner of speaking and acting is usually forthright. In her

work, she wants good equipment. If it will expedite the job, she's interested in having it.

And now I would be pleased to hear the writer's assessment of this personality profile.

If you would like your handwriting analyzed in this newspaper, write to Lorene C. Green, a certified graphologist, at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48160. Please write a few paragraphs about yourself, using a full sheet of white, unlined paper and writing in the first person singular. Age, handedness and signature are all helpful. Due to the volume of mail, personal replies are not possible. However, objective feedback is welcome.

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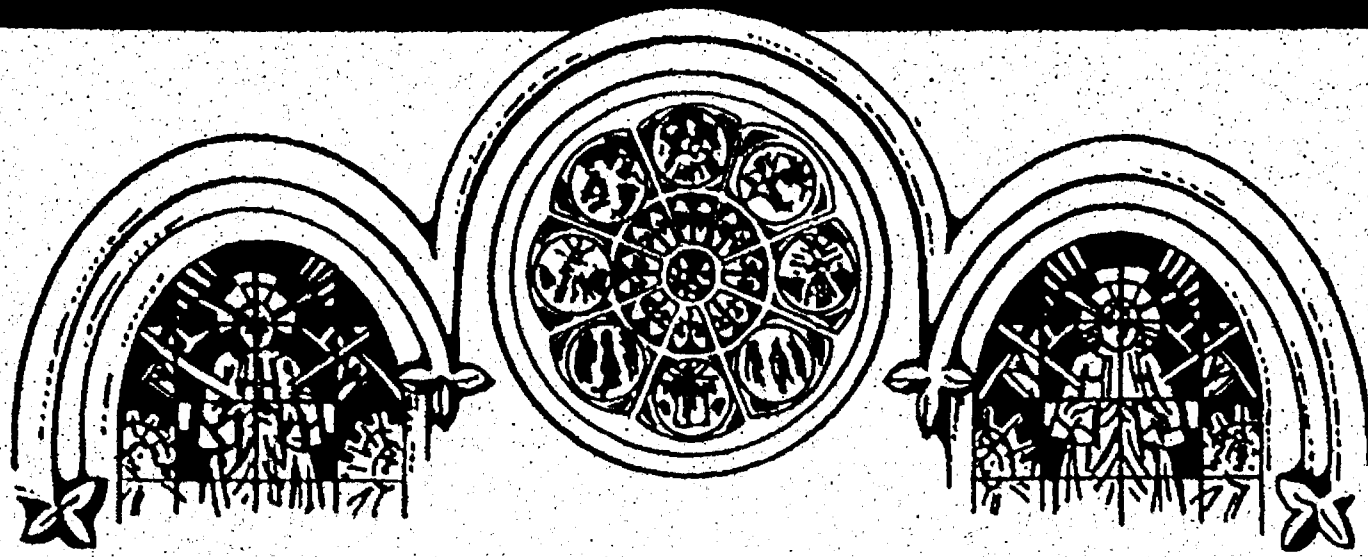
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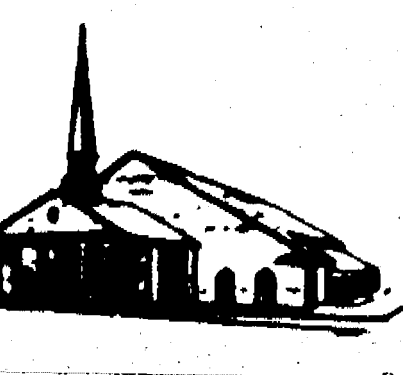
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October 15th
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RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday's issue.

■ OKTOBER FEST

Newburg United Methodist Church of Livonia is hosting "Oktober Fest" Friday, Oct. 13, at the church, 38500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m., with the Renaissance Chorus performing at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$4 for kids. All proceeds benefit Outreach. For more information, call (313) 422-0149.

■ CHORAL CONCERT

Unity of Livonia's "Saturday Nite Live" program presents the Detroit Korean Church Adult and Children's Choir in concert at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, at the church, 28660 Five Mile, between Inkster and Middlebelt roads, Livonia. For more information, call Derek Dube at (313) 421-1760.

■ BARNYARD DANCE

Bethany-West chapter, a nonpro-

fit Catholic organization which provides spiritual, social and educational assistance to divorced and separated Christians through peer ministry, is hosting a "Barnyard Dance" at 9 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, at St. Robert Bellarmine Church in West Chicago, east of Inkster Road. The cost is \$8 which includes pop, beer, wine and munchies. For more information, call Kathy at (313) 584-1168 or Laurie at (313) 565-3529.

■ 'BEYOND SUPERWOMAN'

The Board of Women's Ministry at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church in Livonia is sponsoring a one-day workshop, "Beyond Superwoman," 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, at the church, 14175 Farmington Road, Livonia. The \$10 cost includes lunch and refreshments. The workshop, led by Elise Arndt, author of "A Mother's Touch" and "A Mother's Time," deals with how women of the '90s have passed through the "Supervoman" syndrome and escalated into a realm of unconscious speeds of thinking and doing. For tickets, call (313) 522-6830.

■ TRAVELING TEAM

The Jews for Jesus traveling evangelistic team, The Liberated Wailing Wall, will come to Trinity Presbyterian Church in Plymouth at 7 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, and to Canton's Calvary Baptist Church at 6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 15. Jews for Jesus, an independent missionary organization founded in 1973 by Molshe Rosen, uses drama, music, the spoken and the written word to get the point across — all with a distinctly Jewish accent. Trinity Presbyterian is at 10101 W. Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, (313) 459-9550, while Calvary Baptist is at 43065 Joy, Canton, (313) 455-0022.

■ DIRECTOR TO VISIT

The Rev. Roger Livdahl, director for the World Hunger Appeal of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, will visit Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 34567 Seven Mile, Livonia, during the 8:30 and 11 a.m. services Sunday, Oct. 15. Livdahl graduated from Luther Theological Seminary in 1961; he served as parish pastor for a number of years. From 1976-90, he

served as Church World Service/CROP-Minn-Kota regional director in North Dakota. In 1990, he became director for the World Hunger Appeal, R.I.C.A. For more information about his visit, call (810) 442-8822.

■ MAYBERRY & SMITH

Don Mayberry and Amge Smith, two professional musicians, will lead the congregation of Trinity Church of the Brethren in Redford in worship at the 10:30 a.m. service Sunday, Oct. 15. The duo recently recorded an album of African-American spirituals, "Let My People Go." The church is at West Chicago and Inkster roads. For more information, call (313) 937-1199.

■ RADIO SHOWS

The radio series "What is this Christian Science and who are these Christian Scientists?" is being broadcast at 9:30 a.m. Sundays on WAAM-AM 1600. Topics include "Media coverage of Christian Science" on Oct. 15, "Why don't Christian Scientists take medicine?" on Oct. 22, and "Is it possible to heal without medicine?" on Oct. 29. The series also can be heard at 8:30 a.m. Sundays on CKLW-AM 800. The series is produced by the Christian Science Committee on Publication for Michigan and sponsored by local Christian Science churches. For more information, call 800-886-1212.

■ SOCIAL ISSUES

The Rev. Charles Bouyue, associate council director of urban ministries/church and society of the Detroit Conference, will lead a roundtable discussion of social issues 7-9 p.m. Wednesdays, Oct. 18 and 25, at Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 10000 Beech Daly, between Plymouth Road and West Chicago, Redford. In his discussion, he will use the booklet "Social Principles of the United Methodist Church," based on "The Book of Discipline." For more information, call (313) 937-3170.

■ 'LEARNING STYLES'

Cynthia Ulrich Tobias, M.Ed. and president of Learning Styles Unlimited, will give three workshops on "learning styles" at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia, Sunday and Monday, Oct. 22-23.

At the 7 p.m. Sunday program, her topic will be "No Two Alike," an overview of learning styles for parents. There will be a noon luncheon on Monday for professional Christian educators on the topic "In All Our Ways... Acknowledging Him." Tickets are \$5 and available through Ward Christian Education Department. Monday evening, Tobias will speak about "Not Just Another Day of School!" for lay Christian educators at 7:30 p.m. Tobias is a best-selling author

of "The Way They Learn" and "The Way We Work." She has been a popular guest on "Focus on the Family" radio broadcasts.

For more information, call the Ward Christian Education Department at (313) 422-1836.

■ PRAYER DINNER

Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. for a 6 p.m. prayer dinner Tuesday, Oct. 24, at the Sveden House, 29477 Seven Mile, at Middlebelt in Livonia. Guest speaker will be Sister Loretta Mellon. Cost is \$7.50 and reservations can be made by calling Kathlee Hollowell at (313) 427-4371 or Pat Slinder at (313) 522-8905.

■ KIDS' ACTIVITIES

"Fall Fling" for children ages 3-12 of all faiths will be held 6:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 25, at Temple Baptist Church's fieldhouse on West Chicago, two blocks east of Telegraph, Redford. Games, activities, candy and prizes will be provided. Hot dogs and other snack items will be available. The theme of this year's fling is "Favorite TV Characters." For more information, call (313) 255-3333.

■ BLOOD DRIVE

Donors are needed for a Red Cross blood drive 2-8 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 9, at Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, at Six Mile, Livonia. For more information, call the church at (313) 422-1150.



Dedication day: Elders Jim Miller (from left) and Lavern Halstead, State Rep. Lyn Bankes; minister Mark McGilvery, Mayor Robert Bennett, elders Joe Clark, Dick Porter and Keith Peters were behind the yellow ribbon for the Sept. 24 dedication of Memorial Church of Christ's more than \$1 million renovation and expansion project.

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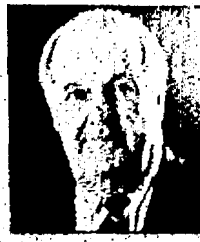
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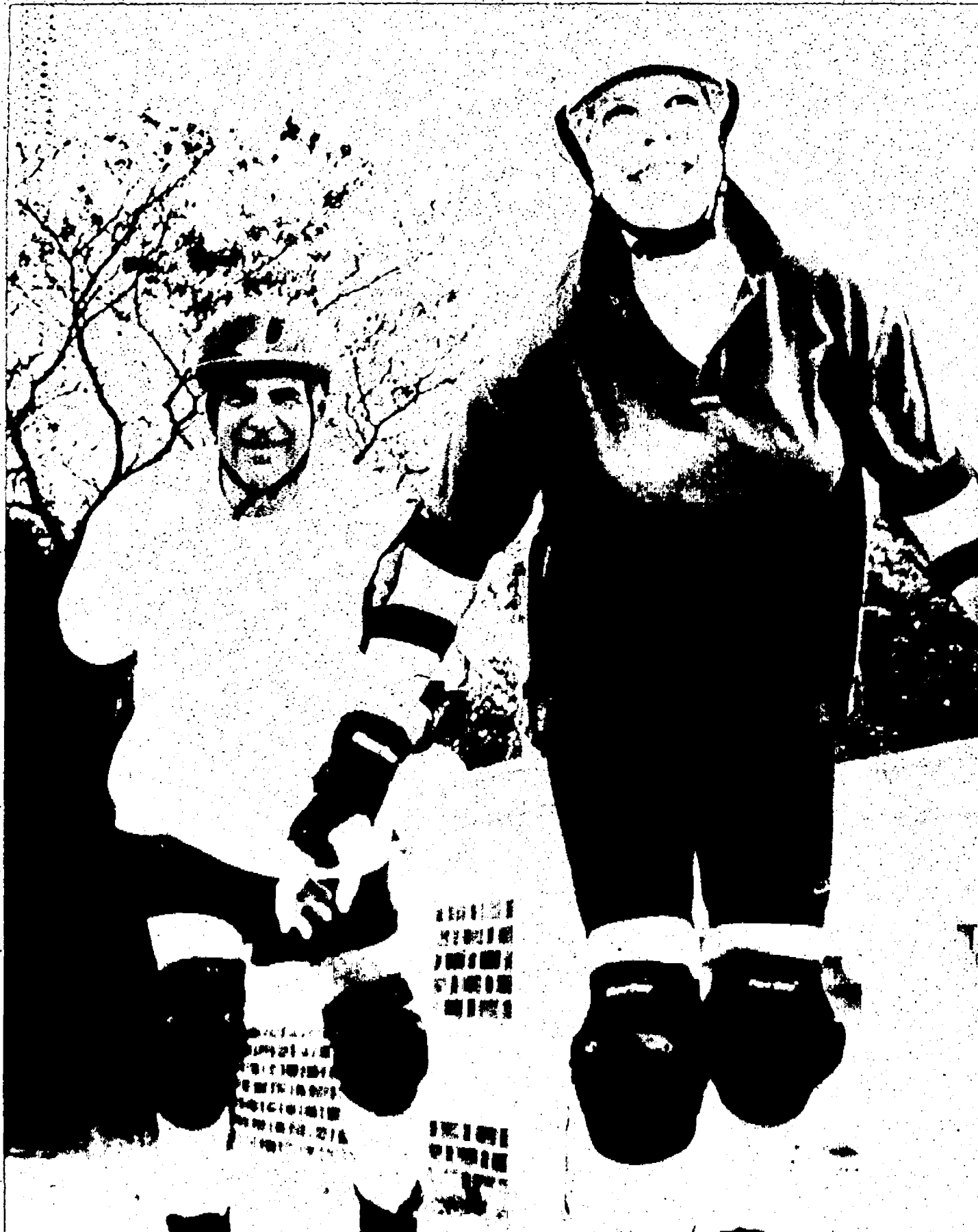
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CRAFTS CALENDAR

Cabaret to benefit Community Hospice

Announcements about craft shows can be submitted in writing to Sue Mason at The Observer Newsagents, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. For more information, call (313) 963-2131.

Friday-Saturday, Oct. 13-14

ABINGTON MANOR Abington Manor senior apartment community is having a craft show and bake sale 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 13-14 at the complex, 37601 Joy at Newburgh, Westland. (313) 451-1155

Saturday, Oct. 14

GARDEN CITY ROTC The sixth annual Garden City ROTC craft show will be 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Oct. 14 at Garden City High School, Middlebelt north of Ford Road, Garden City. (313) 427-2540

HOLY SPIRIT EPISCOPAL Holy Spirit Episcopal Church will have a fall crafts bazaar 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 14 at the church, 9063 Newburgh, Livonia. There will be a craft sale, white elephant sale, hands-on kids' craft room and food served 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. (313) 591-0211

MARSHALL ELEMENTARY A craft fair will be held Oct. 14 at the school, 33901 Curtis, west of Farmington Road between Six Mile and Seven Mile roads, Livonia. Admission will be \$1. There also will be a bake sale and lunch counter. (313) 425-7235

WESTLAND MUSEUM The Friends of the Westland Museum will have an arts and crafts show 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Oct. 14 in the Bailey Recreation Center, 36651 Ford Road, between Wayne Road and Newburgh roads, Westland, to raise money for the restoration of the Perinville Schoolhouse. Ruth Dale at (313) 425-1955, Jo Johnson at (313) 522-3918, or Denise Johnson at (313) 261-3633

ST. THEODORE St. Theodores Catholic Church Confraternity of Christian Women will hold its annual Busy Bee Boutique 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Oct. 14 at the church, 8200 N. Wayne Road, south of Joy, Westland. Mary at the church at (313) 425-4421 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays

Saturday, Oct. 21

ST. DAMIAN St. Damian School will have its annual craft show 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Oct. 21 at the school, 29891 Joy, Westland. Table space is \$28. (313) 981-2182

ST. RICHARD St. Richard's Women Guild will have its 23rd annual craft fair 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Oct. 21 in the Social Hall of the church, 35851 Cherry Hill Road, Westland. There will be more than 30 crafters, baked goods and refreshments. Pat at (313) 721-0277 or Betty at (313) 722-8207

ST. JAMES PRESBYTERIAN A craft sale will be Oct. 21 at the church, 25350 Six Mile, Redford. Crafters needed. (313) 534-7730

ST. ALDAN The St. Aldan Women's Guild will have a craft show 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 21 in the activity center, 17600 Farmington Road, Livonia. There will be a bake sale, crafter raffle and hot lunch. Admission will be \$1. (313) 427-1457 or (810) 477-8942

LIVONIA CHURCHILL The high school PTA arts and crafts show will be 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 21 at the school, 8900 Newburgh, Livonia. Crafters needed. (313) 523-0022

ST. DUNSTAN'S St. Dunstan's Church will have its annual boutique 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 21 at the church and school, 1618 Belton, Garden City. There will be a 50-50 raffle, bake sale, refreshments and 100 craft tables. Proceeds will be used for Christmas Day dinner for people who are alone. Mary at (313) 425-3282

FIRST UNITED METHODIST First United Methodist Church of Wayne will have its annual bazaar, featuring booths, baked goods and crafters, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Oct. 21 at the church, 3 Town Square, Wayne. A cafeteria luncheon will be served 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and a turkey dinner 5-7 p.m. (313) 721-4801

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA Delta Kappa Gamma will have its craft show 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 21 at West Middle School, Ann Arbor Trail and Sheldon in Plymouth. Admission will be \$2. Money raised will be used for college scholarships for students pursuing degrees in education. (313) 416-7550

Wednesday, Oct. 25

'REFLECTIONS OF ELEGANCE' Crafters are needed for a 10 a.m. craft show during the Redford Suburban League's 'Reflections of Elegance' fashion benefit Oct. 25 at Burton Manor, Schoolcraft west of Inkster Road, Livonia. (810) 477-8902

Thursday-Sunday, Oct. 26-29

WONDERLAND MALL Wonderland Mall will have an arts and crafts show throughout the mall Oct. 26-29. Featured will be paintings, pottery, stained glass, wood crafts, jewelry, decorative painting, needlework, soft sculpture, floral designs and toys. Wonderland is at Plymouth and Middlebelt roads in Livonia. (313) 522-4100

Saturday, Oct. 28

ST. ROBERT BELLAMINE A craft show will be at the church, 27101 West Chicago, Redford. Table rentals available. Joanne at (313) 937-0226 or Evelyn at (313) 533-5266

ST. PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN An arts and crafts show will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 28 at the church, 27475 Five Mile, one block west of Inkster, Livonia. Crafters are still needed. Sue at (313) 522-1867 or Linda at (313) 450-4399

Friday-Saturday, Nov. 3-4

LIVONIA ELKS Crafters are needed for the Livonia Elks' annual craft show 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Nov. 3 and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Nov. 4 at the Elks Hall, Plymouth Road east of Merriman, Livonia. Tables are \$40 for both days, \$25 for either day. (313) 261-1688



Mary Miller



Jim McLean

The 1950s and '60s will come to life once again when the Community Hospice Foundation presents its third annual cabaret, 'Friday Nite Live -- Back to the '50s and '60s,' Friday, Oct. 20.

A benefit of Community Hospice Services, the event takes place at the Magr. Alex J. Brunet Activity Center at St. Aldan's Catholic Church, 17600 Farmington Road, Livonia.

The evening will begin with a cocktail reception at 6:30 p.m., followed by a family-style dinner -- complete with delicious desserts. After dinner, hilarious comedy and a nostalgic, high-energy musical review will be presented.

The show's directors, Ray and Michele Schmidt, are promising an entertaining cabaret and to get into the mood, they are inviting guests to come dressed in their favorite '50s or '60s look.

Slated to appear are comedians Alyce Faye and Mary Miller, founders of the Motor City Women of Comedy, and Jim McLean, who has been called "a sitcom waiting to happen." One of the hardest working professionals on the comedy circuit today, he has performed with the likes of Tim Allen, Dennis Miller and Richard

Also providing entertainment will be a talented quartet of individuals who have been performing in the Detroit area for more than 20 years...

Also providing entertainment will be a talented quartet of individuals who have been performing in the Detroit area for more than 20 years -- Stephen King, Chris McCall, Lynne Nienhaus and Ray Schmidt.

King, who has a degree in radio and television broadcasting from Western Michigan University, has worked for Christian radio station WKPR, as an announcer with WQLR/WQSN and at WJ01-FM. Currently a service advisor at Sunshine Honda in Plymouth, he also is a disc jockey with DJ Comp Music Service in Troy.

McCall is the lead singer of the rock group Thunderharp Choir, which recently released its first CD, "Hope and Gloria." She also has performed on "Star Search"

six times and in 1992 was the winner of the WDIV Fireworks Super Singer Contest.

Nienhaus, who studied music at Central Michigan University, has performed extensively in local musicals and theater programs. She also has been the lead singer in various local Top-40 bands.

Schmidt, St. Aldan's music director, studied music at Wayne State University. His professional career includes engagements with various Top-40 bands as arranger, vocalist and keyboardist.

He also is the vocal music director of the Redford Youth Theater, which is a semifinalist in the "Dreamcoat Challenge," a choral competition to select a youth chorus for the upcoming nine-week Detroit production of Andrew Lloyd Weber's "Joseph and the

Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat."

There also will be performances by dancers from the "era" and by the Redford Youth Theater. The evening will be capped off with King spinning the oldies for dancing pleasure.

Tickets cost \$40 each and include the cocktail reception, dinner, entertainment, open bar, dancing and door prizes. They are available from at the CHS offices at 32932 Warren Road, Suite 100, Westland and 127 S. Main St., Plymouth; or Community Hospice Foundation Board members, including Chris Ziomek, Plymouth Township Supervisor Kathleen Keen-McCarthy, Dan Herri-man and Beth Lurtz.

Community Hospice Services, with offices in Westland and Plymouth, was established in 1981 to offer compassionate, skilled home care to those individuals in western Wayne, southern Oakland and eastern Washtenaw counties who face an incurable illness.

For more information, call Community Hospice Services at (313) 522-4244 (Westland office) or (313) 459-0648 (Plymouth office).

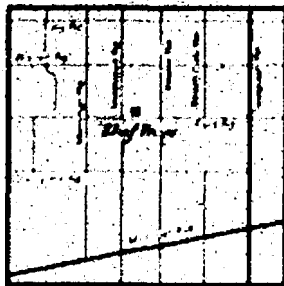
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FRIDAY



David Caruso and Linda Fiorentino star in the psychological thriller "Jade" opening Friday at metro Detroit movie theaters.

SATURDAY



Embark on an exciting exploration of the human brain at "It's All In Your Head: An Exhibit About the Brain," opening at Cranbrook Institute of Science.

SUNDAY



Celebrate Plymouth Symphony Orchestra's 50th anniversary at its opening concert in the Plymouth-Salem High School Auditorium.



PHOTOS BY JIM JACOFFELD

Fun-to-wear clothes, timeless treasures

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN • SPECIAL WRITER

Cynthia Wayne Gaffield turns silk, imported from China, into classic coats and jackets resembling stained glass jewels. The flowing wearable art created in the Livonia artist/designer's Farmington Hills studio continues on exhibit through Nov. 18 as part of the 16th annual "Clothes for the Collector" Invitational at the Detroit Gallery of Contemporary Crafts.

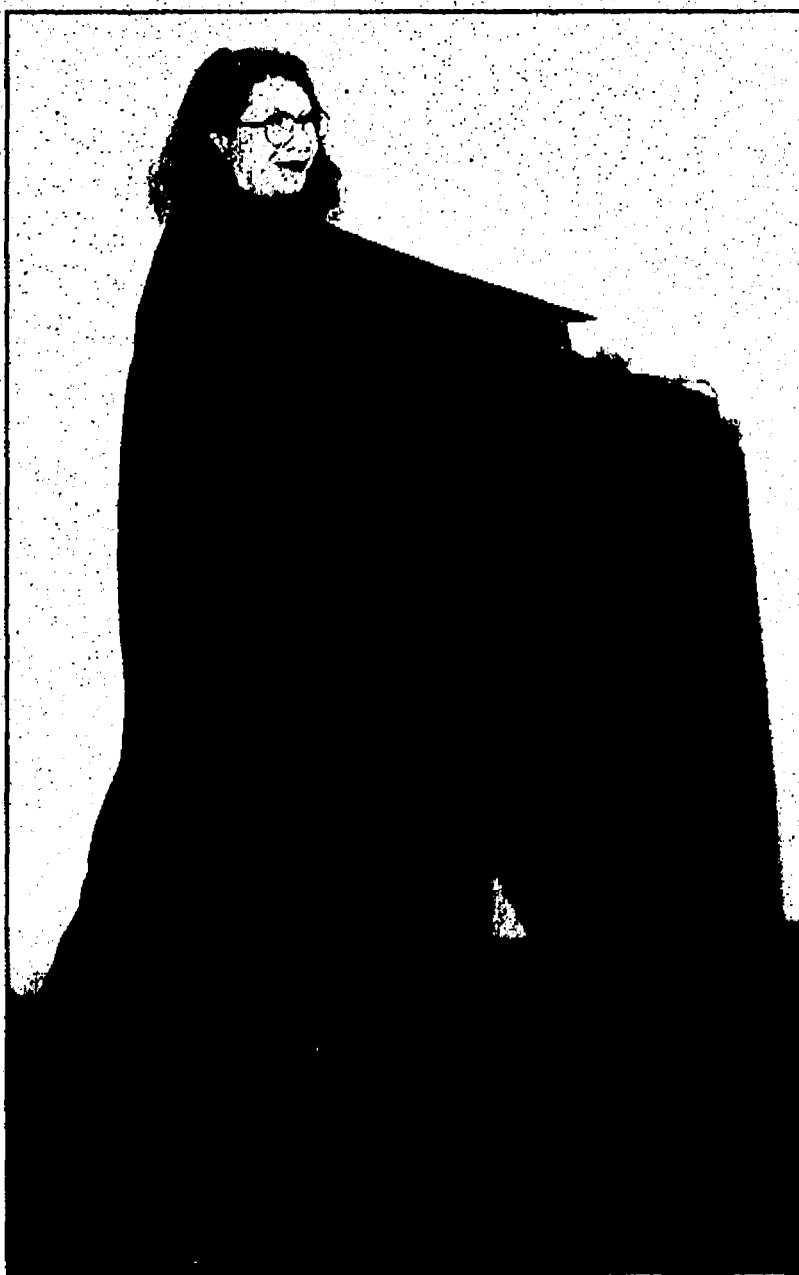
Color is an integral part of Gaffield's designs. Like an artist brushing images on a canvas, she paints fabric dyes in rich jewel tones onto the heavily textured raw tussah silk, stretched on a waist-high frame. After the material dries, it is steam set for color fastness.

The lengthy process continues when geometric and organic shapes are hand stamped onto the fabric in patterns arranged so the subtle metallic paint catches the light. The material is then washed, rinsed and air-dried.

Cutting and sewing the silk into coats, jackets, vests, tunic tops, and scarves, Gaffield finishes the pieces with trademark welting that begins at the collar and runs the length of the sleeves.

Special additions of tassels, fringe, and triangular shaped material known as crocodile trim sometimes decorates the clothing and scarves sold wholesale to galleries and boutiques across the country.

Celebrity collectors find Gaffield's clothes exciting and fashionable. In fact, entertainers like singer Carly Simon have purchased her coats at the Dream Weaver on Martha's Vineyard. Currently, her art to wear can also be seen in the Michigan Sur-



Stained Glass: Cynthia Wayne Gaffield of Livonia models her one-of-a-kind clothing creation.

face Design Show at the Buckham Gallery in Flint.

"These are stamped with designs on one-of-a-kind fabric. They're subtly elegant. You can dress them up or down. You wear them with your own favorite clothes. I don't make outfits.

These should be fun to wear," said Gaffield who refers to the clothing as timeless treasures.

The yards and yards of heavily textured silk Gaffield hand-crafts into a loose, unstructured fit means the garment flows and moves with the body. They not only look good, they feel good, too.

Individual pieces can be layered or worn alone. Their versatility gives way to a number of different statements, from traditional to dramatic.

The addition of elements like hand-twisted fringe, applique or semi-precious beading on the clothing enhances the custom design. A matching silk or chiffon scarf completes the look.

A former graphic artist for an advertising agency, Gaffield began her design career

Clothes for the Collector

What: The 16th annual Detroit Gallery of Contemporary Crafts Invitational of wearables created by nationally known fiber artists.

Where: 104 Fisher Building, Detroit. When: Continuing through Nov. 18. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday. Open until 8 p.m. on theater nights.

Cost: Admission is free. Validated parking at New Center Lot, Lothrop between Second and Woodward.

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Hot tik: Dance Nonce presents three concerts at the Millennium Theatre Center in Southfield, Oct. 13-15. Call (810) 552-7000 for ticket information.

Humorous musical enjoyable for all ages

BY LIBBY PRYKRY
SPECIAL WRITER

There's hardly a more perfect way for youngsters and adults to spend an afternoon than with the enthusiastic actors and actresses of "Once Upon a Mattress." They serve lunch, put on a great performance, and finish with singing a snappy "thanks for coming" tune.

The musical begins with a procession of the characters from this humorous tale. This provides the audience with a sneak preview of the story. Among the characters is Winnifred, the princess who must be tested for sensitivity if she is to marry Prince Dauntless. In the Sunday performance, Winnifred is played by Shelley Fager, a sophomore at Ferndale High School. (The show is double cast. Saturday's Winnifred is Kimberly Palter of West Bloomfield.)

"Once Upon a Mattress"

Where: Paper Bag Productions Ltd. presentation at the Players Club, 3321 E. Jefferson, Detroit.

Showtimes: Tickets (fourth show) 1 p.m. Saturdays, 7 p.m. (fourth show) Sundays through Oct. 17.

Tickets: \$7 includes lunch. Call (810) 484-7548 for reservations.

Another actress of note is Kim Adams, a freshman at North Farmington High School. She is in the Sunday cast as Lady Larken a lady in waiting. All the young women in the play are "ladies in waiting." They're waiting for the Prince to get married

Fager not only steals the prince's heart, but she steals the show with her exceptional acting abilities. She knows how to deliver humor with wonderful facial expressions and her voice provides a sweet instrument for the songs she sings.

Another actress of note is Kim Adams, a freshman at North Farmington High School. She is in the Sunday cast as Lady Larken a lady in waiting. All the young women in the play are "ladies in waiting." They're waiting for the Prince to get married

so they can get married. A regular with Paper Bag Productions, Kim has a wonderful voice and is truly believable as a forlorn maiden in need of marrying Sir Harry, played on Saturdays by Jeremy Nabors of Birmingham, and on Sundays by Dane Joseph of Southfield.

Dave Langham of Novi gives the third outstanding performance in the Sunday production. He's delightful as the "mute" King who is "over ruled" make that nagged by the Queen, played by Laura Nanes of Southfield.

Other area youngsters who add to the weekend productions include Alyson Adams (Farmington Hills), Scott Lenter (West Bloomfield), Erin Martell (Livonia), Susan Mentzer (Beverly Hills) and Jessica Palter (West Bloomfield).

Acting isn't the only outstanding feature of this production. The costumes are rich and



Talented cast: Members of the Sunday cast of "Once Upon a Mattress" are (from left, first row) Martina Ross, Dave Langham, Shelley Fager, Brett Beckerson, Laura Nanes and Jennifer Dau. (From left, second row) Erin Martell, Dane Joseph, Megan O'Brien, Kim Adams, Annette Janik, Alyson Adams, Courtney Cagnon, Meaghan Duke, Elizabeth Towell and Jennifer Fraser.

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Musical from Front

regal, and humorous. One in particular is a story in itself. Prince Dauntless wears a frog-print top, leading the audience to think of the frog/prince story (a frog, when kissed turns into a prince). And just like the frog/prince story, Dauntless really turns into a prince when he meets Winnifred.

Winnifred's wardrobe is equally as interesting and humorous. Most of her "princess" fashions are rich in color and design, but some, like her sleep apparel, is just silly, especially the big, fluffy cow slippers.

The historic Players Club, which is home to PBP productions, puts theater goes into a medieval mode. The lovely auditorium with its wall hangings and high ceiling lead you to be-

lieve you are right there with Winnifred and Prince Dauntless. This is especially good since the scenery isn't very effective.

Another thing that isn't effective is the chase scene with a number of the characters. It isn't necessary and it only adds time to this lengthy production.

"Once Upon a mattress" is a good experience for all ages. C.J. Nodus, producer and director, has taken a humorous and touching story and turns it into an enjoyable afternoon of food (hot dog or salad and chips, cookies and drinks) and entertainment.

Libby Prysby, a ninth grader at Groves High School in Birmingham, has been involved in children and community theater productions for 10 years.

Clothes from Front

working in the art department of The Observer Newspapers. Although she studied fine art at Oakland Community College in Farmington Hills, once she dyed that first piece of silk in 1983 creating fabric designs and art to wear became a business. Her interest in fibers explores the interactions of fabric, dye and paint with texture.

That's the signature of a Cynthia Wayne Gaffield garment.

Every year for the last 16, Detroit Gallery of Contemporary Craft owner Judith Primak has invited nationally known fiber artists to show their work in "Clothes for the Collector."

This year the spotlight is on practical, wearable art not theatrical threads but classic coats and

jackets (woven, knitted, painted and pleated), jewelry, handbags, and hats by 20 artists from California to Baltimore, Maryland.

"When the exhibit first began, the clothes were more dramatic, now the emphasis is on wearable, well-designed, well-made collectible clothing people want to wear. They want to enjoy it and wear it to work, collect it and keep it in

their wardrobe for years," said Primak who opened her gallery devoted to the American fine crafts of clay, glass, jewelry and lighting 19 years ago.

"I try to show classic, not trendy and faddish, artists who do marvelous wool jackets and coats with applique, hand painted and hand dyed."

Symposium explores history of ceramic tile

The history and beauty of ceramic tile in Michigan will be explored in "Tiles in the Motor City: Crafting a Lustrous Place in History," a four-day symposium co-sponsored by Pewabic Pottery and the Tile Heritage Foundation Wednesday-Sunday, Oct. 18-22.

Lectures, tours, demonstrations and workshops will give an in-depth look at the dramatic role that ceramic tiles have played in enriching the architectural and cultural traditions of Michigan from the early 20th century to the present day.

For information, call the Tile Heritage Foundation at (707) 431-8453, fax (707) 431-8455.

Lecturers will include Melanie Bazil, director of museum and archives at Pewabic Pottery; Vance Koehler, curator at the Moravian Pottery and Tile Works; Cleota Reed, noted author and scholar; David Rau, curator of education at the Cranbrook Art Museum; and William Hunt, former editor of Ceramics Monthly. A special guest lecturer from England, widely recognized author and scholar Hans van Lemmen, will

add an international flavor to the event. Now senior lecturer in art history at Leeds Metropolitan University, he was a founding member of the Tiles and Architectural Ceramics Society in Great Britain.

Two scheduled bus tours will include a premier selection of historic tile sites in Detroit and another to Cranbrook will feature special guided tours of the Cranbrook Art Museum, the newly restored Saarinen House and various other sites on the picturesque campus. There will also be fully mapped self-guided tours of significant tile installations in the area not visited on the bus tours.

A special option for some attending the symposium will be two tile-making workshops Monday-Wednesday, Oct. 16-18, at Pewabic Pottery, under the supervision of Anat Shifan, Pewabic's director of education. One session will be taught by David Ellison, custom tile maker and former production manager at Pewabic, and one by Frank Giorgini, author of the popular book "Handmade Tiles."

Financial backing for this unusual educational event has been provided by the Tile Promotion Board, Beaver Distributors Inc., the Virginia Tile Co. and various other corporate enterprises.

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Marge Masek makes the process used to make monotypes look easy. Only a few inexpensive materials are necessary to produce the one-of-a-kind prints. Masek will demonstrate the graphic arts process during the fifth annual Livonia Artists Club Show Oct. 14-15 at Laurel Park Place Mall, 37700 Six Mile Road at Newburgh in Livonia.

Eighteen artists working in a variety of mediums, including painting, pastel and collage, will exhibit and sell their art 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Prices for the framed art will range from \$45 for a monotype to \$500 for a sofa-size painting.

Al Weber will demonstrate watercolor techniques, 1-4 p.m. Saturday, and Billie Thompson will demonstrate how to weave two unsuccessful watercolor paintings together 3-5 p.m. Sunday.

Masek, education director for the Visual Arts Association of Livonia, demonstrates the monotype process 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday.

"Monotypes give an impressionistic look to everything. I think people really like that look you can't achieve on your own," said Masek at her Livonia home.

Five years ago, a VAAL workshop taught by Dearborn artist Lily Dudgeon intrigued Masek. Introduction to the graphic medium whereby an artist executes individual prints by hand led to her purchasing a used printing press. But the press is not essential to completing the process. An ordinary rolling pin from the kitchen will suffice to apply pressure to

the paper and plate.

"You begin by painting on an acrylic plate with watercolors. After soaking the paper in water you blot it before placing it on the bed to put it through the press or rolling it with the pin. When you lift the paper, it's such a thrill to look at it. You never know what you're going to get."

Masek, the mother of three children, grandmother of four, took her first painting class at Madonna University in 1969 when her daughter entered first grade. Back then Masek worked in oil switching to watercolor in 1985 when Farmington Hills artist Ann Loveland taught watercolor classes at the former Bentley High School in Livonia.

Many of Masek's paintings deal with her favorite subjects: landscapes, florals, and her 10-year-old cat named Bandit.

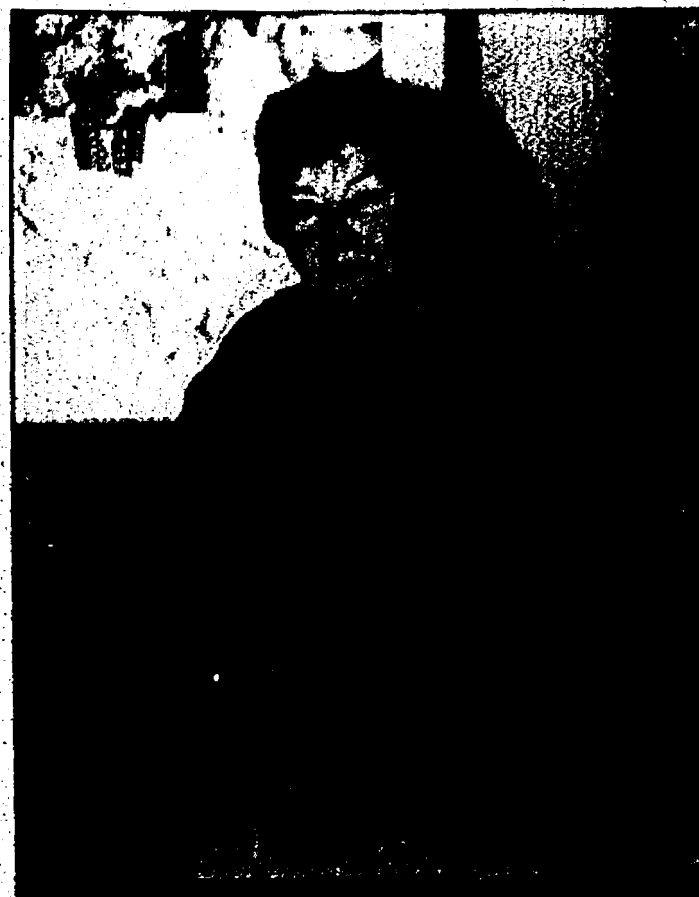
"I enjoy painting. You can get lost in time," said Masek who's

been married to her husband Jack for 42 years.

Masek's been a member of the Livonia Artists Club since 1973. Through the years she's held a number of positions from treasurer to vice president.

Founded in 1960 by Olive Harrington who still resides in Livonia, the club meets the third Monday of the month at the Livonia Civic Center Library. Speakers, demonstrations and videos stimulate and inspire the more than 40 members providing a sharing format for artists supporting fellow artists.

In 1960, the club exhibited their work at Wonderland Mall, moving to Westland Shopping Center and the Carl Sandburg Library in 1966, and then the Civic Center Library atrium in 1990. Dues are \$15 a year. For more information about the show or becoming a member, call (313) 464-6772.



Original Print: Marge Masek demonstrates the process of producing monotypes at the Livonia Artists Club Show Oct. 14-15 at Laurel Park Place Mall.

Linda Ann Chomin is a freelance writer specializing in the visual arts. Her Artistic Expressions column appears weekly in the Arts & Entertainment section of The Observer Newspapers.

Storyteller: James Pujdowski studied the Haida peoples' art including this jacket heavily laid with hand-work.



Redford artist explores Indian culture with students

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
SPECIAL WRITER

James Pujdowski's seventh grade art students at University Liggett School in Grosse Pointe Woods are painting raven murals telling of the lives of Maritime Peoples.

This is the Redford Township artist's way of passing on the knowledge he gained this summer when studied the history and modern-day culture of the Maritime peoples of the Northwest Coast, including the Haida Indians north of Vancouver, on a fac-

ulty research grant at The Field Museum in Chicago.

"We study other cultures and their art to know about them for the betterment of mankind," he said.

At the Field Museum, Pujdowski saw and touched Maritime Indian carved boxes, hatchets and tools under the guidance of Phil Hansen, education department director at the museum.

In a variety of hands-on experiences Pujdowski learned about other aspects of the art as well

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SHOW CANCELLED

The Friends of the Westland Historical Museum Craft Show to benefit the Perrinsville School restoration has been canceled due to a lack of exhibitors. The show was to have taken place Saturday, Oct. 14 at the Bailey Recreation Center in Westland.

"I'm very disappointed we

were not able to get this first show off the ground. I hope people won't lose faith in us because of this," said show co-chair Denise Johnson.

If you'd like to learn more about joining the effort to restore the Perrinsville School, built in 1856, call Johnson (313) 261-3633.

TIMES REMEMBERED

Award-winning watercolorist Connie Lucas of Canton Township exhibits her work in a one woman show continuing through Nov. 5 at the Shiawassee Art Center, 206 Curwood Castle Drive in Owosso.

Meet the artist at an opening reception 2-4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 15.

"Times Remembered," Lucas' 17th exhibition since January, features landscape, still life and genre scenes reflecting her favorite places and people. Lucas teaches watercolor in the Plymouth Canton Schools adult education program. Hours are 1-5 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday. Call the art center, (517) 723-8354.

PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS

The Center for Creative Studies is hosting National Portfolio Day noon to 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 15 at its University Cultural Center Campus, 201 E. Kirby in Detroit.

Students interested in entering college for an arts education are invited to meet with representatives of nearly 30 art and design schools from around the country including the University of Mich-

ARTBEAT

Igan School of Art in Ann Arbor; Parsons School of Design, New York City; Art Center College of Design, Los Angeles; Kendall College of Art & Design, Grand Rapids, and San Francisco Arts Institute.

This is an opportunity for students to have their portfolios of artwork reviewed as the first step to admission.

CCS's College of Art and Design offers a bachelor degree programs through the department of Crafts, Fine Arts, Graphic Communications, Industrial Design, and Photography. For information, call (313) 872-3118 Ext. 400.

PLACES TO GO

Livonia artist Barbara Demgen is exhibiting landscape images in a one woman show "Places to Go" continuing through Nov. 29 at the Atrium Gallery, 109 N. Center in downtown Northville.

Demgen's watercolor, acrylic and oil paintings reflect her travels at home and abroad.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday, until 7 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. For more information call (810) 349-4131.

CALL FOR ARTISTS

Canton Project Arts is looking for fine artists to exhibit their work in its third annual juried show December 1-10 at the Sum-

mit on the Park in Canton Township. There will be more than \$1,500 in cash prizes awarded.

Open to all mediums, artists must submit slide entries along with a non-refundable fee of \$15 per entry, \$10 per entry for Canton Township residents by Oct. 28.

This year's juror is Mary Stephenson, director of the Sisson Gallery at Henry Ford Community College in Dearborn where she also teaches drawing. Stephenson is a former assistant curator of 20th century art at the Detroit Institute of Arts.

For an application or more information call Kathleen Salla, Canton volunteer coordinator, (313) 397-6450.

ANIMATED DISCUSSION

The Animation Network is sponsoring a one-day animation seminar 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 11, at the Best Western Hotel, across from Laurel Park Mall, off I-275 at Six Mile in Livonia.

The seminar will include special guest speakers Robert Martin, a professor of the arts at Wayne State University, and Tom Roy, an animator working at local studios. Tickets in advance are \$8 for adults and \$6 for children, tickets at the door are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. Admission is free for children under age 6. Call Jane at (810) 626-2285 for more information. Call (313) 464-0050 for directions to the hotel.

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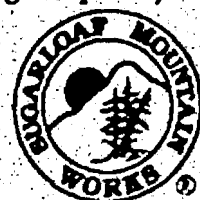
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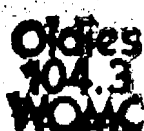
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Plymouth community groups will help the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra celebrate its 50th season at its opening concert 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 15 in the Plymouth-Salem High School Auditorium. The concert entitled "Come Home to Plymouth" will be a replay of the first performance given by the symphony in 1946.

A Champagne After Glow Gala at Water Club Grill, 39500 Ann Arbor Road (east of I-275), Plymouth, will follow the concert.

Tickets are \$12 adults, \$10 senior citizens, \$8 for students (high school and younger). Gala tickets are \$5. Call (313) 451-2112.

Alumni of the orchestra have been invited to perform with the orchestra. Scott Yoo, New York's award-winning violinist will be featured on Mendelssohn's "Violin Concerto in E Minor."

Yoo began his musical studies with the violin at age three, and gave his first public performance when he was five. Recently, Yoo co-founded the Metamorphosen Chamber Ensemble in Boston. His recent appearances include engagements with the New York Chamber Symphony, the Ensemble of Tokyo, and the Russian National Orchestra. Yoo graduated with honors and a bachelor of arts in physics from Harvard in 1993.

In honor of the Plymouth Symphony's 50th anniversary, the City of Plymouth will celebrate Oct. 14-15 with activities reminiscent of the 1940s. The weekend's activities include:



Soloist:
Scott Yoo, an award-winning violinist, will be featured at the opening concert of the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra's Golden Anniversary season on Oct. 15.

■ Singer Julie Fountain will sing songs from the 1940s 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, at the Plymouth Coffee Bean Co., 894 Penniman.

■ The 1945 movie "State Fair" will be shown at the Penn Theatre 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14.

■ Classic car display featuring cars from the 1940s, in front of the Penn Theatre, 760 Penniman, and Plymouth Historical Museum, 155 S. Main St.

■ 1940s radio broadcast at the Plymouth Historical Museum. 1

4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14.
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Tickets are \$9 per person, or \$7 per person for senior citizens and students. They will be available at the door or may be reserved in advance by calling (313) 531-0554.

Performances continue 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays to Oct. 28. There will be an additional 11 p.m. performance on Oct. 28.

An original production, "A Host of Ghosts" is an intriguing blend of traditional ghostly tales from days-gone-by, and some spooky stories from the metro Detroit area with plenty of chilling chuckles.

Look for Vickie Diaz's review of the show next week.



Devilish cast: Maxine Parshall (left to right), Joe Guest, Cynthia Szczesny, and Thom Hinks star in The Theatre Guild's presentation of "A Host of Ghosts."

'Dial M for Murder' framed in the 1950s

BY SUE SUCHYTA
SPECIAL WRITER

Theatergoers fond of suspense thrillers from a more civilized era can catch "Dial M For Murder" through Oct. 15 at the Fisher Theatre in Detroit. To charge tickets by phone, call (810) 645-6666. For more information, call (313) 872-1000, Extension 0.

But feminists beware — unless you view "Dial M For Murder" as a product of the 1950's, you will find much of the premise unbelievable and unpalatable.

Modern, independently wealthy women don't normally wed and blindly obey self-centered oafs with questionable motives; even the meekest think and act for themselves to a certain degree.

REVIEW

Nor do modern women leave satisfying affairs without a hint of an explanation.

"Dial M" gives us neither, and much of the story line depends on the believability of this premise.

After a slow first act, an introductory staple of many British plays, the intrigue surrounding the murder plot takes off. The clever trail of clues, deductions, and missteps captivate the audience, who seemingly wait in vain for the wretched husband to be caught in his own web of deception.

Roddy McDowell as inspector Hubbard made the production

fun and intriguing — as a fore-runner of "Columbo," ("Oh, one more thing...") he captured the audience's attention with his excellent timing and clever delivery.

Nancy Allen delivered a smooth and polished Margot Wendice, the demure 1950's wife who would need a crash course in assertiveness to be believable by today's standards. John James, who portrayed her self-centered, former tennis pro husband, stumbled on some of his lines, and stepped on some of Allen's.

James did, however, deliver the best line of the evening. Upon being grilled by the detective, his retort, "I've heard of police deliberately planting clues to get a conviction!" received a cathartic roar

of appreciative laughter from the audience.

Technically, the body mikes detracted from the production, as did a phone that continued to ring after being picked up. The English accents came and went for both Allen and James.

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Open auditions for children's roles in Meadow Brook's production of 'A Christmas Carol'...

MAIN STAGE THEATRE GUILD
For the Detroit premiere of Stephen King's 'Assassins'...

SWEET ADRENALS, SPIRIT OF DETROIT
Workshop 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays to Oct. 17, 151 W. Hall 1, 96 at Greater Road, Rochester...

DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS
A guest story reading related to the exhibit 'Lusting Impressions: Illustrating African American Children's Books'...

COMMUNITY THEATER

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SRG PRODUCTIONS
'Driving Miss Daisy' opens 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 13 at the City of Southfield's Historic Park...

THEATRE GUILD
'A Host of Ghosts' by Dale Van Dorn opens 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 13 at the theater, 15138 Beech Daly...

DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
Prokofiev's film score 'Alexander Nevsky' along with a screening of the original film directed by Sergei Eisenstein...

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE
Fall Theatre production 'Macbeth' opens 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 27 in the Waterman Center on campus...

HILSBURY THEATRE
'Rekado to King' continues to Nov. 30 in rotating repertoire with 'A Midsummer Night's Dream'...

PONTIAC OAKLAND SYMPHONY
Season opens 8:15 p.m. Friday, Oct. 13, Pontiac Central High School. Program includes Cimarosa's 'The Music Master'...

CRANBROOK MUSIC GUILD
Michigan Chamber Players will perform at the opening concert of the 1995-96 season, 8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 24...

ARRIVA'S GREEN ROOM
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MUSHROOM CELLAR JAZZ
Scott Guinness Quartet, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 12, 18100 W. 10 Mile Road...

SUNSET GRILL
Jazz 7-11 p.m. Sundays, Novi Road at 13 Mile Road, (810) 624-6475

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MAINTREEST COMEDY SHOWCASE
Wayne Colter, former host of 'Comic Strip Live', Oct. 12-14, 314 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor...

QHO'S COMEDY ROOM
Bob Posch, 8 p.m. dinner, show 9:30 p.m. Fridays, 1909 Cass Lake Road, Keego Harbor...

CHAPLIN'S WEST COMEDY CLUB
Christopher Trus with Jay Vermetti through Oct. 15, 16890 Telegraph, Detroit...

PAISANO'S
Joey's Comedy Club presents Leo Defour Oct. 13-14, 5070 Schaefer Road, Dearborn...

SOUPY SALES
Genelli's Dinner Theatre in Northville, 7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 13, 6 & 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14...

EVENING HAYRIDES
Greenfield Village, 7 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays to Nov. 4. Hayrides leave every 30 minutes...

FRIENDLY MONSTERS
Friendly Haunted House, 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, 21 & 28, 827 S. Wayne Road...

FRIGHT FEET '95
Wayne-Westland YMCA Haunted House 8:27 S. Wayne Road, Westland, open 7 p.m. Oct. 13-15...

LIVONIA JAYCEES
The Halls of Doom in the Livonia Mall parking lot next to Meny's will be open Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 13-15 and Oct. 19-20...

HAUNTED THEATRE
In the Historic Wayne Theatre, 25164 W. Michigan Ave, 2 miles east of I-275 (exit 22), 1 block west of Wayne Road...

REDFORD JAYCEES
At Claude Allison Park, Beech Daly between Six and Seven Mile Roads. Open Oct. 13-15, Oct. 20-22, Oct. 25-31...

BORDERS NOVI
Ghost Story Night, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 17. Dress like a ghost and bring a flashlight for a children's event...

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Sponsored by Plymouth Canton Jancees 340 N. Main St., behind Plymouth Landing Restaurant. Open Oct. 12-15, Oct. 19-30...

CHERRY POPPY DADDIES
8 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 15. The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit...

DICK DALE
8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 19, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$12.50 in advance...

THE DICKIES
With D Generation, 7 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 20. The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit...

MARY MCGUIRE
With Big Sugar, 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 20, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit...

DOROTHY
With The Empty's, 9 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor...

CHRIS DUARTE
With Big Sugar, 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 20, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit...

EINHETT/BROTZMANN
With Hansel Und Gretel and Batterie Acid, 9 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit...

PETER FRAMPTON
7:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 19, State Theatre, 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit...

STEWART FRANKCE
7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 13, Borders Books and Music, 43075 Crestwood, Novi...

SHIRLEY FRANKLIN AND DELTA DRIVE
8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 13, Magic Bag Theatre Cafe, 22918 Woodward Ave., Ferndale...

GENE
With Menzob, 9:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor...

PAVLO'S DOGS
With F. 9 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 12, Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac...

PHUNHOOG
With Loose Stools, 9 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 12, 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak...

ROBERT PLATT AND JIMMY GAY
With The Tragically Hip, 8 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 15, The Palace of Auburn Hills...

THE GROOVE DOGS
8 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 15, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak...

AVERAGE WHITE BAND
With War, and Larry Graham and Graham Central Station, 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 13...

BABES IN TOYLAND
6:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 13, St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit...

BIG SANDY
8 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 19, Magic Stick in Majestic Theatre complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit...

BLACK MARKET
8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 19, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak...

BLUE ROSE
8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 20, Crow Bar, 309 S. Main St., Ann Arbor...

BLUE SPIRIT TRIBE
8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 13, Soup Kitchen Saloon, 1585 Franklin, Detroit...

BLUES ACTION COUNCIL
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With The Empty's, 9 p.m. Saturday

SCREEN SCENE

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

DETROIT FILM THEATRE
Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward, Detroit. Call (313) 833-2323 for information. (\$6; \$4 students)
"Jalsaghar (The Music Room)" (India - 1959). 7, 9:30 p.m. Oct. 13-14; 4, 7 p.m. Oct. 15. A nobleman incurs massive debts after throwing a lavish music festival to spite his neighbor in this rediscovered master work from director Satyajit Ray.
"Playing the Part" (USA - 1995) and "Paul Bowles: The Complete Outsider" (USA - 1993). Starting at 7 p.m. Oct. 16.

The first is a 40-minute documentary by Mitch McCabe in which the director contemplates coming out to her uptight Grosse Pointe parents. Followed by a biographical film about Bowles, the enigmatic author of such works as "The Sheltering Sky."

KINOTEK, WINDSOR FILM THEATRE
2135 Wyandotte St. West, Windsor, Canada. Call (519) 264-FILM for more information. (\$4.50 Canadian; \$4 U.S.)
"El Topo" (Mexico - 1969). 9 p.m. 16-17. Alejandro Jodorowsky's ultra-violent trip film includes, for starters, the slaughter of an entire village, depictions of hideous brutalities, and humilia-

tions ad infinitum. One critic at the time of release said it "could appeal only to the juvenile, the stoned, or the Jesus-freaked," which, of course, makes it all the more interesting today.

MAGIC BAG THEATRE
22918 Woodward, Ferndale. Call (810) 544-3030 for information.
"Belle de Jour" (France - 1967). 7:30 p.m. Oct. 12. Catherine Deneuve stars as a bored Parisian housewife who spends her afternoons as a prostitute. Luis Bunuel directs with his usual eye for the absurd, especially as it involves the social classes, religion, and modern morality. (admission \$4)
"Freedom on My Mind" (USA - 1994). 2 p.m. Oct. 15. This much-

halled documentary tells the dramatic story of the Mississippi voter registration of the early 1960s. (admission \$6)

MAIN ART THEATRE
118 N. Main Street at 11 Mile, Royal Oak. Films play through at least Thursday, unless noted otherwise. Call (810) 542-0180 for information and showtimes. (\$6.50; \$4 students and matinee; \$3 twilight)
"Jeffrey" (USA - 1995). A gay actor/writer living in New York vows celibacy in fear of contracting AIDS, but then meets the man of his dreams who just happens to be HIV-positive. "Star Trek'a" Patrick Stewart recalls his stage actor origins in his turn

as a flamboyant interior decorator.

"The Usual Suspects" (USA - 1995). Five guys who meet in a police lineup join for a simple heist. What happens next will keep you guessing in this cleverly scripted caper starring Gabriel Byrne, Kevin Spacey, and Chazz Palminteri.

"The Brothers McMullen" (USA - 1995). For what some people spend on a new car, Edward Burns made this engaging first feature about a young screenwriter and his two brothers in contemporary Long Island. Burns calls his audience pleaser a "romantic comedy for guys" and what it lacks in acting and production values it more than makes up in charm.

MAPLE THEATRE
4136 W. Maple, Bloomfield. All titles play through at least next Thursday, unless noted otherwise. Call (810) 855-9090 for information. (\$6; \$2.95 twilight)
"Run of the Country" (Irish - 1995). After his mother's death, a Catholic lad from Northern Ireland rebels against his police-ser-

geant father (Albert Finney) with disastrous results.

"How to Make an American Quilt" (USA - 1995). Winona Ryder wants advice about marriage, so visits her grandmother and great aunt (Ellen Burstyn and Anne Bancroft) who are already in the process of creating her a wedding quilt. Along the way they tell stories about their own lives and loves. Directed by Jocelyn Moorhouse ("Proof").

"The Brothers McMullen" (USA - 1995). See Main Art Theatre listing above.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN-DEARBORN
Recreation and Organizations Center, on campus, Evergreen Road between Ford Road and Michigan Avenue. Movies begin 7:30 p.m. No charge, open to the public. Call (313) 593-5390 for information.
"Batman Forever," Thursday, Oct. 12. In the third installment, Batman (Val Kilmer) is assisted by Robin (Chris O'Donnell). The two crime fighters battle the Riddler (Jim Carrey) and Two-Face (Tommy Lee Jones).

COMING ATTRACTIONS

OPENING FRIDAY, OCT. 13

"STRANGE DAYS"

On the eve of the Millennium in the digital underground of Los Angeles human experience is bought and sold as the newest illicit diversion. A street hustler finds himself drawn into a vortex of paranoia and murder, and all he needs to do is get the woman who loves him and save the woman he loves, and make it through the night alive. Stars Angela Bassett, Ralph Fiennes, Juliette Lewis and Tom Sizemore. Rated R.

"THE SCARLET LETTER"

Based on Nathaniel Hawthorne's classic novel about ostracism in 17th century Boston, the story of Hester Prynne, a young woman forced to wear an "A" as the mark of her sin. Stars Demi Moore, Rob-

ert Duvall and Gary Oldman. Rated R.

"JADE"

A mystery whereby the lives of three people are involved in a brutal murder and endangered by a shocking truth. Stars David Caruso, Linda Fiorentino and Chazz Palminteri. Rated R.

OPENING FRIDAY, OCT. 20

"BLUE IN THE FACE"

A series of comic vignettes revolving around the denizens of the Brooklyn cigar store that was featured in "Smoke." Stars Harvey Keitel, Roseanne, Lily Tomlin, Michael J. Fox.

"NEVER TALK TO STRANGERS"

Thriller about a criminal psychiatrist whose life becomes a nightmare when her life and sanity are

threatened by a stalker.

"MUTE WITNESS"

Thriller about a group of Americans making a low budget horror film in Russia who stumble into some dangerous and deadly situations.

"GET SHORTY"

Comedy about a hoodlum who arrives in Hollywood to collect on a gambling debt, only to wind up a major player in the movie industry.

Stars John Travolta, Gene Hackman, Renee Russo, Danny DeVito.

"MALL RATS"

Second in a trilogy by "Clerks" director, Kevin Smith, this film offers a humorous look at the trials and tribulations of two high school grads, who lose their girlfriends and go to all lengths to get them back. Stars Shanne Doherty, Jason Lee.

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STREET SCENE

Rock 'n' roll dream coming true for Oasis

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER

No one has ever accused Oasis's songwriter/lead guitarist Noel Gallagher of being modest.

The band's debut album, 1994's "Definitely Maybe" (Epic) kicks off with the proclamation "Tonight I'm a rock 'n' roll star."

"I live my life for the stars that shine. People say it's just a waste of time. Then they said I should free my head. . . . In my mind my dreams are real. . . . Tonight I'm a rock 'n' roll star," Gallagher says through his mouthpiece, singer/brother Liam.

Now that he is a self-proclaimed rock 'n' roll star, he took the "trials and tribulations" of his new lifestyle and turned it into "What's The Story" Morning Glory? (Epic), Oasis's follow-up to "Definitely Maybe."

"The last one was written while we were unemployed, I suppose," Noel Gallagher explained.

"We were sort of dreaming of being rock 'n' roll stars, hence the opening track. This one was written while we are actually rock 'n' roll stars and the trials and tribulations that go along with it."

"Those trials and tribulations include frequent fistfights between Liam and Noel, and Oasis and the now-defunct The Verve, and ego clashes between Oasis and Blur."

"It started off, well you know papers, quite exaggerated," Gallagher said of the now infamous press battles between Oasis and Blur. "But now we honestly do not like each other in the slightest little bit. . . . We hate them."

But the rivalry "is good fun. It keeps the kids interested."

Gallagher has few good words for his home country's music scene. He denounces acts like Blur, The Charlatans, and Menswear as crap, to put it mildly.

"These bands are so shallow. The actual press officer is more important than the person who writes the songs," he said meaning those bands need all the hype they can get.

While speaking on the phone, Gallagher is sitting in a hotel room in Bournemouth, ("Burnmouth," he said phonetically. Or "Burn-mouth to you," he said abrasively emphasizing the O), a coastal city on the English Channel. He's watching the band Sleeper perform on the national TV music program "Top of the Pops." Does the band interest him?

"Absolutely not. The girl who's singing is very interesting. It's sort of a bit like a girl-fronted band. It's not very interesting but she's very good looking."

He prefers Primal Scream, Paul Weller (who hopped on as lead guitarist and backing vocalist on the song "Champagne Supernova" from the new record), and Cast. Soul music is another favorite of his.

"I love soul and R&B and Motown. Apart from heavy metal, which is disgusting, apart from your Bon Jovi and your Pearl Jams I like virtually anything."

Gallagher tried to pay tribute to Motown on his new record with the song "Step Out," but one Motown artist said it too closely resembled his tune.

"It sounded a bit like 'Uptight' by Stevie Wonder and he got a lit-

tle uptight about that," said Gallagher in a rare moment of humor.

Gallagher said he's having fun being a rock star. It befits his lifestyle.

"It has its good days and its bad days. Some days you wish you weren't as famous as you are. Sometimes you really don't get any time to yourself. That's one day out of 50, you know what I mean? The other 49 days are a blast being with your mates on the road, meeting fans and actually playing. It's pretty amazing."

The rock 'n' roll attitude isn't as blatant on "What's The Story" Morning Glory" as it was on "Definitely Maybe." There's a few provocative lines on the album, however. In "Don't Look Back in Anger" Liam Gallagher sings, "Please don't put your life in the hands of a rock 'n' roll band who'll throw it all away."

"Roll With It" may explain the attitude that Oasis members possess. "You gotta roll with it. You gotta take your time. You gotta say what you say. Don't let anybody get in your way. 'Cause it's all too much for me to take."

"This time around, Oasis' album has a 'Poltergeist' kick off: 'Hello! Hello! It's good to be back.'"

Musically, "What's The Story" Morning Glory" carries a rockier, heavy tambourine kind of T-Rex and Rolling Stones sound to it (the title track, "Roll With It" and "Some Might Say") while the music turns darker with "Wonderwall" and "Don't Look Back in Anger."

"I think there's a lot of depth to the album. There was a lot of depth to the last one, but the last one was very one-dimensional in its sound. This one's spread more



Now they're self-proclaimed rock 'n' roll stars: Oasis is, from left, rhythm guitarist Paul Arthurs, lead guitarist/songwriter/backing vocalist Noel Gallagher, drummer Alan White, singer Liam Gallagher, and bassist Paul McGuigan, who has been replaced with Scott McCloud.

across the board. There's more highs and lows," Gallagher said.

Critics in the U.K. haven't been too fond of the album, Gallagher said, but it still debuted near the top of the charts. His band will be able to test the U.S. waters when the band heads over here this month. (They play the Royal Oak Music Theatre on Sunday, Oct. 22). English pop singer Morrissey reportedly said that he feels touring the States is unimportant.

Gallagher feels differently.

"Those bands that said that aren't very successful. It's a get-out clause. The fact of the matter is they're (junk). Our last album went gold there. It's important for us to tour there."

This tour, he said will be a lot like the last.

"The same as last time except different songs. We walk on the stage, plug the guitars in, turn it up to 11 1/2. We just sort of rock

out a bit. I think we're going to do an acoustic set this time as well. That's it really. A lot of loud rock 'n' roll played by five good-looking young men with nice shoes."

Oasis and special guest Acetone perform at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 22, at the Royal Oak Music Theatre, 318 W. Fourth St., Royal Oak. Tickets are \$12.50 in advance for the all ages show. For more information, call (810) 646-7610.

Babes in Toyland

Tough band shows humorous side

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER

Alternative hard rockers Babes in Toyland would like everyone to know that they have a sense of humor.

Take their latest album "Nemesisters" for example. On it they do a monotone, vocally abrasive cover of Eric Carmen's mopefest "All By Myself," and a pretty true-to-the-original version of Sister Sledge's "We Are Family," the song that Willie Stargell and the Pittsburgh Pirates adopted as their World Series anthem in the 1970s.

"It was really fun," singer/guitarist Kat Bjelland said of the covers. "It was something different to do. 'We Are Family' is really great. See, it shows we're versatile. We're not one-dimensional personality types. We have a sense of humor."

"It's good to do different stuff, not to take ourselves too seriously. 'All By Myself' is tongue-in-cheek but it was a sad song when he wrote it. When we recorded it, we didn't mean to do him in any way," Bjelland said almost guiltily.

The covers, especially the fun "We Are Family," are in stark contrast to the Babes' usual brash lyrics, similar to Bjelland's former Sugar Baby Doll bandmate Courtney Love. So it's a prospect that they're coming to St. Andrew's Hall in Detroit on Friday the 13th.

The intermingling of quivering and droning vocals, abusive guitars, and tribal drums take the brashness of Babes in Toyland to new heights during live performances.

"We always put out really aggressive shows. We always give

out 100 percent. We're wrenching out emotions out in good music," Bjelland said via telephone from her Minneapolis-area home.

She said the band is better able to pound their emotions into the heads of fans at smaller clubs rather than the outdoor venues they played during last year's Lollapalooza Festival.

"It's hard especially in those sheds that everyone sits down in. I hate those. I want everyone to have a relatively good time dancing. We all prefer smaller venues because of the obvious factor — the intimate theater. It's just a whirlwind of energy."

After this tour, the band plans to take a two- to three-month break — without any plans to break up. Drummer Lori Barbero will concentrate on her Minneapolis-based record label, Spanish Fly Records which is home to

bands like Sleep Capsule, Saucer, Queer and Milk. Bjelland said the band — which also includes bassist Maureen Herman — benefits from spending time away from each other.

"It puts a little different perspective on things," Bjelland said of the hiatus. "When we take a break from one another, we can take fresh ideas out of each other. We're gonna do a few projects in there but not any 'leaving of the house' projects."

Catching herself, she added, "I'm not complaining. I feel very lucky."

Babes in Toyland performs Friday, Oct. 13, at St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. Doors open at 8:30 p.m. for the all ages show. Tickets are \$12 in advance. For more information, call (313) 961-MELT.



"Babes" in Detroit: Alternative hard rockers Babes in Toyland — from left, guitarist/vocalist Kat Bjelland, drummer Lori Barbero, and bassist Maureen Herman — play St. Andrew's Hall in Detroit on Friday, Oct. 13.

Band tries to transcend boundaries with 'intelligent' songs

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER

If you go to the English pop band Gene's show at the Blind Pig next week, don't mention anything about the Smiths or the comparisons that have been made about them. Guitarist Steve Mason isn't too happy about it.

"If I find the person who started the rumor that we sound like the Smiths, I'm going to murder him," Mason said via telephone from England.

"I think people who say that obviously haven't listened to the album and haven't listened to the lyrics. We write intelligent good melodic songs that are far more like R.E.M. than the Smiths. We've received a lot of flak for supposedly ripping off the Smiths. So far there haven't been any court injunctions," he said facetiously.

The similarity stops at the longing in singer Martin Rossiter's voice. The band's debut album "Olympian" (Polydor) is fueled by gentle whispers that give way to aggressive guitars as in "London, Can You Wait?"

The poignant lyrics in "London, Can You Wait?" is representative of the "intelligent good melodic songs" that Mason is talking about. In it, Rossiter sings, "I was having the time of my life, so why'd you have to die?"

"When I wrote that song, I was thinking, 'what are the emotions you go through when you mourn?'"

and I decided that for a lot of people it's anger. I'd never heard that addressed in a song before. I really want to explore every emotion, and I want the songs to be all encompassing. There's nothing I'm afraid of writing about," Rossiter said during a recent interview.

The cascading vocals and fuzzy guitars of "Sleep Well Tonight," the first single off "Olympian," share the feelings of a fighting couple. "Sleep well tonight. Tomorrow we fight."

It's that spectrum of emotions that makes Gene a universally attractive band, Mason said.

"I think our songs transcend cultural boundaries. Everywhere we go, the songs seem to hit nerves with people. The reaction that we normally get is from devoted audiences. It's surprising, to be honest. We're in a different land and we still have people singing the words," Mason said.

Gene doesn't want to be pigeonholed into the "sensitive man" category, however.

"We really don't want to come across as entirely one-dimensional and as a few, poetry reading, slipper wearing fools because we're not just that. We have testosterone as well. I love football (soccer). I drink a lot. I shout at people. I get aggressive. But I can also sit and read books for hours, and I think our music gets across that completeness in personality," Rossiter said.

Gene formed five years ago when bassist Kevin Miles moved

into a London apartment above drummer Matt James. At the time, James was in a band with Mason called Spin, and when Spin broke up, Miles started playing bass with James and Mason. In 1993, Mason met Rossiter at a London club and added him to the Gene roster.

Success came quickly for the band. In May 1994, Gene released its first single "For The Dead," which was hailed as "Single of the Week" in New Musical Express magazine. The band's second and third singles "Be My Light, Be My Guide" and "Sleep Well Tonight" respectively, received similar praise in Melody Maker.

There really was no excuse for them not to be successful, according to Mason. The band wrote songs and rehearsed for nearly two years before allowing any outsiders to hear their music.

"Before we decided to play on stage, we made sure that every song would be good. We didn't want to be looking down the set list and saying, 'Oh God, do we really have to play this for people?' It has to mean something to us. We're trying to get the sentiment across to the audience," Mason said.

He was quick to add with a laugh, however, "By no means have we perfected the craft."

He admits that not being able to get an immediate reaction from the audience was frustrating. But he thanks his manager for stress-



Poppy sound: England's latest contribution to the American music scene, Gene, plays the Blind Pig in Ann Arbor on Wednesday, Oct. 18. The band — from left, singer/keyboardist Martin Rossiter, guitarist Steve Mason, drummer Matt James, and bassist Kevin Miles — is touring in support of its debut "Olympian."

ing that the band members take their time.

"He was right, if we had gone out too early the songs wouldn't have been good enough. We would have been spotted by a few A&R (record company talent scout) people who would have said we

were not good enough," he said.

That could have been detrimental to their recording future, Mason added.

"It's not very hard to attract interest here. If a new band starts playing, everybody knows in a matter of a month who and what

they're doing."

Gene with special guest Menthol performs Wednesday, Oct. 18, at the Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. Doors open at 9:30 p.m. for the 19 and older show. Tickets are \$7.50 in advance. For more information, call (313) 966-8555.

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DANCE PARTIES

- SINGLE MINGLE**
Farmington Singles and Metropolitan Singles will host the Single Mingle dance from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Oct. 13 at The Marriott Hotel, Six Mile east of I-275 in Laurel Park Mall, Livonia. Admission is \$8/non-members. Attire is dressy, men must wear a coat and tie. (810) 851-9909.
- TRI-COUNTY SINGLES**
Saturday Night Dance Party 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 21 at Royce Hotel, 194 and Meridian Exit 198; Oct. 28 to be announced. Must be 21 or older. Dressy attire. Fee is \$4. (313) 842-7422
- BETHANY DANCE**
Bethany Plymouth Canton will hold a dance Saturday, Oct. 21, at St. Kenneth's on Haggerty just south of Five Mile. Nite 261-9123 or Val 729-1974.
- ST. ROBERT BELLARMINI DANCE**
A dance will be 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 21, at St. Robert Bellarmini, South east corner of Inkster and Chicago. Cost \$8/members, \$8/non-members. Music by D.J. 5429.
- HALLOWEEN PARTY/DANCE**
Farmington Single Professionals and Metropolitan Single Professionals go haunting and dancing together for its "Single Mingle Dance" 7:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Friday, Oct. 27, at Botsford Inn, 28000 Grand River Avenue, north of Eight Mile in Farmington Hills. The party will be held in the Carriage House. Come in costume. There will be a D.J., cash bar, and hors d'oeuvres. Admission \$6. (810) 851-9909.
- HALLOWEEN DANCE**
A Halloween Dance will be 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 28 at St. John Neumann's Singles, Warren Avenue between Sheldon and Canton Center Road, Canton. Tickets \$7. There will be dancing, pizza, pop, raffle tickets, prizes for the Best Costume, and music by James Dunn. BYOB. No jeans. Scott (313) 266-7253 or Marilyn (313) 591-9269 (evenings).
- WEDNESDAY DANCES**
Wednesday Suburban Singles hold dance parties every Wednesday 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. at Burton Manor, I-96 and Inkster, Exit 177, Livonia. Admission \$4. No jeans. Must be 21 or older. Arrive early for hot hors d'oeuvres. (313) 842-0443.
- FRIDAY DANCES**
Westside Singles dance parties occur 8

- p.m. to 1 a.m. Fridays through Oct. 27 at Burton Manor in Livonia. Dressy attire. Must be 21 or older. Admission \$5 (\$3 before 8:30 p.m.) (313) 981-0909.
- TRADITIONAL COUNTRY**
Single Place Adult Ministries of First Presbyterian Church of Northville presents Traditional Country Dancing with Karen Missavage 7-9 p.m. Sunday evenings, Oct. 22 to Nov. 19 at Northville Parks and Recreation Center, 303 W. Main Street, Northville. (810) 349-0911.

BALLROOM DANCING

- 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) 930-1892, (313) 665-6013 or (313) 487-5322.
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The Dearborn Fairlane Singles present "Ballroom Dancing" 8:30-11 p.m. every Thursday, at Bishop Foley K of C Hall, 15800 Michigan Ave., (3 blocks west of Greenfield). Popular live bands, couples welcome. Cost \$4. Dance lessons by dancing specialist, Terry Babenko, 7-8 p.m. for \$2. If you attend lessons, you receive \$1 off your admission ticket. (313) 565-3658.
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- 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) 625-8913.

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- BETHANY**
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- CATHOLIC ALUMNI/DETROIT**
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An adult discussion group meets 7:30-11:15 p.m. the second and fourth Friday of each month in First Unitarian-Universalist Church, 1917 Washtenaw Ave., Ann Arbor. The program is not church-affiliated. The group is open to those age 21 and older. Admission is \$5 per person and \$2 for volunteers. Snacks are served at each meeting. (313) 998-0141.
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- INLINE SKATING**
FSP meet 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays in the lot behind the Farmington Post Office on Slocum Street (south of Grand River, east of Farmington Road). Lessons provided 6-6:30 p.m. and 6:30-7 p.m. for \$5 per person per session. (810) 473-2008.
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Everyone's a chef at Genghis Khan

BY RENEE SKOGLUND
SPECIAL WRITER

Like to cook, but can't stand the heat? At Genghis Khan Mongolian Restaurant, Laurel Park's newest eatery, everybody gets to be a creative chef without stepping foot into the kitchen.

Select the makings of your entree from the huge, sparkling clean food bar and take them over to the chefs — the real chefs — who will barbecue your meal Mongolian-style on the biggest and hottest grill you've ever seen. "Thirty thousand BTUs," said chef Mike Wu.

Believe me, a little of this, some of that, a few of those make for some customized dining. You can choose from paper-thin slices of lamb, beef, poultry, seafood and vegetables, plus an array of sauces and oils ranging from mild to spicy.

"It makes cooking more fun, a form of art. People can make their own decisions, how much meat, vegetables, how spicy they want their food," said Christino Wong, a family friend who acted as hostess for owner Shen Wu at the restaurant's recent grand opening.

For Shen Wu, whose family also owns the popular New Peking Restaurant in Garden City, Genghis Khan was just a dream a few years ago.

"My brother Mike, and I had the idea a long time. We talked to my father. He's a bit old-fashioned. We talked him into it."

Now that Genghis Khan has opened its doors, Mr. Wu is happy. He should be. The restaurant is lovely. It's spacious and bright, with beautiful carpeting and a contemporary Chinese



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Hot, Hot!: Paul Chen and Peter Chang prepare customer selections on a large Mongolian griddle at the newly opened Genghis Khan Mongolian Restaurant.

decor that includes original art.

"I love it," said customer Charles Vomastek of Livonia. Larry and Mary Lou Bell of Canton, regulars at New Peking, plan on being frequent customers at Genghis Khan as well. "I like that you pick and choose what you want, the meats and the vegetables," said Mary Lou.

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More than 32,000 Detroiters and Windsorites witnessed, at the time, the richest race in history. Man O'War defeated Sir Barton, the first Triple Crown winner by seven lengths. It turned out to be Man O'War's final race.

To celebrate the anniversary, international artist Ron Suchlu has dramatically portrayed the race with his painting, "Race of the Century," with limited edition prints available that day at The Toot, in the Main Floor Clubhouse at Ladbroke, 28001 Schoolcraft, Livonia.

This work was accepted by Queen Elizabeth for her collection and is the only Canadian artist to have a painting hanging in Windsor Castle. Suchlu's "The Edmund Fitzgerald" hangs in the White House.

The Toot will also have limited edition collectors glass featuring Man O'War in the Race of the Century. It is only the fourth known Man O'War collectors glass ever made.

For more information, call (313) 427-6640.

U-Can-Shoot clinic

On Sunday, Oct. 2, the Pat Miller U-Can-Shoot basketball clinics for boys and girls in grades 5-12 are coming to Garden City High School.

Miller, former Northwood University coach, has instructed pros like Jason Kidd (Dallas Mavericks), Kenny Anderson (New Jersey Nets) and Dennis Rodman (Chicago Bulls).

Cost for Session I is \$20; it will last from 1-4 p.m. The more extensive Sessions II and III, held 1-6 p.m., cost \$35. Shooting mechanics, three-point shooting, free-throw shooting and offensive footwork will be covered. All registered youngsters will receive a free basketball.

For further information, contact Kevin Wilkinson at (313) 274-5405.

College soccer notes

The University of Detroit Mercy men's soccer team remained unbeaten in the Midwest Collegiate Conference, defeating Notre Dame 1-0 and Northern Illinois 4-1.

The win over Notre Dame last Thursday broke the Titans' six-game losing streak against the Fighting Irish. The victory over Northern Illinois Sunday improved UDM's record to 3-0 in the MCC, 8-4 overall.

Against Notre Dame, junior keeper Kal Kaliszewski (Livonia Churchill) was outstanding, making eight saves while posting his 12th career shutout.

UDM has a home match against Wright State at 2 p.m. Sunday.

Duquesne (Pa.) University freshman forward Charlie Roberts (Churchill) scored the game-winning goal in a 1-0 win recently over Xavier. Roberts also assisted on the game-winner in a 1-0 triumph over Dayton. The Duquesne are 3-6-1 overall and 2-1-1 in the Atlantic 10 Conference.

Oakland University freshman forward Nick Deren (Livonia Stevenson) scored both goals in a 6-2 loss recently to Northeast Missouri State. Deren has a team-high six goals and 14 points for the Pioneers (3-5-2 overall).

OU freshman Jenny Wysocki (Churchill) assisted on a pair of goals in the Pioneers' 8-0 win, Oct. 4 at Northwood. The Lady Pioneers are 7-1-1 overall.

Listen to Bob Ufer

The legendary voice of the late Bob Ufer can once again be heard when WJR 760 AM re-broadcasts the 1976 Michigan vs. Michigan State football game at 1 p.m. Saturday. Ufer, who broadcast 362 consecutive games, died of cancer on Oct. 26, 1991. If listener response is good, WJR will consider making replays of classic Michigan games broadcast by Ufer an annual event on week-ends Michigan doesn't play. The Wolverines, who were upset 19-13 by Northwestern last Saturday, have a bye week this weekend.

Madonna card show

Madonna University's baseball program is hosting a card collectible show from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday at the school's Activities Center. There is free admission and more than 80 tables. Proceeds go to the school's baseball program.

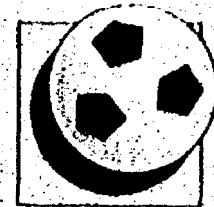
Indoor soccer signup

The Canton Boxcarrome is accepting registrations (youth, adult and coed teams) for three different sessions (nine games each) — beginning Oct. 28, Jan. 3, 1996 and March 1, 1996. The cost is \$495 per team (plus one referee fee).

For more information, call (313) 483-5600, Rm 102.

To submit items for the Observer Sports Scene, write to Brad Emons, 34251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, MI 48150, or send via fax to (313) 591-7279.

Spartans spank Churchill, 3-1



Livonia Stevenson was hitting on all cylinders Monday, downing crosstown boys soccer rival Churchill with a 3-1 victory. Stevenson hosts Plymouth Canton Oct. 18 for the Western Lakes title.

BY BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

Walt Barrett didn't have to use a pregame pep talk.

He realized Monday night's Livonia Stevenson-Livonia Churchill boys soccer battle is for backyard bragging rights more than anything else.

"I didn't have to talk to the guys," said Barrett, whose Stevenson team improved to 13-0-1 overall with a convincing 3-1 victory over the visiting Chargers. "Especially after the crowd showed up. They were ready to go."

The Spartans were sharp and had the ball on a string for most of the evening.

They wasted little time in scoring. Just 4:43 into the match, Jeff Urbata banged home an unassisted effort past Churchill goalkeeper Bryan Stramecki to make it 1-0 for the Spartans.

Urbata then added his 22nd of the year on a nice through-ball from Paul Tokarsky, the score coming with 10:28 left in the half.

With 17:09 remaining in the match, Steve Williford's direct free kick was right on target to Matt Quinter, who headed it home for a 3-0 lead.

"Stevenson is physical and they've

got guys who can control the ball and stop it on a dime... there's not much you can do," said Churchill coach Chad Campau, whose team is 7-3-4 overall. "Of the teams we've played so far, I feel they are the team to beat."

The Spartans are tough to beat when Williford, Quinter, Urbata and Scott Sersen are on their games.

"We have four captains, but only two can wear the badges," Barrett said. "All four can see where the game is going."

"We leadership on defense (Sersen), leadership at the defensive mid-field (Quinter), leadership at midfield (Williford) and leadership at forward (Urbata)," Barrett said. "And add a hot goalie (Jim Grewe) into the equation and it makes us tough."

"What I liked tonight is that all our key players stepped up. Nobody was hiding out there."

"Williford played a heck of a game for us. In the first half he was very unselfish. We're tough when we play as a team."

Tokarsky also gave the Spartans a boost in coming off the bench.

"He stepped up with several dangerous attacks," said Barrett, whose team is ranked No. 2 in Class A be-



JIM JAGGELD/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Converging: Churchill goalie Bryan Stramecki (left) and defender Nate McKenzie try keep the ball away from a Stevenson attacker.

hind Ulca Eisenhower. "Our ball movement was good. To control the ball under this kind of pressure from a team like Churchill is commendable."

Campau used Nate McKenzie and Jeff Kozlow to mark Urbata, while sophomore David George was assigned to check Williford.

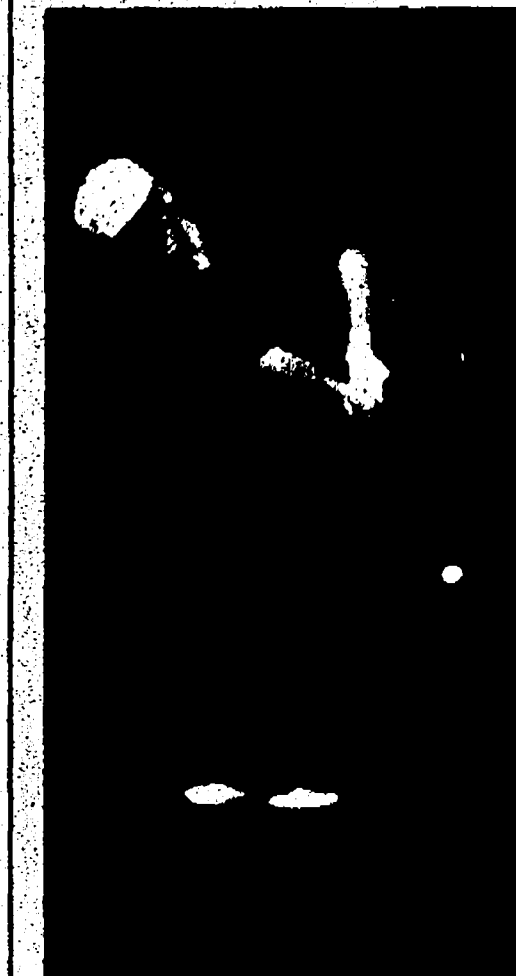
"We used Nate until he got injured

and then we used Kozlow," Campau said. "Williford is so quick... geez."

"I felt most of the time we stayed with them, but a few times we broke down. The rest of their team (Stevenson) played well and they're tough."

Campau, however, is not ready to concede a second meeting if the two teams bump heads in the state regional.

Kiehler medalist in WLAA



JIM JAGGELD/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

WLAA champ: Livonia Churchill's Chris Kiehler had his short game working Tuesday at the Links of Pinewood. He shot a low round of 76.

BY C.J. RINAK
STAFF WRITER

There were three realistic possibilities for a champion at the Western Lakes Activities Association Golf Tournament.

Plymouth Salem came into the event with the best dual-meet record (11-0), but most felt the real favorite was Livonia Churchill, which lost one league match — to Salem.

The third possibility? Well, with a new scoring system in place that rated dual-meet results equally with the season-ending tournament, a tie for first was a definite likelihood.

And, as it turned out, that's just what happened. On a very difficult Links of Pinewood course (par-70) in Walled Lake, Churchill emerged an easy winner with a 408 total. But Salem was second at 421, which meant the Chargers and Rockets finish in a tie for the WLAA title. See statistical summary on page 5C.

The final league standings based on the combined scoring system were Churchill and Salem, tied for first with 22 points; Northville third with 19; Farmington Hills Harrison fourth with 14; Farmington and Westland John Glenn tied for fifth with 13; Walled Lake Western seventh with 11; Livonia Stevenson eighth with nine; North-

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Farmington ninth with eight; Plymouth Canton, 10th with six; Livonia Franklin 11th with four; and Walled Central 12th with two.

"Everybody — the coaches and the players — knew the scores would be higher," said Churchill coach Kirk Oiler. "The course was tree-lined with lots of water... it was a tougher test than we're used to in dual meets."

"I'm glad we survived this golf course. It was a real struggle, a survival test for all the players."

The Chargers survived by putting two of their golfers among the top three finishers and four among the top 15. Chris Kiehler earned tournament medalist honors by posting a 76 with an all-around consistent round of 37-39.

Teammate Dave Higham was right behind, tying for second with Salem's Mike Hjelmsstad at 78. All three were named to the All-WLAA team.

"Kiehler had only one birdie, but he used his short game quite well," Oiler said of his senior. "He was able to get it up and down."

"And Dave (Higham) was solid from tee to green. He managed well to keep it out of trouble."

Churchill had two others make the all-Western Division team:

Mike Cotter with an 81, and Leon Kashawic with an 85. Cotter tied Harrison's Kevin Horton for the final spot on the all-WLAA team, but lost on the third playoff hole. The Chargers' fifth scorer was Gary Kraus at 88.

Going into the tournament, Salem coach Rick Wilson had predicted that at least two sub-80 scores would be needed to challenge Churchill. The Rockets didn't get it: behind Hjelmsstad was Brian Fox at 83, Jeff Lear at 84 (both were all-Lakes Division), Ryan Andrzejewski at 87 and Ryan Deschaw at 89.

"Not every one of our guys played up to their potential," said Wilson. "But our guys aren't used to playing a course like that."

Behind Churchill and Salem were Northville at 435, followed by the tournament surprise — John Glenn at 443, the Rockets best finish ever in the WLAA Tournament.

The fifth member of the all-WLAA team was Glenn's Craig Piscopink with a 79.

Northville put two players on the all-Western Division team: Jeremy Sova (83) and Rob Rankin (85). Other all-division golfers: Glenn's Chris Tompkins (82), Farmington's Derek Fox (83), Stevenson's Steve Polanski (83) and Harrison's Jeff Moscow (83).

OU's strong 2nd half leads to victory over Schoolcraft

BY C.J. RINAK
STAFF WRITER

It was bound to happen.

Twice last year, Oakland University lost soccer matches to a two-year school. And considering OU's carefully cultivated soccer tradition, this was something that could not continue — even if the two-year school had a more impressive soccer tradition.

Which Schoolcraft College does, at least in women's soccer. That's because OU's women's program is in its second year. SC's has been around for more than a decade and has a national title to its credit.

But it was obvious Wednesday that the Lady Pioneers' program was developing quickly. Even with their top scorer out of action with an ankle sprain, even after a sluggish first half, even against a nationally ranked opponent riding a five-game win streak, OU was able to turn things around and post a 3-0 victory.

It was the first time OU coach Nick O'Shea (who also coaches Livonia Churchill's girls team) was able to defeat the team he took to the NJCAA title.

The Pioneers did it with one strong half. "I just told them, 'I know you've got a big game Saturday, but you've

got to win this one first,'" O'Shea said of his halftime talk.

OU, now 8-1-1, hosts the Central Region Classic this weekend, with games against Mercyhurst (2:30 p.m. Saturday) and Wisconsin-Parkside (2:30 p.m. Sunday). And that was a distraction.

For a while, anyway. The Pioneers quickly regained their focus after a scoreless first half, scoring five minutes into the second on a quick counter with Genevieve Long feeding a pass to Kristi Hawley for the goal.

They made it 2-0 five minutes later on a bad break for SC. A ball bounced toward Ocelot keeper Jenny Audritah (from Garden City), then bounced high and over her head. Long retrieved it and headed it in; Jenny Wysocki (Livonia Churchill) assisted.

Long got the third goal, too, taking a pass from Erin Gallagher after a free kick and scoring.

While the Pioneers were picking up their play in the second half, SC seemed to flounder.

"This was too big a game for too many of them, physically and emotionally," Johnson said of her team, which slipped to 6-4.



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Double-dip: The Pioneers' Genevieve Long was in the right place against SC, scoring twice in spite of Stacy Miller's (from Canton) defensive efforts.

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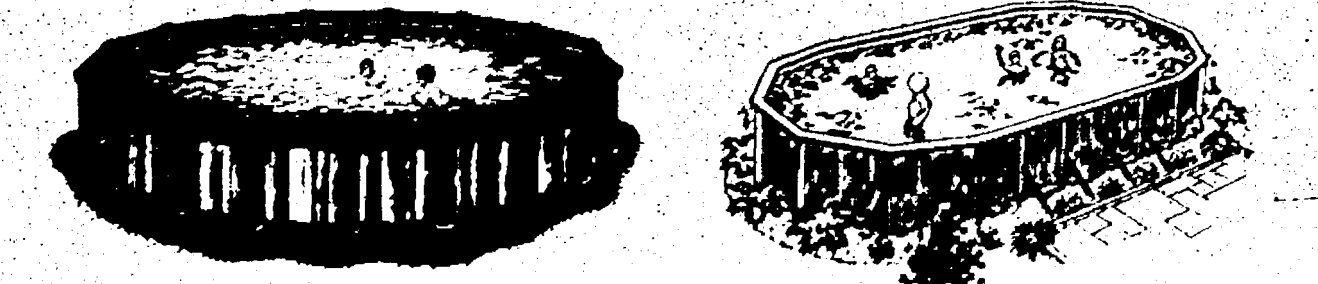
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Stevenson-Glenn tilt headlines

BY BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

How about this? The Lucky Irishman (Dan O'Meara) correctly picks 13 of 14 games last week and can't gain any ground. Maybe that's why he's taking this week off.

The guy needs a vacation because his counterpart (yours truly) also went 13-1 to push his overall season record to 75-12.

O'Meara, with three weeks to make a run, still trails by seven games (68-19).

So what does the Irishman do? He leaves his picks on my voice mail and says, "I'll take whoever you don't take in the Stevenson-John Glenn game."

Wait a minute, don't the prognosticators make their choices privately and submit them in a sealed envelope?

So what's next, Dan, picking against the spread? Anyway, no need to call in the commissioner.

Here's a peak at Week No. 7.

FRIDAY'S GAMES
(all 7:30 p.m. unless noted)

Lutheran Westland at Harper Woods (4 p.m.): Lutheran Westland (3-3, 3-2) proved last week, by blanking Clarenceville, that they can play some damn good football. But can they do it two weeks in a row? Harper Woods (4-2, 3-1), a non-league loser last week to Morend (No. 4 in Class C) is led by tailback Kevin Pace, who rushed for 175 yards and three TDs against Clarenceville. **PICKS:** Harper Woods gets two votes.

Garden City at Redford Union (7 p.m.): The Cougars (2-4, 2-3) are on a two-game winning streak. They beat Taylor Kennedy last week behind Mark Longhi's 100 yards. Ironically, RU (1-5, 1-4) beat Taylor Kennedy, too. But the Panthers have been blanked the last two outings. **PICKS:** RU ready for an upset? An emphatic no, say the prognosticators.

Dearborn Fordson at Wayne: The Tractors (5-1, 4-1), who pounded Woodhaven last week 30-0, are in playoff contention in Class AA-Region III. Wayne (2-4, 2-3) lost 33-14 to unbeaten and Mega-Red leader Belleville, but rolled up over 300 total yards. The big question is: Can the Zebras use their quick-strike capabilities? **PICKS:** Fordson rolls to another win.

Lutheran Northwest at Liv. Clarenceville: Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest (0-6, 0-4) can't seem to give anybody a game. Last week Northwest was smashed by Lutheran East, 39-0. Clarenceville (2-4, 2-3) has dropped its three straight. Quarterback Rob Ashton injured his elbow against Lutheran Westland, but the Trojans still have two quality backs in Bryan DeCaire and Donahue Fulton. **PICKS:** The Trojans are riding high.

Bishop Borgess at S'gate Aquinas: Despite losing 20-12 last week to Detroit Benedictine, the Spartans (3-3, 1-2) are the surprise team in Observerland thus far after going 0-9 a year ago. Richard Paige is a quality quarterback, but Aquinas (4-2, 2-1) may have more weapons. **PICKS:** Aquinas wins to stay in the Tri-Sectional race.

Westland Glenn at Liv. Stevenson: This is the game of the week. A lot is at stake: If Stevenson wins, the Spartans (5-1, 4-0) will be outright Lakes Division champs and get another crack in the Western Lakes final against Farmington Hills Harrison. If Glenn (5-1, 3-1) prevails, the Rockets could force a three-way tie (in the event that Walled Lake Central beats Farmington). The game features two quality backs of similar style and number (wearing Barry Sanders' No. 20) — Gade Clark (Stevenson) and Jay Jackson (Glenn). The team that can control the line of scrimmage and throw the ball effectively on occasion will be the winner. **PICKS:** Emons gives Glenn the edge, but O'Meara likes Stevenson.

N. Farmington at Ply. Salem: Both teams are fighting to stay out of the basement in the WLA's Lakes Division. The Rocks (1-5, 1-3) are tough team to figure out, while the Raiders (1-5, 0-4) aren't far behind. This one is definitely a tossup. **PICKS:** It's not Rock-solid, but Salem is the choice.

Ply. Canton at Northville: Canton (4-2, 3-1) is picking up momentum and could clinch second place in the WLA's Western Division with a win. The Chiefs have a pair of game-breakers in quarterback Rob Johnson and wide receiver Ron Hunter. Meanwhile, Northville (4-2, 3-1) was fortunate to escape last week with a 26-21 victory over Livonia Churchill. **PICKS:** Hail to the Chiefs.

GRID PICKS

Liv. Churchill at Liv. Franklin: Both teams played their hearts out last week, only to come up empty. The Patriots (1-5, 0-4) proved that they can play physical with a state-ranked team. Churchill (0-6, 0-5) also proved it can move the ball after scoring 12 points during the first five weeks. Todd Wilson is an exciting back to watch for Churchill and Paul Torek does a lot of things for Franklin. **PICKS:** Both go with the Patriots.

W.L. Central at Farmington: Central (4-2, 3-1) has more at stake in this one than the Falcons (2-4, 1-3). If the Vikings can win and Glenn beats Stevenson, they can earn a share of the WLA's Lakes Division title. Farmington, meanwhile, will try to find other ways to generate more offense if teams continue to key on tailback Jake Siskosky. **PICKS:** O'Meara says Central finds a way to win, but Emons flies with the Falcons.

D.H. Annapolis at Red. Thurston: Something has to give in this Mega Conference-Blue Division encounter of cellar dwellers. The incentive is certainly there. Both teams are seeking their first victories for the season. **PICKS:** Go with the home team. The Eagles have landed.

Redford CC at U-D Jesuit (2 p.m.): The unbeaten Shamrocks (6-0, 3-0) have another mismatch this week. The Cubs (1-5, 0-2) have long gone into hibernation. Last week they were drilled by Detroit DePorres, 50-0. **PICKS:** CC coach Tom Mach empties his bench early.

St. Clement vs. St. Agatha (7:30 p.m. at RU's Kraft Field): The Aggies have dropped two straight, including an eye-popping 42-7 defeat to C-Section leader Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes. Meanwhile, St. Clement (4-2, 2-1) rallied late to hand Royal Oak Shrine its first defeat of the season, 12-7. **PICKS:** Center Line stays in the league chase.

Shamrocks drain Orchard Lake, 31-0

Even with starting quarterback Greg Call out with an injury, unbeaten Redford Catholic Central didn't miss a beat Saturday, romping to a 31-0 football victory over Orchard Lake St. Mary's in a game played at Livonia Clarenceville.

Sophomore Adam Tubaro took the signal-calling reins as CC improved to 6-0 overall and 2-0 in the division.

St. Mary's, which downed the Shamrocks last year 20-0, falls to 4-2 and 0-2.

Senior fullback John Spolsky (69 yards in 12 carries) scored

CC's first touchdown on a 6-yard run with 8:17 left in the opening quarter. Judah May's interception set up the return.

With 38 seconds left in the same period, Eron Kosmowski, who was four-for-four on extra points, booted a 41-yard field goal.

Spolsky then turned a screen pass from Tubaro into a 56-yard gain and Kevin Quay scored from 4 yards with 4:36 left in the second period to give CC a 17-0 half-time advantage.

Quay, who led CC in rushing with 97 yards in 19 carries, scored

on a 4-yard run with 8:20 left in the third.

Tubaro then scored on a 1-yard sneak with 10:59 left in the final quarter to cap the scoring.

CC rolled up 294 yards total offense, 234 on the ground. Tubaro was two of four for 60 yards.

St. Mary's was held to 71 total yards, 69 on the ground. The Eaglets completed only one of 15 passes.

Defensively, linebackers Milam Brooks and Tom Smiley were each in on eight tackles. Chuck O'Connor added a fumble recovery.

Win spot at Super Bowl Ladies Pro-Am

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How about a chance to get a free entry in the Pro-Am for the Ladies Pro Bowling Tour, which will be at Super Bowl in Canton beginning with the Pro-Am on Sunday, Oct. 29?

All you have to do is write a letter of 25 words or less on why you would like to bowl in the Pro-Am with (choose one) 1. Aleta Sill; 2. Ann Marie Dugan; 3. Leanne Barrette; 4. Cheryl Daniels; 5. Tish Johnson; or 6. Jeanne Naccarato.

There will be one man and one woman selected from the letters received. For non-winners, the entry fee is \$60. Each entrant is eligible for the prize fund which includes \$1,000 for first place (guaranteed) with the remaining prize split one for every eight entries.

Each entrant also receives a package which includes: a souvenir jacket, free game passes and a complimentary ticket to a qualifying round of the tournament.

Squad times on the 29th are juniors at 11 a.m. and adults at 1, 3, 5 and 7 p.m. The format is nine pin no lap with each entrant teamed with three different lady pro bowlers. There will also be a random drawing during each adult squad for a free bowling party and other gifts.

Send your letters to: Pro-Am Contest, Super Bowl, 46100 Ford Road, Canton 48117. All contest entries must be received by Monday, Oct. 23.

The \$75,000 Lady Ebonite Classic will get under way with qualifying rounds on Monday, Oct. 30, and Tuesday, Oct. 31. The field will be cut to the top 24 for match play, starting

at 4 p.m. Oct. 31 and continuing Nov. 1 to determine the five qualifiers for the television finals. Those will be at 6 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 2.

The finest lady bowlers in the world will be there, so come on down. Tickets will be available at the door.

BOWLING HONOR ROLL

Country Lanes (Farmington Hills): Inter-Lodge, Seth Topper, 232/583; Hersh Myer, 219; Mark Silverstein, 223.

Greenfield Mixed: Ryan Wilson, 245; 258/710; Shawn Smith, 240; 245/696; (159 over average); Ken Fisher, 258/532; Tom Goo, 236; 226; 224/686; Nancy Galper converted the unusual split of 2-4-8-10.

Country Keglers: Gary Via, 290/876; Jerry Heath, 257/817; Steve Hughes, 246/631; C.J. Bisco, 243.

Bel Aire Lanes: Ladies Nite out — Cindy Gault, 217-203; Lorie Schorneck, 230.

Our Lady of Sorrows: Chuck Urban 226; Bob Byrne, 231; B.T. Nielsen, 241-210; Don Bescherer, 243.

Onyx Lanes: Farmington EP's — Jim Sockow, 225; 255; 234/714.

Youth Bowlers: Shannon Rowe, 257/707; Chris Brughman, 278/107.

Anahe's Big Boy Classic: Mike Somers, 216; 300; Dave Eaton, 300; Gary Hegushi, 279; Jason Johnson, 277; Rudy Nash, 218/710.

Spartan Pro League: Paul Gossell, 215/664; Brett Groszkowski, 205/562.

Centendon Hospital League: Ray Lynch 204; Cara Carr, 202/505.

Silver Eagles: John Gilman, 234; Bob Macdon, 202/582.

Novel Bowl: West Side (Lutheran) Will Gaulte, 642; Tom Faries, 699; Al Hart, 643; Don Johnson, 603.

Bardon Lanes (Bardon City): St. Lucia Classic (9/22): Ed Stephenson, 241/664; Dave Barnard, 235/632; Al Doherty, Ron Redburn, 241/626 (9/29); Ron MacArthur, 279; 290/712; Mary Garcia, 270/711; Rob Fieser, 222; 220; 248/690; Brian Inoue, 238; 238/659; Brad Joahn, 208/643; Doug Miller, 206/634.

Cleveside (Livonia): All Star Bowl invites — Mary Cato, 258/709; Donna Linton, 290/697; Carmen Allen, 268/691; Cheryl Daniels, 279/683; Lisa Martin, 277/698; Ladies of Western Bowlers — Renee Woods, 233; Carl Fahrenbach, 215/671; Sylvia Garask, 214/649; Mary Korman, 207; Sunday Nine Mixed — Greg Smith Jr. 278/

778; Mike Stephenson, 277/719; Willie Brown Jr., 254; Regina Parham, LaTonya DuVal, 218; Sheryl Tillman, 216/543; Memorial Road Baptist Church — Dave Burgos, 204/565; Phoenix Mixed — Herbie Hergel, 232/582; Gary Rasmussen, 222; Jan Page, 531; House Kings & Queens — Todd Butler, 245/584; Sammie Simmons, 203; Marie Reynolds, 207/553; Redford Rollers Men — Dennis Maynard, 278/620; Larry Fletcher, 241/817; Bob Parvovich, 238; Sam Begin, 237/623; Tekom Men's — S. Kapke, 248/657; S. Davis, 257; S. Clemence, 225; Moslem Shrine — J. Griffith, 278/621; C. Bykenson, 248/605; M. Caudy, 247/623; Chuck Koteles, 245; Bowlettes — Chris Garrett, 236; Fay Oever, 235/650; Kelly Braun, 227; Kitty Betzy, 224/647.

Merit Bowl (Livonia): Longnecks — Pat Kennedy, 227-222; 244/693; K.O.C. — Gordon Gregoroff, 276; 247/693; Eric Burns, 221/662; Bob Dunn, 237/665; Scott Archibald, 237-222; 652; Senja House — Garrett Hagler, Fred Vlach, 268/722; Andy Revin, 207/703; Ron Reese, 25/121; Angelo Carlini, 255/733.

Woodland Lanes: Men's Tie — Mark Howes, 279/753; Mark Payne, 279/707; Steve Helowski, 278/697; Dan Portman, 266/717; Mixed Doubles — Roger House, 700; Ladies Tie Out — Alicia Mazzoli, 263; Cheryl Sapek, 655; Laura Zam, 245; Early Birds — Joyce Yanick, 250 (100 pins over avg.); Woodland Midnight Mixed — Doug Eichen, 278/750; Tim Rose, 268/742; Ron Beard, 267/711; Ted Kress Jr., 264/672; Carl Baker, 255/678; Grandale — Don Rutkowski, 290.

Woodland Lanes: Suburban Proprietors Men's League — Randy Gutowski, 279/650; John Demarino, 232/639; Mark McInneshan, 226; Lou Ivancich, Rich McCaffrey, 226.

Suburban Proprietors Ladies League: Carl Fahrenbach, 221; Kathy Butler, 212/583; Yvonne Payne, 207/534; W.L. McFarlan, 202/537; Pat Gerry, 207.

Woodland Bowl Ford Motor Company (9/21) Div. 1 Steve Bester, 258; Jim Grimm, 246/656; Don Goddard, 248/700; Terry Cronk, 245/680; Bob Ashcraft, 243; Div. 2 Don Palmer, 237/588; Tom Nadeau, 228/610; Buddy Faturer, 226; Rich Suddert, 225; Jack Bease, 224/638; Ford Motor Company (9/28) Div. 1 Steve Bester, 278; Tony Bennett, 266/664; Bill Hermon, 264/699; Ron Smith, 257/642; Don Goddard, 256; Div. 2 Wayne Walters, 262/623.

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GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Wayne prevails

Holt, Jackson, Barge cage GC

BY NEAL ZIPPER STAFF WRITER

Wayne Memorial girls basketball coach Chuck Henry admitted he was worried Tuesday when his two star players — Yolanda Holt and Rica Barge — went to the bench after picking up their fourth fouls late in the third quarter against host Garden City.

The Zebras held a slim 43-39 advantage at the time in the battle for first place in the Mega Conference Red Division.

But then Henry witnessed the rebirth of Sandy Jackson. The senior guard, who was Wayne's co-Most Valuable Player a year ago with Barge, took over down the stretch.

Jackson scored seven of the game's next nine points and added eight more in the fourth quarter to lead the Zebras to a 73-52 victory.

"We've waited all year for Sandy to break out," Henry said. "I thought we were in big time trouble when Yolanda and Rica came out. Someone had to step up and Sandy did."

Jackson, who hadn't scored more than two points in a game this season, finished with 18 points — three off her career-high.

"I knew I had to pick up the slack," Jackson said. "I've been in that situation before. I was thinking that I couldn't lose the

ball. I tried to take some time off the clock but they game me the drive to the basket."

The win leapfrogs Wayne past the Cougars in the Mega Red. The first-place Zebras are 4-1 in the division, while Garden City fell to 4-2. Both teams are 9-2 overall.

Not to be outdone by Jackson, Holt turned in her best overall performance of the season, according to Henry. The junior poured in 31 points while ripping down 20 rebounds.

Barge also contributed with 19 points and 10 rebounds, while spending a good chunk of the first half on the bench in foul trouble.

The Cougars, who lost their second-straight game after opening the season with nine wins, played without their second-leading scorer and top rebounder Christie Glover.

The junior forward sat out with what may be a strained muscle in her quad above her right knee, according to coach Marshall Henry. Her status will be re-evaluated Monday.

Without Glover and her 18-point average, Garden City relied on Jamie Faber. The senior guard scored 28 points and grabbed 11 rebounds. Senior guard Trish Keener, starting in place of Glover, finished with seven.

"I told them before the game

that someone was going to have to step up and no one did with the exception of Trish," Henry said. "Jamie can't score 50 for us. And we had no inside game at all."

The Cougars missed Glover's rebounding as Wayne pounded the Cougars on the boards, 54-32.

"Their rebounding killed us," the Garden City coach said. "I also thought the pace of the game was to Wayne's advantage. Perhaps we should have stepped back and not pressed."

"Not having Glover really affected them and we took advantage of it," Wayne's Henry said. "With her in the game, it would have been closer."

The Cougars played tough early as Faber scored all 10 of the team's first quarter points. Barge's eight, however, gave Wayne a 14-10 lead.

The advantage traded hands in the second until the Zebras went on a 9-2 run to end the quarter. Wayne led 29-22 at halftime.

Garden City rallied in the fourth and appeared to be in striking range before Jackson put the game out of reach.

"After being in the driver's seat, we now have our backs to the wall," Garden City's Henry said. "Hopefully Christie will come back and we'll win our next six in the league. It won't be easy but it can be done."

Blazers earn tie with Churchill

A 50-point loser a year ago, Livonia Ladywood's swim team came nearly all the way back Tuesday, earning a 92-41 tie with host Livonia Churchill.

Ladywood is 5-0-1 in dual meets, while Churchill is 2-2-1.

"I knew it would be a close meet," Ladywood coach Randy Ferguson said. "We were looking forward to this meet all year. We swam well."

Ladywood was down 10 points going into the 200-yard freestyle relay.

The Blazers' Missy Kuznar, Lena Bacalawski, Andrea Delle-Monache and Erin Worden took first in 1:50.7, but Churchill garnered the next two places, only

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to have one relay foursome disqualified for a false start.

The disqualification cost Churchill six points.

Ladywood's 200 medley relay team of Worden, Delle-Monache, Kuznar and Cathy Hermann took first in 2:06.7.

Delle-Monache added individual firsts in the 200 IM (2:22.7) and 100 breaststroke (1:14.5), while Worden captured the 50 freestyle (26.68) and 100 freestyle (58.3).

Churchill firsts were recorded by Maggie Corazza, 200 freestyle (2:16.1); Jana Stoyanovich, diving (189.75 points); Karen Coulter,

100 butterfly (1:07.7); and Adrienne Doyle, 500 freestyle (6:01.75).

The Chargers' 400 freestyle relay quartet of Coulter, Doyle, Kristen Derwich and Mary Corazza were also victorious in 4:11.4.

OTHER DUAL MEET RESULTS

LIVONIA STEVENSON 108 BIRMINGHAM GROVES 77 Oct. 10 at Bentley Center

Stevenson firsts: Julie Gallagher, Julie Kehn, Anne Aristo and Susan Howie, 200 medley relay (2:00.48); Katy Casale, 200 freestyle (2:04.64); Kim, 200 IM (2:19.25); Aristo, 50 freestyle (24.86); Beth Gallagher, diving (239.30 points); Kim, 100 butterfly (1:02.54); Aristo, 100 freestyle (53.71); Jordan Gofford, Marti McKenzie, Carlisle and Kim, 200 freestyle relay (1:46.02); Howie, Maria McKenzie, Heather Dallas and Meghan Lesaw (3:58.91). Stevenson's dual meet record: 8-0 overall.

Franklin wins encounter; Mercy edges Ladywood

A strong first quarter Tuesday sparked visiting Livonia Franklin to a 45-38 girls basketball win over cross-town rival Livonia Stevenson.

The Patriots dominated the first quarter to take a 13-4 lead. The advantage held up for Franklin as the teams battled to a virtual tie the rest of the game.

"We came out pretty good," Franklin coach Gary Warner said. "They played themselves back into it. We had them on the ropes, but they bounced back and came back at us."

The Stevenson rally fell short, however, as the Spartans slipped to 2-4 in the Western Lakes Activities Association and 6-6 overall. The Patriots evened their mark at 3-3 in the WLAA and are 7-5 overall.

Tracy Rynkiewicz scored a game-high 21 points for Franklin. Kellie Main added 12.

The Spartans were led by Jenny Dulz, who tallied 13. Marie Wilson chipped in with 11.

W.L. WESTERN 64, JOHN GLENN 49: Walled Lake Western picked up their first win of the season Tuesday at the expense of visiting Westland John Glenn.

The Warriors didn't look like a winless team early, taking a 17-8 first quarter lead and

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extending it to 34-14 at halftime. The Rockets rallied in the third quarter, closing the margin to 49-37, but couldn't get any closer.

"We had a good third quarter which got us back into it but we ran out of gas," Glenn coach Andy Denison said. "We had kids sitting out in foul trouble in the first half."

Rochelle Harris led the Rockets with 22 points. Nykya Lee added 11 points and Anja Protz 14 rebounds.

Jody Miller's 25 paced Western. Gina Brooke and Markie Matthews added 16 and 11 points, respectively.

The Warriors improved to 1-4 in the WLAA while the Rockets fell to 0-5 in the league. Both teams are 1-3 overall.

MERCY 48, LADYWOOD 43: Livonia Ladywood failed to score in overtime Tuesday as visiting Farmington Mercy won the Catholic League Central Division battle.

The Blazers rallied from a 24-25 deficit heading into the fourth quarter and sent the game into overtime when Erin LaSage hit a driving banker with two seconds remaining.

The Marlins scored all five points of overtime to keep Ladywood winless in the league. The Blazers missed four free throw opportunities in the extra period.

"We played hard and made a good come-back but got some bad breaks and calls," Ladywood coach Lisa McPhee said.

LaSage and Katie Law led Ladywood with 14 points each. Law also had six steals.

The Marlins received 14 points apiece from Mary Jane Valade and freshman Jessica Brennan.

Mercy improved to 3-4 in the division and 4-8 overall, while Ladywood fell to 0-7 in the league and 1-11 overall.

LUTHERAN WESTLAND 50, LIGGETT 34: The Lutheran Westland charge continued Tuesday as the visiting Warriors had no trouble with Grose Pointe Woods University-Liggett. The Warriors won their 11th straight to improve to 11-1 and 5-0 in the Metro Conference. The Knights are 5-5 overall and 3-3 in the Metro.

Jenny Twietmeyer and Janell Twietmeyer led Westland with 13 and 12 points, respectively. Jasmine Beale led the Knights with nine.

The Warriors broke open a 23-18 halftime lead with a 17-6 third quarter, started with a 15-2 run.

"I asked the team at halftime to do me a favor — to play eight minutes with enthusiasm," Westland coach Ron Gentz said. "They played very intense in the third quarter and pulled away."

Gentz wasn't happy with Westland's free throw shooting. The team, which makes an average of 58 percent of its foul shots, converted just nine of 25 attempts.

LUTHERAN NORTH 68, CLARENCEVILLE 16: Me-comb Lutheran North outscored host Livonia Clarenceville 25-0 in the first quarter Tuesday en route to the easy Metro Conference win.

The Mustangs went on to take a 34-2 halftime lead and a 44-6 lead heading into the final quarter.

"They pressed us in the first half and totally dominated us," Clarenceville coach Bob Wolf said.

Freshman guard Danielle Slezak score 10 for the Trojans (0-11 overall, 0-4 in the league).

On Thursday, host Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest beat Clarenceville 59-28. Slezak and sophomore forward Melissa Berry scored seven each for the Trojans.

CROSS COUNTRY

LIVONIA FRANKLIN RELAYS Oct. 7 at Hankin Mills

BOYS TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Westland John Glenn, 37:06 (seven miles); 2. Livonia Franklin; 3. Livonia Churchill. Glenn legs: Jim Koch, half mile (2:29); Mark Lovell, mile (5:18); Tom Moore, mile (5:24); Joe Wojtowicz, two mile (10:47); Chris Giesen, mile (5:00); Justin Keyes, mile (5:33).

GIRLS TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Livonia Franklin, 46:46; 2. Livonia Churchill, 48:50; 3. Westland John Glenn, 51:19.

Franklin legs: Julie Bolyk, half mile; Suzie Lukosky, mile; Jenny Furlong, mile; Camie Boven, two mile; Mo Biegas, mile; Kerry Welsh, mile; Cassandra Gray, half-mile.

Girls All-Invitational (times): Franklin — Bolyk (3:01), Furlong (6:29), Lukosky (6:40), Biegas (6:45) and Boven (13:21); Churchill — Jeannette Martus, mile (6:43); John Glenn — Marjorie Brooks, two mile (13:13); Nicolette Jarrett, half-mile (3:12).

YPSILANTI BRIVES INVITATIONAL Oct. 7 at Ypsilanti

GIRLS TEAM STANDINGS (Purple Division): 1. Livonia Stevenson, 33 points; 2. Rockney, 66; 3. Brighton, 92; 4. Temperance Bedford, 120; 5. Monroe, 136.

Top individual finishers: 1. Katie Selinger (Oregon, Ohio Clay), 19:02 (5,000 meters), 2. Kelly Trivis (Stevenson), 19:04; 3. Tasha Minder (Bedford), 19:35; 4. Kelly McInnis (Stevenson), 19:49; 5. Stephanie Nelson (Rockney), 19:57; 6. Kim McInnis (Stevenson), 20:00; 8. Tava Shroyer (Bedford Edsel Ford), 20:12; 9. Becky Wolfson (Ypsilanti Canton), 20:14; 10. Liana Pina (Stevenson), 20:26.9.

CHARGER INVITATIONAL Oct. 7 at Dearborn Heights

BOYS DIVISION II TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Lutheran High Westland, 32; 2. Dearborn Heights Crestwood, 53; 3. Treston, 65.

Lutheran Westland finishers: 3. Brad Palkingore, 16:23; 5. Sara Patterson, 16:49; 7. Phil Kimmel, 17:07; 8. Andy Ebenick, 17:08; 9. Jason Collins, 17:09.

GIRLS DIVISION II TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Bellevue, 43; 2. Dearborn Divine Child, 70; 3. Lutheran High Westland, 82.

Lutheran Westland finishers: 1. Jodi Werman, 19:32; 9. Katie Sernett, 21:21; 22. Deb Unger, 23:14; 27. Laura Clark, 23:52; 30. Heidi Schmitt, 24:45; 33. Sarah Unger, 25:58.

WESTLAND JOHN GLENN FRESHMAN SOPHOMORE INVITATIONAL Oct. 10 at Central City Parkway

BOYS TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Redford Catholic Central, 32; 2. Ann Arbor Huron, 61; 3. Dearborn, 84; 4. Northville, 106; 5. Ypsilanti, 190; 6. Westland John Glenn, 198; 7. Bellevue, 235; 8. Dearborn Heights Robichaud, 237; 9. Garden City and Dearborn Edsel Ford did not score.

Boys individual finishers: 1. Reed Steele (Dearborn), 16:29; 2. Dan Jess (Redford CC), 18:09; 3. Matt Shannon (Redford CC), 18:12; 4. Chris Mangen (Garden City), 18:13; 5. Tim Schovers (Northville), 18:13; 6. Nashwan Ali (Edsel Ford), 18:31; 7. Jeremy Bauer (Redford CC), 18:35; 8. Graham Dempsey-Corbett (Huron), 18:36; 9. Mike Mantuya (Redford CC), 18:37; 10. Alex Thompson (Huron), 18:42.

Glenn's top finishers: 31. Justin Keyes, 19:53. GIRLS TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Northville, 48; 2. Bellevue, 65; 3. Ypsilanti, 67; 4. Dearborn, 69; 5. Dearborn Edsel Ford, 101; 6. Wayne Memorial, 144; 7. Westland John Glenn and Garden City, did not score.

Girls individual finishers: 1. Katie Ackon (Bellevue), 21:19; 2. Allison Murphy (Northville), 21:30; 3. Lakisha Wright (Yps), 21:40; 4. Beth Hiser (Bellevue), 22:07; 5. Karen Loefler (Northville), 22:21; 6. Rebecca Grossi (Yps), 22:31; 7. Katie Spriano (Northville), 22:36; 8. Natalie Atlas (Edsel Ford), 22:38; 9. Michelle King (Bellevue), 22:51; 10. Karen Travis (Dearborn), 22:51. Glenn's top finishers: 31. Nicolette Jarrett, 22:43.

BOYS DUAL MEET RESULTS

REDFORD CATHOLIC CENTRAL 18 WARRREN DELESALLE 48 Oct. 9 at Ceres Benton Park

Top 10 finishers: 1. Joe Leo (CC), 16:35; 2.

John Griffin (CC), 17:24; 3. Neil Sobock (DLS), 17:28; 4. Rick Kowal (CC), 17:33; 5. Rick Stachura (CC), 17:38; 6. Anthony Wolfe (CC), 17:40; 7. Joe Hubert (CC), 17:41; 8. Chris Laney (CC), 17:51; 9. Dan Danic (CC), 17:59; 10. Jeff Brink (DLS), 18:01.

CC's dual meet records: 4-0 (Cinched Catholic League Central Division for fifth straight year).

LUTHERAN HIGH WESTLAND 16 HAMTRAMCK 50 ROCH. HILLS LUTH. NORTHWEST 50 Oct. 10 at Hines Park

Lutheran Westland finishers: 1. (tie) Brad Palkingore and Sam Patterson, 17:54 each; 3. (tie) Phil Kimmel, Andy Ebenick and Jason Collins, 18:11.

Lutheran Westland's dual meet record: 10-0 overall.

GIRLS DUAL MEET RESULTS

LUTHERAN HIGH WESTLAND 16 ROCH. HILLS LUTH. NORTHWEST 50 Oct. 2 at Hines Park

Lutheran Westland finishers: 1. Jodi Werman, 21:07; 2. Katie Sernett, 22:46; 4. Jid Gerlach, 23:53; 5. Deb Unger, 24:21; 6. Sara Voigt, 24:32; 7. Laura Clark, 25:02; 8. Heidi Schmitt, 25:35.

Lutheran Westland's dual meet record: 5-0 overall.

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CC exits playoffs quietly

Playing Warren DeLaSalle's boys soccer team is tough enough when it's 11 players for each side.

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against the Pilots because of a red card infraction early in the second half of Saturday's game hosted by DeLaSalle.

The Pilots capitalized, scoring an insurance goal to win 2-0 and keep the Shamrocks from making the Catholic League playoffs for the second-straight year.

CC finished the Central Division with a 4-2-1 record. DeLaSalle, which qualified for the four-team playoffs along with Central Division member Birmingham Brother Rice, is 4-0-3.

After a scoreless first half, Jason McCallum scored DeLaSalle's first goal, deflecting a crossing pass into the net past CC goalkeeper Travis Miller about four minutes into the second half.

A CC player received a red card for complaining about a call with a referee a couple minutes later. A red card is cause for ejection and a replacement isn't allowed.

DeLaSalle scored an insurance goal with about eight minutes left while CC was pushing most of its players up trying to win and stay alive for the playoffs.

"We knew we had to win, not just tie, so we went from a defense orientation to offense," CC coach Phil LaJoy said. "The red card, our player probably could have handled it better, but things just happen. The call was made, he questioned it and it wasn't to the liking of the referee."

The Shamrocks on Monday blew a 2-0 halftime lead and tied Mt. Clemens Chippewa Valley, 2-2, in a non-league game.

Dan Mulvihill and Shaun Kahanec scored one goal each for the Shamrocks, who are 9-3-2 overall. Mulvihill also had an assist.

Miller played goal in the first half and Matt Kessler took over in the second half.

FRANKLIN 2, NORTHVILLE 1: On Monday, beating the visiting Mustangs, Livonia Franklin improved to 10-3 overall and finished 3-2 in the Western Division of the Western Lakes Activities Association.

Northville scored first in the 30th minute, but Franklin's Eric Kracht scored his ninth goal of the year on a penalty kick in 34th minute.

In the 56th minute, Joe Koniba added the game-winner off a cross from Rob Vega.

Scrambles team rules nationals

If there's a Will, there's a way for a pair of golfers from Livonia.

The father and son team of Kurt A. and Kurt R. Will, respectively, were part of the first-place team from Washtenaw Country Club which captured the 1995 Oldsmobile National Scramble Championship (Net Division), Oct. 2 at Eagle Pines in Orlando, Fla.

It was the first team from Michigan to win the event.

The Wills joined forces with Urban Hubert of Northville, Carl Calfin of Ann Arbor and Washtenaw CC pro Brent Veenstra to outlast 150 teams in the four-day tournament at Disney World's Lake Buena Vista Resort.

During the final round, the top 20 qualifying teams each added a PGA Touring Pro to make it a six-man scramble. In a blind draw, the Washtenaw CC team added John Mahaffey.

"He (Mahaffey) saved us about four strokes," said Kurt Will, Sr. "You had to use everyone's drive twice. He (Mahaffey) gave us some long approaches and made some key putts."

Other touring pros participating included Robert Gamez, Ed Fiori and Hubert Green.

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For their efforts, members of the winning Washtenaw CC team each received \$500 worth of golf merchandise from the Disney Resort, a ring and a Pewter trophy. The event was also televised on ESPN (to be shown Dec. 26-27) and mentions will be made in Sports Illustrated.

"We were treated first-class all the way, it just was a great experience," said Kurt Will, Sr., a 14-handicapper who is general manager for marketing and sales at North American Vac-Metal.

The Wills, who put together a team at the last-minute, began their odyssey by winning the club tourney last July at Washtenaw.

Kurt, Jr., a former standout wrestler and soccer player at Livonia Stevenson, carries a 5-handicap. The ex-Central Michigan University soccer player, who now resides in Parma Heights, Ohio, is a project engineer for Nalco Chemical.

"We really didn't know the other two gentlemen," Kurt Will, Sr. said. "Urban (Hubert) is a



Winning team: The Net Division champs in the Oldsmobile Scramble include (from left) Dan Charnock (sponsor), Urban Hubert, Brent Veenstra, PGA pro John Mahaffey, Kurt Will Jr., Kurt Will Sr. and Carl Calfin.

stockbroker with a 22 handicap and Carl (Calfin) is a dentist with a handicap of 21. But everything seemed to click right away."

After winning at Washtenaw CC, the Will group was allowed to add Veenstra, a club pro to the mix. The five-some then captured sectional qualifying at the Kala-

mazoo Country Club, outlasting 60 other teams with a total of 55-under.

Over the first three rounds in Orlando, the Will group easily qualified for one of the 20 qualifying spots, shooting 49-under to place second overall out of 150 teams.

During the final round, three teams finished tied for first, forcing a sudden-death playoff. The Washtenaw team won on the fourth hole.

And to top things off, Kurt Will, Sr. and wife Gerry celebrated their 30th anniversary to coincide with the tournament victory.

Triumphant

Misiak, DiPaola lead Catholic Central to league title

One trophy in their golf bags, the Redford Catholic Central boys golf team goes in search of another this weekend.

The Shamrocks followed up a 10-0 regular season with the Catholic League championship Tuesday at Riverview Highlands. Catholic Central successfully defended its title as teammates Chris Misiak and Brandon DiPaola tied for medalist honors, shooting 74s.

Misiak defeated DiPaola in a playoff to win overall medalist. Catholic Central's 305 total easily bested Warren DeLaSalle's 317.

Dearborn Divine Child was third with a 326 while Birmingham Brother Rice totaled 327.

Chris Hulgrave shot a 78 while Brian Karabelski shot 79. Mike Pedrys recorded an 82 and Adam Peters 87 but only the top four scorers counted.

The Shamrocks take the parochial title to the state tournament, which begins this weekend at various sites throughout the state. The Shamrocks play in the

Class A regional at Pontiac Country Club, beginning at 9:30 a.m. Friday.

The top three teams qualify for the state meet. CC tied for third last year with Rice, which won the tie breaker to advance to the state meet.

The Catholic League championship was the second straight for the Shamrocks.

"We've had a real talented team this year," coach Phil Hire

said. "They were just real deep. The seniors really came through. The four that played today were the four that came through all year."

"Misiak has been on a roll all year. He shot a 35 in his last outing, and a week ago he was medalist in Lansing so he's on quite a roll."

The Shamrocks finished third overall at the East Lansing Invitational Saturday, Sept. 30 at

Michigan State University's Forest Akers Golf Course. No. 1 ranked Traverse City was first and Coldwater, ranked second in Class B, was second overall.

Misiak's 35 helped Catholic Central trounce Harper Woods Notre Dame, 150-169, Monday in what was sort of a warmup match over Rive view Highlands.

Karabelski and Pedrys shot 38 each while DiPaola and Hulgrave were both at 39.

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WALLED LAKE WESTERN 220 LYONIA STEVENSON 228 Oct. 9 at Links of Pleasure

Western scores: Mike Mackey, 42 (medal-ist); Dave Karsicki, 43; Ben Babbitt, 46; Chris King and Kevin Jans, 47 each. Stevenson scores: Justin Kerr, 45; Steve Polanski and Anthony Durso, 46 each; Jeff King and Brett Reinhart, 49 each. Stevenson's dual meet record: 6-7 overall; 5-6 Western Lakes; 3-2 Lakes Division.

REDFORD CATHOLIC CENTRAL 160 HARPER WOODS NOTRE DAME 169 Oct. 9 at Riverview Highlands

Redford CC scores: Chris Misiak, 35 (medalist); Brian Karabelski and Mike Pedrys, 38 each; Brandon DiPaola and Chris Hulgrave, 39 each. CC's dual meet record: 10-0 overall.

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Sports Stats

SWIMMING

WESTERN WAYNE GIRLS SWIM INVITATIONAL
 Oct. 7 at Wayne Memorial

TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Wyandotte Roosevelt, 310 points; 2. Wayne Memorial, 257; 3. Livonia Ladywood, 231; 4. Westland John Glenn, 227; 5. Livonia Franklin, 128; 6. Redford Thurston, 120; 7. Garden City, 14.

CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS

200-yard medley relay: 1. Roosevelt, 1:59.63; 2. John Glenn, 2:02.72; 3. Wayne, 2:04.84; 4. Ladywood, 2:13.83; 5. Franklin, 2:14.38; 6. Thurston, 2:24.25.

200 freestyle: 1. Andrea Dese-Monache (LL), 2:09.20; 2. Stephanie Kaminski (WR), 2:16.75; 3. Teresa Yorko (WM), 2:17.47; 4. Lindsay Rowe (LF), 2:20.17; 5. Jamie McPartlin (JG), 2:20.72; 6. Jill McPartlin (JG), 2:28.38.

200 individual medley: 1. Janet Fisher (LF), 2:28.39; 2. Cristl Brumlow (WM), 2:37.75; 3. Andrea Schafer (WR), 2:41.08; 4. Rochelle Kovrus (WR), 2:44.07; 5. Lena Bacalawski (LL), 2:44.38; 6. Cathy Hermann (LL), 2:44.98.

800 freestyle: 1. Elizabeth Kruger (WR), 26:49; 2. Erin Worden (LL), 28:61; 3. Kristen Stone (JG), 28:71; 4. Kristy Druskins (WR), 27:05; 5. Jackie Berlin (RT), 27:99; 6. Andrea McCahill (WM), 28:63.

Diving: 1. Sarah Coombs (JG), 368.10 points; 2. Kasey Holt (WM), 257.95; 3. Jackie Kordeck (LL), 295.65; 4. Sabrina Kuzhuru (WR), 275.45; 5. Tiffany Petty (WR), 255.65; 6. Jenny Marchand (JG), 249.25.

100 butterfly: 1. Adrienne Turm (JG), 1:03.71; 2. Tammy Raines (WM), 1:12.51; 3. Jill McPartlin (JG), 1:15.13; 4. Kim Dobrowolski (WM), 1:15.95; 5. Danielle Roberge (LL), 1:16.23; 6. Rochelle Kovrus (WR), 1:16.27.

100 freestyle: 1. Erin Worden (LL), 58.29; 2. Kristen Stone (JG), 58.92; 3. Kristy Druskins (WR), 1:01.09; 4. Jackie Berlin (RT), 1:01.55; 5. Stephanie Kaminski (WR), 1:02.48; 6. Andrea McCahill (WM), 1:02.99.

500 freestyle: 1. Andrea Dese-Monache (LL), 5:44.49; 2. Teresa Yorko (WM), 6:05.61; 3. Andrea Schafer (WR), 6:23.11; 4. Lindsay Rowe (LF), 6:24.29; 5. Renee Rucinski (JG), 6:32.10; 6. Lena Bacalawski (LL), 6:43.07.

200 freestyle relay: 1. Roosevelt, 1:49.79; 2. John Glenn, 1:50.52; 3. Ladywood, 1:52.29; 4. Wayne, 1:58.93; 5. Franklin, 1:58.70; 6. Thurston, 2:00.74.

100 backstroke: 1. Adrienne Turm (JG), 1:00.29 (meet record); 2. Elizabeth Kruger (WR), 1:04.86; 3. Janet Fisher (LF), 1:06.83; 4. Cristl Brumlow (WM), 1:09.51; 5. Sybil Henderson (WM), 1:12.89; 6. Lena Arens (WR), 1:13.40.

100 breast stroke: 1. Kelli McCormack (WR), 1:16.52; 2. Sybil Henderson (WM), 1:19.40; 3. Katie Pardee (WM), 1:22.16; 4. Carrie Dassow (WR), 1:22.25; 5. Sarah Andziczak (WR), 1:24.45; 6. Krista Korde (JG), 1:24.54.

400 freestyle relay: 1. Roosevelt, 4:02.95; 2. Ladywood, 4:12.35; 3. Thurston, 4:19.02; 4. Wayne Memorial, 4:19.73; 5. John Glenn, 4:36.58; 6. Franklin, 4:46.55.

SWIMMING RANKINGS

Following is a list of the Observer's girls best swim times and diving scores. Coaches should report updates to Livonia Churchill coach Ken Stark from 4-6 p.m. Monday through Friday at (313) 623-9231.

200 MILEY RELAY (state cut: 1:57.09)		100 FREESTYLE (state cut: 56.08)	
Farmington Hills Mercy	1:54.61	Anne Aristeo (Stevenson)	52.39
Livonia Stevenson	1:56.47	Lisa Richardson (Harrison)	55.10
Plymouth Salem	1:58.27	Teri Hanson (Canton)	56.86
North Farmington	2:00.30	Emily Szurek (Mercy)	57.09
Westland John Glenn	2:01.95	Jennifer MacDonald (Mercy)	57.30
200 FREESTYLE (state cut: 2:01.09)		500 FREESTYLE (state cut: 8:29.39)	
Anne Aristeo (Stevenson)	1:52.24	Anne Aristeo (Stevenson)	4:58.80
Betsy Lambert (Mercy)	2:01.74	Julie Kern (Stevenson)	5:19.33
Teri Hanson (Canton)	2:01.99	Betsy Lambert (Mercy)	5:23.81
Julie Kern (Stevenson)	2:02.27	Becky Hoehel (Stevenson)	5:27.52
Kristie Cordts (Mercy)	2:02.38	Kristie Cordts (Mercy)	5:27.80
Meredith Spiegel (Mercy)	2:02.68	Bethany Budde (Mercy)	5:28.21
Audrey Hala (Salem)	2:03.09	Audrey Hala (Salem)	5:28.45
Becky Hoehel (Stevenson)	2:03.87	Tina Caranicos (Stevenson)	5:31.10
Tina Caranicos (Stevenson)	2:04.16	Julie Kuka (Harrison)	5:33.50
200 INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY (state cut: 2:19.09)		200 FREESTYLE RELAY (state cut: 1:44.49)	
Bethany Budde (Mercy)	2:15.25	Farmington Hills Mercy	1:43.18
Becky Hoehel (Stevenson)	2:17.58	Farmington Hills Harrison	1:46.60
Kelly Carlisle (Stevenson)	2:17.65	Livonia Stevenson	1:46.65
Lisa Richardson (Harrison)	2:17.80	Plymouth Salem	1:47.18
Meredith Spiegel (Mercy)	2:18.13	North Farmington	1:47.65
Teri Hanson (Canton)	2:20.92	100 BACKSTROKE (state cut: 1:03.49)	
Julie Kern (Stevenson)	2:22.11	Anne Aristeo (Stevenson)	58.09
Maria McKenzie (Stevenson)	2:22.55	Adrienne Turm (John Glenn)	1:00.28
Kristie Cordts (Mercy)	2:23.61	Teri Hanson (Canton)	1:03.01
Julie Gallagher (Stevenson)	2:23.74	Yvonne Lynn (Salem)	1:03.49
800 FREESTYLE (state cut: 25.69)		200 BREASTSTROKE (state cut: 1:13.69)	
Anne Aristeo (Stevenson)	25.11	Bethany Budde (Mercy)	1:07.95
Donna Schwalm (Harrison)	25.40	Becky Hoehel (Stevenson)	1:10.86
Jennifer MacDonald (Mercy)	25.99	Meredith Spiegel (Mercy)	1:11.30
Kristen Stone (John Glenn)	26.00	Meg Wegmuller (Mercy)	1:12.10
Danielle Clayton (Mercy)	26.03	Donna Schwalm (Harrison)	1:13.20
Carrie Dzialo (Salem)	26.05	Kyra Alver (Harrison)	1:15.00
Emily Szurek (Mercy)	26.06	Andrea Dese-Monache (Ladywood)	1:15.25
Bethany Budde (Mercy)	26.27	Heather Dallas (Stevenson)	1:15.59
Julie Kern (Stevenson)	26.39	Dana Dziekan (Mercy)	1:16.21
Erin Worden (Ladywood)	26.48	400 FREESTYLE RELAY (state cut: 3:51.69)	
DIVING		Farmington Hills Mercy	3:49.92
Beth Gallagher (Stevenson)	268.95	Livonia Stevenson	3:52.24
Zoe Yockey (Salem)	251.40	Farmington Hills Harrison	3:53.40
Lisa Sebina (Canton)	216.45	Plymouth Canton	3:56.57
Jana Stoyanovich (Churchill)	211.55	Plymouth Salem	3:58.15
Jana Stoyanovich (Churchill)	198.80	100 BUTTERFLY (state cut: 1:02.59)	
Sarah Coombs (Glenn)	195.25	Anne Aristeo (Stevenson)	58.75
Shelley Underwood (Glenn)	194.25	Kelly Carlisle (Stevenson)	1:01.17
Laura Berezak (Salem)	187.75	Teri Hanson (Canton)	1:01.98
Bridget Christianson (Churchill)	175.45	Adrienne Turm (Glenn)	1:02.28
James Pufum (Mercy)	172.70	Jennifer MacDonald (Mercy)	1:02.38

GOLF

WESTERN LAKES ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION GOLF TOURNAMENT

Tuesday at Links of Pinewood

Team standings: 1. Livonia Churchill, 408; 2. Plymouth Salem, 421; 3. Northville, 435; 4. Westland John Glenn, 443; 5. Farmington, 451; 6. Farmington Harrison, 458; 7. North Farmington, 458; 8. Walled Lake Western, 459; 9. Livonia Stevenson, 464 (won Uebreaker); 10. Plymouth Canton, 484; 11. Livonia Franklin, 504; 12. Walled Lake Central, 508.

Individual results (by team)

Livonia Churchill: Chris Kehler, 78 (league medalist); Dave Higham, 78; Mike Cotter, 81; Leon Kashavic, 85; Gay Kraus, 88.

Plymouth Salem: Mike Hejstved, 78; Brian

Fox, 83; Jeff Lear, 84; Ryan Andrzejski, 87; Brett Reichart, 91; Justin Kerr, 95; Jeff Lang, 96; Anthony Duroso, 99; Kevin Raycraft, 100 (to break tie).

Plymouth Canton: Miles Melbers, 88; Brian Carlson, 90; Scott Betts, 91; Eric Aron, 96; Chris Wilson, 99; Jeff Opafanski, 104.

Livonia Franklin: Jeff Berger, 95; Ryan Weakley, 99; Mike Clapsade, 103; Ed Soule, 103; John Keebaugh, 104.

Walled Lake Central: Dennis Catharine, 90; Derek Ratliff, 97; David Naboychik, 99; Ryan Ratliff, 111; Justin Post, 111.

Final league standings: 1. (tie) Churchill, Salem, 22 points; 3. Northville, 18; 4. Harrison, 14; 5. (tie) Farmington, John Glenn, 13; 7. Westland, 11; 8. Stevenson, 9; 9. North Farmington, 8; 10. Canton, 6; 11. Franklin, 4; 12. Central, 2.

RANKINGS

- PREP FOOTBALL**
1. Redford Catholic Central.
 2. Farmington Hills Harrison.
 3. Livonia Stevenson.
 4. Westland John Glenn.
 5. Plymouth Canton.
- GIRLS BASKETBALL**
1. Redford Bishop Borgess.
 2. Plymouth Canton.
 3. Plymouth Salem.
 4. Wayne Memorial.
 5. Garden City.
- BOYS SOCCER**
1. Livonia Stevenson.
 2. Plymouth Salem.
 3. Redford Catholic Central.

4. Plymouth Canton.
5. Livonia Churchill.
- GIRLS SWIMMING**
1. Livonia Stevenson.
 2. Farmington Hills Mercy.
 3. Plymouth Salem.
 4. Farmington Hills Mercy.
 5. North Farmington.
- BOYS GOLF**
1. Livonia Churchill.
 2. Redford Catholic Central.
 3. Plymouth Salem.
 4. Westland John Glenn.
 5. Farmington.
- BOYS CROSS COUNTRY**
1. Redford Catholic Central.
 2. North Farmington.
 3. Plymouth Salem.
 4. Westland John Glenn.
 5. Farmington.

FOOTBALL

MICHIGAN HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL PLAYOFF COMPUTER RANKINGS
 (as of Oct. 11)

CLASS AA

Region I: 1. Monroe (8-0), 102.667; 2. Belleville (8-0), 92.000; 3. Clarkson (5-1), 87.500; 4. Flint-Camman-Ainsworth (5-1), 76.833; 5. Ann Arbor Pioneer (4-2), 71.500; 6. Walled Lake Central (4-2), 66.500; 7. Plymouth Canton (4-2), 65.500; 8. Battle Creek Central (4-2), 62.333; 9. Ann Arbor Huron (4-2), 61.833; 10. Howell (3-3), 51.300.

Region II: 1. Troy (8-0), 108.000; 2. Redford Catholic Central (8-0), 104.000; 3. Detroit Henry Ford (8-0), 98.667; 4. Dearborn Fordson (5-1), 82.167; 5. Westland John Glenn (6-1), 80.500; 6. Livonia Stevenson (6-1), 78.667; 7. Detroit Northern (5-1), 75.500; 8. Detroit Cooley (4-2), 64.000; 9. Detroit Murray-Wright (4-2), 60.187; 10. Detroit Central (3-3), 49.633.

CLASS A

Region III: 1. South Lyon (5-0), 98.667; 2. Detroit Chalmers (6-0), 97.333; 3. Dearborn (8-0), 88.000; 4. Farmington Hills Harrison (6-1), 80.667; 5. Southgate Anderson (4-2), 62.500; 6. Northville (4-2), 61.467; 7. Dearborn Edsel Ford (3-3), 52.000; 8. Taylor Center (4-2), 51.333; 9. Detroit Southwestern (3-3), 49.500; 10. Novi (3-3), 45.800.

CLASS D

Region IV: 1. Peck (5-1), 39.100; 2. Marine City Cardinal Mooney (4-2), 33.333; 3. Redford St. Agatha (3-3), 25.667; 4. Adrian Madison (2-4), 21.333; 5. North Branch Wesleyan (3-3), 21.267; 6. Pontiac Notre Dame (2-4), 20.333; 7. Wyandotte Mount Carmel (3-3), 18.517; 8. Taylor Light & Life Christian (1-4), 7.817; 9. Detroit East Catholic (1-5), 7.333; 10. Hamtramck St. Florian (0-6), 2.767.

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Madonna's Paris top Region spiker

Playing some of its best volleyball of the season, Madonna University proved quite well that being real busy doesn't necessarily lead to disaster.

The Lady Crusaders were busy. But there was no disaster.

Indeed, the longer they labored the better the results. On Saturday, at the St. Mary's College (South Bend, Ind.) Tournament, Madonna came out a winner, beating Bethel College (Ind.) 15-9, 15-10, 16-18, 16-14 and host St. Mary's 15-13, 15-5, 15-9.

"It's always nice to win a tournament," said Madonna coach Jerry Abraham. "The only bad game we played was during the Bethel match. We had a chance to win the third game, but could not put them away. But we came back strong in the fourth game to beat them."

"After St. Mary's defeated Elmhurst (Ill.) in a tough five-game match, we came out and dominated them. We had pinpoint passing and played our best serve-receive game of the year. It all came together against St. Mary's."

The tourney victory gave the Crusaders four match wins in three days, and six wins during the course of the week. Last Thursday at Madonna, they tripped Spring Arbor College 15-9, 15-4, 15-3, then on Friday they traveled to Tri-State University and won in three-straight games.

Kelly McCausland (from Redford Union) led Madonna in the tournament victory, collecting 28

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kills and 27 digs. Julie Martin (Livonia Stevenson) contributed 27 kills and 16 digs, Erin Comment had 13 kills and 24 digs, and Erin Gregoire chipped in with 28 digs.

Meg Paris finished with 72 assists-to-kills, capping a week that saw her earn NAIA Great Lakes Region player of the week honors. Paris averaged 9.64 assists-to-kills and 4.07 digs per game. She also had 18 kills, 14 block assists and 11 service aces during the week.

Paris is the second Madonna player to be so honored. McCausland was singled out for the week ending Sept. 17 after averaging 4.33 kills, 2.17 blocks and 4.67 digs while averaging .421 on attacks.

In the Crusaders' win over Tri-State, McCausland had 13 kills and 13 digs; Martin had 18 kills and six digs; Gregoire had 14 digs; and Paris totaled 37 assists.

Against Spring Arbor, McCausland collected 12 kills and 13 digs; Gregoire had 15 digs; Comment had six kills and 12 digs; and Paris finished with 36 assists and 11 digs.

On Tuesday, the Crusaders kept their streak going, defeating visiting Alma 15-9, 15-9, 15-3. McCausland again was the offensive catalyst, collecting 18 kills; she also had four blocks. Next best was Comment with seven kills; Martin with six kills and six

blocks; Heather Steinhilper with five kills and four service aces; and Paris with 31 assists.

The seven wins bumped Madonna's overall record to 20-8. The Crusaders host Siena Heights at 7 p.m. tonight, then compete in the University of Michigan-Dearborn Tournament Friday and Saturday.

Madonna soccer

The Emert brothers each notched a goal in the first half of Monday's match against visiting Siena Heights, but Madonna couldn't protect its lead and lost 3-2.

Christian Emert opened the scoring for the Crusaders, assisted by Charlie Bell. Younger brother Scott Emert added a second goal to give the Crusaders a 2-1 halftime lead.

But Siena Heights rallied to score twice in the first 20 minutes of the second half, and Madonna could not recover.

"I thought we played well in the first half," said Crusader coach Pete Alexander, his team now 6-6 overall. "They had one shot on goal and scored, but we led 2-1."

"In the second half, it was like a different team showed up. We lacked intensity and desire."

"This is a game we should have won."

The Crusaders travel to the University of Mobile (Ala.) Tournament next week. They'll play Spring Hill-Alabama Thursday and William Carey-Mississippi University Saturday.

THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP FOOTBALL

Friday, Oct. 13
Luth. Westland at Harper Woods, 4 p.m.
Garden City at Redford Union, 7 p.m.
Don. Fordson at Wayne, 7:30 p.m.
Luth. N. West at Clarenceville, 7:30 p.m.
Borgess at S. Gate Aquinas, 7:30 p.m.
Wskd. Glenn at Liv. Stevenson, 7:30 p.m.
N. Farmington at Ply. Salem, 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Canton at Northville, 7:30 p.m.
F.H. Harrison at W.L. Western, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 14
Liv. Churchill at Liv. Franklin, 1 p.m.
W.L. Central at Farmington, 1 p.m.
D.H. Annapolis at Red. Thurston, 1 p.m.
Redford CC at U-D Jesuit, 2 p.m.
St. Agatha vs. C.L. St. Clement at RU's Kraft Field, 7:30 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Thursday, Oct. 12
Lutheran East at Luth. Westland, 6:30 p.m.
Hamtramck at Clarenceville, 6:30 p.m.

BOYS SOCCER

Friday, Oct. 13
Divine Child at Red. Thurston, 4 p.m.
Garden City at Grosse Ile, 4:30 p.m.
G.P. Uggelt at Luth. Westland, 4:30 p.m.
Warren Zoe at Huron Valley, 4:30 p.m.
F.H. Harrison at B.H. Andover, 7 p.m.
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Northville at Liv. Franklin, 7 p.m.
Liv. Stevenson at Ply. Salem, 7 p.m.
W.L. Central at Westland Glenn, 7 p.m.
Ply. Canton at F.H. Harrison, 7 p.m.
Farmington at N. Farmington, 7 p.m.
Redford Union at Wyandotte, 7 p.m.
Bellevue at Red. Thurston, 7 p.m.
Wayne Memorial at Monroe, 7 p.m.
Borgess at F.H. Mercy, 7 p.m.
Gab. Richard at St. Agatha, 7 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 13
Divine Child at Liv. Ladywood, 7 p.m.
Huron Valley at Warren Zoe, 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Christian at Oak. Christian, 7:30 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL

Thursday, Oct. 12
Schoolcraft at Flint Mott, 6 p.m.
Siena Heights at Madonna, 7 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 13
Madonna at UM-Dearborn Tourney, TBA.
Saturday, Oct. 14
Madonna at UM-Dearborn Tourney, TBA.

MEN'S COLLEGE SOCCER

Saturday, Oct. 14
Lakeland at Schoolcraft, 1 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE SOCCER

Saturday, Oct. 14
Schoolcraft at Flossant Valley, 2 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 15
Schoolcraft at Lewis & Clark, 11 a.m.

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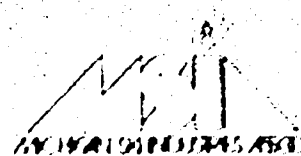
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Narrow turf, clogged field can't stop Ocelot kickers

Schoolcraft College's men's soccer team overcame a determined defensive effort by Columbus (Ohio) CC to post a 2-0 triumph Saturday at Columbus.

The victory kept the Ocelots unbeaten in Region 12 play, improving their record to 4-0; they are 7-2-2 overall.

SC got a goal each half against a team that sat back on defense, trying to clog the middle of the field. George Abuamsha scored in the first half, on an assist from Mo Hijazi. The second goal was scored 15 minutes into the second half by Hijazi on a restart, after he was tripped; Hijazi put his shot into the upper corner.

Columbus did not have a single shot on goal, according to SC coach Van Dimitriou.

SC SPORTS

Nicole Falk (22:05) and Christine Spica (22:53).

Earlier this season, the SC women placed in the top five at the Howell Melon Race in Howell, the Kensington Challenge in Milford and the B.A.R.S. Run in Brighton. And at Delta CC Sept. 22, the Ocelots posted a 20-35 dual meet win. Moore was second overall (21:11), with Teran third (21:33), Goba fourth (21:34), Falk fifth (22:49) and Spica sixth (23:22).

Up next for the Ocelots is the Michigan Intercollegiate meet at Eastern Michigan Saturday, with the Classic Invitational at EMU Oct. 20 and the NJCAA Regionals Oct. 27 at Lansing CC.

Women's cross country

Last Friday, SC's women's cross country team continued a strong season by finishing sixth overall out of 11 teams at the Southwestern Michigan Community College Invitational. Against junior college competition, the Lady Ocelots were second only to Lansing CC.

The teams SC defeated: Grand Valley State, Oakland University, Albion College, Olivet College and Southwestern Michigan CC. Scoring for the Ocelots were Farmington HS graduate Dana Goba (20:21), Plymouth Salem grad Stacy Moore (20:23), Tara Teran (20:38), Livonia Stevenson grad

Women's volleyball

As a learning experience, SC's trip to the Jefferson (Mo.) CC Tournament last weekend was "a great experience for us," said coach Tom Teeters.

What it wasn't was a winning venture. The Lady Ocelots won their first match of the tournament Friday, beating Southwestern Michigan CC (the top seeded team in Region 12) 15-6, 15-9, but then losing five matches in a row before concluding the tourney with a 15-6, 15-6 triumph over Lake Michigan Saturday.

"The competition has been really strong in the tournaments we've been at the last two week-

ends," Teeters said, referring to the team's trip to the Belleville Tournament Sept. 29-30.

After the victory over Southwestern, SC lost to Barton County (Kan.) 15-6, 15-10; to host Jefferson (ranked sixth in the NJCAA) 15-6, 15-8; to Johnson County (Kan.) 6-15, 15-8, 15-13; to Illinois Central CC 15-4, 15-4; and to Brownsville (Tex.) 15-10, 5-15, 15-4.

The Ocelots placed fifth out of the eight teams in the tournament.

Hermína Angeles and Tracy Sledz led the team's attack with 28 and 49 kills, respectively. Michelle MacRae had 36 kills, 22 assists-to-kills and seven service aces; Jamie Clark had 23 kills and 42 digs; and Andrea Greer totaled 83 assists to kills.

Sarah Fabrikiewicz paced SC's win over Lake Michigan with 13 kills.

On Tuesday, the Ocelots regained some momentum with a 15-6, 16-14, 16-8 at Delta CC. The Eastern Conference victory improved SC's overall record to 17-15-3 and its conference mark to 4-2.

Sledz's 13 kills led the Ocelots. Angeles had 12 and 12 digs, MacRae had 10 and eight digs, and Clark totaled five and 14 digs. Greer finished with 39 assists, and Stacy Sailus contributed three blocks and five aces.

The Ocelots play at Mott CC at 6 p.m. tonight.

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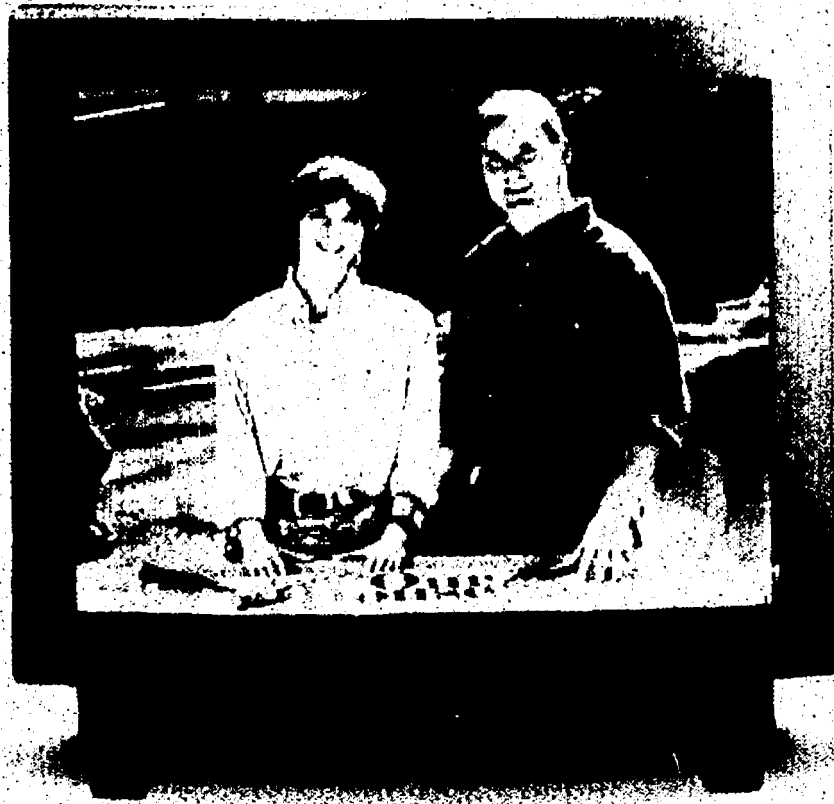
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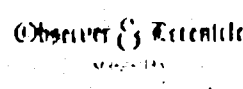
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Hunting with a 50 caliber muzzleloader, Wills had the fortune to fill both of his tags. He took a young bull "for meat" and a much larger trophy bull with a rack with a 36-inch spread.

"It was a long trip, but we really had a good time," Wills said. "Overall, it was a great hunt."

Fishing success continues

Eric Johnson keeps himself busy as the owner of the Birmingham Dance Academy, but he likes to sneak away every now and then to partake in a little bass fishing.

Johnson and his friend Brad Kirkpatrick, also of Birmingham, ventured out onto White Lake recently to take a shot at some of the lunker largemouths the lake has to offer. It turned out to be an outing well worth remembering.

On a cool, crisp autumn day with morning clouds and very little wind, the two managed to land a total of 14 bass. Using Zara Spooks, spinner baits and Rapalas they caught six bass weighing up to 3 1/4-pounds in the first hour of daylight and three more before a break for lunch.

The wind picked up a little in the afternoon and Johnson and Kirkpatrick decided to fish the shallows and drop-offs near boat docks. They caught two more bass in the early afternoon before Johnson capped the fantastic day by landing a huge 6 1/2-pound largemouth. The monster bass was released back into the lake. "To give other anglers the challenge, experience and thrill of a lifetime," Kirkpatrick said.

Successful elk hunt

Jerry O'Dean and his son Jeff have taken their share of hunting trips together. They've hunted pheasant in South Dakota, bear in Montana, elk in Colorado, Montana and Idaho and of course, whitetail deer right here in Michigan, just to name a few. The Lake Orion duo has experienced some outstanding success over the past 20 years as well and they the mounts, the stories, and the memories to prove it.

"We've been hunting together since I was just a kid," said Jeff. "I started out hunting fox and I can remember sitting in the (bow) blind with my dad before I was even old enough to hunt."

The success of those previous trips, however, pales in comparison to the success they enjoyed on an archery hunting trip earlier this year.

Optimism was running high as Jerry, Jeff and their friend Ken Ellis, of Williams, Arizona, headed into the elk range of northern Arizona in mid-September. Although the success rate for archers in the area they were hunting was just 17-percent, the possibility of encountering a trophy bull elk kept the Adrenalin pumping throughout the trip.

"Arizona has the best game management going," explained Jerry. "They have the biggest bulls (elk) in Arizona, the biggest antelope in Arizona. They really do a great job out there."

Having scouted for four days prior to the start of the season the trio had located a few areas holding a fair share of elk.

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Jerry and Jeff each took their biggest bull ever and Ellis, who ended up with the biggest bull of the three, took his very first elk with a bow.

"Anytime you can go three-for-three, with all trophies, is pretty good," said Jeff. "To come out of there with 100-percent success is hard to believe. It was just a great hunt."

The rack on Jeff's 6x6 potential Pope & Young bull green-scored 310. The Pope & Young minimum for a typical elk rack is 260, but the rack can't be officially scored until after a 90-day drying period. Jeff's rack has a 42-inch spread and 54-inch main beams.

Jerry took a 6x7 that green-scored 270 despite a broken tine.

It has a 37 1/4-inch spread and 48-inch main beams. Ellis took a 6x6 which green-scored a whopping 345. It has a 39-inch spread and 57-inch main beams.

Jerry has been bow hunting since 1970 and Jeff took up the sport around 1975. They prefer to hunt elk exclusively with a bow and arrow.

"Weather-wise the bow seasons

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ON THE WEEKEND

CARD PARTY
Busy Bee boutique

ANNIVERSARY PARTY
Garden City's American Legion Post 396 will host its 50th anniversary dinner-dance Friday night, Oct. 13, in the post hall, on Middlebelt south of Warren Road. There will be an open bar. Tickets are \$25. Call 422-2245.

PAPER DRIVE
St. Damian School will have a paper drive in its parking lot, Joy west of Middlebelt, from Friday through Sunday, Oct. 13-15. Proceeds will benefit the school's athletic department. Accepted will be newspapers, junk mail, magazines, cardboard and computer paper.

SPAGHETTI DINNER
St. John the Baptist Roman Catholic Church, Dearborn Heights, will hold an all-you-can-eat spaghetti dinner from 4-7 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 14, in the church hall, 26123 McDonald, one block west of Beech Daly. Advance tickets are \$5. At the door, tickets are \$5.50 for adults and \$2.50 between 5 and 13. Children under 5 are free. Proceeds will support the church's general fund.

HALLOWEEN

YMCA FUNDRAISER
The Wayne-Westland YMCA will open its annual "Fright Fest" haunted at its barn, 827 S. Wayne Road. The house will open at 7 p.m., Friday through Sunday, Oct. 13 to 15, and Oct. 20-31. Admission is \$5. For younger children, there will be a "friendly monsters" tour of the haunted house from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. the next three Saturdays, Oct. 14, 21 and 28. Admission is \$2 a child, parents admitted free. 721-7044.

HAUNTED HISTORY
The Palace Theater Co. will sponsor its annual "Haunted Theatre" to raise money for the restoration of the Wayne Theater, built in 1927 on westbound Michigan Ave. west of Wayne Road. Hours are 7:30-11:30 p.m. now through Oct. 31. Admission is \$7 for adults and \$3.50 for children under 12. 728-SHOW.

UPCOMING NEXT WEEK

PAP SCREENINGS
Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center, on Annapolis at Venoy, Wayne, will offer free pap screenings from 1-3 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 17. To register or to seek more information, call 467-6555.

FOR YOUR HEALTH

WEIGHT LOSS
Garden City Hospital will host a weight loss/peer support group at 11 a.m. Saturdays in Classroom 3 of the hospital's Medical Office Building, on Inkster Road near Maplewood. Members will focus on self-esteem issues and follow their own nutritional and exercise program. 261-4048.

BLOOD PRESSURE
Free blood pressure screening will be available 9 a.m. to noon the third Wednesday of each month at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center, Wayne. A registered nurse will be available in the emergency room. Cholesterol and glucose screening are also available for a nominal fee. Appointments aren't required.

FOR YOUTH

OPEN GYM
The Mayor's Task Force on Drugs and the City of Westland Parks and Recreation Department presents "After School Open Gym and Activities" 3:15-5:15 p.m. Mondays at Stevenson Middle School, Wednesdays at Marshall Middle School, and Thursdays at Adams Middle School. There are three eight-week programs: Fall program begins the first week in October; winter program begins the third week in January; and the spring program begins the first week in April. 722-7620.

RECREATION
The Salvation Army will hold after-school recreation programs at its community service center, 2300 S. Venoy near Dorsey. The programs will serve children between 7 and 11 from 4:30-7 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays and youths from 12 to 15 from 3:30-5:30 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Call 722-3660.

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BINGO

WFCL BINGO
The Finesse Girls Travel Softball Boosters holds a bingo from 6:30-9:45 p.m. every Monday to raise money for its girls softball program. The bingo games are held at the Wayne Ford Civic League hall, on Wayne Road, two blocks south of Ford.

DEMOCRATIC BINGO
The Metro Wayne Democratic Club sponsors bingo games at 6:30 p.m. every Thursday at the Joy Manor Bingo Hall, on the south side of Joy, east of Middlebelt. Proceeds are used by the club to sponsor Little League baseball teams, the Salvation Army, School for the Blind. 422-6025 or 729-8681.

MONDAY BINGO
The Notre Dame Assembly Knights of Columbus will hold bingo games at 6:45 p.m. Mondays in the K of C Hall on Van Born east of Wayne Road. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. Food is served. Proceeds are donated to charity. 728-3021.

SHAMROCK BINGO
There will be bingo at 11 a.m. Wednesdays at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 35100 Van Born, east of Wayne Road, Wayne. Doors open 9 a.m. Food available. Proceeds go to charity. 728-3020.

Blood drives planned this month



ART EMANUELE/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Red Cross program: This scene will be repeated many times this month as the American Red Cross hosts blood drives at local churches, schools and hospitals to meet the growing demand of area hospitals. To learn of the dates and locations, contact the Red Cross at 274-5450.

VETERANS' BINGO
The Westland American Legion Post 251 sponsors bingo games at 6:30 p.m. every Thursday in the Redford Bingo Hall, corner of Plymouth and Inkster roads. Proceeds are used for the post's building fund and veterans' programs and services. Charity game tickets are also sold.

SMOKELESS BINGO
"Smokeless" bingo meets at 6:30 p.m. every Tuesday, at St. Simon and Jude Parish Hall, 32500 Palmer, east of Venoy, Westland. Offered are three jackpots of \$400, \$300 and \$200.

NO SMOKE
"No Smoking" bingo will be 1 p.m. every Tuesday at the Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh Road, Westland. Residents from Westgate Towers, Taylor Towers, Greenwood Towers, Liberty Park, Presbyterian Village and Carolon Condos, etc. are eligible for transportation to bingo if they have a minimum of five players. 722-7632.

BINGO
Pope John XXIII assembly of the Knights of Columbus Council 1536 hosts bingo games 6:45 p.m. every Thursday. The hall is on

28945 Joy, Westland. 525-0585.

BINGO
Wayne Civitan bingo is at 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.

JAYCEES
Westland Jaycees host 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.

CRAFTS

CHURCH SHOW
St. Dunstan Catholic Church, Garden City, will hold its annual boutique from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 21, in the church social hall, on Belton, two blocks west of Inkster Road, between Ford and Marquette. There will be 100 tables of crafts, plus a bake sale, 50/50 raffle,

and free instant winner raffle tickets will be given away. The show is free. Table rentals are \$15 for an eight-foot table. 425-3282.

SHOW PLANNED
Crestwood High School will hold a craft show from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nov. 11 in the school, 1500 N. Beech Daly, Dearborn Heights. Rentals for 8-foot tables are \$25. Call 561-3055.

KETTERING
Kettering School is seeking exhibitors for its craft show, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 11. Kathy 722-7433 or Donna 326-6559.

RECREATION

SKATING STARTS
The Westland Sports Arena has opened its annual skating and drop-in hockey programs in the arena on Wildwood and Hunter. Open skating is noon-1:45 p.m. weekdays and 1-2:45 p.m. weekends. Drop-in hockey will be 10-11:45 a.m. weekdays. 729-4560.

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BASKETBALL
Registrations being accepted for men's and women's basketball leagues with Westland Parks and Recreation Department, 36651 Ford, Westland. 722-7620.

SQUARE DANCE
Beginner square dance classes will be 7:30-9:30 Tuesdays in Bailey Recreation Center (behind City Hall), on Ford Road, Westland. Fee \$3 per person weekly. Mike Brennan, 274-3394.

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.

WOLVERINE PACERS
The Wolverine Pacers, a race-walking club, meets at 6 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, and 9 a.m. Saturdays in Levagood Park, Dearborn. Gary Gray (313) 464-8890.

CLUBS IN ACTION

BETA SIGMA PHI
The Preceptor Gamma Rho chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 8 p.m., Wednesday, Oct. 18, in the home of Dana Everden, 6380 Farmington Road, between Ford and Warren Road. Leean Guerin will present a program.

CIVIL AIR PATROL
Volunteers meet 6:30-9 p.m. Tuesdays at Fair Haven Baptist Church in the basement, 34850 Marquette, 1/4 mile east of Wayne Road. Emergency services, cadet program, aerospace education, ages 13-17 for cadets. The program is for people age 18 and older. 729-2665.

SWEET ADELINES
The Sweet Adelines will mark their 50th anniversary this fall with a series of workshops, scheduled for 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays, through Oct. 17, in the VFW Hall, on the Jeffries Freeway at Inkster Road. Admission is \$6, and bring a friend for free. Call Elizabeth Tallent, (810) 553-9435 or mail in registrations to: Spirit of Detroit, Sweet Adeline Chorus, c/o Elizabeth Tallent, 28441 Thornybrae, Farmington Hills 48331.

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. 421-0284.

HOLY SMOKE MASTERS
The Holy Smoke Masters Toastmasters Club meets at 6 p.m. Thursdays in Denny's Restaurant, 7725 N. Wayne Road. Beginning in June it will offer an eight-week seminar on public speaking called "Speechcraft." The fee for Speechcraft is \$30. 465-1635.

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 Henry Tolk, 421-4954.

HOST LIONS
The Westland Host Lions Club meets 6:30 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of the month in Denny's Restaurant, Wayne and Cowan Road.

MOTHERS OF MULTIPLES
For more information on a Mothers of Multiples Club in your area, call Shelly Weir, 326-1466.

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

WESTLAND JAYCEES
Westland Jaycees meet 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month in the Bova VFW Post, on Hix south of Warren. Hotline, 261-7856.

CORVETTE CLUB
The Corvette Club of Michigan meets at 8 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of each month in Les Stanford Chevrolet, Dearborn. Glenn Simms, 676-5633, or Paul Jenkins, 981-4264.

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. 326-5658.

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.

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, 38251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI. 48150, or by fax to 313-591-7279. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Friday for the following Thursday's paper. Call 953-2107 if you have any questions.

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INTERIOR MOTIVES

Change the look of your home without redesigning



NAOMI STONE LEVY

You aren't trying to redesign your home. You aren't about to move out of your present environment. You do want a newer look, and you have X number of dollars to execute a change. This will come under the title of "Room(s) for Improvement."

Does your entrance hall say anything to a guest? It is the introduction to your home and a vital place to improve your surroundings.

If there is a small piece of wall to install an elegant mirror with a console beneath, take advantage of it. The console might have one drawer in which you can hide keys or extra gloves. There will be another improvement if you hang a significant lighting fixture or even mount wall sconces, whether electrified or candleabra-style.

Improve your living area without a mega change. Slipcovers are the most economical procedure. If you have lived with an old-fashioned print or stripe on your sofa, why not change it? How dressy do you want to be? You might select a paisley weave. Cover the sofa and two unmatched chairs in the one design.

Now add to that several one-color

textures on your other pieces. One new and important table will make an enormous change for the better. It could be a sensational large coffee table. You just improved your room immeasurably.

Accessories play their role in elevating the change. If you only own small and unimportant bits and pieces, at best group them together. But be certain you add one "drop dead" and large object. It could be a stunning sculpture placed judiciously on the coffee table. That will make a statement.

Dining area

Other room(s) for improvement must include the dining area. I advise you not to buy a matched suite. Let us embrace a more modern venue. The table could be of burl walnut, which opens to accommodate table leaves. The chairs might be your own, refinished in black or another color lacquer, and added to this mix. Another economy.

Be selective, always using the best of your possessions, and discarding that which is less desirable.

If your buffet is dated, discard it. Buy a slab of gorgeously grained marble and mount it on brass brackets, attached to the wall. You can even double the shelving, this time using 1/4-inch glass, setting the second shelf considerably lower to create a double console.

A vitrine cabinet would be an unparalleled way to display an extraordinary set of china. Plates set on easels form a background for cups and saucers, sugar and creamer, coffee and teapots. A few tasteful figurines mixed with the china should be captivating.

A chest of drawers is essential to accommodate linens and cutlery. If the lines of a chest you own are acceptable it could be painted, or refinished by a competent professional. You now have a combination of walnut, glass, brass, black lacquer, marble, and paint or wood.

Never be dull. Intermix accessories and achieve an eclectic aura of great interest. Include a sensational fresh floral centerpiece and a number of handsome brass candlesticks.

Bedroom

There is much to be accomplished in a bedroom. I am assuming you own a matched bedroom suite, one of my designer's peeves. Why, oh why, does John Q. Public think he is obligated to buy it all? The easy way out! The suite is priced to encourage such a buy. However, if you are in a furniture store and you make it clear to the salesperson you cannot be coerced, he or she will be more thoughtful of your tastes.

Select a suitable headboard at the

outset. Maple? Cherry? Colonial or Early American in character? You have made a decision.

Now find nightstands. Must they be a pair? Not obligatory, but again the easiest way out. Try to have the nightstands commodious. One might be a living room table, the other a small chest, or they could be made of wicker. The two should be the same height, however, so the lamps won't be out of balance.

Can you afford new lamps? Indulge yourself. Again, they needn't be a pair.

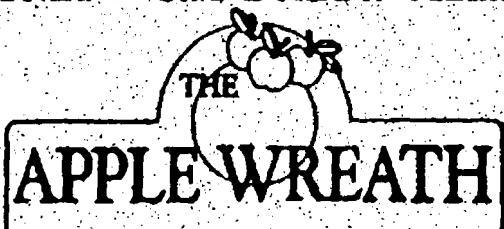
An armoire is a wonderful possibility for housing a television set opposite the bed. It also will have additional drawers or shelves to house other possessions.

You must include other storage units, preferably a dresser topped by a non-matched mirror. A chest-on-chest from still another manufacturer affords that mix. Finishes? A darker or even a bleached wood. Once again, don't try to match everything. Allow yourself to express your own tastes.

Naomi Stone Levy, a Franklin resident, is an interior designer and a former secretary of the American Society of Interior Designers. You can leave her a message by dialing (313) 953-2047 on a touch-tone phone, then her mailbox number, 1897. Her fax number is (810) 644-1314.

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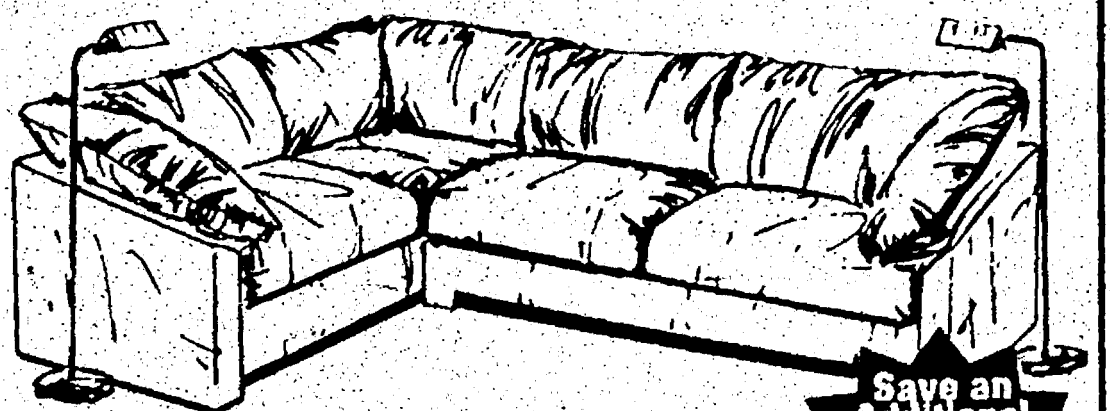
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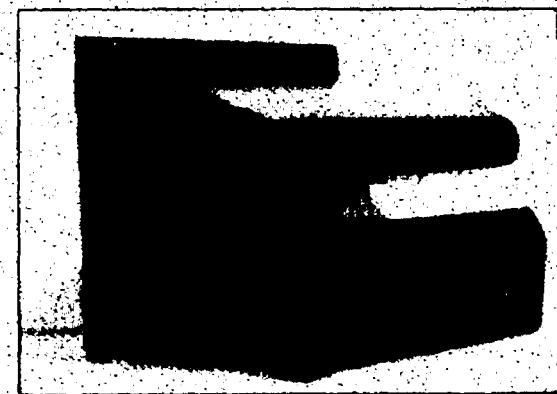
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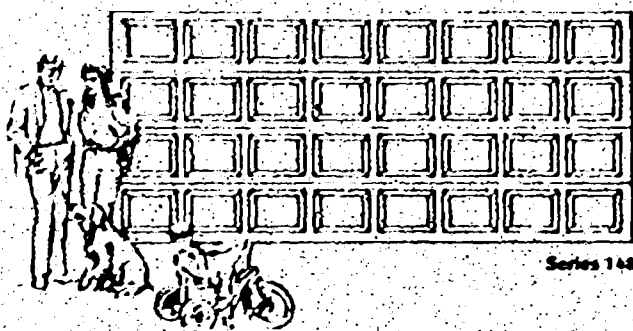
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Chlorofluorocarbons: are they dangerous?



JOE GAGNON

CHLOROFLUOROCARBONS. Can you pronounce it? Can you spell it? Do you know what it is? Why all the alarm?

Recently in Miami, Fla., a smuggler was arrested and charged with selling CFC (abbreviation) in the black market. Dara Dubash of Hialeah, Fla., was charged with bringing in 126 tons of CFC into the country from England without paying taxes of \$5.35 per pound. He faces a possible prison sentence of 20 years and fines of over \$2 million. This case and others are pending in other areas of this country right now, and who knows how serious this problem may become.

Now we're not talking drugs here folks or anything that you smoke or drink. We're talking about Freon (a brand name), the same stuff that has been put into your refrigerator for over 35 years, and been obtainable from your local hardware store. This very product, which doesn't hurt a fly, is destroying the ozone layer and creating this big hole which just keeps getting bigger and bigger according to the E.P.A. (government).

A few years ago a study was done by a scientist who determined that indeed a hole did exist in the ozone layer. Different pollutants on earth, especially those with chlorine content can cause this damage. Methane gas from cattle was also found to be a cause and because diapers have not been invented for cattle yet, the world has to stop producing chlorofluorocarbons.

Congressman Dolittle of California is trying to pass a bill which would allow a law suit to be pressed against the E.P.A. He wants criminal charges against the scientists and engineers who contend that this damage is occurring. The congressman's information says that only one tenth of one percent

of any damage to the ozone layer is caused by CFC'S. Now folks, this is serious business when it comes to your pocketbook. They say that this change from CFC to something that won't cause harm will cost the economy of the country some \$2 trillion almost overnight.

In my opinion, someone is going to make some awful big money overnight. Now you know that you and I can't stop what's going on, as a matter of fact, nobody can. The state of Arizona thinks it such a bunch of hog wash, that they have passed a law which exempts the state from following the federal mandate.

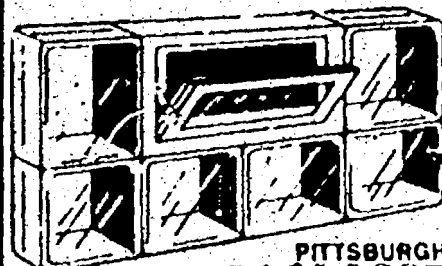
You may ask why this writer and others feel such skepticism towards this new worldwide development. I will give you the reasons in just two lines. In just the past several years it was found the asbestos was harmful and so was radon. After millions of dollars being spent we are told that it is not as serious as discovered. This removal of the old style Freon and addition of the new is thought by many to be just temporary until they find the permanent replacement.

Meanwhile some engineers say that products will not last as long using the new stuff. Hell, the old stuff had a proven track record as the best and was inexpensive and you couldn't ignite it. Greenpeace says the new stuff will destroy plant life and is flammable. I wish I was learned enough to understand how something like this gets started and who really profits from it. I know enough to understand who pays for it, you and me.

Next year when you purchase your new refrigerator or need a recharge of Freon in your automobile you will better understand this column. The law says that those in the refrigeration industry must reclaim the Freon in the system (whatever it is) and keep records

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It's time to winterize your backyard ponds

BY MARTY FIGLEY
SPECIAL WRITER

The popularity of water ponds has been increasing for a number of years as more people realize the satisfaction and serenity that water gardening provides.

The benefits of a water garden are many: additional and different wildlife, mosquitoes are virtually non-existent, the sound of moving water from a fountain or cascading down rocks, and the beauty of the many water plants that are available.

Cindy Carlton, field trip coordinator of Grass Roots Nursery, 24765 Bell Road, New Boston, and Eric Jackson, its nursery specialist, told me the proper steps of winterizing water ponds.

Ponds 30 inches or more deep can successfully be over wintered, Jackson says. Pond heaters are available for those with a depth of between 18 and 30 inches. As part of their nursery service, classes on this subject will take place 10:30 a.m. Saturdays, Oct. 14 and Nov. 11, and Sundays, Oct. 22 and 29 and Nov. 5. For more information, call (313) 753-9200.

Feeding the fish is part of the joy of pond gardening and during the summer they need regular fish food. Beginning in September that food needs to be given alternately with a special fall food, and beginning in October just the fall food is sufficient.

The fish will indicate when they have had enough food before going into a resting period — a semi-hibernation for the winter. They will find enough food in the water to sustain themselves during that time.

It's not necessary to do anything about the other pond critters such as tadpoles, frogs and snails, which will bury themselves in the soil in plant pots or in folds of the pond liner if it is flexible. For shallower ponds a dishpan full of sand in the bottom of the pond will provide a bed for the critters.

A net draped over the pond, teepee fashion, and secured securely at the sides will keep falling leaves out of the water.

It is very important to remove as much as possible of the foliage and

other organic matter that does get in the water because it will produce gases that will injure the pond life. This is best done after the first frost when the foliage is dead. Use a pond vacuum that runs off a garden hose to clean the area well.

Keep the pump running during this time.

When ice starts to form on the pond and begins creeping from the edges, remove the pump. If the filter is inside the pond, it can be removed now or left as it is, in shallower ponds. For deeper ponds, remove the filter from the pond and drain the system to winterize it. Store the pump in a bucket of water to keep the seals wet so they won't dry out. The principle is the same as a wine cork.

Bubbles are very important to the critters in all ponds to provide air into the water. Gary Bates, owner of Grass Roots Nursery, has designed a bottle bubbler, an unusual way to provide this most important air. It is available at the nursery.

As soon as the ice is off the pond, vacuum the pond as was done in the fall and remove any additional organic material from the water. Rehook the pump. They set the pump inside a special biological filter material rather than using chemicals, Jackson says. Exchange one-third of the existing water with fresh at this time.

Shelves that hold water plants can be moved up to their regular spot and plants can be put in. Fertilize the plants with a suitable fertilizer formulated especially for pond plants, as the directions indicate. Continue to fertilize every month during the season. Some plants have special requirements and these need to be addressed.

When the fish become active again, it is time to start feeding them, using a medicated fish food (their spring tonic — preventive medicine), then as the season progresses they need their regular diet.

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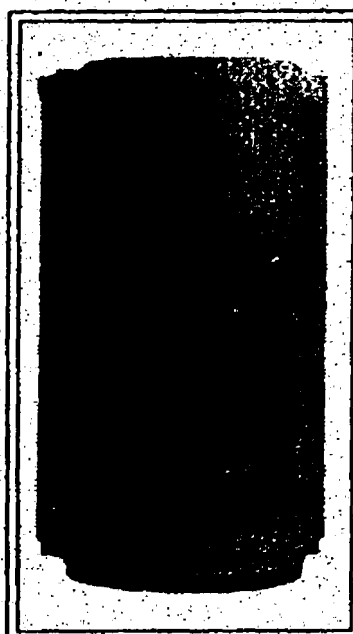
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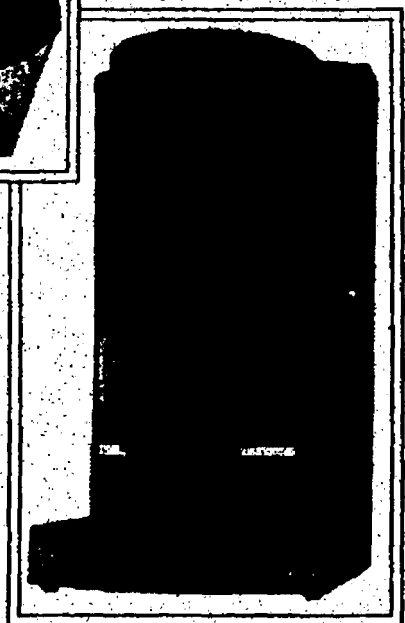
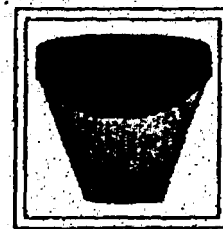
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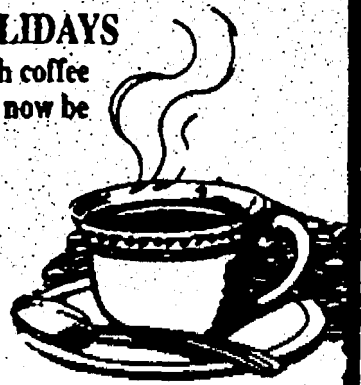
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GARDEN SPOT

Some rose varieties require special care



MARTY FIGLEY

I hope the cold spell we had last month didn't destroy your roses. It seems as though more people are becoming interested in roses, especially the old-fashioned and improved varieties that don't require so many chemicals and are more cold-hardy.

Hybrid teas, grandifloras and others, however, are still popular and need winter protection and specific care to be kept in tiptop condition.

Now is the time to begin winterizing these beauties. Begin with a "housecleaning." Frank VonKoss, a rosarian from Birmingham, suggests to put on a heavy glove and run your hand up the cane. This removes the foliage and eliminates lots of fungus spores. Clean the beds by raking away all the fallen leaves; apply a dormant spray to discourage disease.

"Use the largest rose cone if you have room and don't put anything in it," he says. "Bean hampers filled with oak leaves also work well; other leaves mat down too much."

Roses continue to grow until the temperature reaches 28 degrees Fahrenheit,

he also said.

Some rose growers mound their plants with 10 inches of soil, others use loose mulching material — straw, salt hay, leaves or evergreen boughs. Rose cones need to have a weight on top to keep them secure and the top may need to be removed for ventilation and temperature control.

Cut canes of hybrid tea roses and grandifloras to three feet, or tie them together so they won't whip around in the wind. Tree roses need to be buried — your nurseryman can advise.

Winterizing

People have devised unusual ways to winterize their roses. Some people who grow roses in containers repot them into three gallon plastic containers (in regular potting soil mixed with ¼-cup of Canadian peat or another product to help retain moisture) in October and take them into an unheated, windowless garage. They are then watered well. In January, when they start sprouting, they are again watered, then fertilized and watered in March. In early April new shoots and canes begin to emerge. When the weather is warm they are again returned to the patio in the large containers.

Some people cover the soil in the pots

with plastic; others don't. I have heard of success stories and failures with this method, but it may work for you.

Another person related that she buried her miniature roses in the compost pile for the winter where they benefited from the heat and survived beautifully.

Omer Trembley of Farmington Hills grows his tall "Perfect Moment" and "Rio Samba" roses in potting soil to which he adds "a bucket of Canadian peat." He waters the plants twice a week during the season and fertilizes with Peters every two weeks until Sept. 1. Half barrels hold the roses perfectly and are rolled on a dolly to the unheated garage just before the first frost. In February or March the leaves begin to fall off and they are watered, then in March or April, after danger of frost is over, they are returned outside.

These methods, although not fool-proof, illustrate the creativeness that gardeners use to keep a favorite plant growing.

Rose winners

All-American Rose Selections has announced the 1996 winners. "Carefree Delight" is a landscape shrub that opens to carmine pink petals laced with a creamy white center. "Livin' Easy," a floribunda, blooms constantly in ruffled

apricot orange. "St. Patrick" has chaireuse buds that slowly unfurl to reveal a yellow gold flower with shades of green; it is a hybrid tea. "Mount Hood," a grandiflora, has ivory white petals with a medium old rose scent.

All of these roses have been bred to be disease resistant and have been grown in test gardens in the United States. They have passed the rigid evaluations by rose experts for two growing seasons.

Rose books

Rosarians seem always eager to know about new rose books. Patrick Taylor has written "Gardening With Roses: A Practical and Inspirational Guide" (Timber Press, \$17.95), in which he shares his thoughts about the best ones to grow. The encyclopedic section includes cultural information as well as clear descriptions, habit and size, zonal information, and color and fragrance. Color photos enhance the descriptions.

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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Ponds from page 5D

Grass Roots Nursery provides storage for water plants for the winter for those people who don't have the proper facilities.

"It's really simple (to winterize a pond); make sure your air pump is running!" Jackson said.

He also suggests that first-time water gardeners use flexible liners because the size of a pond can readily be in-

creased. When people get the "bug" most want larger ponds than they start with.

After a cold winter season, pond owners can look forward to the pleasure that water ponds provide. Soon this special garden feature will be back in all its glory, flowers will bloom, fish will entertain and the pond will again offer its own brand of beauty and peacefulness.

Gagnon from page 4D

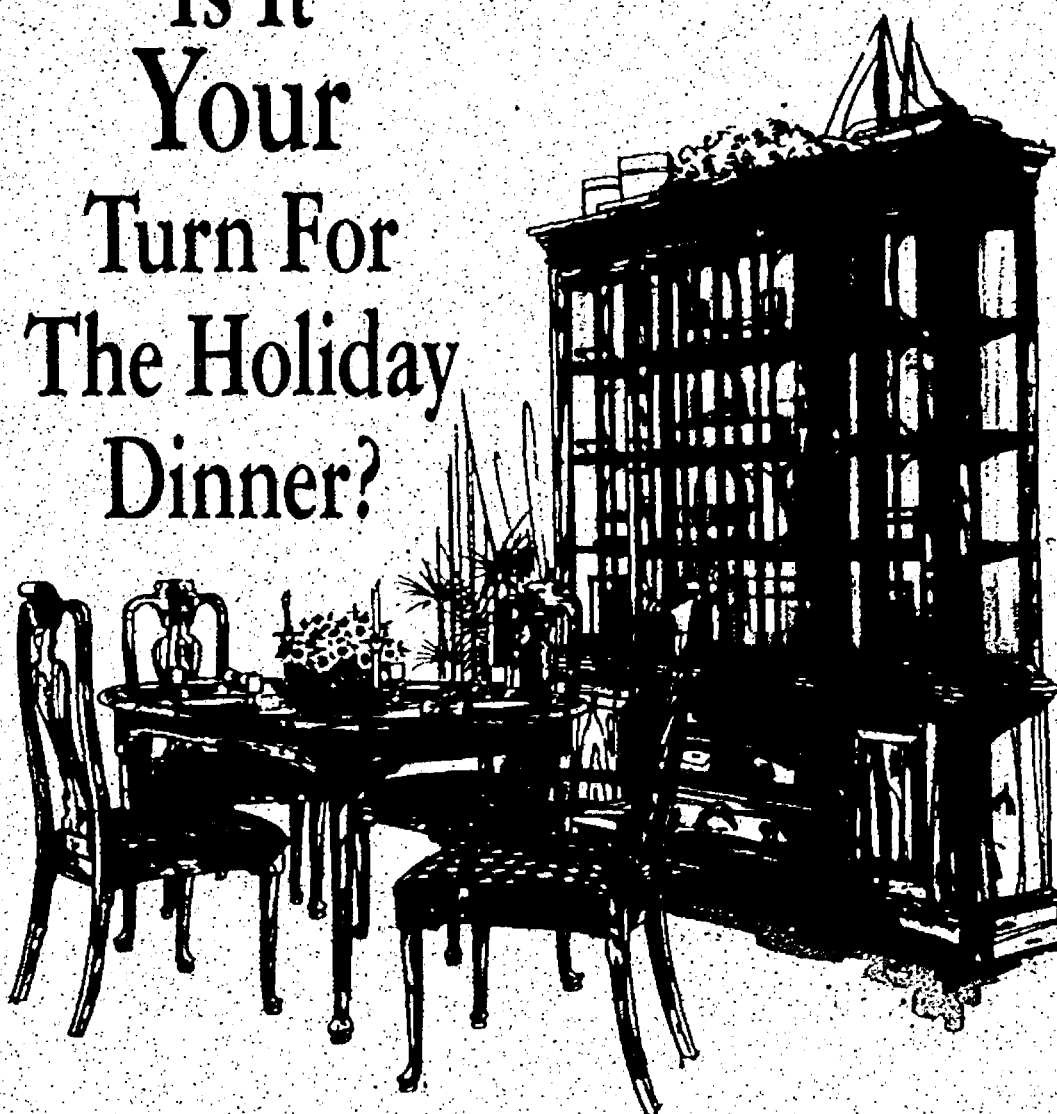
of where it came from and where it's going. The cost factor by the manufacturers and the people who work in the industry has already totaled millions. Who do you think will pay for all this?

I thought I would write this article to explain in my own simple terminology what is happening in the world of refrigeration. I have met so many consumers when I do speaking engagements who do not have a clue why they had to spend so much to have service rendered on their sealed system. Now I only hope

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COVER STORY

HERBS

Herb growers tend to spice up lives

BY GERI RINSCHLER
SPECIAL WRITER

For years I have dreamed of planting a formal herb garden. Even though I have always grown herbs in my kitchen garden, it's just not the same as designing a quincunx of beds filled with herbs dating back to the Renaissance. And it was just about this time last year that I began to plan the garden of my dreams.

Deciding on the proper location was determined by the number of hours of full sun received each day, the proximity to the kitchen and by the view of the garden from my kitchen window. The timing of the project and the location were established with landscape architect Amy Schiramel Robinson at Goldner Walsh Nursery in Pontiac, who also was in the process of redesigning the overall landscape of the grounds surrounding my 80-year-old home.

"There are several factors to determine the best location of an herb garden," Robinson said. "Additional factors considered in the design was the alignment of the garden with the house, garage and newly installed picket fence. Also the ability to tie the herb garden in with the flow of the other elements in the backyard landscape."

Once the specific layout was decided upon on a blueprint, Robinson then marked out the space in the actual location. The five beds were cut out and edged with red bricks. Paths were formed around them and filled with stone, providing easy access for weekly maintenance and harvesting.

There are a number of materials that can be used to create garden paths such as bricks, pea gravel and grass. We chose gray stone for its comfort and ability to stay in place.



Herbs galore: Geri Rinschler weeds lemon basil growing behind a garden of lavender. At right: A plaque in a stone walkway offers an invitation.

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On the cover:
Special writer Geri Rinschler
tends to the garden of her
dreams, raising herbs.



It's difficult to know how quickly young herbs will adapt to your garden's condition and culture.

Blending

It's a good idea to plant a blend of annual and perennial herbs so that you can observe and record the culture of each variety and how well they adapt to your yard. The first year of my garden, I relied on annuals such as lemon basil and pineapple sage to fill in the spaces until most of the perennials took hold.

Selecting herb varieties for a kitchen garden will probably depend upon the role they'll play in your culinary endeavors. Uhlianuk suggests growing oregano, parsley, sage, basil, tarragon, cilantro and dill for first-time gardeners.

The herbs I selected for my Shakespearean garden were mostly those that were found in Elizabethan times. The two beds in the front of my garden are edged in dwarf munstead lavender and the two in the back are edged in germander, neither of which are culinary herbs. Their purpose is to provide definition and color.

On the interior of the beds I selected purple sage (to blend with the lavender blossoms), elfin mound oregano, golden oregano, breckenridge thyme (which has a hot pink flower when it blooms), violas, dianthus, variegated pineapple mint and bay leaves. The bay leaves were submerged in clay pots so that they could be removed for storage indoors throughout the winter and early spring.

Now that I have observed, weeded, pruned and harvested my garden for one season, I'm now ready to transplant and replace some of the plants that didn't fare very well in their present location. But that's what gardening is all about. Enjoy!

Planning

Before cultivating the beds and preparing the soil for planting, I spent many hours planning the layout within each bed. In order to maintain a theme reminiscent of an Elizabethan or Shakespearean garden, a symmetrical pattern needs to be established. There are no rules but generally the planting patterns in the right beds should mirror those planted in the herb beds on the left. It's important to check carefully before buying herb plants the maximum height and the maximum width when they reach maturity.

Whether you're designing a formal Elizabethan garden or a culinary herb garden, "your garden has to have good bones," said friend and gardener Mary Lark of The Lark Restaurant in Farmington.

A well-balanced herb garden doesn't necessarily have to be planted only with herbs, it can have flowers as

well, Lark says.

"It must have places for low plants as well as tall plants."

Selection

There are a number of herbs that can be used for edging an herb garden, such as oregano, germander, thyme or lavender. Lark prefers using perennial herbs for edging to give the beds definition and the flexibility to rotate annual herb plantings each year.

Luckily for us, there are a number of good resources in Oakland, Wayne and Macomb counties for buying quantities of healthy and unusual herb plants. All of my plants were bought from The Coon Creek Herb Farm in Armada (with outlets at the Pontiac and Royal Oak Farmers Markets), Bordine's in Rochester and The Plant Station in Birmingham.

Searching for old English herbs such as dwarf mun-

stead lavender and dwarf hyssop or highland cream variegated oregano aren't easy items to find in southeast Michigan, especially in large quantities. Most often Marlene Uhlianuk, owner of The Coon Creek Herb Farm, came to my rescue. As a premier herb grower, Uhlianuk has studied the culture of herbs for the past 15 years.

"It's smart to watch carefully when choosing a site for an herb garden," she said.

Since most herbs are native to the Mediterranean, most of them needs lots of sun, she said. The soil needs to be well drained.

Herbs, Uhlianuk says, aren't very fussy, although she does suggest fertilizing them twice during the summer with a 12-12-12 vegetable or tomato fertilizer. The best time to do this is two weeks after planting, then once again two weeks later.

"Most beginners do more damage by over watering their plants," Uhlianuk said.

Research

She highly recommends reading as much as you can about herb gardening before you begin a project. One of her favorite guide books for growing herbs is "Park's Success With Herbs" by Gertrude Foster and Rosemary Loudon, which is still in print and available through the Park's Seed Co. catalog in Greenwood, S.C.

I have to agree that reading about herbs as much as possible is a great idea. One new publication that has been most helpful throughout my planning efforts has been "Herb Garden Design" by Ethne Clarke (Macmillan, 1995).

If you haven't grown herbs before, expect to use the first year as a time for learning and experimentation.

INVITING IDEAS

Warm guests with savory, steamy soups



RUTH MOSSOK JOHNSTON

Eighteenth Century Gourmands had the right idea — their first course consisted of four tureen soups placed at each corner of the table with entrees arranged along the sides. This is where the term "side dishes" originated.

Today, "sides" are things like pickled, fire-breathing chilies, multi-herb roasted potatoes, and a heavy dose of melange of vegetables du jour. Soups have held their distinction through the ages — today they can be considered "Chic" entertaining — from thick and chunky to mirrored clear, sometimes hot, and sometimes chilled.

When my husband David had a "big" milestone birthday, I racked my brain to do something really different from my typical dinner party fare. I had a Birthday Soup Party. The dining room table was lined with gallons of Buffalo Chili, Minestrone, Asparagus Puree, Black Bean, and Chowder, three loaves of homemade bread, and a big Greek Salad. The focus — soup!

It was hugely successful, and I was able to interact with my guests and re-

linquish the duty and title — "lonely cook in the kitchen." I labeled the individual soup pots with names and descriptions of what lay ahead for the hungry crowd — perhaps I should have stood at the head of the table and quoted something from Herman Melville's "Moby Dick" like:

"However, a warm savory steam from the kitchen served to baffle the apparently cheerless prospect before us. But when that smoking chowder came in, the mystery was delightfully explained. Oh, sweet friends! Harken to me. It was made of small juicy clams, scarcely bigger than hazel nuts mixed with pounded ship biscuit, and salted pork cut up into little flakes; the whole enriched with butter, and plentifully seasoned with pepper and salt... and the chowder being surpassingly excellent, we despatched it with great expedition."

Little do my clever and intelligent friends know — at the next soup party they will have to guess what literary genius wrote the quotes before they eat!

BLACK BEAN SOUP

- 2 tablespoons olive oil or margarine
- 2 large onions, peeled and cut into ¼-inch dice
- 2 cloves garlic, peeled and minced

- 6 carrots, peeled and cut into ¼-inch dice
- 1 cup cooked mixed brown rice
- 2 cups black beans, rinsed thoroughly and soaked overnight (the quick soak method can be used)
- 1½ teaspoons curry powder
- 10 cups of water
- Salt to taste

Place the drained pre-soaked beans in a non-reactive stock pot. Add the water and cook for 1 to 1½ hours over medium-low heat.

In a saute pan, heat the oil or margarine — saute onions and garlic — cook until well browned. Set aside.

To the bean pot, add the carrots and continue to cook for 30 minutes or until the beans and carrots are tender, but not mushy.

Add to the stock pot the browned onion and garlic mixture along with the cooked rice — cook 10-15 minutes.

Add salt and curry powder, mix thoroughly. Cook 5 more minutes until all the flavors blend. Adjust seasonings. You may want to dollop this one with sour cream or heavy strained yogurt (Leban). Serves 8.

This unusual soup recipe comes from New York City's famous restaurant The Russian Tea Room. I remember it well

from long stays in New York with my Manhattanite Aunt. It's a recipe from the early 1970s, but the restaurant is featuring it on their menu this month.

ROSZOLONCK SOUP

- 1 large onion
- 2 carrots
- 2 white parsley roots
- 2 ribs celery
- 2 large potatoes
- 1 quart milk
- ½ pint sour cream
- 2 tablespoons flour
- 2 quarts beef stock
- 2 dill pickles (chopped) with pickle juice to taste

Peel and cut up the vegetables and boil for 20 minutes in salted water to cover. Drain and set aside.

Combine the milk and sour cream. Mix flour with a small amount of liquid and add to milk and cream. Cook over low heat until steamy hot. Add beef stock and vegetables. Cut pickles and add juice to flavor. Bring to a boil and then simmer for 20 minutes, serve. Makes 4-6 servings.

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BOOK BREAK

Stock characters weaken Michigan mystery



VICTORIA DIAZ

"Buried Secrets," by Trish MacDonald Skillman (407 pp., \$4.99, Dell — pb).

Set in Michigan on the shores of the fictitious Trumpeter Lake, "Buried Secrets" is one of those stories in which the main character emerges from an unremembered past. Trouble is, she desperately needs to remember.

Here, each time she senses something about her early childhood, struggling young mother Nicki Prevot either passes out or experiences a breath-stopping panic attack. The most mundane things can trigger an attack: a photograph she glimpses while standing in line at the local grocer's, a couple of Sesame Street puppets, a package of Popsicles. Shown a can of fish-bait worms by her five-year-old daughter, Lexie, she utterly freaks. After about the hundredth time she is so afflicted, we start to suspect something really creepy has burrowed deep into her subconscious. (Maybe, in fact, it's so deep it will never see the light of day?)

This Michigan story starts out about

1,000 miles south of Great Lakes country, somewhere in Texas (the town is never named, but it could be modeled after Wichita Falls, where the author lives and works). The aforementioned Nicki Prevot is in big trouble, financially-speaking. She's lost her low-paying job at the bank; she's living with friends in a neighborhood that, on its good days, is really bad. Not only is her early childhood lost, but the future looks pretty dark and foggy, too. Her tiny daughter, Lexie, is half-sick emotionally, the result of a recent, violent experience she witnessed from her bedroom window.

Then, just about the time you think things couldn't get worse, they do. The violence on the street outside spills over and makes its way literally to the inside of the small place she calls home.

Then, just when you think the end has come, things get better and, actually, this story has only just begun. When the dust has settled from this latest violent episode, Michigan attorney Reed Jordan appears, to inform Nicki that some nameless benefactor has left her not only a small fortune, but also a lovely home on the shores of Trumpeter Lake.

Nicki and oh-so-cute Lexie pack their

bags and head north, set on a better life. Then, wouldn't you know? They've barely got new curtains hung when everything starts to fall apart all over again.

The usual stock characters (cast here as Nicki's neighbors) cross and re-cross paths as this central drama begins to unfold. Many of them, by the way, have their own muzzy pasts.

First, there's Mid. She's the warm, nurturing, housekeeper — the mother somebody-or-other never had. Then there's the unpretentious, down-to-earth caretaker, Bob Stockton, who says things like "bein'," and "helpin'," and "durned," and "ever'body." The feisty, elderly woman with a strong tendency toward matchmaking is labeled Gwyn Chamberlin; the smitten, unmarried, middle-aged schoolteacher, Devon Rheams. The Michigan attorney is one of those guys who falls for his "beautiful client" at first sight.

Nicki Prevot is that "beautiful client," of course, and while Skillman has given her a little more depth and freshness than most of her other characters, she has an odd tendency to slip out of character. Considering her recent experiences and her tendency to otherwise overprotect her little girl, she repeatedly

allows the child to spend extended time alone with people she herself barely knows, for instance. (Though the child, Lexie, starts off rather appealingly, she loses some of that appeal along the way. Apparently, her pouty, petulant behavior is supposed to be cute in its way. Instead, it's just very close to tiresome.)

Anyone who has ever spent a wakeful night in a lakeside cottage listening to mysterious nocturnal sounds, or who has been lulled to sleep by water lapping at a nearby shoreline will appreciate Skillman's richly-drawn lake community scene. Her subtle and complex depiction of a child molester's aberrant thoughts and feelings also go far to redeem this book, along with a little sleight-of-hand "trick" she pulls off rather craftily in the end. It's not really a trick, though. If you pay close attention, you'll see it was pretty much there all along.

Victoria Diaz of Livonia, a longtime member of Detroit Women Writers, has a lifelong interest in reading "everything from great novels to cereal boxes." You can leave a message for her on a touch-tone phone by dialing (313) 953-2047 and her mailbox number, 1854.BJ30

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Series focuses on finding antique treasures

BY MARY KLEMIC
STAFF WRITER

You've heard of high C and the Seven Seas, but the "four C's" — carat weight, color, clarity and cutting — are what's important when it comes to jewelry and gemstones.

So says James Krol, owner of Birmingham Gemological Services in Birmingham, who will present one of four classes in "Treasures From Yesterday," a series offered by Schoolcraft College in Livonia that can help participants discover antique treasures.

"We talk a lot about how to identify color stones, how to grade them," he said. "It's an important and significant factor in determining value."

The series, 6-8 p.m. Wednesdays, Oct. 18 and 25 and Nov. 1 and 8, will help you identify and evaluate art work, furniture and accessories, and new and antique jewelry. It will meet at the college, Haggerty and Seven Mile. Participants can attend individual sessions or as a series.

Cost is \$30 per seminar, or \$100 for the entire series. For a brochure or to

register, call Schoolcraft College at (313) 462-4448.

Krol and Frank Boos, owner of the Frank H. Boos Gallery in Bloomfield Hills, will discuss what's "out there" in the market as well as what items to look for.

"It goes in trends," Boos said.

"Things that were very popular a few years ago aren't (popular) today. A good example of that is antique pewter, which is sort of out of vogue."

Art deco, on the other hand, is in vogue today.

Boos will lead three of the classes. Topics will be antique furniture; painting and prints; and silver, china and objects d'art. Boos handles appraisals for local, national and international markets. His gallery has been involved with many famous collections.

The biggest misconception is that items always go up in value, Boos said.

"I equate it to a roller coaster.

"Make sure you have an idea (of an item's value) before you do anything with it."

Krol will lead the fourth class, on jewelry and gemstones. Antique and period pieces, precious and semi-precious gemstones, and buying jewelry for today and tomorrow will be discussed. Krol will explain how to evaluate what you already have.

"Diamonds come in many different colors. Be aware of the many different stones out there," said Krol, who was selected to travel to Saudi Arabia 10 years ago to establish a gemological testing laboratory and appraise a vast array of impressive jewelry.

A diamond or piece of jewelry is "typically an emotional purchase," Krol said.

"When you get into buying jewelry you don't want to buy for price. You want to buy what appeals to you."

Krol is a past regional governor of the Accredited Gemologist Association and the International Society of Appraisers, of which he is also past-president of the state chapter. He is a member of the American Society of Appraisers, where he is on the National Gems and Jewelry Committee, and a senior member of the National Association of Jewelry Appraisers.

The cut of the stone determines how the light is reflected in it.

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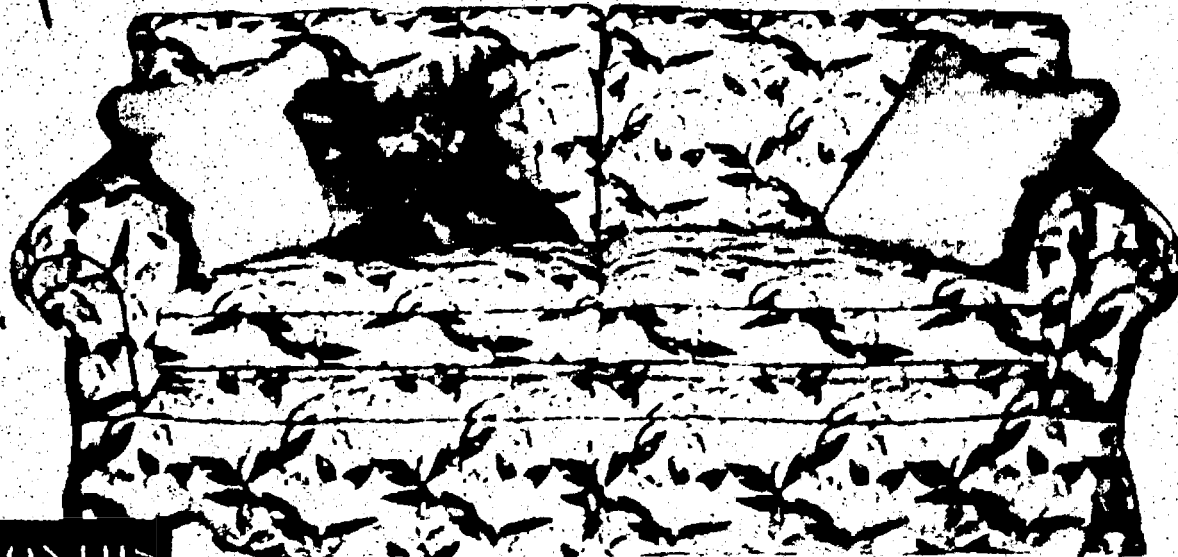
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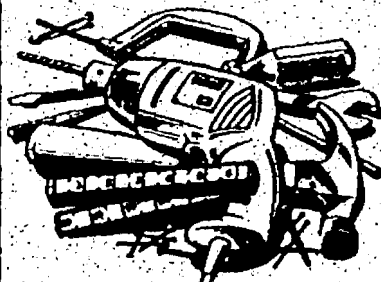
Bromeliad Society to meet Saturday

The Southeast Michigan Bromeliad Society will meet 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14, at the Means residence.

Plan on an all-day outing. Before going to the meeting, stop at nearby Hidden Lake Gardens and see all the beautiful fall colors in this arboretum, which is owned and maintained by Michigan State University.

Take US-12 (Michigan Avenue) west from I-94 or US-23 about 20 miles to M-52. Go south four miles to M-50. Turn right (west) and follow signs to the gardens. To reach the Means home at 2691 E. Carlton, take M-52 south (about 12 miles from M-50) through the city of Adrian. Turn left (east) at Carlton. Look for the home on the right.

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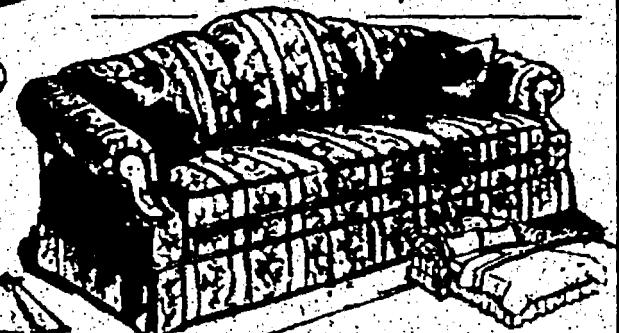
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A well-written contract prevents conflicts

Q: We got a firm price from our remodeler to expand our bathroom. When the walls were knocked out all of the wires going to the fuse box were in one wall. The remodeler said he would have to charge extra to move the wires. He called it a latent defect. Why didn't he cover this in his initial contract if he is a professional?

A: Having a valid contract, one that is correctly written, is equally important for both the contractor and homeowner. There are many things that are unforeseen, that is, items that cannot be detected from a visual standpoint. In order to answer your questions, I would have to know where the bathroom is located. First floor bathrooms will have either a concrete slab, basement or crawl space below them. If there is a crawl space or an unfinished basement, a simple visual inspection would tell the contractor what mechanical systems, heat or cold air runs, electrical wires or plumbing lines, are in the wall. If the space below the bath is unfinished and accessible, then I feel the contractor didn't do his homework and is at fault. If the area under the bathroom is finished, which is usually the case for a second floor bath or a first floor bath over a basement with a fixed



finished ceiling (not removable ceiling tile), then the contractor will not be able to visually see what is going up through the floor and into the wall. In that case the contractor should advise the owner that it is not possible for him to know what's in the wall. When that occurs, I inform the client that there may be items in the wall that are concealed and that, if this is the situation, there will be an additional charge to relocate them. This is an extra charge for work that is **NOT INCLUDED** in the original agreement.

As to "why the contractor didn't cover it in his contract as a professional" this is how I would advise you. What

exactly did your contract say was and was not included? Was it very explicit? Did it have a clause in it that covered concealed items in walls, floors and ceilings that are not visible? Did you read your contract thoroughly? I would suggest you read the contract again to see if these items are covered in the contract. Were any of these items discussed at the time you signed the contract?

After you have done your homework then sit down with your contractor and have a friendly "heart-to-heart" with him and see what can be resolved. One other scenario I feel I need to discuss is the price your were willing to pay to have this work "professionally installed." I have presented many detailed bath quotes to prospective clients only to be informed that I had lost the job to another contractor who had bid the job for considerably less money. In my view no remodeling project should be awarded solely on the basis of cost.

I advise clients to check out the contractor by talking to their references, seeing a copy of their license and insurance coverage, calling the Better Business Bureau, and looking at how long the contractor has been in business. Given that there is a 97percent failure

rate in remodeling contractors within three years of the contractor going into business, I advise clients to only consider contractors who have been in business three years or longer with a proven track record. In any case, it is the contractor's responsibility to educate the client about the remodeling process and all the possibilities.

It is the owner's responsibility to ask questions, first about the contractor, and then about what will or will not be included.

Kyle Adkins, President, Adkins & Sons, Riverview, Michigan, 313-283-7120.

If you have home improvement questions, call Gayle Walters at the Michigan Remodeling Association (MRA) at 810-335-3232 or, send questions to "Let's Remodel," 2187 Orchard Lake Road, Suite 103, Sylvan Lake, MI 48320. Answers are provided by members of the MRA, the local chapter of the National Association of the Remodeling Industry (NARI). Members include professional contractors, manufacturers, wholesalers and lenders representing all facets of residential and light commercial remodeling. For more information or a free copy of our membership roster, call 810-335-3232.

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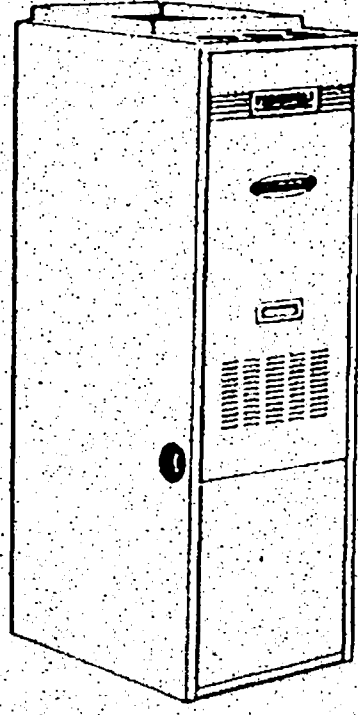
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BACKYARD NATURE

Berries are for the birds



TIM NOWICKI

September marked the beginning of fall when daylight periods are much shorter and insect life is less abundant. This is the time when northern nesting birds begin their migration south where food is more abundant. But along the way they must continue to feed and if possible even

put on fat reserves.

Many birds rely on the fall ripening fruits for this purpose. Just the other day I saw several birds of about four different species invading my neighbor's black cherry tree. There were robins, both young and adults, starlings, grackles and blue jays. Individuals were constantly entering the branches harboring the berries and leaving to rest or digest in surrounding trees.

Black cherry berries have a high sugar content, though not high enough for tasty human consumption. Lumberjacks in the old days were probably pretty hard up for some liquid libation when they used the berries to make a drink. But birds eating lots of sweet berries can get quick energy and even add some fat, as we all know if we eat too many sweets.

Actually the birds help the tree also. Those berries high in sugar rot very quickly; eating them first, while fattening up, helps the bird and ultimately the tree. Black cherry trees actually "want" the birds to eat the berries. Each berry has a hard pit or seed that could grow into a new tree. That new seed would have a better chance of growing if it was planted away from the adult plant. When the robin eats the berries, digests the sugars and voids the pit or seed, it is hoped it will land in a good place for growth. The main consequence of this action is that the robin often voids on your newly washed car, or laundry hanging out to dry. Berries that fall to the ground will be eaten by mice that can chew through the hard covering of the pit to eat the seed, thus eliminating any chance for a tree to grow.

When the sugary berries have been eaten, then birds concentrate on the fatty berries. Flowering dogwood berries are very fatty and will rot quickly if not eaten soon after ripening. Fortunately for migrating birds these berries ripen during their crucial fattening period.

Tim Nowicki lives in Livonia and works as a naturalist with Independence Oaks County Park in Oakland County. To reach him by voice mail, call (313) 953-2047 and then his extension, 1874.



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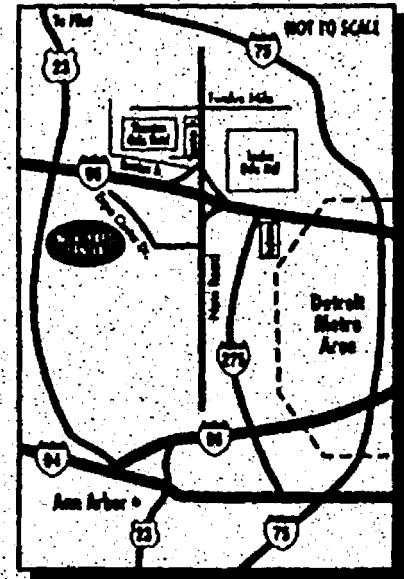
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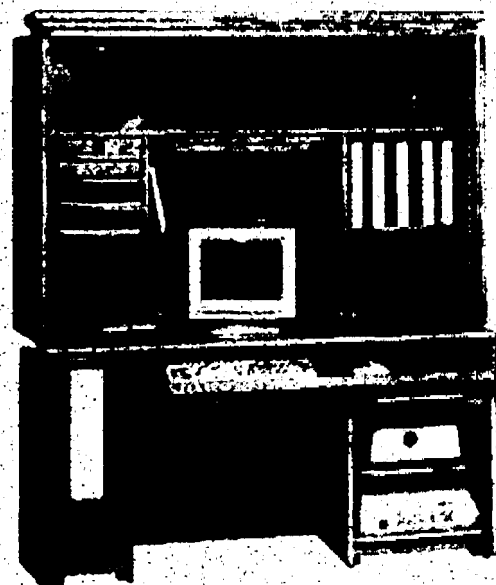
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Tackett promoted



Amanda W. Tackett has been promoted to the position of senior account executive for CAM Magazine, published by the Construction Association of Michigan headquartered in Troy. She will assume responsibility for advertising sales and reader promotion for the monthly publication. Her duties also will include generating new advertisers and expanding readership. Tackett graduated from Oakland University and has more than 10 years experience in advertising sales.

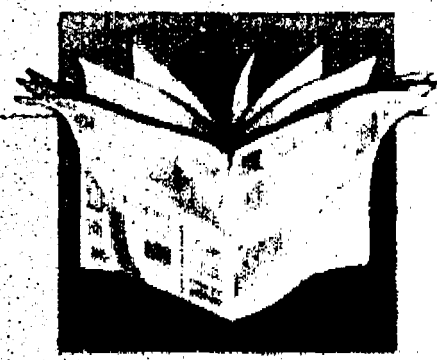
Harley promoted



Robert W. Harley has been promoted to account executive for CAM Magazine where he will be responsible for customer service and advertising. Harley, a Livonia resident, graduated from Eastern Michigan University. He began his career with CAM as a reporter in the construction project news division.

Kittredge honored

Linda Kittredge, a Realtor with Quality Real Estate NW/Better Homes & Gardens in Livonia, has been recognized by national headquarters for generating referral business for network members. "We are proud of her expertise in helping homeowners in western Wayne/Oakland counties initiate successful moves outside the market," said Allen Sabbag, president, Better Homes & Gardens Real Estate Service.



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Giving advice: Barbi Krass, owner of a design studio, presides over a seminar on Building and Remodeling Without Losing Your Mind.

Preplanning is key to remodeling

■ **There's a lot to think about before you actually get down to renovating the homestead or building new. The more items you can plan in advance, the easier the process will go.**

By DOUG FUNK, STAFF WRITER

Pre-planning and personal involvement every step of the way, whether you're remodeling the house or building from the ground up, determine the success of any construction project.

That was the message delivered by Barbi Krass, owner of Colorworks design studio in Farmington Hills, to a couple dozen people during a recent seminar, *Building and Remodeling Without Losing Your Mind*.

"Think how you live on a daily basis," Krass said. "Do you live a casual lifestyle or more formal? Do you lead a lifestyle around children or adults? Do you entertain for business, pleasure or both?"

"There are tons of questions. You need to do a mental walk-thru," she said.

Krass and other speakers, including Michael Wolk, a Troy architect, advised attendees over and over again to take an active role throughout the process.

Start early and negotiate extras before the actual construction begins to save money and get the job done right.

"We can ask you the right questions so you can give yourself the answers," Wolk said. "You want to get as close to right as possible the first time."

Krass ran through a pre-planning top 10 list of little things that can make a big difference further down the production line.

Notching out a wall where a family room and kitchen/eating nook connect, platform angles in closet corners and mirrors with radius edges will be more functional and make decorating easier, she said.

"Don't put in a window for the sake of a window," Krass said. "Make sure you have a view. Pay attention to the way doorwalks open and which way doors swing. Think about where the toilet paper is going to go."

Some builders and architects specialize in renovations, others brand new, Wolk advised.

His advice — get the usual recommendations from family, neighbors and friends.

"Have builders show work they've done," Wolk said. "For architects, ask about their fee structure. There will be quite a range. You don't have to buy full services."

"Most, certainly, will come out and talk, see the situation. It doesn't cost money to interview and pick his brain while he's there."

Check with local building codes to make sure there's enough room to make additions, Wolk said.

"It's happened too many times. Somebody comes up with a wonderful idea that can't be built. It's a real pit-fall. Not that you can't get a variance, but you never know."

It also makes sense to get cost estimates at several steps along the process.

"Estimates are estimates," Wolk emphasized. "Unfortunately, we can't guarantee. Where you get more of a guarantee is get a builder upfront and work with him right along."

Marilyn Slatin, a Colorworks designer, and Krass touched on the fun part of decorating.

"You want your house to reflect your personality, how you live," Slatin said. "Rhythm as you move through, some continuity. Emphasis on a focal point in rooms. Furniture, colors, texture work together."

Furniture specially made to order can be as cost effective as ready-made pieces, Slatin said. There are also many kinds of synthetic and natural materials from which to choose for people with allergies.

"It's easier if you organize selections," Krass said. "Don't make them all at once. This day, you'll look at plumbing. This day, at electrical."

The final walk thru before taking possession of a new house or major renovation also is important.

"Don't sell it short," Krass said. "We

encourage you to take a design professional or architect with you before you sign off. Some builders don't like that, but you can do a pre-walk-thru."

"Test all your mechanicals. Make sure the lights work. Run the disposal, flush every toilet, run every faucet. Operate all the doors. Make sure the drawers line up."

"Then do an aesthetic walk-thru," Krass said. "Spot the paint and use drafting tape and put little stickers over places that need to be touched up."

Seminar attendees said they picked up useful information.

"We just did some remodeling and found out we can get carpeting in different weight, the same color, the same look," said Mina Feldman.

Al Frommer, who's planning to build new and isn't in a hurry, said he was comforted by Wolk's advice that he'd wait until spring, if possible, rather than start building in winter.

"That was good to know," Frommer said.

Bobbie Miller, an associate broker with Re/Max in the hills, said she firmly believes in the cooperative, team approach.

"I did learn some things I could take back to my clients — how they can very simply define a room and hints on designing closets," she added.

Problems arise when managers act as lawyers

REAL ESTATE QUERIES



ROBERT M. MEISNER

Q. I am a lawyer on the board of directors of our condominium and frequently refer to our management company for advice. However, they voluntarily provide me and the other board members with what I consider to be "legal advice" encouraging us not to consult with the attorneys for the association whom they chose not to recommend because they "cost too much." Is this a problem in Michigan and, for that matter, around the country to your knowledge?

A. In a recent edition of the *Common Ground* magazine published by the Community Associations Institute, there was an article which noted that the State Bar of Florida, as requested by the Committee on the Unlicensed Practice of Law, was asked to look into a variety of manager responsibilities such as completing the Secretary of State annual corporation report and other government forms. It also is in the process of examining activities

such as drafting a certificate of assessments, claim of lien, election ballots and an annual meeting agenda.

Apparently the Florida Legislative Alliance and the Coalition of Community Association Manager's Organization agreed to testify at the State Bar hearing. It will be bringing to the forefront the underlying issues as to what management companies can and should perform as managers, as opposed to lawyers.

Also, managers should be cognizant of the fact that their errors and omissions policy will no doubt not cover what is considered to be legal malpractice, neither here nor in most other jurisdictions.

Q. I have heard of something called a "conservation easement" and am wondering if you can give me any details of what it means as to how it might affect my property.

A. A conservation easement is the right to preserve the natural habitat of the property owner's property in perpetuity. The real property owner holds a bundle of rights. One of those rights is the right to build structures on the property.

Under a conservation easement, selected sticks from an owner's bundle of rights are transferred to a

conservancy. The transferred rights may include the right to protect the property's biological integrity. The conservancy or land trust becomes the protector of this right.

The entity to which the property is transferred is typically a charitable IRC Section 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation. The property owner continues to retain all other rights to the property, including the right to exclude trespassers, to sell, bequeath, and to engage in any activities consistent with the easement.

The Michigan Legislature has sanctioned easements in the Conservation and Historic Preservation Easement Act to protect conservation easements and to enable the donor and the community to maintain respect for the natural landscape, open spaces, natural habitats, ecologically significant land and wildlife.

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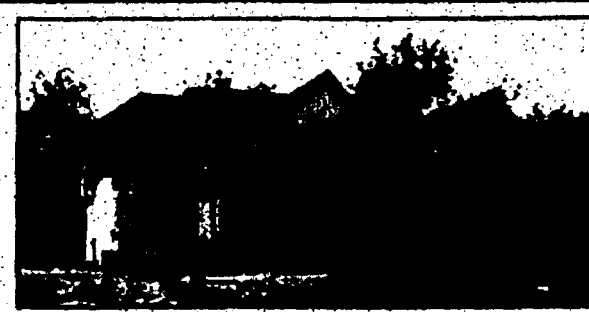
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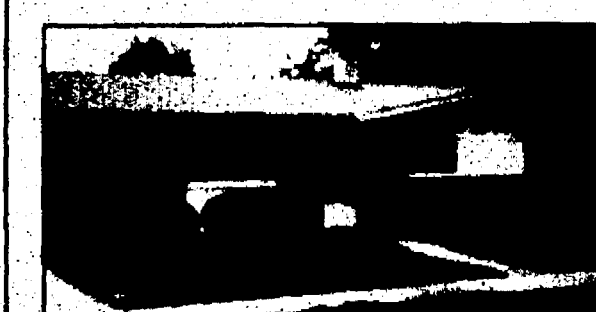
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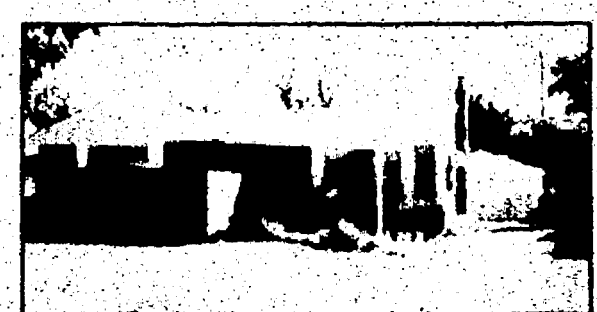
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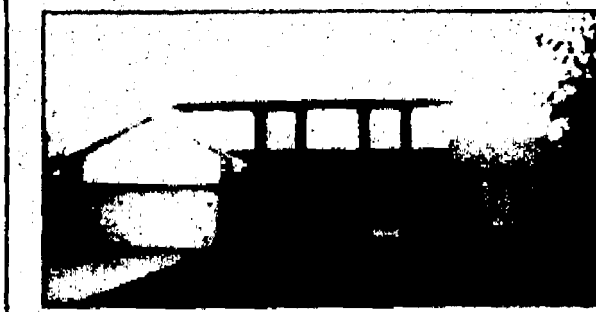
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Preserve highlights nature in convenient location

Gilbert "Buzz" Silverman, a third-generation builder, sits in his vehicle at the entrance to the Preserve in Commerce Township and extols the virtues of the subdivision.

"We're three miles from Milford and three miles from West Bloomfield," he said. "We're three miles north of I-696. We're three miles from all of the Dodge parks, state parks.

"We're close to everything but still away from traffic and congestion," Silverman said. "This is one of the very few communities in Commerce that has municipal sewers and water.

"We've got a nice assortment of models. Building sites range from a third of an acre up to an acre. We have 25 to 30 acres here devoted to parks and nature preserve."

Silverman puts the vehicle in gear and drives over the gently-rolling landscape. One hundred seven houses will be built in this subdivision off Commerce Road east of Carey.

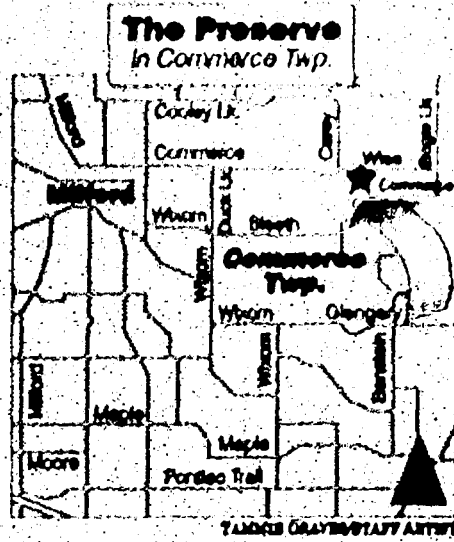
He stops at a point overlooking a heavily wooded area and gets out.

"There will be a 300 to 400 square-foot deck available at this scenic area with barbecues, picnic tables and a children's play park," Silverman said. "There's a ton of deer back here, raccoons, hundreds of different birds.

"We developed this community from a series of focus groups," Silverman said. "They said they wanted basically larger lots, larger homes."

Five floor plans are available. A 1,700-square-foot ranch with three bedrooms and two baths, or a 2,150-square-foot two-story with four bedrooms and 1 1/2 baths start at \$179,990.

A colonial with four bedrooms and 2 1/2 baths and a story-and-a-half with three bedrooms and 2 1/2 baths featuring a first-floor master suite, each 2,400 square feet, are priced at the upper end, \$204,990.



All plans include a two-car garage, fireplace, dishwasher and basement.

Exteriors are brick or fieldstone, vinyl siding and wood trim. The on-site model, the Franklin, is a two-story of 2,150 square feet.

The main floor features a living room and dining room, kitchen with island and eating nook and a step-down family room with fireplace.

The model also contains a first-floor laundry, an extra cost option in this plan, standard in others.

The master has a separate tub and shower, walk-in closet, dual sink vanity, cathedral ceiling and skylight (\$715). Three other upstairs bedrooms share a second full bath.

The model also is air conditioned (\$2,835).

The base price of the Franklin is \$179,990. The model with extras including landscaping and a deck is about \$205,000.

"This (master) suite is what sells this home — the size of the room, vault (ceiling), openness," said Melissa Koster, sales representative.

"People have the bed, a sitting area and an exercise area," added Amy Kasmarick, also a sales rep.

Value is what brings people into the subdivision, Silverman said.



Franklin look: This two-story model at the Preserve provides four bedrooms, a living room, family room and dining room.

"The land quality, custom home, square footage at the Preserve represents the ultimate value in the area and we have researched the heck out of that," he said.

The analysis includes municipal water and sewers, Huron Valley schools and Commerce residency, Silverman said.

Visitors to the Preserve are excited about the topography of the land, Kasmarick said.

"Comments are nice-size homesites," Koster added. "Even if they're not on the nature conservancy, they can look out and enjoy the view."

The property tax rate in the Preserve is about \$21 per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation, half of market value. The means the owners of a \$180,000 house there would pay \$1,800 the first year.

The annual homeowners association fee is \$150, trash collection \$110.

Lisa and Pete Muscio, with children Lauryn and Reid, were the first family to move into the Preserve.

"We liked how much house we would get for the money and the fact the lots are bigger out here," Lisa said. "The nice thing about

the sub, too, is younger people, younger couples. It makes it nice for kids."

Laura and Don Webb moved from Plymouth with kids Amy and Alex.

"The reason we did was value," Laura said.

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1st time buyers want big yards, small price

First-time house buyers want many of the same features in a house that trade-up buyers want — a large lot, a two-car garage, walk-in closets and bay windows — but aren't willing to pay a big price, according to a survey by the National Association of Home Builders.

Renters who planned to buy their first house in the near future were surveyed on their housing desires. One feature they definitely want in a house they buy is significantly more space than they have in their rental accommodations, a median of 1,900 square feet versus 1,000 square feet. The smaller size is one reason first-time buyers are willing to pay a lot less than trade-up buyers — a median price of just \$87,000 compared to \$120,200.

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For a newly built house, first-time buyers said that quality of workmanship, neighborhood, energy features, builder's reputation, warranty, exterior appearance, schools, location to work and location to shopping were all important to them.

Forty percent of renters who plan to buy prefer a two-story house, 36 percent want a single-story house and 13 percent prefer a split level. When asked if they wanted a full basement (at a \$10,000 premium), a half basement (at \$5,000) or no basement at all, six out of 10 respondents wanted a basement, with 43 percent specifying a full basement

and 17 percent opting for a half basement.

Asked whether they were willing to give up space in one part of the house for more space elsewhere, more than half said they want a larger family room instead of a larger living room and more living room space to dining room space. Sixty-two percent said they would not be willing to give up bedroom space for either bathroom or group activity space.

Potential buyers want a house filled with amenities, particularly a washer/dryer, linen closet, additional bathroom, central air conditioning, walk-in closets, microwave oven, dishwasher, pantry, security system and fireplace.

Reflecting the current trend toward kitchen/family room combinations, 45 percent said they prefer the kitchen and family room to be adjacent and visually open but with a divider.

In the kitchen, the most desired feature is a large countertop followed by a walk-in pantry, special-use storage and a bay window. Cabinets definitely beat out kitchen windows — nearly three-quarters of the respondents said they would prefer more wall cabi-

nets to additional windows in the kitchen. For an eating area, most people prefer a space for a table with chairs.

The majority of potential buyers prefer two bathrooms (48 percent), although nearly as many (40 percent) want more than two. Forty-nine percent prefer three bedrooms, while 38 percent want four bedrooms.

For their first house, about 25 percent of the respondents said

they were not willing to pay more than \$60,000 to \$79,999, and another 20 percent were willing to pay between \$80,000 and \$99,999. Only 18 percent were willing to pay \$150,000 or more.

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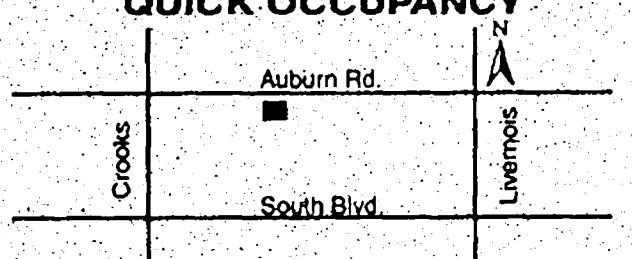
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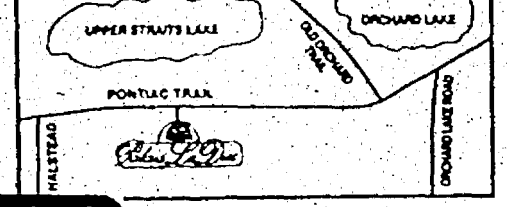
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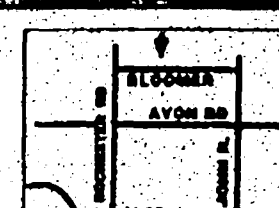
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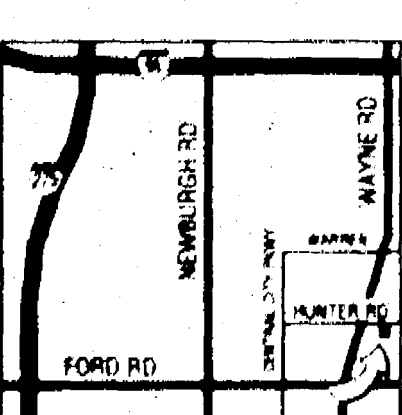
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EMORY DANIELS

One of our newspaper readers and Internet surfers contacted me recently to share news about the horse handicapping web site he established and operates.

Howard Berenbon has published two books for horse racing fans on designing handicapping systems using any personal computer. One book is "Thoroughbred Handicapping the Computer Way," and the other is "Harness Handicapping the Computer Way."

When you visit Howard's web site you will find information on both books, plus a monthly column he writes on horse racing, and information about handicapping software. The universal resource locator (URL) is <http://agri-comm.com/ber>.

Berenbon regularly accesses the Internet through the West Bloomfield Library. "There are lots of horse enthusiasts," Howard told me. "I've been interested in horse racing ever since my grandfather took me to Northville Downs as a kid. Anyway, because of that I got into writing handicapping software for various computer systems, and now I'm on the Internet I also do technical writing and write product reviews for a few computer magazines, such as NautilusCD."

His two books are written for anyone interested in using a PC to aid in handicapping at the races. Step-by-step instructions are given for designing and programming thoroughbred and harness handicapping systems in the BASIC language for popular personal computers including IBM compatibles, Apple II series, Apple Macintosh, Atari, Commodore 64/128, TRS-80, and Sharp pocket computers. For racing fans who don't own a PC, there's a chapter with instructions for horse racing handicapping using a pocket calculator.

Horse racing enthusiasts will learn to program their own handicapping systems using up to 26 past performance data items available from the Daily Racing Form for thoroughbreds and the Harness Program for harness racing. Details include selecting the right data for analysis, assigning weighting factors, creating the mathematical formulas for manipulating the data, and converting the formulas for calculating a numerical rating for each horse under analysis.

My personal opinion — no matter how analytical the system may be, don't count on it to make you rich. Howard, by the way, never makes that claim. There are people who've been going to the track for years, know horses very well, know how to read racing forms, and do well betting but never get rich. Computer software

only helps you organize data efficiently, but cannot be a substitute for human judgment.

Environmental science

The Michigan Environmental Science Board on Sept. 22 announced its link to the Internet. The MESB designed a web site to disseminate information on its activities and to provide electronic access to all board reports and meeting summaries. The site can be visited by pointing Lynx or your Web browser to <http://www.great-lakes.net:2200/partners/MESB/mesb.html>.

The MESB is charged with advising the governor and state agencies on matters affecting the protection and management of Michigan's environment and natural resources. The MESB consists of nine people and an executive director with expertise in one or more of these areas: engineering, ecological sciences, economics, chemistry, physics, biological sciences, human medicine, statistics, risk assessment, geology, and other disciplines.

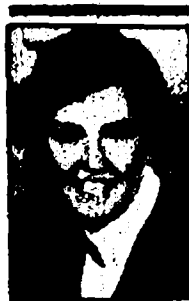
The board has completed five scientific reports since its inception, ranging from an evaluation of the environmental and human health concerns of mercury, chlorine and lead contamination to a review of the scientific merits of a proposed protocol for a uniform Great Lakes fish advisory. The board also recently received a new charge from the governor to evaluate the scientific basis of Michigan's and the federal government's siting standards for low-level radioactive waste isolation facilities.

"The board's entrance onto the Internet will help to enhance communication and information sharing between state government and Michigan's ever-growing computer literate citizenry," said Gov. John Engler when the MESB web site was launched. Copies of MESB reports may be downloaded from the site.

ONE LAST NOTE: One of the O&E On-liners who maintains a home page on our site enjoys developing "special editions" for holidays that are activated only for that particular holiday period and then taken off. Len Roberts of Canton launched a Fourth of July home page for his first holiday venture, and last month activated a Labor Day home page. So he decided to develop a Halloween Page which will go live on Oct. 21. You can visit after that date by pointing to [http://oeonline.com/\(tilde mark\)lenri](http://oeonline.com/(tilde mark)lenri). For the full effect, users will need to be set up to hear .wav (sound) files.

You can direct questions to Emory Daniels by E-mail at emory@oeonline.com or by fax at (313) 591-7279. To sign up for O&E On-Line, dial (313) 591-0903, at "log-in" prompt type "new" and at "Key:" prompt type GL6NY2. Past columns may be accessed on-line at [http://oeonline.com/\(tilde mark\)emoryd/archive.html](http://oeonline.com/(tilde mark)emoryd/archive.html).

Budgeting doesn't mean denial



BETH ALLEN

When you get your W-2 at the first of the year do you ever wonder where all the money went? And how many times have you heard yourself say you can't afford something?

If that sounds familiar, then you are a candidate for a budget. Actually, everyone should be on a budget. A budget can free up money for something you truly want and stop spending on things you don't care about.

The word "budget" for most of us has a negative connotation. We immediately start to think of all the things we can't have; it is just like being on a diet. We can't have this or we can't have that. However, if a good diet is followed, for a measurable length of time, the results of a person's health both mentally and physically can improve dramatically. The same can be true for someone who follows a budget. It can lead to positive results.

A budget should not be thought of as self-denial. You don't want to start thinking about all the things you can't have. Rather, what you should be concentrating on is what you can have. A budget

allows you to become a better spender. That's right, you are going to spend money regardless, so you might as well be good at it. Just like you are not going to stop eating on a diet, you are not going to stop spending on a budget. The best thing for you to do is get control of it.

There are two obstacles in budgeting. The first involves establishing one and prioritizing spending. The big items in a budget are easy. You know your housing cost, car payment, etc., but it's the discretionary spending that you can lose track of. Discretionary spending is where you have the most control. Ever had the desire to dine at a fine restaurant, but felt you couldn't afford it and didn't know where you would get the money? Yet you choose to eat out for lunch every day. Think back at how many of those lunches you really didn't enjoy. Being on a lunch hour, rushing and gobbling down food that was probably high in fat and calories and spending more than you cared to think about.

An alternative could be to brown bag it and save the money to spend on dinner at that fine restaurant you were thinking about. Prioritizing spending can have significant results, especially when you apply the discipline to an entire budget.

The second obstacle is trying to

'Budgeting does not have to mean personal punishment or self-denial. A good plan for spending can lead to financial independence and a lifestyle of choices.'

live within your set guidelines. The key to both setting and remaining on a budget is control. When you start experiencing the positive results of having money for what you truly want it can be a great reinforcement. For most people staying on a budget requires a lifestyle change. It means getting rid of habits that are counterproductive to being a better spender. For example, shopping without a grocery list often leads to purchasing items that otherwise would not be bought. We tend to get swept away by our impulses. Shopping at anytime without focus can be detrimental to a budget.

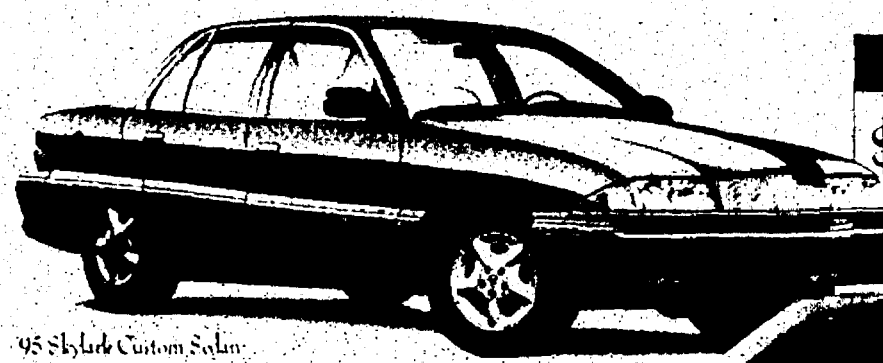
Developing and implementing a budget should be based on the frequency of your income. Record keeping is essential. Once you are comfortable with your new spending habits, recording every dime is not necessary. Remember to plan for special big-ticket items in advance. What about smaller discretionary spending? No one likes to be without pocket change. For that I recommend you put yourself on a personal weekly allowance. We often do this for our children and it's not a bad idea to do it for yourselves. This will prevent over-spending and help control impulse buying.

Remember, budgeting does not have to mean personal punishment or self-denial. A good plan for spending can lead to financial independence and a lifestyle of choices.

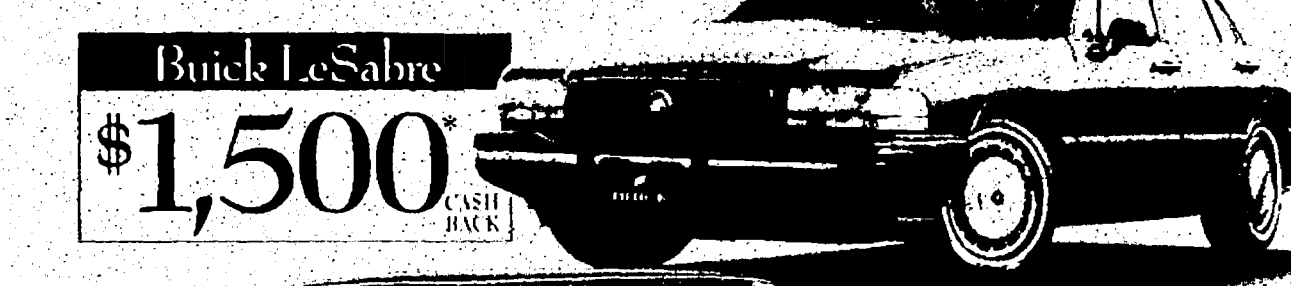
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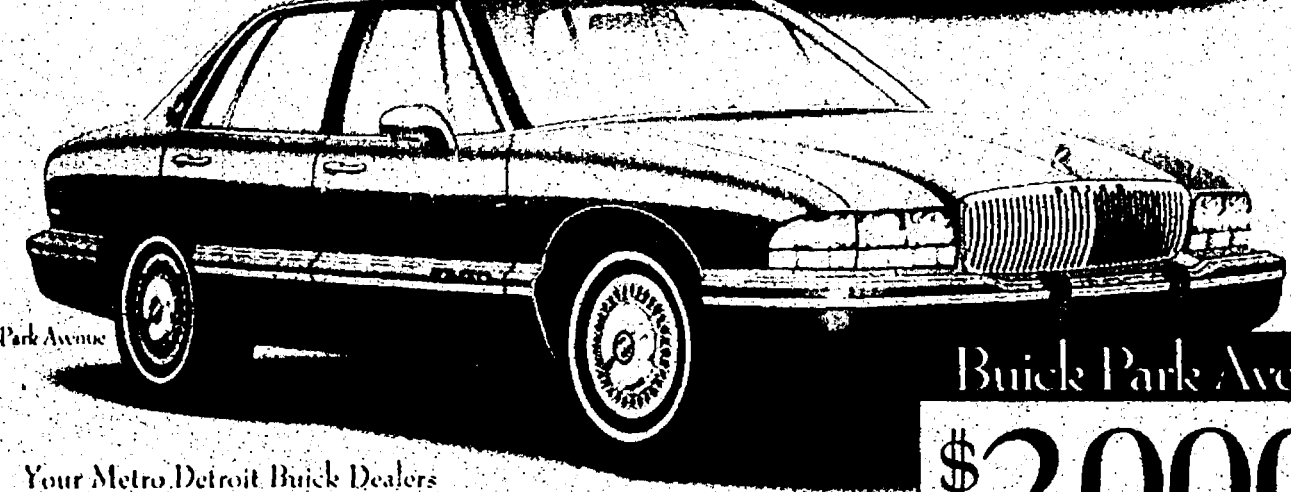
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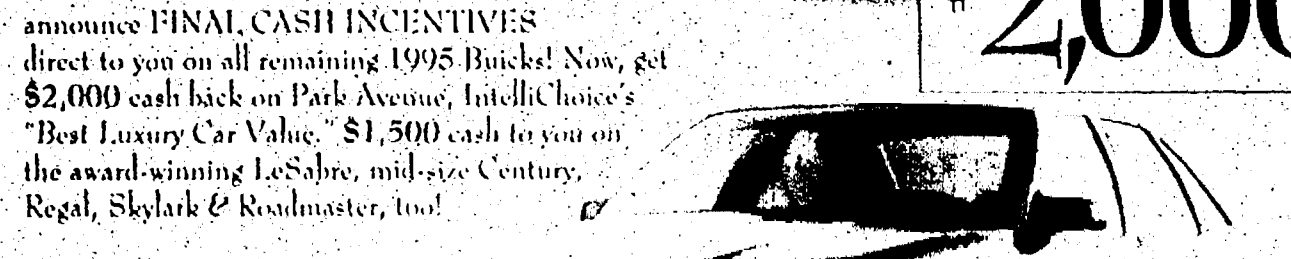
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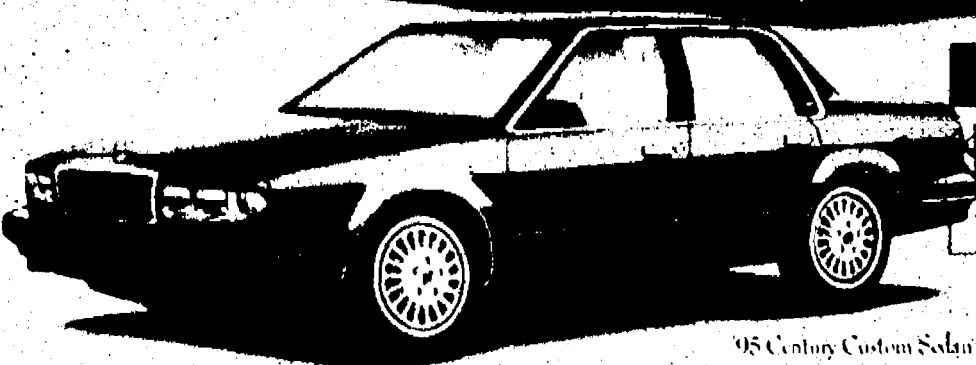
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Supermarket theme spells success for Pet Supplies Plus

BY JILL HALPIN
SPECIAL WRITER

The supermarkets have gone to the dogs and Jack Berry wouldn't have it any other way. Not only do Pet Supplies Plus stores stock the widest variety of pet supplies east of the Mississippi River, they also invite the pets to join their owners on shopping trips.

"We encourage pet owners to bring their pets to the store with them to try on collars or to sample some new biscuits," said Berry.

Cats, dogs, birds, iguanas, monkeys and even boa constrictors are some of the animals that have made an outing to the stores, now located in 14 states.

It was exactly what Berry had in mind when he and partner Harry Shallop founded Pet Supplies Plus in 1988. Now one of the largest pet supplies chains in the country, the company recently opened its 100th store in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., in early October.

The first store, located on heavily-traveled Telegraph Road in Redford Township, occupied 4,000 (now 8,000) square feet of retail space, and helped bring the pet supplies industry into the modern era.

Supermarket background

Utilizing 35 years of experience in the grocery industry, Berry, a former vice president of sales and merchandising with Allied Supermarkets, looked long and hard at the pet supplies industry before

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Jack Berry
Pet Supplies Plus

deciding to make some changes.

"I saw an opportunity and undeveloped potential. The industry just had not been moving," said Berry.

"So I took the pet supplies industry and created a store that I thought would move it into the next decade. I used the concept of the old-fashioned drug store versus the huge fruit markets, the huge electronics store . . . the giant office supply stores," Berry added.

Prior to the founding of Pet Supplies Plus, many pet supplies stores were operated as "mom and pop" shops, Berry said.

His research revealed that consumers were purchasing a majority of their pet supplies through the grocery industry rather than through pet shops. Choices in supplies were limited to the merchandise offered by the local supermarkets, leaving little room for specialty items and offering no choice to those with unique needs.

"My experience was that whenever you needed a dog collar, you went to the grocery store. Whether

it was a poodle or a great Dane, you went to the same place and bought almost the same collar. I always thought that it was customary to poke holes in the collar to make it fit."

Marketing techniques

Things have certainly changed and Pet Supplies Plus has drastically expanded the amount of merchandise now offered to pet owners. All store locations stock dog collars in sizes 12-28. In fact, the company has paired up with a dog collar manufacturer to create a racking and passive reordering system that insures that all stores have every collar available at all times.

"It used to take over a week to put all the collars out. We have worked hard to ensure that we have the right merchandise. With our system of double-tagging, we are able to maintain our selection," said Berry.

Pet supplies weren't always at the business forefront for Berry. After leaving Allied Supermarkets.

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Partners: Jack Berry, one of the founders of Pet Supplies Plus, often brings his dog, Brandy, to work in the company's Livonia headquarters on Amhrein Road.



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FRIDAY, OCT. 13

CPA/BANKER CONFERENCE
The Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants presents its 10th annual CPA/Banker Conference 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the Sheraton Inn, Novi. Registration begins at 8 a.m. Key-note speaker is Justin L. Moran, associate director of corporate finance at Roney & Co., Detroit. Moran will discuss "What is the Future of Banking?" Eleven breakout sessions are planned. Cost is \$125. For more information, call (810) 855-2288.

SATURDAY, OCT. 14

GRANT FUNDING
A workshop called "Effective Grant Funding for Community Non-Profits," sponsored by the Educational Excellence Foundation of Plymouth-Canton Schools, will meet 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Tanger School, on Five Mile west of Haggerty. The \$75 fee includes lunch and drinks. To register, call (313) 420-7010. Kalamazoo County Human Services Department development director David Arley is the presenter.

TUESDAY, OCT. 17

MARKETING SEMINAR
Hirsch & Silberstein P.C., an accounting firm with offices in Farmington Hills, is sponsoring a training seminar for small business owners entitled "Knowledge-Centered Selling... the Marketing Plan of the 21st Century" 2-5 p.m. at the Novi Hilton. Seating is limited to 100 people. Tickets cost \$95 each and are available only through Hirsch & Silberstein, P.C.

TUESDAY, OCT. 17

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES
The Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants presents the Environmental Issues Conference 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the Sheraton Inn, Novi. A morning presentation includes Beth S. Gotthoff, partner in Seyburn, Kahn, Glenn, Bess, Deitch & Serlin in Southfield, and A. Michael Leffler, assistant attorney general in charge of the natural resources division, Michigan Department of Attorney General. Eight afternoon breakout sessions are planned. Cost is \$120. For more information, call (810) 855-2288.

TUESDAY, OCT. 17

RETIREMENT PLANNING
PaineWebber's retirement consultant Gregory R. Wright and investment executive Philip P. Bocketti will discuss retirement planning and lump sum distribution management from 7-9 p.m. in the PaineWebber Livonia office, 19500 Victor Parkway, Suite 325, Livonia. Topics include: preparing for retirement, tax ramifications of retirement, maximizing returns on IRA accounts, pension distributions and lump sum distributions. For reservations, call Tom Grossman at 1-800-852-6228.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 18

ECONOMIC CLUB
The Canton Economic Club presents Ricardo Solomon, chairman of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners, at a noon luncheon at the Summit on the Park Community Center, at the Canton Township Municipal complex, Canton Center Road south of Cherry Hill. Open to all. Cost is \$15 for lunch and program; advance registration required. Call Joan Noricks at 981-3002.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 18

BUSINESS WOMEN MEET
The Dearborn Chapter of the American Business Women Association will meet at 5:30 p.m. in the Hawthorne Valley Golf Club, 7300 N. Merriman, north of Warren Road, Westland. Dr. Lewis A. Jones Jr., assistant professor of radiology at Wayne State University School of Medicine, is the featured speaker. October is "Breast Cancer Awareness Month" and Lewis will offer a slide presentation. For reservations, call Dot Oluski at 421-8798. Social hour at 5:30 p.m.; dinner at 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 18

CONFERENCE
The Employers' Unemployment

Compensation Council presents a conference called "Unemployment Insurance: What's New for 1996" 8:15 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. at the Michigan State University Management Education Center, 811 W. Square Lake Road in Troy. Fee is \$90 for EUCC members, \$125 for others. To register, call Mechelle Conley at (810) 384-7916.

THURSDAY, OCT. 19

SPEAKER
David P. Bostwick, director of corporate market research at Chrysler Corp., will discuss "Innovation Under Pressure" at 6 p.m. at the Southfield Marriott. Bostwick is responsible for consumer market research and product development research at Chrysler's Highland Park headquarters. Dinner is \$25 for members of the sponsoring organization, the Detroit Chapter of the American Marketing Association, or \$30 for guests. Reservations are needed and may be made by calling (810) 253-1990.

THURSDAY, OCT. 19

TECHNICAL MEETING
The Detroit Chapter of the Institute of Management Accountants presents "Benchmarking through the Continuous Improvement Center of the IMA" in the Livonia Marriott, on Six Mile, just east of I-275. Social hour at 6 p.m. For reservations, call Mary Newland at (313) 522-6711.

SATURDAY, OCT. 21

ESTATE PLANNING
PaineWebber Inc. sponsors a free estate planning seminar 10 a.m. to noon in the PaineWebber Conference Center, 19500 Victor Parkway, Suite 325, Livonia. Retirement consultant Gregory R. Wright, investment executive Philip P. Bocketti and a local attorney will be the featured speakers. Topics will include: the living trust and its advantages, the

problems with probate, how to set up a living trust, arranging assets to save income and sensible allocation of retirement assets. For reservations, call Tom Grossman at 1-800-852-6228.

TUESDAY, OCT. 24

ADAMANY TO SPEAK
David Adamany, president of Wayne State University, will be the featured speaker at the Women's Economic Club at noon in the Westin Hotel, Mackinac Ballroom, Detroit Renaissance Center. His topic is: "The Impact of Higher Education on the Future Economy." Reservations are available to the public at \$35, \$20 for members. For information and/or reservations, call (313) 963-5088.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25

ESTATE PLANNING
PaineWebber Inc. will sponsor a free seminar 7-9 p.m. in the PaineWebber Conference Center, 19500 Victor Parkway, Suite 325, Livonia. Retirement planning consultant Gregory R. Wright, investment executive Philip P. Bocketti and a local attorney will speak. Topics include: the living trust and its advantages, the problems with probate, how to set up a living trust, arranging assets to save income, sensible allocation of retirement assets.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, OCT. 26-27

BUILDING
A national conference on "Project Delivery Systems" occurs at the Sheraton Oaks Hotel in Novi. The conference will focus on strategies available to both public and private owners for the successful completion of a construction project. Panelists will discuss the advantages and disadvantages of various project delivery systems and other issues pertinent to the building con-

struction industry. Attendees will learn firsthand from contractors, architects, and public and private owners their perspectives on lump-sum contracting, construction management, design-build, program management, partnering, total quality management and more. The conference format allows attendees to participate in open discussions with each of the panelists. For registration information or details on the conference, contact Dick Brunvand at (617) 371-1550.

THURSDAY, OCT. 26

CAREER DRESSING
The Garden City Business and Professional Women's Organization is joining with Jacobson's to present a career dressing seminar at 6 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 26, at the retailer's Laurel Park Place store, Six Mile and Newburgh roads, Livonia.

With the changes taking place in the workplace, women need to dress themselves in a manner that enhances their productivity and yet reflects a professional attitude. The seminar will provide working women with ideas for dressing for the '90s. Tickets for the seminar cost \$15 each and are available by calling (313) 422-7030 before Tuesday, Oct. 24.

THURSDAY, OCT. 26

ESTATE PLANNING
Madonna University will host an estate planning strategies workshop 7:30-9 p.m. Presenters Jeff Hyman and John Turcotte, registered representatives of CGNA Financial Advisors Inc., will discuss the following topics: financial security — your No. 1 priority, solving the most common estate tax traps, using gifts to transfer assets through a will, strategies to save both income and estate taxes, second family estate planning and funding estate taxes in advance. The workshop is free but seating is limited. For reservations, call Sister M. Danatha, executive director of development, (313) 591-5123.

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(Wrigley/Great Scott), Berry worked for Hamady Supermarkets in Flint before starting his own ad agency specializing in coupon inserts of local food brokers. He moved to Mendelson Egg Co. as president and part-owner, servicing 200 supermarkets and 300 restaurants before selling the company in 1988.

Berry was looking for a new opportunity when a discussion with a friend, Harry Shallop, turned to the pet supply industry.

"I was looking for something to get into as an entrepreneur. At the time, Harry owned a business importing rawhide bones. Harry had traveled all over the country and had observed that most of the pet supplies stores were run on a small scale. At the time I didn't have anything to do, so I visited about 25 pet stores and observed," Berry said.

What Berry didn't find were

stores designed for customer convenience, something that he and Shallop kept in mind when they decided to open the first store in 1988, incorporating supermarket merchandising techniques into a pet supplies store.

"Most pet supplies companies were still displaying items in ways that were easy for the supplier, but more difficult for the customer who wants to run in and out without looking all over the store," he said.

Supermarket style

Most items were still grouped by the manufacturer. Pet Supplies Plus groups items together by theme, in supermarket style.

"It allows the customer to shop the aisles of interest," Berry said.

Many of Berry's other observations, also based on customer convenience, are not cornerstones of Pet Supplies Plus - wide aisles,

higher ceilings, three check-out lanes located at the front of the store and shopping carts.

The first Pets Supplies Plus store opened in June 1988 with approximately 14 full- and part-time employees, including Berry's wife, Jeanette, and daughter, Jill. It was an instant success, Berry said.

"I wasn't that surprised, based on the work that I had done. I had wanted to pick an area that was heavily populated and located on a major artery - you can't get much busier than Telegraph. I also wanted a site that offered convenient parking, especially for those loading heavy dog food bags into their cars," he said.

The store was so successful that when Berry approached Birmingham attorney Harvey Solway for information on franchising out of the state, Solway left his legal practice and ended up joining the

company himself.

A matter of timing?

The success of the stores may also be a matter of timing and consumer consciousness. Not only have consumers become more aware of their own health, they have also become aware of the health of their animals.

"People used to feed table scraps and leftovers to their pets. Their health consciousness about their own bodies translated to their pets," he said.

Berry's own pet, a golden retriever named Brandy, often accompanies his owner to work in the company's Livonia headquarters on Amrhein Road.

The chain has also made a commitment to animals, sponsoring and actively participating in a number of events for animals. Last August's Animal Care Fair, held annually, raised \$87,000 for the Michigan Humane Society.

BUSINESS PEOPLE

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 residence and employment and a black-and-white photo, if desired, to: Stars, Observer Business Page, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, ATTN: Business Editor. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.



Hubbard

David M. Hubbard, a CPA from Canton Township, has been promoted to tax associate at Plante & Moran, LLP, in Southfield.

Hubbard joined the firm as an auditor in 1990. In 1993, he transferred to the tax department. Hubbard is based in the firm's Southfield office and specializes in manufacturing.

He received a bachelor's degree in accounting from the University of Michigan. He is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants.

Jeff Brazin has been promoted to account executive at Stone, August, Baker & Company. The announcement was made by agency executive vice president Kelly Neill.

Brazin, a Livonia resident, had been an assistant account executive. He joined Stone, August, Baker in June 1994 and has worked on the Autoworks account. A graduate of Ferris State University, Brazin earned a bachelor's degree in advertising and an associate's degree in graphic design.

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tions, public relations, special events and promotions, and direct marketing services.

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Fazlur M. Rahaman, a local representative in the Garden City office of American General Life and Accident Insurance Co., has retired from the firm following a 23-year career.

Rahaman began his career with the company as a sales representative at the Detroit Central district office in 1964. He has earned numerous company sales and service honors.

American General Life and Accident Insurance Co. is a major subsidiary of American General Corp., Houston.

Donald E. Yerks, a former Livonia resident and graduate of Franklin High School, has been appointed to the Ohio Rail Development Commission by Ohio Gov. George V. Voinovich. The commission's mission is to preserve existing rail infrastructure by promoting the maximum utilization of rail capacity and the strategic investment of public funds to retain, preserve, maintain and develop Ohio's rail corridor assets.

Voinovich cited Yerks' extensive experience with the railroad industry in his past positions at Consolidated Rail Corp. (Conrail). Railroads and trains have also been a lifelong hobby for Yerks.

He is the son of Don and Joyce Yerks of Livonia.

Art Judson of Cambridge Underwriters Ltd. in Livonia has been named to the Commercial Lines Committee of the Michigan Association of Insurance Agents.

As a committee member, Judson will be responsible for providing assistance and guidance about insurance coverage and market availability.

Career women to hold conference in Plymouth

"Woman to Woman" is the theme of the National Association of Career Women Conference, to be held Friday through Sunday, Oct. 20-22, in the historic Mayflower Hotel, Plymouth.

Keynote speaker Leslie Smith has appeared on national and cable television, and currently writes the "Networking" column for Executive Female magazine, the award-winning publication of the National Association of Female Executives.

Other speakers include Pam Allison, Sue Dahlman, Jean Hall,

Ruth Holmes, Judy McQueen and Peg Perry-Roberts.

In addition, a personal defense demonstration will be presented on Saturday morning by Suzanne Ruthkowiak and Christian Malgeri.

Cost of the conference is \$125, which includes all seminars, workshops, meals and a trade show. Room reservations are to be made separately. An optional Friday morning golf outing is also available for an additional \$32. For further information, call (810) 268-7770.

Teleconference planned here for tax professionals

Robert C. Carris, the Edward D. Jones & Co. investment representative in Livonia, will host an interactive teleconference for tax professionals Wednesday, Oct. 18. The program, "Entity Selection: What's Right for Your Client?," is eligible for two hours of continuing professional education credit for accountants.

Discussion topics include: possible entities to use; advantages and disadvantages of each entity; an in-depth look at LLCs; classification of LLCs as partnerships or corporations; comparison of S corporations and LLCs; proposed S corporation changes; effects of poor entity selection on estate planning and more.

Speakers include Julie A. Welch, CPA, Gerald J. Zafft, attorney, and Lawrence Brody, at-

torney. Welch is director of taxation at Meara, King & Co., a Kansas City, Mo., accounting firm.

Zafft is a principal in the St. Louis law firm of Blumenfeld, Kaplan & Sandweiss, PC. Brody is a partner with Bryan Cave, an international law firm based in St. Louis.

"This broadcast is the third in our 1995 continuing education series for accounting and legal professionals," Carris said. "These seminars help promote working relationships that help all of us better serve our clients."

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GM retiree, business manager are named to Madonna board

Appointed for three-year terms to Madonna University's board of trustees are Edward Czapor, retired vice president of Quality and Reliability, General Motors Corporation, and Sister Mary Alfonsa van Overbergh, CSSR, business manager, Ladywood High School.

Czapor, a resident of Bloomfield Hills since 1981, spent 44 years with GM, rising through the ranks from engineering to sales to management. He retired in 1991. A native of Pittsburgh, Czapor earned a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering from the University of Pittsburgh. He was honored as Engineer of the Year by the University of Pittsburgh in 1982.

Among his community involvements, he was active with the Boy Scouts of America, Detroit Council; the University of Pittsburgh, Engineering Board of Visitors; University of Detroit Mercy Mission Effectiveness committee and with the Orchard Lake Schools board of regents where he accepted a one-year (1994-95) voluntary position as business manager for Orchard Lake Schools.

Sister Mary Alfonsa is a graduate of Madonna College and the Catholic University of America. She has taught in elementary schools in Detroit, Livonia, Orchard Lake, Flint, Bay City, and was principal of elementary schools for 11 years.

A member of the Felician Sisters Corporate Board from 1982 to



Edward Czapor



Sister Alfonsa

1992, Sister Alfonsa also served as a Madonna trustee and St. Mary Hospital trustee.

Renewing their board membership for another three-year term are James Bonadeo, chairman, Bonadeo Builders, Plymouth; William Connor, president/CEO, Norquick Distributing Co., Livonia; and Lawrence Wisne, president, Progressive Tool & Industries Company, Southfield.

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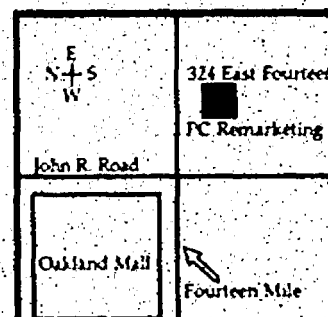
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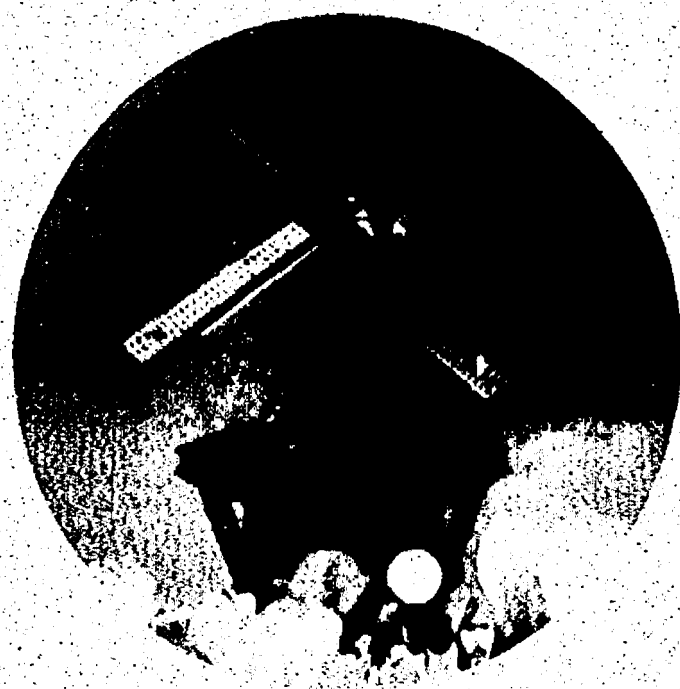
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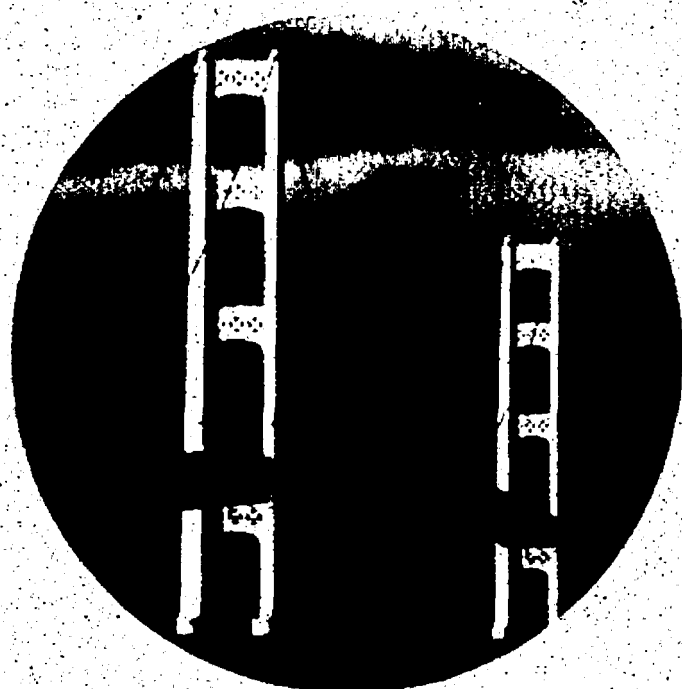
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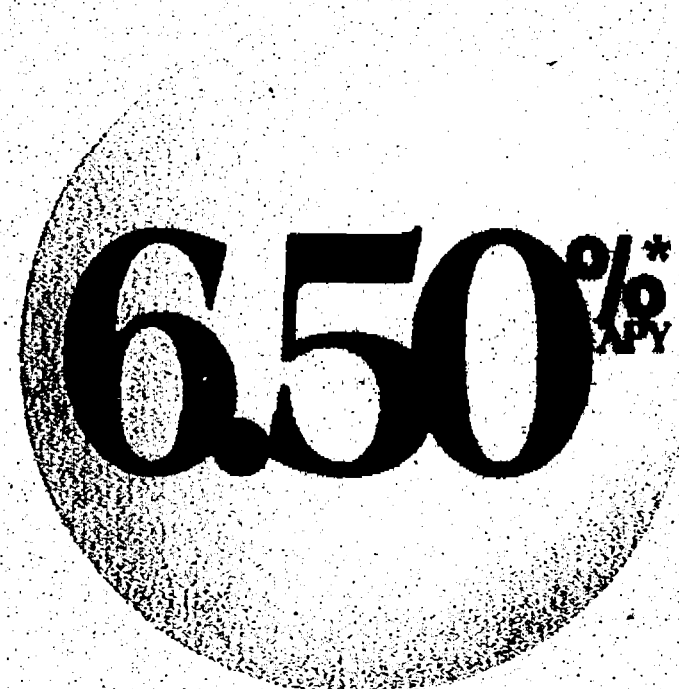
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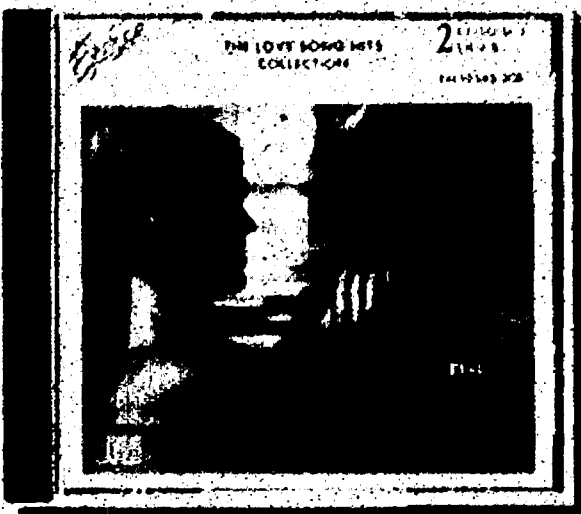
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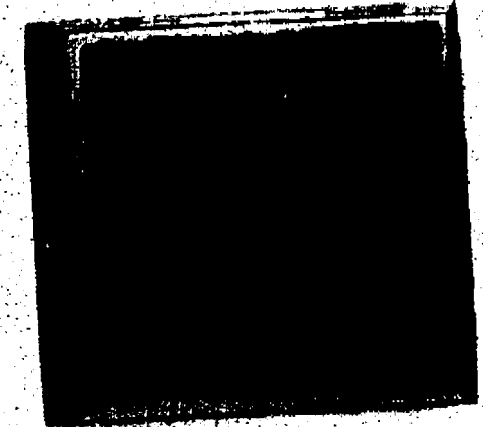
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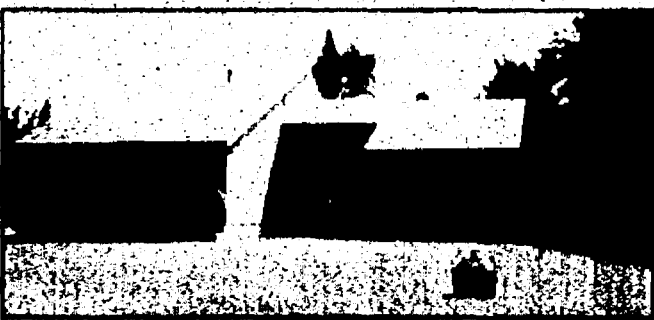
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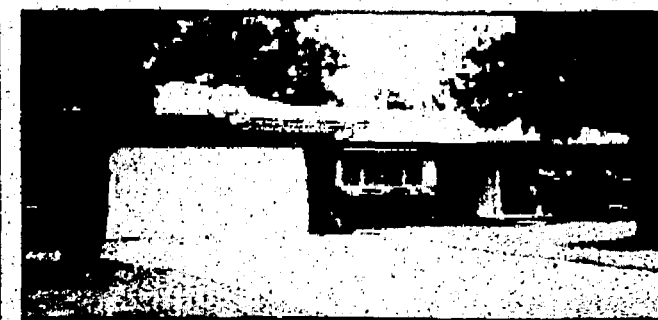
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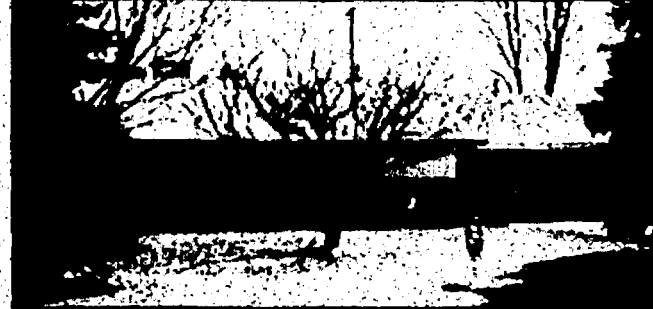
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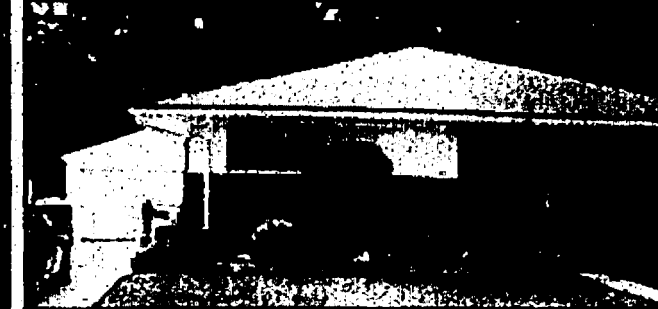
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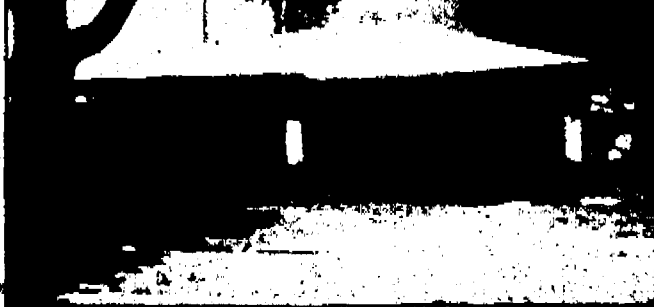
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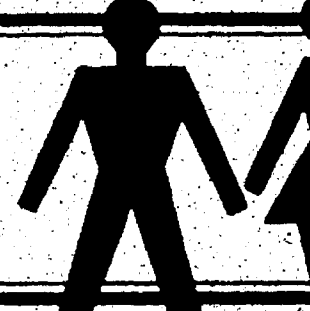
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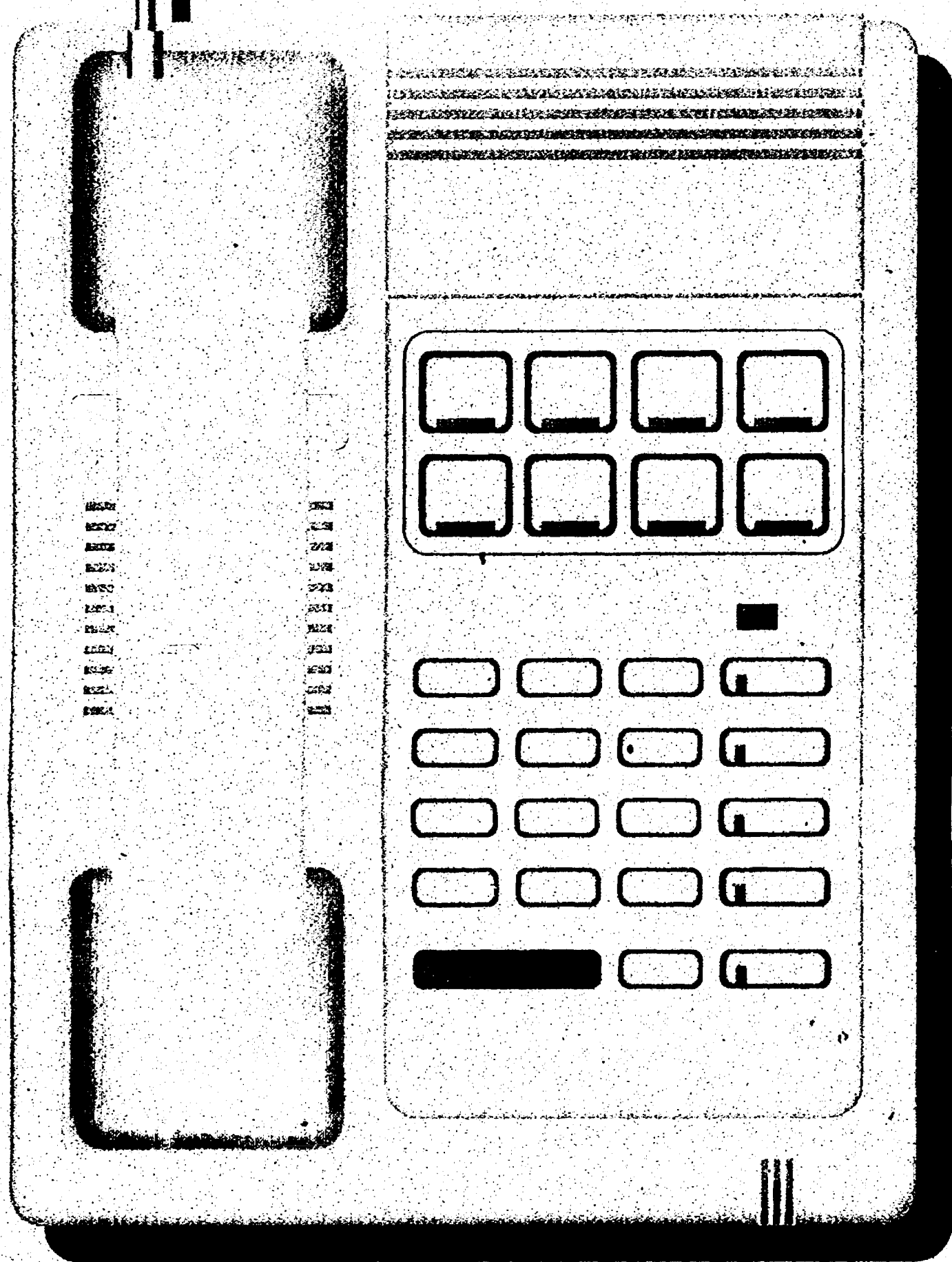
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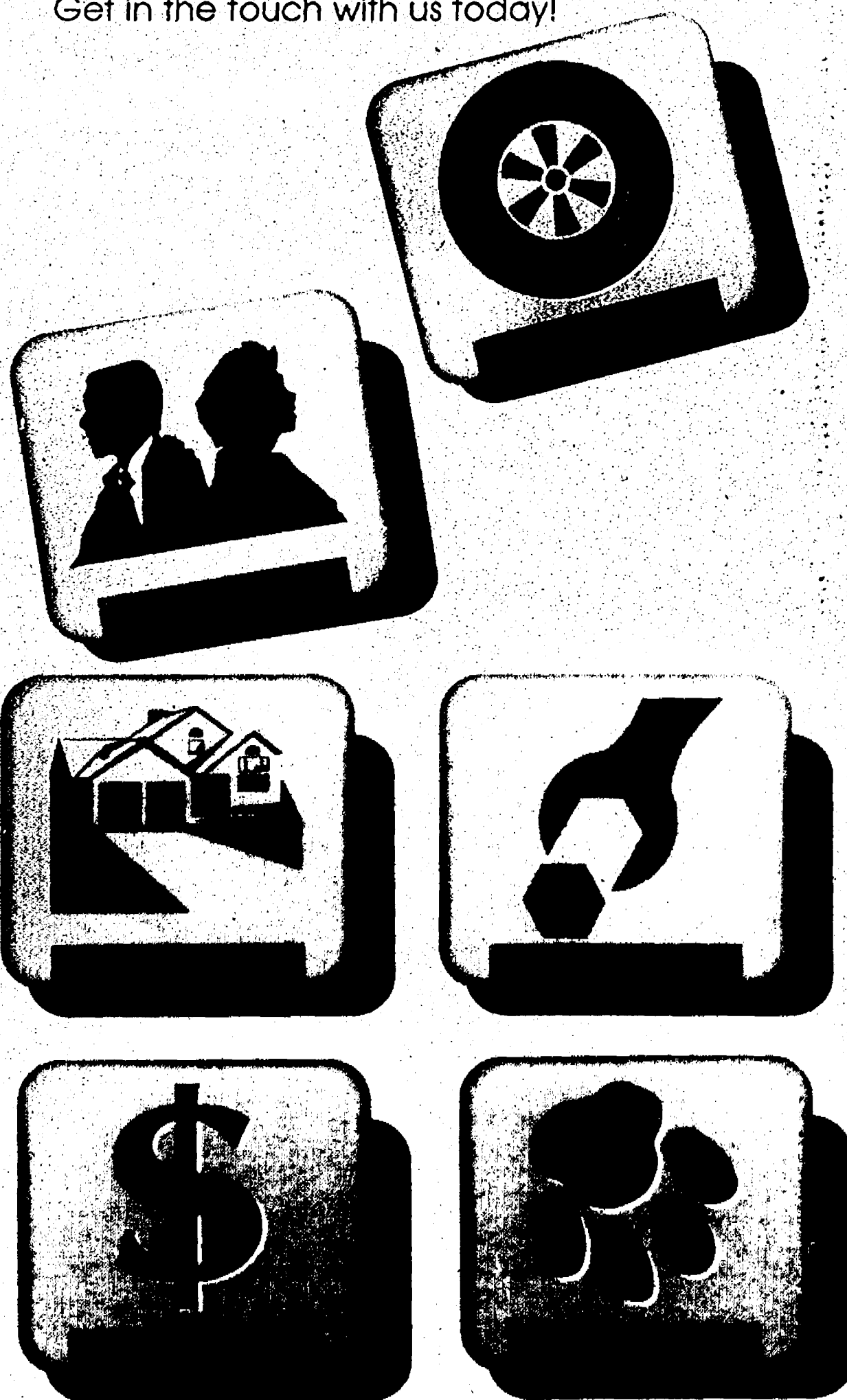
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CHILD CARE NEEDED in my Boomtown...
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540 Elderly Care & Assistance
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ALL AREAS-ALL SHIFTS CAREGIVERS...
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560 Educational Instruction
TRI COUNTY TUTORING
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570 Attorney/Legal Counseling
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638 Tickets
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538 Childcare Needed
ACTIVE BABYSITTER for 2 boys...
ACTIVE BABYSITTER for 2 boys...
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538 Childcare Needed
LIVE IN NANNY for 2 school aged...
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540 Elderly Care & Assistance
MATURE EXPERIENCED caring...
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542 Nursing Care/Homes
Full and part time positions available...
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Full and part time positions available...

570 Attorney/Legal Counseling
AFFORDABLE PAYMENT PLANS
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574 Business Oppt. (See Class 590)
BOOKSTORE - mystery specialty...
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600 Personal
DISCOVER THE magic of candle...
DISCOVER THE magic of candle...
DISCOVER THE magic of candle...

623 Adoptions
ADOPTION - caring couple seeking...
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640 Transportation/Travel
SAN FRANCISCO package...
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538 Childcare Needed
CHILD CARE needed in my Boomtown...
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NANNY - Mature, reliable...
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540 Elderly Care & Assistance
THE SENIOR SERVICE LINK...
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542 Nursing Care/Homes
Full and part time positions available...
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570 Attorney/Legal Counseling
UNEMPLOYMENT DISABILITY...
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574 Business Oppt. (See Class 590)
BUSY S.W. LIVONIA SALON...
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600 Personal
PARTICIPATE in a research study...
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623 Adoptions
LOST: SMALL Cat, Calico (Hamil)...
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049 Cleaning Service
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091 Garages
GARAGE DOORS & OPENERS
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104 Heating/Cooling
Furnace Cleaned/CHECKED
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123 Lawn, Garden/Maint/Service
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146 Piano Tuning/Repair/Refinishing
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176 Sewing Machine/Repair
ANY BRAND TUNED UP
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006 Aluminum Siding
VINYL & ALUM. SIDING GUARANTEED
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029 Brick, Block & Cement
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031 Building/Remodeling
MORRIS CEMENT
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052 Clock Repair
CLOCK REPAIR ALL VARIETIES
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060 Decks/Patios/Sunrooms
A BEAUTIFUL CEDAR or mahogany deck
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092 Garage Door Repair
GARAGE DOOR RUST CUT OFF
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108 Housecleaning
CLEANING LADY
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131 Machine Shop
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181 Snow Removal
COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL
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008 Appliance Service
7 AMERICAN APPLIANCE
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031 Building/Remodeling
VENTO Masonry & Cement Co.
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040 Cabinetry/Formica
GRANT'S CABINETS/COUNTER TOPS
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069 Drywall
DRYWALL FINISHING & Repair
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095 Glass, Block, Structural, etc.
LIVONIA GLASS BLOCK
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108 Housecleaning
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131 Machine Shop
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148 Plumbing
ALL PLUMBING & HOME REPAIR
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184 Sprinkler Systems
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011 Asphalt/Blacktopping
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INDEPENDENT MOVING
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ALL TIME MOVING
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<p>700 Absolutely Free</p> <p>ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLE AUCTION Sun. Oct. 15, 1pm Preview 11 AM Finnish Center - Farmington Hills 35200 8 Mile Rd. between Newburgh & Farmington Rd. Furniture to include: mission style desk, glass shelf, stool, material style 3 piece bedroom set, wash bed, many chests (several are 14" deep), table, gaming table, primitive cupboard, (see found) oak hanging cupboard, trunk, bench, glass & pottery to include: Westmoreland, Fenon, Duncan Miller, Candelis, Bhanu, etc. MacCoy, Russell, Wight, Royal Ruby, R.B. Prussia, Flo Blue, Blue glass lamp, brass, sheet music & lots more including book lots. Terms: Cash/Check with approval ID. WESTSIDE AUCTIONS 313 (313) 722-5577</p>	<p>702 Antiques/Collectibles</p> <p>ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES Associated area and pairs. China cabinet & misc. 810-335-0024</p> <p>★ ARMOIRES, pie cabinet, other furniture, glassware. 30024 Dawson, Oakland City, E. of Merriman, N. of Ford, Sat. Sun. 9-5pm</p> <p>ART DECO gas stove, circa 1955. All white with 7 burners, oven, broiler & storage bins. \$400 best 313-207-0451</p> <p>ATTENTION DEALERS, Purchase antique jewelry wholesale if you are one of the few who does not use Prestige Gems as your main source, it's time to check us out. We purchase large amounts of antique jewelry from all time periods. Here & established dealers welcomed. Prestige Gems, (810)227-1529</p>	<p>702 Antiques/Collectibles</p> <p>2 Huge Estate Sales See Everything Goes ad Section 710, today's paper</p> <p>HUMMEL SCHOOLBOYS GIRLS 9-1/2", old markings, must see. Best offer, 810-778-5270</p> <p>IONIA ANTIQUE & Collectible Market, Sun. Oct. 22, Ionia Fairgrounds, South M-66, Ionia, MI, 8am-4:30pm. Admission \$2.00, rain or shine.</p>	<p>702 Antiques/Collectibles</p> <p>LOVEJOY'S ANTIQUES 720 E. 11 Mile Rd., Royal Oak. Large selection antique lighting including brass ceiling fixtures, leaded panel and RVPid table lamps. Victorian Walnut, Turn-of-the-Century Oak, and early 20th Century Mahogany Furniture. Rockwood, Roseville, Perovick, McCoy, Walker pottery. Lots of gold and sterling antique jewelry. Tues-Fri. 10-6, Sat & Sun. 10-5pm. 810-545-9080 MC, VISA, Layaway</p> <p>MARSHALL ANTIQUES MARKET Oct. 14th Sat. 8am-5pm Carroun County Fairgrounds, Marshall, Michigan (I-94 & I-69) Admission \$4 - Free Parking 810-789-6990 800-977-8183</p>	<p>702 Antiques/Collectibles</p> <p>POLITICAL COLLECTION for sale! Badges, posters, pictures, campaign management materials. Over 200 items. (313) 422-3508</p> <p>SANDERS ANTIQUES & AUCTION GALLERY 35118 MICHIGAN AVE. WAYNE, MI. 23,000 sq. ft. Buy, Sell & Trade. Open 10-6 daily. 313-721-3029</p> <p>SELLING YOUR ANTIQUES? History Hill Antiques can sell your valuable pieces for you. Let our reputation for quality and high traffic show rooms go to work for you. We'll get the most for you. Call for a free appt. Daily 10-6 810-477-6830</p>	<p>702 Antiques/Collectibles</p> <p>WAR SOUVENIRS WANTED, paying top price. Call Bob: (313) 591-1227</p> <p>WOOL DOUBLE Japur India rug, very ornate, black background, crimson laque cream accents. Must see \$3,450. Leave message (810) 870-2236</p>	<p>704 Arts & Crafts</p> <p>CRAFTERS - don't wait for your 50% Holiday discount. Closing out all craft items now until Feb 28. Value Center 20428 Plymouth, W. of Evergreen.</p> <p>★ CRAFTERS NEEDED Wassag School workshop. Sat. Dec. 2, 8am to 4pm. Information 810-680-9193.</p> <p>CRAFTERS WANTED, St. Valentine's 4th Annual Holiday Craft Show, Sat. Nov. 18. (313) 255-6825</p>	<p>704 Arts & Crafts</p> <p>ANNUAL CRAFT SALE Lyonia Elk Nov. 3 & 4 Application & info: 313-261-1698</p> <p>ASSORTED MAT BOARD - odd sizes. Good for teachers/artists. (810) 682-0962</p>	<p>706 Auction Sales</p> <p>CARPENTER REAL ESTATE & COUNTRY AUCTION 3 Bedroom Home on 17 acres. Antiques - Cub Tractor - John Deere Riding Mower - Household - Shop Tools We will have a public auction at 11153 Boyce Rd., Chelsea, MI. Take 4500 & miles north of Chelsea to Boyce Rd. west 1/2 mile SUN. OCT. 15 AT 12 NOON Owner: Vera Carpenter Braun & Heimer Auction Service Lloyd Braun Ann Arbor (313) 965-9648 (313) 994-8307 CLASSIFIEDS WORK Call 313-591-0900</p>
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Salute your Veteran on Veteran's Day!

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Deadline: Thursday, November 2, 1995

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Cost: \$2.25 per line, 3 line minimum

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Place Your Special Message in the November 9th Paper to Your Favorite Veteran.

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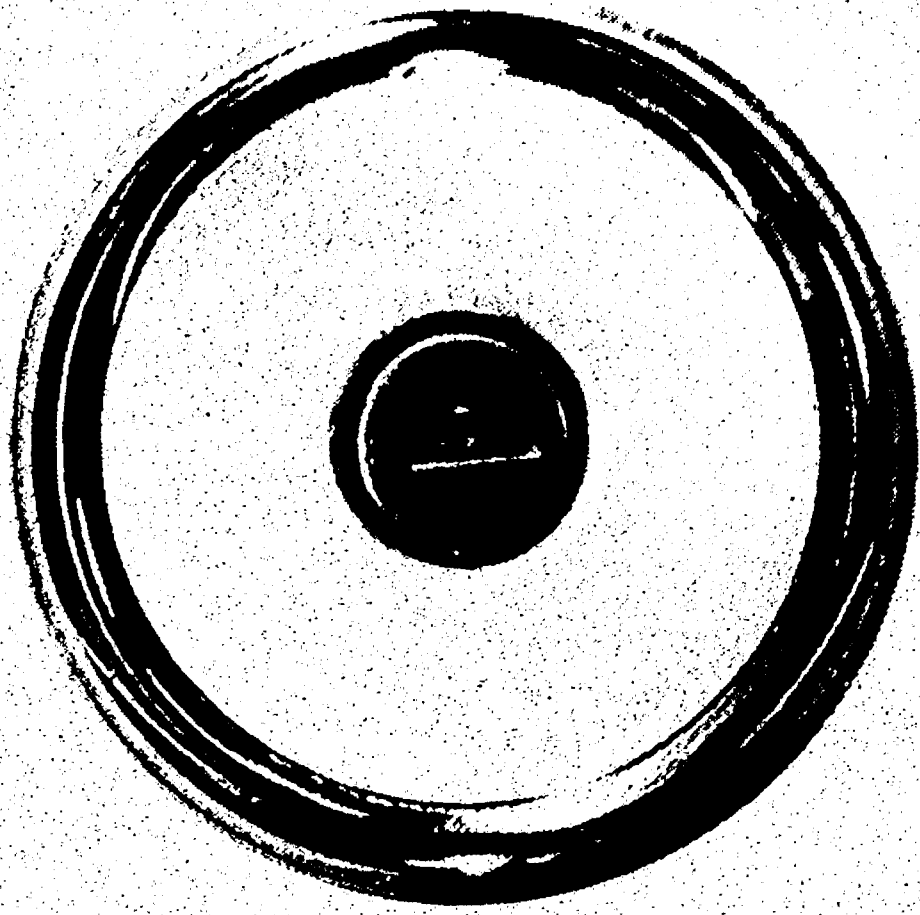
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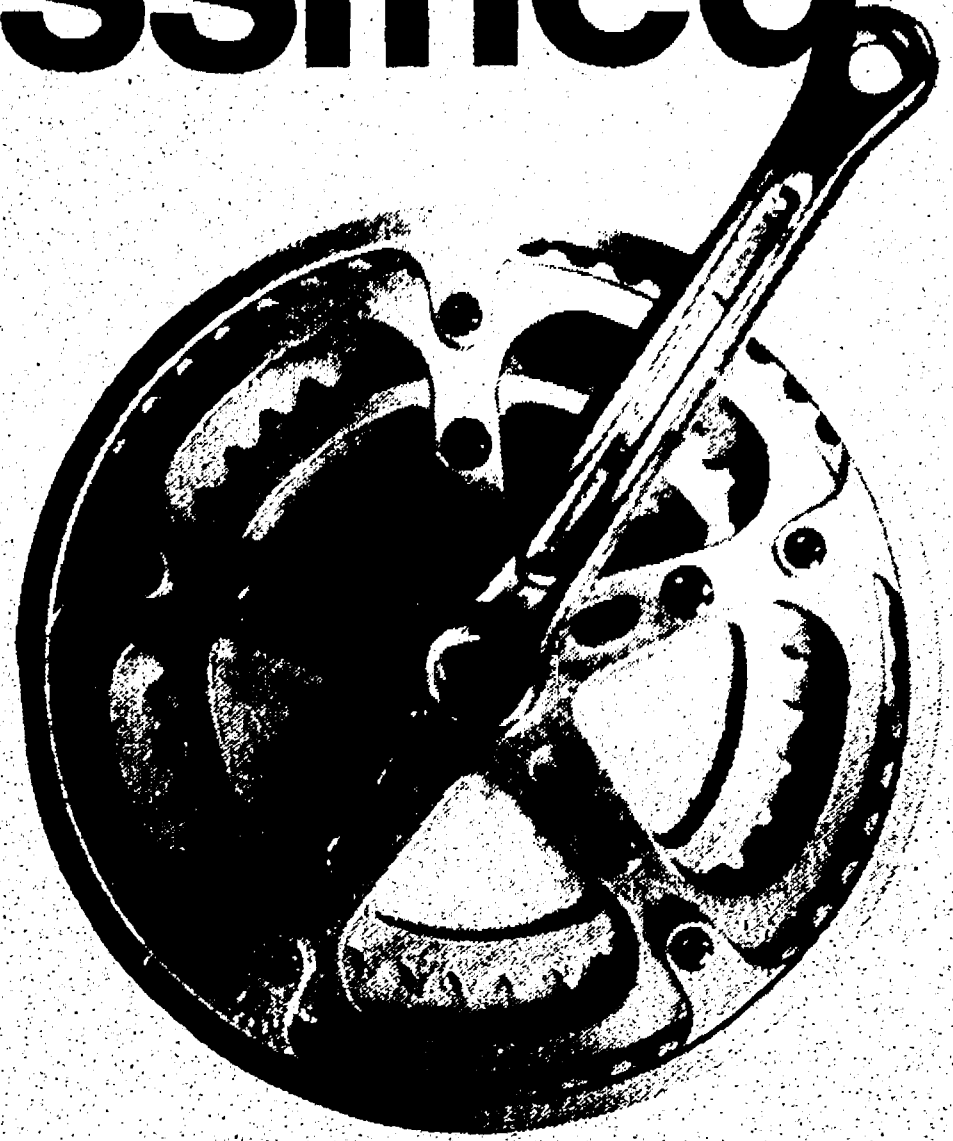
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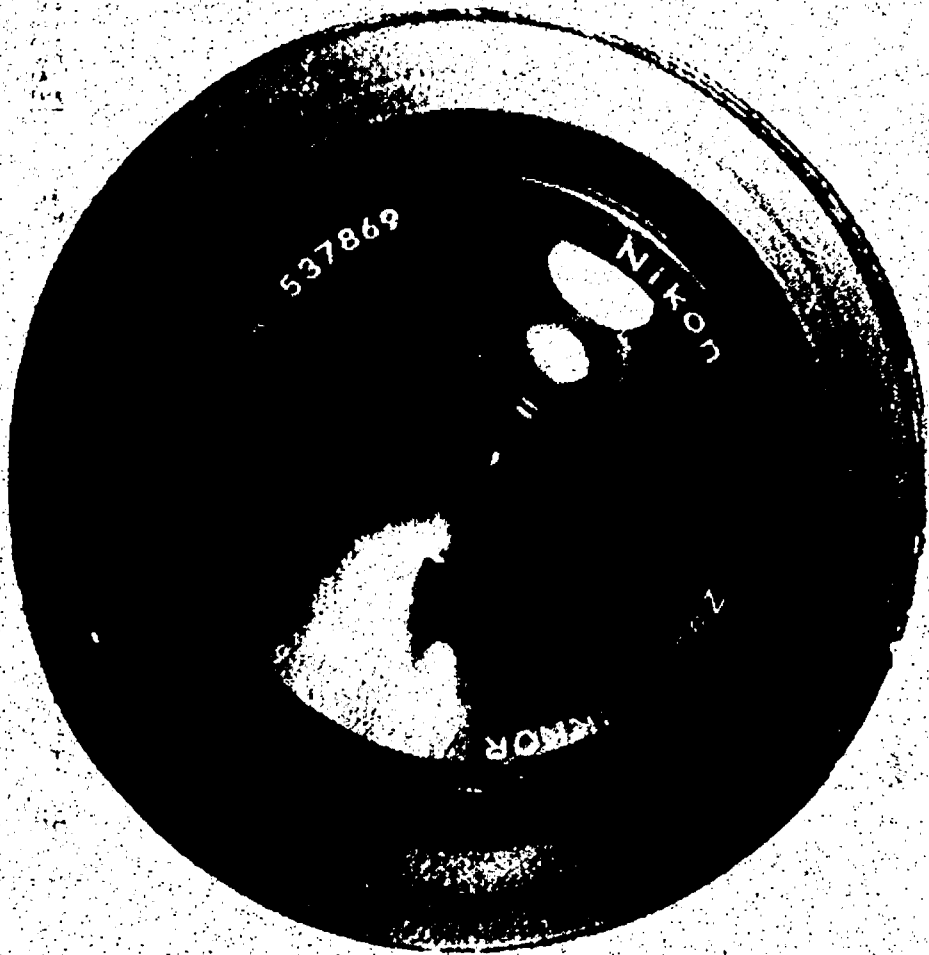


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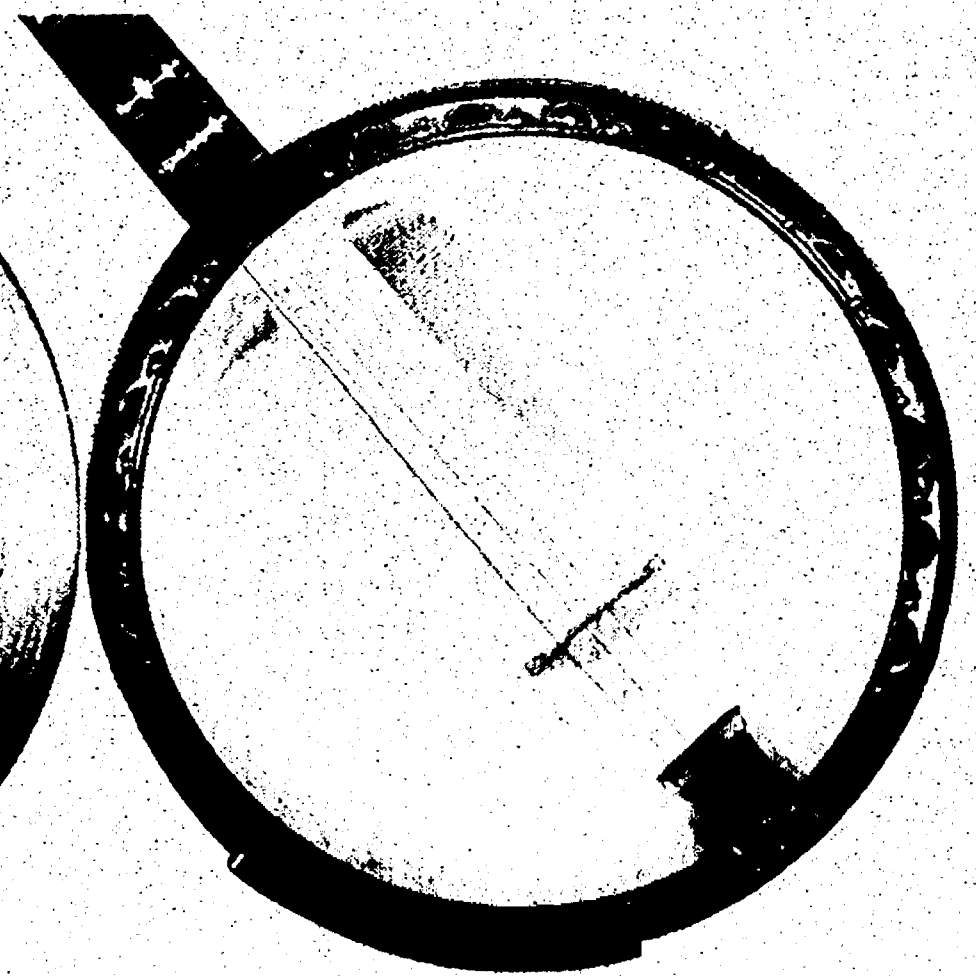
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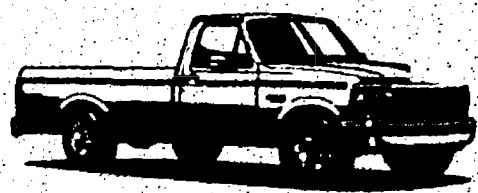
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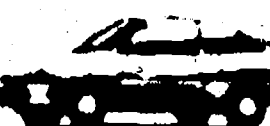
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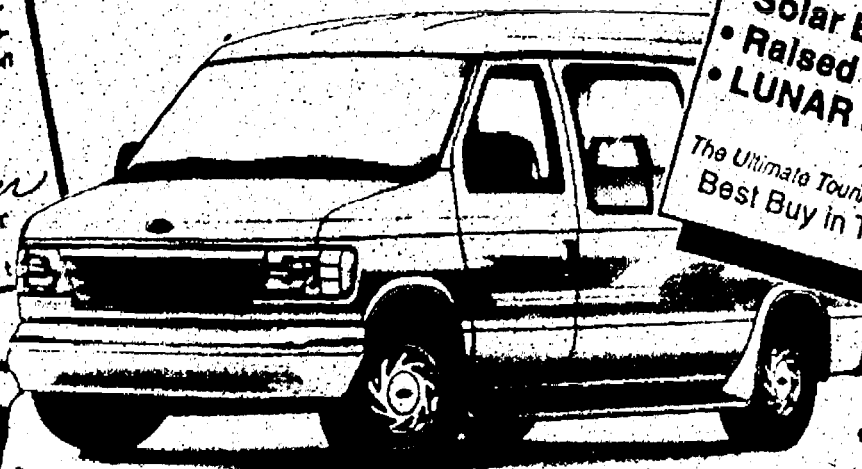
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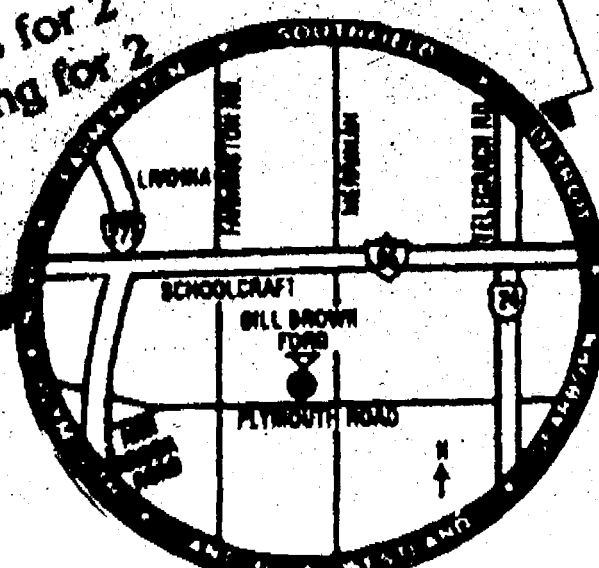
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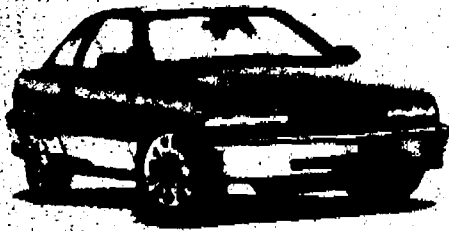
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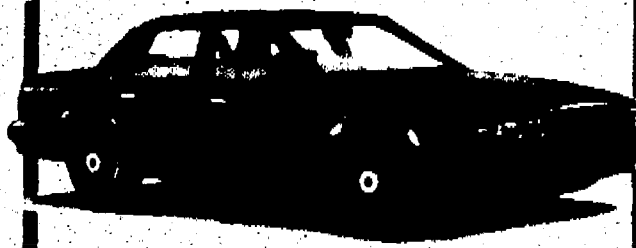
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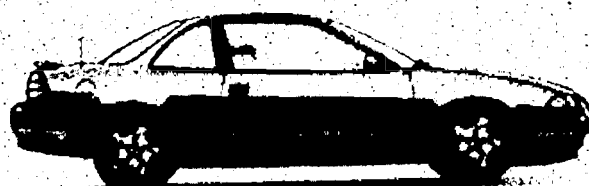


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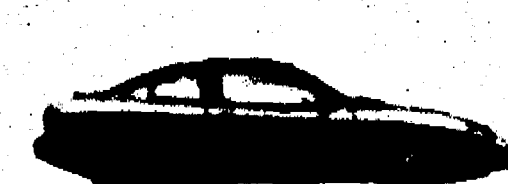


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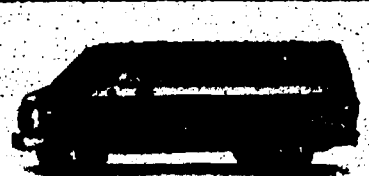
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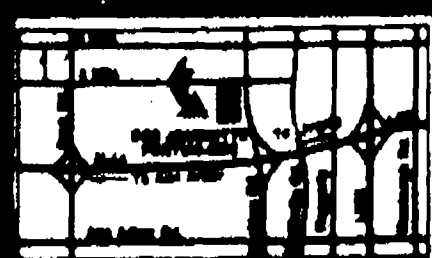
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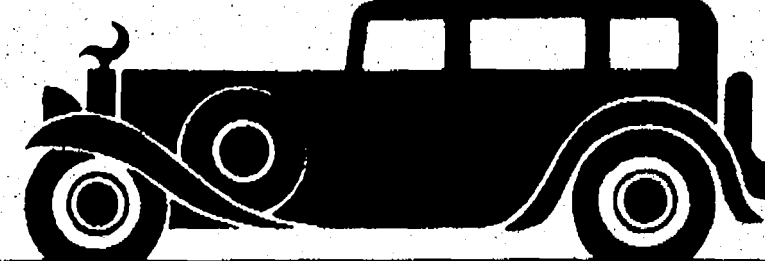
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