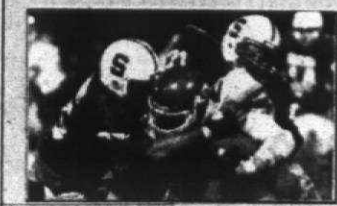


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## The Canton Connection

### Bullseye

Canton police officers will be carrying 9mm automatic guns to replace their .357 Magnums if all goes well with budget requests by John Santomauro, Canton public safety director.

"In recent years, criminals have acquired greater fire power and weaponry," a police department report said. "This acquisition of greater fire power and weaponry has taken place throughout the United States. Suburban, rural and urban areas have all experienced this extremely dangerous scenario on a national level."

### Historical tour

For the first time, residents will be able to look into the past during a Canton home tour.

A tour of country houses is scheduled 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 17. The event is sponsored by the Canton Historical Society.

The tour begins at the Canton Historical Society Museum, 1150 Canton Center just south of Cherry Hill.

The five houses on the tour will display antiques, quilts, collections and artifacts.

Tickets are \$7 and may be bought in advance at the museum. The museum is open from 1-3 p.m. Tuesdays and Saturdays. Tickets also will be available at the door. Money will go to preserve the museum.

### A wiz

Feel free to call Nicolle Gauvin a Munchkin. She won't mind a bit.

The 9-year-old, daughter of Daniel and Vicki Gauvin of Canton, has earned a role as a Munchkin in an upcoming performance of "The Wizard of Oz."

The play will be performed in December at the Marquis Theater in Northville.

Nicolle, along with 100 others, auditioned for parts in the play. She recently won the National Showstopper competition in Myrtle Beach, S.C., in July.

### Fee for tee time

Golfers interested in participating in the Canton Chamber of Commerce golf outing have until Monday, Sept. 12, to pay their registration fees.

The scramble golf outing is scheduled for Wednesday, Sept. 21. The shotgun start begins at 8:30 a.m. at Fellows Creek Golf Course.

Trophies, free refreshments and a hot buffet lunch are included with the registration. The cost is \$220 for a foursome.

Non-duffers can sponsor a hole for \$50 and a lunch-only plan carries a \$15 price tag.

For more information about the golf outing, call 453-4040.

### Stepping out

Students enrolled in the Steppingstone Center for the Potentially Gifted will have to travel a little bit more for their education.

The center has moved from its Northville Township site, just north of the Plymouth area, to a new home in Farmington Hills.

"We have been anticipating expansion, and this move will help us accomplish our goals," said Kiyu Morse, director of the center. "Although our school has a new address, its location is still convenient for area families."

The new site is at the Mercy Center Building, 38500 11 Mile.

A car pool pickup/dropoff center has been established in Plymouth. For more information about carpooling, call Jeanne DeRoche, 453-4343.

Three full-time teachers handle the elementary educational duties at the center. For more information, call 459-7240.

## Friend says teen admitted to murder

By M.B. Dillon  
staff writer

On the fourth and fifth days of testimony in the trial of Christopher Machacek, accused of murdering Mary Hulbert, 13, of Canton Township, juvenile friends and relatives of the Ypsilanti Township teen told of the circumstances and events of Dec. 30, 1986 — the day Hulbert disappeared, and the months that followed.

Tina Beauchamp, a 16-year-old who met Machacek while both were housed in the Washtenaw Juvenile Detention Center, testified that Machacek admitted killing Mary Anne Hulbert, 13, of Canton Township.

Machacek, 18, is being tried as an adult on open murder charges in the shooting death of the Stevenson Junior High School seventh grader.

Machacek and Steven Stamper, also of Ypsilanti Township, are co-defendants being tried separately by Washtenaw Circuit Judge Henry

Conlin. Stamper is scheduled to go to trial Monday, Sept. 19. The two have been held without bond since January 1987.

The youths were ordered to stand trial as adults by Washtenaw Probate Judge Judith Wood. They were 16 at the time of Hulbert's death.

According to juvenile court testimony, Hulbert thought she was pregnant by Machacek. The youths told police they took Hulbert to a field in Superior Township. They intended to induce a miscarriage, frightening the girl by firing rifles into the air. They blamed each other for the slaying.

Two rabbit hunters found Hulbert's body near Ford and Berry roads Jan. 7. An autopsy showed she was not pregnant, and that she'd been shot seven times.

MACHACEK "WAS coming out directly saying he did it," testified Beauchamp, who spent April 1987 in the Washtenaw juvenile facility.

"He didn't say Steve Stamper was involved."

Beauchamp testified that Machacek asked her to deliver two letters to Stamper in May 1987. Stamper was in the custody at the Flint Regional Juvenile Detention Center where Beauchamp was being transferred.

"He told me just to give them to Steve and not to read them. I read them while I was being transferred to Flint," Beauchamp said. "The first one was just about tapes of Chris' and tape players. The second one was about who was taking blame for the situation they were in. It talked about what happened and how Chris didn't want to take blame for it."

"It talked a lot about their being drunk and messed up when it happened. Chris felt bad, he felt guilty. He was trying to have Steve take the blame for what happened."

Beauchamp testified that she never delivered the letters to Stamper. She said she last saw the incriminating letter when Stamper's attorney visited Flint. Police and attorneys in-

involved in the case have been unable to produce the letter.

DEFENSE ATTORNEY Richard Digon asked Beauchamp whether she recalled telling police that Machacek had said, "We killed someone." Beauchamp said yes.

Marc McKenzie, Machacek's 17-year-old cousin, testified that he ate dinner with Machacek Dec. 30. Hulbert disappeared the afternoon of Dec. 30. Machacek was living with his cousin's family at the time.

McKenzie said he remembered Machacek saying, "Everyone should wash their hands" before dinner.

After Deborah Hulbert visited the McKenzie residence looking for her daughter, Machacek told McKenzie he "didn't think Mary would be going back home," McKenzie said.

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### Sweat and tone

Helaine Keller of Birmingham helps Lynn Fenberg of West Bloomfield get the most out of "abs" — exercises designed to slim that stomach — at Finesse's new studio alongside

Powerhouse Gym in Farmington Hills. For what happens when aerobic exercisers and body builders meet, please turn to Street Scene, Page 1D.

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By Diane Gale  
staff writer

Four men were arrested Wednesday in connection with a robbery of gas station employees and customers at gunpoint in Canton and Novi by Plymouth Township and Plymouth police shortly after the incidents.

The robbers, who were black, stole cash and other goods from white men, but refused to steal from two black customers, according to Canton police reports.

Police recovered more than \$900 cash, 89 cartons of cigarettes, a radio, watch and a blue-steel automatic gun, said Dave Boljesic, Canton police information officer.

INFORMATION ABOUT a robbery at a Novi gas station was broadcast on police radio frequencies shortly before midnight Wednesday. Armed robbers stole cash, several boxes of cigarettes in cartons and a large radio from the Novi station, a Canton police report said.

At 12:28 a.m. armed robbers reportedly held up the Union 76 gas station at Ford and Haggerty. An

employee and his friend were inside the gas station when two men entered.

One of the men was armed with a blue-steel automatic gun, Boljesic said. Two additional men waited in a forest green Dodge outside the station.

After the employee and his friend gave the armed man their money, the robbers ordered them into a back room.

"Five customers walked in together," Boljesic said. Three of the customers were white and two were black. With one of the robbers holding a gun, the men took wallets and other goods from the three white men, Boljesic said.

"The black male was attempting to hand his wallet to the suspect," Boljesic said. The man stopped him and reportedly said: "No, because you're OK," a police report said.

Nothing was taken from the other black man, either, Boljesic added.

The two men left the building and got into a green Dodge.

A SHORT TIME LATER, a city of Plymouth officer made a traffic stop and a passing Plymouth Township officer realized the men in the

stopped car fit the descriptions of the armed robbers, said Plymouth Township Deputy Chief Chip Snider.

Plymouth Township Officer David Hayes believed the city officer wasn't aware the men might be armed robbers, because of the way he approached their car. Hayes alerted the Plymouth officer, who became more cautious, he added.

When the driver fled, a city and two township officers chased him, said Plymouth police Chief Richard Myers. A Plymouth officer detained the three other suspects, Myers said. Hayes tackled the runaway driver.

A lineup was held early Thursday, Boljesic said. Victims identified two men they said robbed them in the station, he added.

"It was an excellent bit of cooperation by Plymouth, Plymouth Township and Canton officers and it led to the arrests," Boljesic said.

Myers said: "It's heads-up police work." An Escorse man and three Detroit men — ranging in age from 20 to 36 — were arrested and held in Canton's jail until the arraignment, which was expected Friday.

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## Worry ends for girl bitten by stray cat

By Peggy Aulino  
staff writer

A 4-year-old Canton Township girl won't have to undergo a series of rabies vaccinations because a stray cat bit her hand.

The cat that bit Jamie Trotter was caught late Thursday afternoon — more than 24 hours after the incident.

Test results available by Friday afternoon indicated the cat was not rabid.

"That cat did have an infection, the doctor told me, but it's name had 40 letters in it" said Donna Lawson, Jamie's mother. "But it wasn't rabies."

Jamie was on the back porch of her home Wednesday in the Holiday Estates mobile home park on Geddes when the cat bit her, said Jamie Lawson, the girl's father. Lawson and his father-in-law "were out all night trying to catch the cat," he added.

And a Canton animal control offi-

cers injured his arm in pursuit of the feline.

DESPITE ALL the chasing, the animal was caught when it voluntarily entered the home of a neighbor who occasionally feeds it, Lawson said.

"She still has an infection but she could be released tomorrow," Lawson said Friday night. The cat had to be killed in order for the rabies test to be administered, he said.

Jamie was in satisfactory condition Friday at Botsford General Hos-

pital in Farmington Hills.

If the cat was rabid, the girl would have had to undergo a series of five shots, according to Dr. Ronald Lagerveid, the hospital's director of emergency medicine.

"The new rabies shots are not very painful," he said. "Patients do not usually get sick or run fevers like they used to."

On Thursday afternoon, when it appeared the cat would not be caught, doctors were prepared to begin giving Jamie the shots.

# Machacek trial enters 2nd week

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Prosecutor Robert Cooper asked McKenzie whether he remembered testifying in juvenile court that Machacek held his hand in the shape of a gun and said, "Bang, bang," when asked about Hubert's whereabouts.

"I recall him making a statement and pointing," said McKenzie.

McKenzie's mother, Diana McKenzie, testified that on Dec. 31, 1986, Machacek "was basically the same person, but he had bags under his eyes. I thought he was sick. He had sinus problems and an awful lot of headaches. He was seen by doctors."

**SANDRA SCHMANDT**, an Ypsilanti High 11th grader who dated Machacek, testified that she was watching TV at Machacek's house the afternoon of Dec. 30 when the phone rang.

"I picked up the phone (an extension) in a bedroom, just to see who was on the phone," testified Schmandt.

"I heard a girl's voice. Chris told me to hang up," Schmandt later asked Machacek who it was. "He said Mary," said Schmandt.

According to juvenile court testimony, Hubert called Machacek that afternoon to tell him she thought she was pregnant by him. Machacek and Stamper went into the bathroom to talk after hanging up, Schmandt said.

"Then they said they were going to leave. They said they'd be back in half an hour or 45 minutes," Schmandt said she was at the house at dinner time when the boys returned.

"I remember hearing, 'We should've washed our hands after we did that,'" she said. "I took it as something sexual in connection with a girl."

**JOSIE CZARNIK**, 15, dated Stamper. The Ypsilanti Township girl testified that she also was at the McKenzie residence when Machacek received a phone call and left with Stamper.

Czarnik said she knew the two were going to meet another girl. Czarnik testified that Stamper owned a 22-caliber semi-automatic that "he got at Christmas from his Grandma." She said the two used to go target shooting several times a week.

Washtenaw County sheriffs earlier testified that they recovered 22-caliber shells from the field where Hubert's body was found at Superior and Berry roads.

Czarnik said she watched television with Stamper the night of Dec. 30, and that "he didn't say anything. He was quiet."

Two other juveniles testified on Friday the fifth day of Machacek's jury trial.

Shawn Cole, 16, was a classmate of Machacek's at Ypsilanti High School.

Cole testified that the two had lockers near each other, and that in early January, he asked Machacek "if he got Mary pregnant."

"He told me he'd kick my butt if I didn't shut up," Cole testified.

On cross-examination, Cole said he recalled telling police that Machacek denied that he was responsible for Hubert's pregnancy.

**KEVIN WILDER**, 15, is a cousin and neighbor of Machacek's. Wilder was asked by the prosecutor whether he remembered telling police that he asked Machacek in January "Where do you have Mary hidden at?"

Asked by Digon whether Stamper was assaultive, had a bad temper and often got in fights, Wilder said yes.

"Did you ever know of him abusing 'Hubert'?" asked Digon.

"Yes," said Wilder.

"Did you ever know of Steve to get angry with Mary because she did or didn't have sex with someone else?" asked Digon.

Wilder answered yes.

Machacek's trial was to resume this afternoon.

# Taxes would pay for police

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In order to maintain that level, Canton police would have to hire three police officers in 1989 boosting the force from 46 to 49 officers.

The goal is to provide more police visibility in the subdivisions, Santomauro said.

The proposal also calls for three dispatchers and upgrading a part-time clerk-typist to full time. The number of employees in the office would increase from 58 full time and one part time to 65 full time.

If the tax increase passes, in 1989, beginning salaries for officers will be \$21,200, said John Spencer, Canton finance director. Currently, the rate is \$20,000.

The 1988 fire department budget and the proposed 1989 budget include:

- 1988 salaries, \$1.3 million; 1989, \$1.4 million;
- 1988 fringe benefits, \$382,100; 1989, \$446,500;
- 1988 capital outlay, \$184,850; 1989, \$180,600;
- 1988 operations, \$217,550; 1989, \$231,650;
- 1988 total budget \$2 million; 1989, \$2.2 million.

The 1988 police department budget and the proposed 1989 budget include:

- 1988 salaries, \$1.8 million; 1989, \$2 million;
- 1988 fringe benefits, \$507,000; 1989, \$563,700;
- 1988 capital outlay, \$126,700; 1989, \$177,600;
- 1988 operations, \$395,200; 1989, \$456,530;
- 1988 payment to public improvement fund, \$148,055; 1989, the same;
- 1988 total budget, \$2.9 million; 1989, \$3.5 million.

# Benefit planned

## Canton fund-raiser in memory of children

A benefit is planned in memory of two Ann Arbor children who died after they were locked in a freezer last month.

The Fund-Raiser Benefit Jambooree will be 2 p.m. to 2 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 18, at Lucilles Lounge on Michigan west of I-275 in Canton.

The fund-raiser is in memory of Erin and Jacob Samida. It's sponsored by the Country Class Western Dancers.

The children lived in a townhouse in Ann Arbor. On July 19, while their mother attended another child for a short time, they had gotten into a freezer. By the time a rescue unit arrived, it was too late.

Both were children of special needs who attended private schools, said Beverly Arsenault, one of the fund-raisers will ask for a \$1 ad-

mission at Lucilles; kids 12 and under will be admitted free. Live entertainment will be provided by seven to 10 bands. Beer, food and dancing will be available.

Businesses or private individuals are asked to donate items that could be raffled at the event.

For more information call Arsenault, 425-2207, or Diane Turner, 728-7179.

Memorials for Jacob will go to playground equipment for High Scope Educational Research Foundation in Ypsilanti, she added.

Contributions in memory of Erin will be given to the Ann Arbor Clonlara School science department, she said.

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# Holiday supporters shift focus, but not their course

By Tedd Schneider staff writer

Born in a storm of protest over Mayor Charles Griffin's golf course proposal last spring, the Holiday Nature Preserve Association has dropped its picket signs in favor of educational tours, lectures and fund-raising activities.

"We're trying to stress the different uses for (the William P.) Holiday nature preserve," said Jack Smiley, association chairman.

"We'd like to rekindle what was there before, when the county played a more active role."

Although "things have quieted down" since the furor in April and May over Griffin's plan to convert a portion of the preserve to a municipal golf course, the group is still prepared to fight the proposal in the courts if necessary, Smiley said.

"Through research we've determined that the original conveyance of the land was for a nature study area and we intend to make sure it remains that way," Smiley said.

GRIFFIN ANNOUNCED the golf

course proposal in January. Under the plan, the city would build an 18-hole course north of Warren Road and west of John Hix on 100 acres that is owned partly by the city and partly by Wayne County.

The land involved represents some 20 percent of the nature preserve created in the 1950s from the estate of the late Arthur J. Richardson. It was named after Richardson's late uncle and dedeed to the county.

A mayoral advisory committee set up to study the proposal is still active, but the issue is "on the back burner," according to George Gillies, the city's parks and recreation director and head of the advisory committee.

TO THAT end, the association has planned a series of tours and educational programs throughout September and October. They include:

- A general membership meeting and display of live birds, 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 7, at Churchill High School, Livonia.
- A tour Saturday, Sept. 10, focusing on mushrooms and fungi in the nature preserve.

WHILE THE association remains opposed to the golf course development, the group would welcome recreational use of the nature preserve

by the city for programs "consistent with the original intent of the area," Smiley said.

The Holiday Park group is now working to fill a niche that was handled by the county before it ran into financial difficulties, Smiley said.

"They used to take 30,000 school kids through the park on tours each year," Smiley said.

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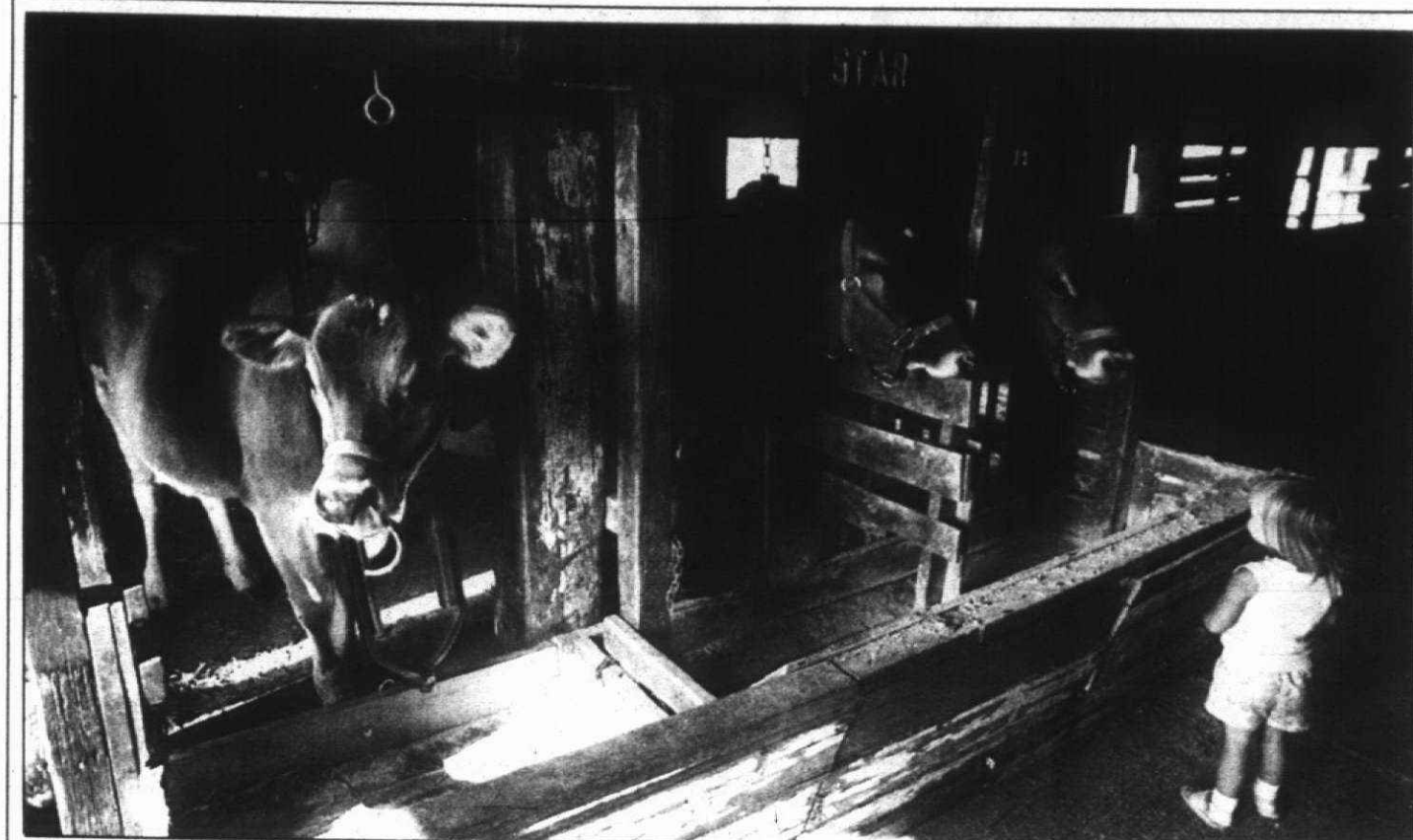
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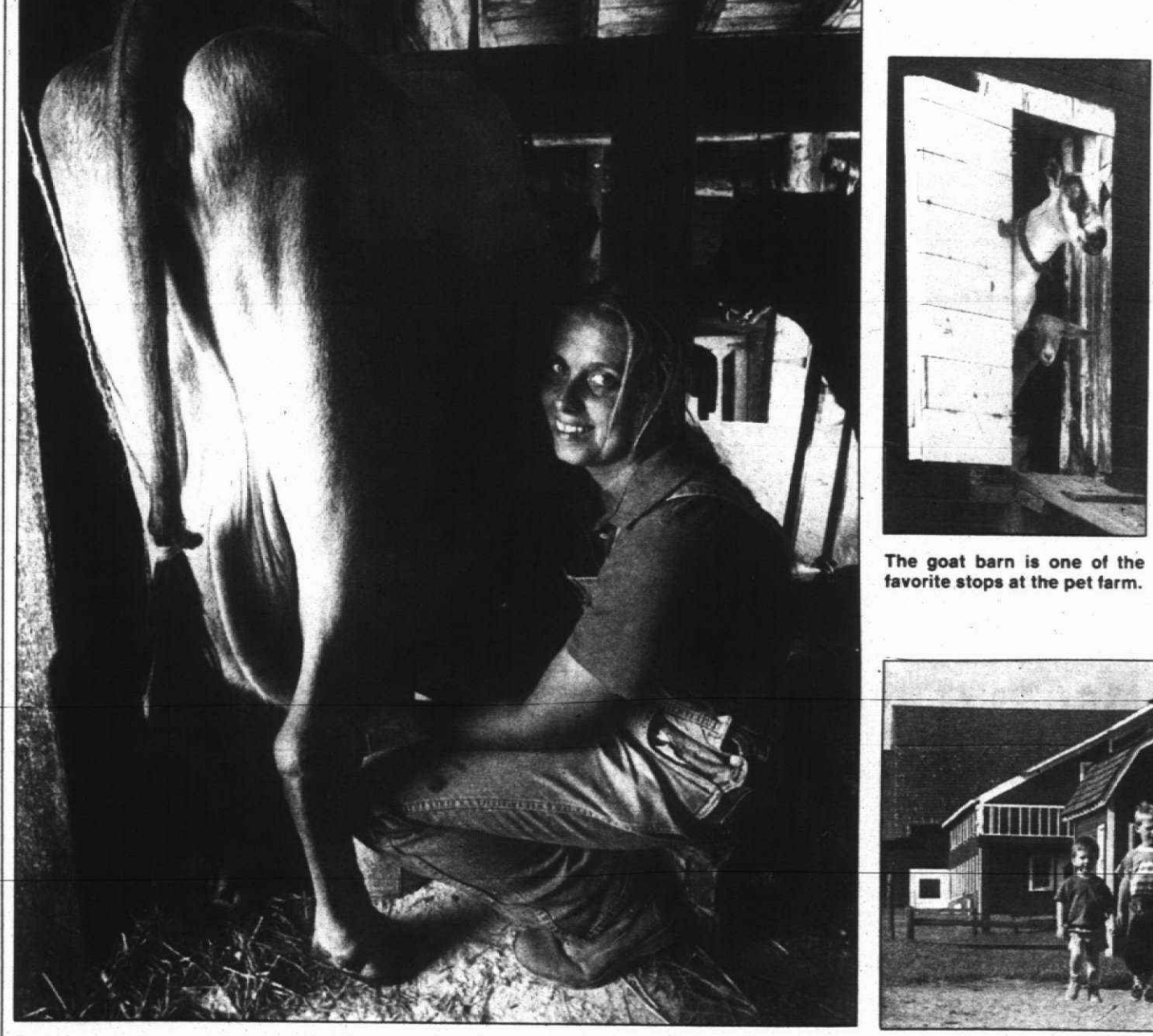
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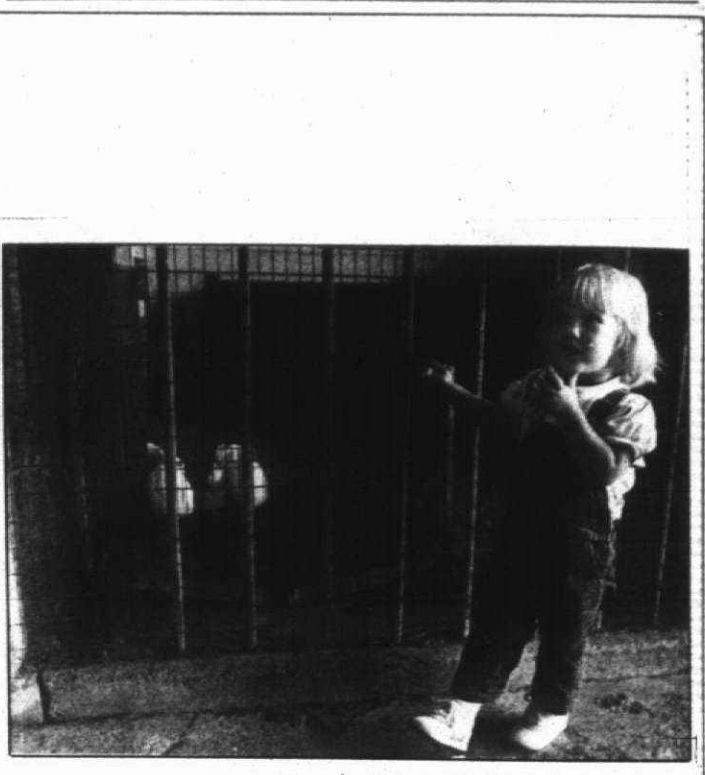
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Shantell O'Brien, 2 1/2, of Livonia gets a closer look at the cows.



Park ranger Karen Gourlay milks Molly the Cow late in the afternoon.



Andrea Van Hoeck, 2, of Farmington Hills wanted to get closer to the bunnies.

# Farm fun is pet project

Karen Gourlay has worked at the same place for 10 years and still loves her job, though some would say that greeting kids and taking care of the animals and crops at the Maybury Living Farm isn't exactly tough work.

The pens and buildings take up several acres, with 30-35 acres of crops out back for feeding the animals. There are cows, horses, pigs, sheep, poultry, goats and rabbits — and lots and lots of kids.

"The animals were all raised here and they're used to seeing people," said Gourlay. "Any animal that comes to the fence, the kids are welcome to pet."

Beginning Labor Day, the farm — part of the Maybury State Park — is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on weekdays and from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. on weekends. Admission to the farm is included in the admission price to the park, which is \$2 a day for each vehicle, or \$10 for a yearly pass.

School tours are welcome and free. "All we ask is that they call in advance to book a tour," said Gourlay. The number is 345-0817.

Gourlay, who has worked at the living farm since the state took it over, helps raise the crops that feed the animals. A visit includes a tour of the farmlands.

The hours are shortened in October as the days shorten. Beginning Oct. 1 and continuing through the winter, the farm is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., seven days a week.

The entrance to the state park is south off Eight Mile, west of Beck in Northville Township.



Barb Vitale (left) and Mary Gregory of Novi head back to their cars with kids in tow after visiting the petting farm.

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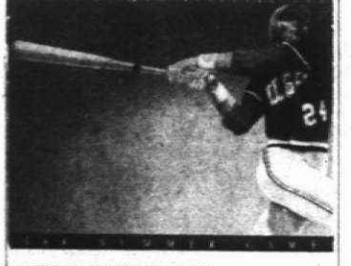
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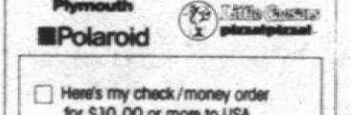
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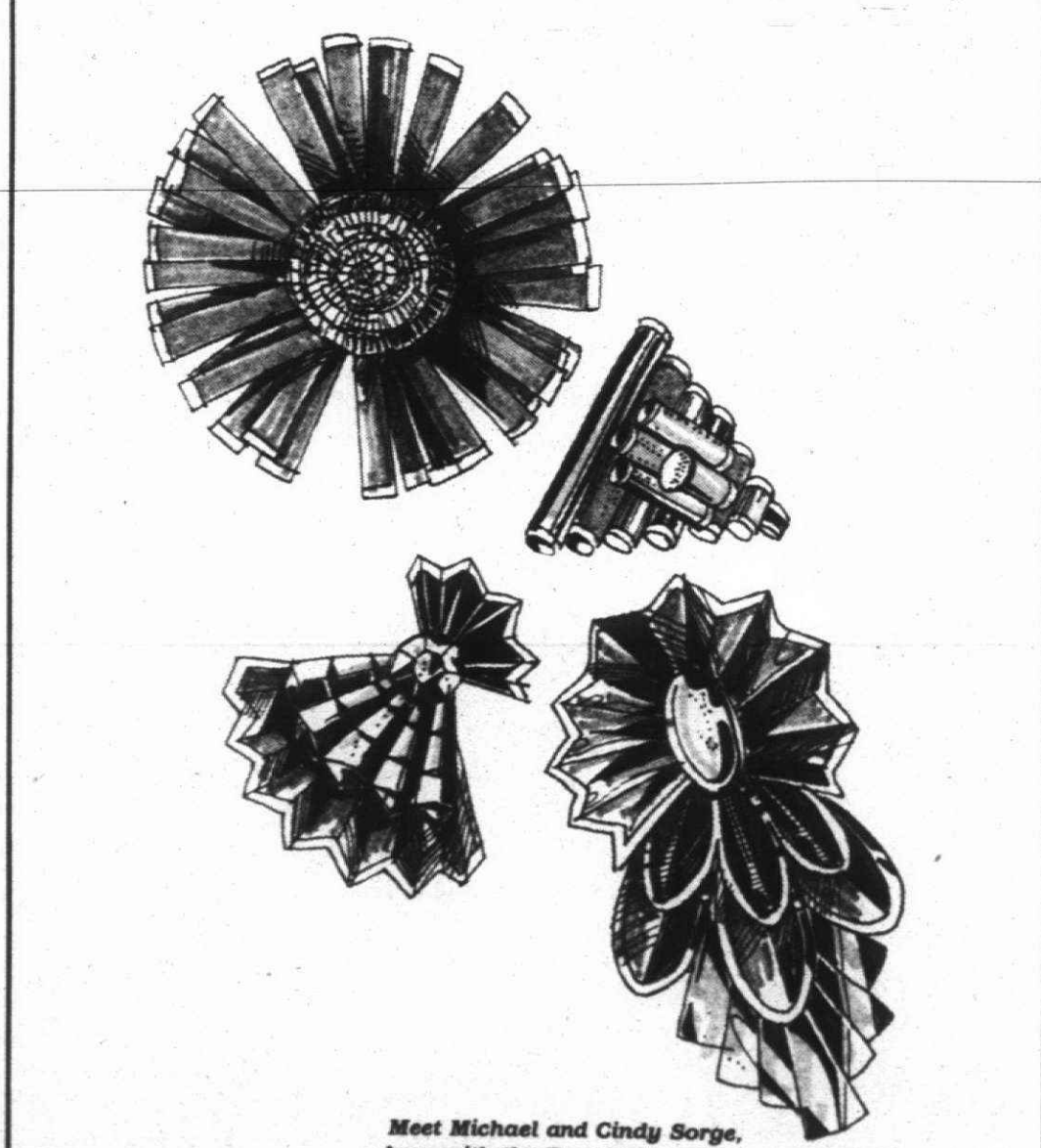
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● **MCF NEEDS VOLUNTEERS**  
The Michigan Cancer Foundation (MCF) in Plymouth needs volunteers for daytime office work. On-the-job training will be provided. Interested persons should call Catherine Cameron at 833-0710, Ext. 245.

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Camp Fire needs volunteer leaders to share their experience and skills with children in small group situations. Camp Fire boys and girls, from kindergarten through high school, are active, alert young people involved in a variety of non-competitive activities including self-reliance courses, camping, community service and crafts. Campfire Detroit Area Council serves young people and their families in Wayne, Oakland, Macomb and Livingston counties. For further information, call Cleola Spates-Burt at 559-5846.

● **MEALS ON WHEELS**  
The Meals on Wheels program in the Plymouth area has recently expanded its hours. Volunteers are needed from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., for substitute drivers, and driver assistance. Please call 453-9703, Tonquish Creek Manor, between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. Clerical workers and drivers are also needed to help out in the Northville office of Out-Wayne County Human Services, which administers the Meals on Wheels program. The Northville office is at Five Mile and Sheldon. For more information, call 453-2525.

● **HOSPICE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**  
Hospice Services of Western Wayne County is seeking volunteers to provide assistance to terminally ill patients and their families in their homes. Volunteers may provide respite care, companionship, emotional support and bereavement care. Both lay volunteers and registered nurses are needed. Thirty hours of volunteer training begins from 7-10 p.m. Monday, Sept. 12, for 10 consecutive weeks. Interested volunteers may call, 522-4244.

● **HELP CANCER PATIENTS**  
Harper Hospital is looking for volunteers to work with cancer patients. A free specialized training program will be held for interested participants, July 11 through July 27, on Mondays and Wednesdays 5:30-8:30 p.m. The training program will focus on the ability to provide support to patients and their families during their hospital stay. For further information, call 745-8939, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays.

● **HEALTH MEETING NEEDED**  
Adult and teen volunteers are needed to help at the Arbor Health Building in Plymouth. McAuley Health Building in Canton. Volunteers may work directly with patients or in non-patient positions. Complete orientation and

training are provided for all programs. To sign up for an information session, or for more information, call 572-4159.

● **MEDICAL HELP**  
Henry Ford Hospital is looking for men and women 18 and older as volunteers at the Plymouth Center on Main Street east of Pennington. Needed are people with all types of skills to help with patients or to perform clerical and other tasks. Nurses also are needed for blood pressure screening. For information, call Kathleen Kernen at the volunteer services department at 939-8131 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

● **AMATEUR PERFORMERS NEEDED**  
The Plymouth Community Arts Council is updating its list of amateur performers who are willing to share their time and talent with students. The resource list is provided by the PCAC to all elementary teachers in Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. Particularly needed this year are dancers, singers and musicians. If you or someone you know has a special skill that they are willing to share, call Pat MacIsaac at 453-8051.

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Saks Fifth Avenue's Troy and Fairlane stores invite you to attend our exclusive wardrobe sessions designed especially for petites! To select the silhouettes best suited to you, our one-on-one attendants will be on hand to personally assist you. Plus, meet Petite Buyer, Gretchen Thomas.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH - TROY

Join us for a complimentary luncheon buffet from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., and preview the latest petite styles for Autumn '88. Free delivery and other gratuities will also be provided. For a personal appointment, call 643-9000, ext. 217. Informal modeling, 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Petite Collections, Second Floor.

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Come see our newest selection of petite sportswear, coats, suits and dresses from 10 am to 9 pm, with complimentary refreshments served. For a personal appointment, call 336-3070, ext. 265 or 367. Informal modeling, 10:30 a.m.-8:30 p.m. Petite Collections, Lower Level.

# Saks Fifth Avenue

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points of view

I-75 Rude 'Alley' drivers dominate

ME, AFRAID to fly? Naw. Well, once or twice maybe. That was after that "Airport" movie hit the screen in the late 1970s.

You remember the one where Van Heflin played that nervous goofball with the strange satchel. He went into the john, pulled the switch, blew a hole in the fuselage through which he fell to his doom, and endangered the airliner for hours before Dean Martin crash-landed in a snowstorm.

Not long afterward, I made a flight across the Atlantic to the land of Prince Hal and Stonehenge. It was a white-knuckle trip all the way to London.

And all the way back. It took me two years to get over that goofy movie.

AS I WRITE this some days before you read it, I am packing for a camping trip up in area code 906—God's country, the Upper Peninsula.

Trouble is, we have to travel up I-75. I call I-75 "Maniacs Alley."

You read about I-75 this week. Two cars were racing and may have caused an accident that resulted in the death of Edgar Vennay of Madison Heights, a 58-year-old occupant of another car.

Not surprisingly, five other cars were damaged in the pileup, though not one of their occupants was injured.

It's not fair to guess at which, if any, were tailgating. But one would be derelict in not reporting that following a quarter-car length behind another vehicle at 75 mph is an honored custom on Maniacs Alley.

They taught us to allow one car length of distance for every 10 mph. That means 5 1/2 car lengths if you're going the 55 mph speed limit on urban freeways, which almost no one does around metropolitan Detroit.

METRO DETROIT drivers are the rudest I've ever encountered. On this summer's convention beat, I've added two more cities to my list of traffic experiences.

Atlanta traffic is fast, far above the posted limit, but it moves smoothly. Everyone goes the same speed. You see no racing, little tailgating, no darting in and out and using the shoulder as a passing lane.

Ditto New Orleans.

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Job blues Layoffs are never pleasant

EMPLOYEE LAYOFFS have been in the news recently, as decisions about two Detroit daily newspapers move from government boardrooms to federal courtrooms.

Layoffs are also an issue in the auto industry as assembly plants close, never to reopen, and the state is forced to look to new types of industry to make up the way up to the managers who wield the ax.

I WOULD guess that all managers get a bad feeling in the pit of the stomach, every time.

There's no kind way to tell employees they have to hit the streets, uproot their lives and look for another source of income.

Just how should employers handle a layoff? What should be said, and who should do it?

And it affects not only the pocketbook, but a person's self-esteem.

TODAY'S Job counselors say the days of lifelong employment are gone, and a person should expect to have several jobs in a lifetime, possibly in different careers.

IN THIS job I "carry my lunch pail to work," so to speak, but I have walked the other side of the fence as

a manager. I played an integral part in giving more than 100 employees their notice, over several years. That's not said proudly, but realistically.

And no one should kid themselves—it's painful for everyone involved, from the employees who get their pink slips all the way up to the managers who wield the ax.

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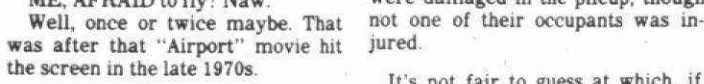
The fact is, many jobs just don't last anymore. We shouldn't expect it, nor should we let a layoff or job change send us a negative message.

We also need to turn around the old, worn out "you owe me" routine. We are all owed respect, benefits and a paycheck which are linked to our jobs.

But after the job's over, no debt remains except what we owe to ourselves.

We must fulfill our own lives. If we wait for someone else to accomplish that for us, it won't happen.

There are a multitude of opportunities—even here in Michigan—for anyone with the motivation to seek them out.



Tim Richard

One of the cars in that I-75 crash last week—the one which escaped—was a white Porsche.

A sister newspaperer at one of the conventions shares my opinion about this region but insisted that Los Angeles is as bad.

Not having been to LA, I don't know. Boston drivers are extremely aggressive because their traffic is so heavy, but they can't match metro Detroit for bird-flipping rudeness.

For a couple of years, the feds have been threatening to cut off highway aid to Michigan unless we reduced our speeding. Our drivers on Maniacs Alley, as well as I-275 and every other freeway, responded by hitting the gas pedal harder than ever.

The sad truth is that the state cops have failed to put a dent in our speeding, tailgating and cutting off.

One wonders how many more innocent motorists like Vennay must die before our drivers slow down voluntarily.

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from our readers

Trainor should read her Bible

To the editor: This is in reply to the editorial by Catherine Trainor on Aug. 18.

I was very offended, to say the least, at this blasphemous article about Christ.

First of all, we have the Constitutional right as Christians to object to the film, "The Last Temptation of Christ" just as much as you have the right to see it. That's democracy in action—not censorship.

Secondly, to her comment of Christ having impure sexual thoughts: It's obvious this lady has no conception of the holiness of God. He was blameless and sinless until the day he was crucified. (Isaiah 53, 1 Peter 1:18,19).

Sexual union is a gift he has given us as married couples to express oneness and love for each other. (Prov. 5, Song of Solomon).

I suggest this woman get her facts straight and read the Bible before writing such an "off-the-wall" and blasphemous article.

Dina Stewart Rochester Hills

Opinions are to be shared

Opinions and ideas are most fertile when shared with others. That's why the Observer encourages its readers to share their views with others by making use of the From Our Readers column.

While the Observer expresses its opinions on the editorial page, it always leaves space open for readers to express their ideas.

Submitting a letter to the editor for publication is easy. We ask that letters be typewritten or printed legibly and kept to 300 words or less. They must be signed and include the address of the sender.

Names will be withheld only for the best of reasons, and the decision to do so will be made by the editor.

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Soup is found to have caused food poisoning

Chicken soup—prescribed by mothers for generations to cure a variety of ailments—was the cause of a food poisoning outbreak among seven employees at separate Livonia and Redford companies who drank the soup from a Westland industrial catering company.

The Wayne County Health Department reported the suspected soup has been voluntarily removed from distribution by Art's Courtesy Industrial Catering after the Aug. 29 outbreak.

Owners of the Westland company, which has a fleet of food trucks serving industrial firms in western Wayne County, were not available for comment.

But Dr. Donald Lawrenchuk, medical director of the county health department, told the Observer there is no need to close the industrial food catering company based on available information.

Lawrenchuk said the soup, made in the company's kitchen and heated on the fleet of trucks, was voluntarily taken out of distribution by the company.

Samples of the chicken soup were sent to the Michigan Public Health Department lab in Lansing for testing, Lawrenchuk said.

THE MEDICAL director said the outbreak was first reported when two people entered the Garden City Hospital emergency room with acute and severe gastrointestinal symptoms, such as cramps and diarrhea.

Hospital staffers then learned that three others with similar symptoms were treated at St. Mary Hospital, Livonia, about the same time, the director said.

Lawrenchuk said at least seven people suffered the identical symptoms and that since they worked for different companies, it was later learned the only common link was the chicken soup they drank from Art's Courtesy Catering.

The seven had the soup between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. Monday, Aug. 29, Lawrenchuk said.

He stressed that the catering company has been cooperative in the health department's investigation.

Lawrenchuk said his department will investigate the catering firm and its operations and prevent future outbreaks.

He said the symptoms suffered aren't infectious and can't be passed on to others.

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# Money not power at heart of jail dispute says sheriff

By Wayne Peal  
staff writer

Wayne County's jail dispute is "an economic issue," according to Sheriff Robert Ficano.

The issue stems more from money matters than from a power struggle between himself and county Executive Edward McNamara over jail control, Ficano said.

"It's an economic issue, it's nothing about control," Ficano said.

Ficano's comments came during taping of "Spotlight on the News," a local public affairs television program. The program was scheduled to be broadcast Sunday on WXYZ-TV, Channel 7.

McNamara filed a motion in Wayne County Circuit Court last month to have the jail placed under his department's control. Ficano vowed to fight the motion.

WHILE BOTH sides have agreed to let the county commission medi-

ate the dispute, Ficano said he wouldn't back down from a court fight, if mediation fails.

"If he (McNamara) forces the issue and it goes to court, we'll be prepared," Ficano said.

"It's interesting that you see the same dispute arising out in Oakland County," he said. "You're seeing that the sheriff out there is having difficulties with the county executive."

**IN OTHER comments:**

Ficano said jail conditions had vastly improved since a 1971 inmate lawsuit, even though an independent jail monitor found many of the same problems still exist.

"When the inmates first brought the lawsuit and they said there were inhumane conditions there probably were at that time," Ficano said.

Disputes over such issues as meals, recreation and visitation have subsided, Ficano said.

"What they're fighting over is whether we can provide them tennis shoes so that they can play basketball. To come in and say the conditions are such that they have to be remedied is a smoke screen."

FICANO ALSO disputed McNamara's claim that the jail and sheriff's department wasn't being fiscally responsible.

"We've reduced the cost of housing an inmate from \$90 a day to \$52 a day right now, if you check our overtime we're \$500,000 less than we were at this time last year," Ficano said.

McNamara had said he was concerned about the sheriff's department debt, which he tabbed at "\$1.8 million and growing." Keeping county budgets balanced, McNamara said, is necessary under the county's debt reduction agreement with the state.

McNamara has suggested creating a county department of correc-



# Dukakis works for labor's vote

By Wayne Peal  
staff writer

John F. Kennedy's famous Labor Day appearance at the Detroit plaza now bearing his name marked the beginning of his 1960 presidential campaign.

But times have changed for Democrats. When Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis followed in Kennedy's footsteps Monday, the 1988 campaign was already in full swing.

And Dukakis was campaigning hard for union households squarely in Kennedy's pocket in 1960.

While the media spotlight has been turned on Macomb County's so-called "Reagan Democrats," Dukakis must also change more than a few minds among western Wayne County voters as well.

Western Wayne — including union households — marched in lockstep with the 1984 Reagan victory parade. Reagan vote totals parts of in this traditionally Democratic area even exceeded the president's national landslide.

Reagan received a whopping 72 percent of Livonia votes, captured three out of five cast in the Westland/Garden City area and helped sweep Redford Township GOP candidates into local office for the first time in 16 years.

That, Dukakis staffers say, is ancient history. Armed with polls showing large numbers of conservative Democrats returning to the fold, state Dukakis staff members believe they will be as successful with area voters as Walter Mondale was unsuccessful.

"IT'S A different year and Mike Dukakis is a different candidate."

deputy state campaign director Mark Fox said. "The key is going to be the 'non-transferability' of Ronald Reagan's popularity to George Bush. We've seen polls showing seven out of 10 Reagan Democrats supporting Dukakis."

Area Democrats who supported Jesse Jackson could be as important to Dukakis as former Reagan voters.

Dukakis was the favorite among area Democrats during March party caucuses, finishing first at virtually all western Wayne caucus sites. But Jackson finished second at many sites, en route to a surprisingly easy state victory.

Since that upset, Michigan is figured prominently in Dukakis election plans.

The Labor Day appearance marked the governor's fourth trip to Michigan since last month's Democratic Party convention. Vice presidential nominee Lloyd Bentsen and Dukakis' mother and son have also made Michigan appearances.

"IF YOU look back, Michigan is a state that figures in nearly every winning Democratic presidential campaign," Fox said.

It is also a state that hasn't gone Democratic in 20 years. Changing that trend, Fox said, depends upon a strategy that concedes no area of the state to Bush.

"When the governor appeared in Grand Rapids (Aug. 24) the press all wanted to know what he was doing in a Republican area like western Michigan," Fox said. "But we're conceding nothing."

That indicates Dukakis isn't just after Reagan Democrats, but at least some Reagan Republicans as well.

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Dear Santa:

I know that I'm writing this about three months too early but I recently came across the *ultimate* Christmas present.

I've been writing to you now for the last 35 years, making sure never to request something too outrageous, too dangerous, too expensive. You have always been very generous and, as of this year, have brought me everything I ever asked for, with the exception of a '69 fire-engine-red Lamborghini and a hair transplant that surely would have made me look like Tom Selleck.

This year, however, you can make it real easy on yourself by just ringing me one thing: An AGA.

What is an AGA, you ask?

AGA is short for an Amalgamate Gas Accumulation stove that has recently been introduced to the Northern Hemisphere. It's really not a new toy, having been invented in the early '20s by Swedish Nobel Prize Laureate Dr. Gustaf Dalen. It is a totally hand-assembled, cast-iron, enamel-finished cooking center (dare I call it a stove?) that does everything a regular stove will do, only better. Much better.

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Add to that two top burner plates that boil, simmer, stew and everything else four normal burners would (but in the size of only two).

Now, Santa, I know this sounds too good to be true, but the informational brochures say that the AGA "never makes mistakes" because there are no controls, knobs, dials or fancy gadgets to screw up with. The AGA is always "on" and ready to produce when you are. That, of course, leaves little room for error and more time to "play" while cooling.

So, Santa, I'm writing to you extra-early this year because I know this is a rather hefty request. It takes almost 10 weeks just to order one, and then you need a trained AGA installer to unpack the four crates weighing more than 1,300 pounds, to assemble and hook up the little beauty.

Santa, this year you can keep the Tupperware and put a hold on the polyester slacks that match my golf bag. All I really want for Christmas is an AGA. The normal package price includes sales tax, installation, freight, handling and even a free set of cookware. Oh, and by the way, it sells for \$8,576.

Your friend,  
Chef Larry

P.S. In the event that you deliver it early and avoid the Christmas rush, I'll have a plate of your favorite cookies in the warming oven and a pot of steaming hot chocolate waiting for you.



THOMAS ARNETT

Ruth Traison, Sheri Devries' grandmother (left), Sheri and Jeffrey Devries and son Daniel, gather at family meal with traditional

menu, including braided egg bread called challah, for Rosh Hashana, at the Devries home in West Bloomfield.

## Holiday foods symbolic

By Anne Lehmann  
special writer

**F**OR MOST PEOPLE, September heralds the beginning of fall — but for Jews around the world, the 12th and 13th of this month marks the beginning of the year 5749 in the Jewish calendar.

Rosh Hashana, which translated from Hebrew, literally means "head of the year," is a time for reflecting on the year past and planning hopefully for the future. Families get together for elaborate repasts filled with foods that symbolically reflect the spirit of the holiday.

For example, challah, a braided egg bread that is traditionally eaten every Friday night as part of the weekly Sabbath meal, is round and laced with raisins. The circular shape is a reminder of the cyclical nature of life with its new beginnings.

The raisins are a way of adding additional sweetness to the soft chewy bread, as an expression of hope for a sweet and happy year. The challah is dipped in honey as are apple slices, again symbolizing the hope for a sweet year to come.

**REBBETZIN** Chaya Sara Silberberg of Congregation Bais Chabad in West Bloomfield, says many people mold their challahs into such unique shapes as "a crown to signify the acceptance of God's kingship anew; a key, to unlock all the blessings of the year; and a ladder, to ascend to greater spiritual heights."

"For us it's a time for family and another opportunity to eat," says West Bloomfield resident Sheri Devries. Though most of her family (spanning four generations) lives in Detroit, Devries says, "Everyone really makes a point of making it to the Rosh Hashana get-together."

Devries and her husband, Jeffrey, a pediatrician,

are expecting their second child in January. This year she already has begun preparing for the more than 25 guests she plans to have sitting at her dinner table during Rosh Hashana.

"The truth is, I use a lot of old family favorites, and then I freeze as much as I can. I leave as little as possible for last minute," she says.

Generally, the side dishes and desserts are what take center stage on Rosh Hashana. "We usually have a roast or a stuffed turkey, and I build a variety of side dishes, many of which are sweet, from there."

**THIS YEAR** there will be a crown-shaped noodle kugel that is baked in a bundt pan. "It is a sweet dish and, because of its shape, recalls the theme of

God's divine kingship," she says.

Tzimmes, a sweet, sliced-carrot dish, is a common favorite, symbolizing the hope for a sweet year. Additionally, the golden-coin-shaped vegetables express the hope for a year of financial security.

"The Spice and Spirit of Kosher Jewish Cooking," compiled by the Lubavitch Women's Organization, says, "The head of a fish is usually eaten, signifying our hope to be the 'head,' outstanding in righteousness." Also, round farfel, or egg barley, is sometimes eaten because of its round shape.

Interestingly, on the second night of the holiday, at least one fruit, not sampled in the season, is usually eaten. The novelty of the item helps to recall the newness of the year. Often the new fruit is a pomegranate, because this is one of the fruits for which Israel is well known and also because it is said to contain 613 seeds, equal to the total number of commandments in the Torah.

Aside from the many themes of the holiday, observant Jews follow dietary laws that prohibit them from eating and mixing certain foods. "Being kosher nowadays," says Devries, "is really easy."

**"EVEN THOUGH** you are not allowed to mix meat and milk, there are new products on the market that make almost anything possible," she adds. One of Devries' deceptively rich specialties is a chocolate mousse cake. "It's relatively easy to make and tastes like it's made with fresh cream," she says.

"For me desserts are a big part of holiday cooking," says Devries. "I suppose part of it is that during my college years we'd all get together over the holiday for dessert and coffee. So I was always big into baking special Rosh Hashana treats."

— And what better way to start the New Year than with the lingering taste of something sweet.

## Family enjoys special dishes

### ROSH HASHANA CHALLAH

- 2 packages of dry yeast
- ½ cup sugar
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 2 cups warm water
- 3 eggs
- ¼ cup oil
- 6 cups flour
- ½ cup raisins

Combine yeast, sugar, salt and water. Let stand until the top gets cloudy. Mix eggs, oil and flour and

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## Back to school Kids can make lunches they tote

By Nechama Bakst  
special writer

Here's a scenario that's likely to occur once the routine of having the kids back in school becomes familiar.

At 8 a.m. on a typical school morning, you watch the school bus wind its way down the street, and a familiar shriek pierces the air.

"Mom, you forgot my lunch!" Again.

Not to worry, says food consultant Peg Watson, who recently demonstrated a bagful of innovative tips and gimmicks for brown bag lunches at Jacobson's Kitchen and Gourmet Shop in Livonia.

Not only did Watson provide lunchtime ideas for Mom to use, but she also suggested how children can help prepare the lunches, or make their own.

Some 30 kids sat cross-legged on mats and noshed on nutritious snacks prepared by Watson and Jacobson's sales promotion manager Jean Cote, as part of Jacobson's recent Back to School Week. Watson let fall an array of techniques and recipes designed to replace and enhance traditional-style sandwiches.

Her only criteria for a brown bag lunch is that it include the basic nutritious fillers: protein, a vegetable or fruit, beverage, dessert and an optional surprise.

**HER DELIGHTFUL** creations are quick and easy, which is not unusual because they are especially designed so that children can prepare them.

Although Watson herself, a grandmotherly woman with a kind smile, "couldn't even boil water" until after she was married, she is a firm believer of "kids in the kitchen," even children as young as 2 years of age.

Watson has written articles on cooking for kids and has appeared on Channel 13's "Kids' Beat."

She is understanding of parents who hesitate to let youngsters "make a mess" in the kitchen, but she believes cooking is a good learning experience from which most children can benefit.

"It helps them with math, helps them with chemistry, helps them with creativity and with culture," Watson said.

"If you eat Mexican or Chinese food, it's an opportunity to learn" about those places. "And if you mix anything together, it's just like a formula."

Watson set guidelines for children of different ages. From ages 2 to 6, she said, children should be able to stir and add ingredients, begin to measure, and use a vegetable peeler and melon baller after instruction.

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## Try Watson's choices for meals, snacktime In lieu of a Sandwich

### PINEAPPLE CHEESE SPREAD

- 1 (8-ounce) package cream cheese
- 1 (8-ounce) can crushed pineapple
- celery sticks

Open cream cheese, put it into a bowl and let it soften. Mash the cream cheese with a spoon. Open can of pineapple. Put the strainer over a bowl while you pour the pineapple into the strainer. Mix pineapple and cream cheese with a spoon. Stuff into celery sticks. (May also be used as a sandwich filler.)

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ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Jill Stark, 10, of Livonia (left) and Heather Crow, 11, of Farmington Hills taste some clever, quick and easy snacks for brown bag lunches, demonstrated by Peg Watson recently at Jacobson's in Livonia.

# Family enjoys symbolic dishes for holiday

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add yeast mixture and knead to make a smooth, elastic non-sticky dough. Continue kneading and add raisins. When done kneading, oil surface of the dough, cover and let rise in a warm place for 1 hour. Roll the dough into a thick rope and curl dough in a small shape. Let rise 40 minutes. Brush with beaten egg and bake in preheated 350 oven for 35 minutes.

**CROWN-SHAPED NOODLE KUGEL**

1 stick of margarine, melted and divided  
1/4 cup brown sugar  
1 cup chopped walnuts  
1 16-ounce package of medium noodles  
1 teaspoon salt  
4 eggs beaten  
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/2 cup sugar

2 tablespoons margarine  
1/4 cup applesauce

Spray bundt pan with no-stick spray. Pour 1/4 cup melted margarine into bundt pan. Place brown sugar over the margarine. Place chopped nuts over the brown sugar. Cook noodles and drain. In large bowl, mix remaining ingredients together. Add noodles and mix thoroughly. Pour into bundt pan and bake at 350 for one hour or until brown. Remove from oven, turn upside down on plate and serve.

**SWEET CARROT TZIMMES**

From "The Spice and Spirit of Kosher Jewish Cooking," by Lubavitch Women's Organization

1 bunch of carrots cut into 1-inch pieces  
6 sweet potatoes  
1/2 cup pitted prunes (optional)  
1 cup orange juice  
1/2 cup honey

Combine the flour and salt in a medium-sized bowl and make a well in the center. Break the eggs into the well and beat with a fork. Gradually beat in the flour from around the edges of the well until the dough is too stiff to use a fork. Then work the flour in with your hands until a very stiff dough is formed. Roll the dough into a thick log and let it air dry for at least one hour, or until it is stiff enough to grate.

Rub the dough across a coarse grater to form pieces the size of barley. Or finely chop the dough using a food processor fitted with the steel blade. If the farfel is sticky, toss it with a bit more flour. Then spread it on a dish towel to dry until you are ready to cook it. (If desired, the farfel may be dried completely and stored in an airtight container.)

Cook the farfel in salted boiling water or soup for about 10 minutes

**HONEY CHIFFON CAKE**

4 eggs, separated  
1 cup sugar  
1 cup honey  
1 cup oil  
3 1/2 cups flour  
2 teaspoons baking soda  
2 teaspoons baking powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1 teaspoon nutmeg  
1 teaspoon ground cloves  
1 cup strong tea  
1/4-1/2 cup raisins

Beat egg whites and set aside. In a large mixing bowl, beat egg yolks until fluffy. Gradually add sugar and beat well. Beat in honey, then oil. Mix together all dry ingredients, and add alternately to mixture with tea. Stir in raisins. Fold in egg whites gradually and mix together again. Pour into a 9x13-inch greased pan. Bake at 300 for 1 hour.

**CHOCOLATE MOUSSE CAKE**

1 12-ounce bag of chocolate chips  
9 large eggs  
3/4 cup sugar  
1 1/2 stick margarine  
1 package Rich's whip

Melt margarine and chocolate chips. Separate eggs, beating egg whites until stiff. In separate bowl beat yolks and sugar and add chocolate mixture. Once mixed, fold in egg whites.

Grease 9-inch springform pan and pour in 1/2 of the batter. Bake at 350 for 1/2 hour.

In separate bowl, whip Rich's whip and then fold into remaining batter. Pour on top of cooled cake and freeze. Defrost 1/2 hour before serving. Garnish with chocolate shavings before serving.

# Kids can help make their own brown bag lunches

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CHILDREN AGES 7 to 11 can learn the basics of knife use, begin to use the stove, be taught to operate small appliances and the microwave, and manage to master measuring.

"By the time you're 11, I think you should be able to do everything in the kitchen," she said.

The children were noncommittal when Watson demonstrated how a breadstick spread with cream cheese and wrapped with lunch meat can serve as a sandwich.

But they really sat up and watched when she showed them how to cut a wedge out of a hard-boiled egg, add a red-pepper mouth and an olive for an eye, and create, magically, a frog.

"That looks yummy" was one 7-year-old's delighted reaction to Watson's "vegetable man," who boasted carrot arms, a cucumber body, turnip legs, and a radish for his head.

For children who work in the kitchen, Watson reviewed a number of important tips and safety hints.

You should start by tying back your hair, washing and drying your hands, rolling up any floppy sleeves, reading the recipe, and collecting all the ingredients and equipment.

She also told the children to use thick, dry, pot holders; stir any hot mixtures with a wooden spoon; watch out for splatters when adding fat to hot oil or butter; and turn off

especially the vegetable man.

Watson says kids can keep busy preparing some of her recipes after school and then storing them in the freezer. Sandwiches can be stored up to two weeks, she said.

That should interest most parents. Especially if that means they won't have to pack the kids' lunch bags the morning again.

**MONICA FEDRIGO, 9**, a fourth grader at Hoover Elementary School this year, thought Watson's class was fun.

"She eats peanut butter and jelly for lunch 'most of the time' but wants to try some of Watson's ideas,

ANTONS ON A LOG

Fill celery sticks with peanut butter. Set raisins on top to look like ants.

# Curried egg salad goes on veggies or in bread

AP - Serve this spicy egg mixture over tomato or avocado wedges and topped with alfalfa sprouts. Or spoon it into large pita bread rounds that have been halved and lined with lettuce and a slice of boiled ham. Either way, count on four servings.

**CURRIED EGG SALAD**

6 eggs  
1/4 cup dairy sour cream or plain yogurt  
1/4 cup sliced pitted ripe olives  
1/4 cup chopped green pepper  
1 tablespoon sliced green onion  
1 teaspoon curry powder  
1/4 teaspoon salt

Nutrition information per serving: 167 cal., 10 g pro., 3 g carbo., 13 g fat, 419 mg chol., 3 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 11 percent vit. A, 21 percent vit. C, 14 percent riboflavin, 11 percent iron, 15 percent phosphorus.

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**POPCORN BALLS**

1 quart popped popcorn  
2 tablespoons sugar or margarine  
2 cups miniature marshmallows  
2-3 tablespoons red gelatin

Melt butter and marshmallows. (1/2 minutes in the microwave.) Add dry gelatin and mix thoroughly. Coat the popcorn with the mixture and shape into popcorn balls.

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1 cup smooth peanut butter  
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Wednesday, Sept. 7 - Bird School, Pack 23 Cub Scout Fall Roundup will be held at West Middle School Cafeteria. New Scouts report at 7 p.m., returning scouts 7:30 p.m. Cost is \$10. Any questions, call Sandra Watts, 459-1771.
- AEROBIC CLASSES**  
Monday, Sept. 12 - Aerobics - Fitness Firm fall session begins classes at 10 a.m. Monday and Thursdays, at Dance Unlimited. For more information, call Jan at 349-1607.
- NATURE PRESERVE**  
Wednesday, Sept. 7 - General meeting "Up close and Personal," 7 p.m. at Churchill High School in Livonia. Live bird presentation with hawks, owls and more. For more information, call 453-3833.
- FREE HEALTH SCREENINGS**  
Thursday, Sept. 8 to Sunday, Sept. 11 - The Catherine McAuley Health Center health promotion van will be offering free health screenings and information at the Plymouth Fall Festival. For more information, call the CMHC Office of Health Promotion at 572-5393.
- SKATING REGISTRATION**  
Friday, Sept. 9 - The City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department will hold registration for fall ice-skating classes 5:30-8:30 p.m. at the Plymouth Cultural Center. The cost is \$22 for Plymouth-Canton School District residents, \$24 for Northville and Novi residents, and \$26 for non-residents. The classes are taught by a professional staff. Class meets once a week lasting 25 minutes for eight consecutive weeks.
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Wednesday, Sept. 7 - Ann Arbor Civic Ballet auditions will be held at Sylvia Studio of Dance 7-8:30 p.m., 525 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Looking for male and female dancers ages 12 and up. Females bring point shoes. Fall performance at the Michigan Theater planned. Apprentice, corps, solo positions. For more information, call 688-8066.
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Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday, Sept. 12 - The Canton Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring a fall session of Aerobics Exercise classes: 9:30-10:30 a.m. aerobic; 10:30-11:30 a.m. low-impact aerobic. The instructor is trained by the "Fitness Factory" Co. Baby-sitting services are available for a small charge. Register in person at the Recreation Department, 1150 S. Canton Center Road. For further information, call 397-5110.
- POWER SQUADRONS**  
United States Power Squadrans - Public Safety Boating Course will hold a 10-week course from 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 13, at John Glenn High School, Westland, and from 7-9 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 14, at O.L. Smith Jr. High, Dearborn. Instruction is free with a \$10 charge for the course outline. Registration will be held at the first session. For more information, call Pat Johnston at 464-1406.
- GOLF CLASSIC '88**  
Tuesday, Sept. 13 - The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce presents Annual Golf Classic '88 at For Hills Country Club in Plymouth. Check-in is at 9:15 a.m., tee off is at 10:30 a.m. Tickets are: Individual, \$90; Dinner Only, \$40; Sponsor, \$350. (Sponsor includes two tickets for golf, car rental, meals, refreshments, shirt and publicity in all correspondence). Limited number of reservations available. For more information, call 453-1540.
- SENIOR CHORE SERVICE**  
The Romulus Help Center of West-ern Wayne Chore Program has been funded for 1988.
- TOUGH LOVE**  
Tough Love, a self-help group for parents troubled by teenage behavior, meets at 7 p.m. Mondays in the Faith Community Church on Warren at Canton Center Road, Canton.

**obituaries**

**BERTIS BEWIS**

Services for Bertis D. Bewis of Canton were Aug. 30 at the R.G. & G.R. Harris Funeral Home, Garden City. Burial followed at United Memorial Gardens, Superior Township. The Rev. David Gray of Calvary Baptist Church officiated.

Mrs. Bewis, 79, died Aug. 29. She was a manager for Fabric Inc. in Georgia and was a former Sunday school teacher.

She is survived by her husband, William, daughter Dianne, and three grandchildren.

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ESTHER HULSING, Clerk

**PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN**

7:30 P.M. WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1988

A regular meeting of the Planning Commission will be held on Wednesday, September 14, 1988 at 7:30 p.m. in the Commission Chambers of City Hall to consider the following:

NR-87-11 684 W. Ann Arbor Rd. - Revision to Approved Site Plan - Fence  
Applicant: Dick Scott

NR-88-19 685 Deer St. - Site Plan Review - Condominium - Planned Unit Development  
Applicant: Strella Construction

NR-88-20 298 E. Ann Arbor Tr. - Site Plan Review - Condominium - Planned Unit Development  
Applicant: Huron Arbor Corp.

NR-88-21 790 N. Mill St. - Site Plan Review - Change of Use - Service to Retail  
Applicant: Kevin O'Keefe

NR-88-22 1360 Ann Arbor Rd. - Site Plan Review - Vehicle Garage  
Applicant: AT & T

NR-88-23 896 W. Ann Arbor Tr. - Site Plan Review - Addition  
Applicant: Huron Arbor Corp.

NR-88-24 822 N. Holbrook - Site Plan Review - Addition  
Applicant: Cabaron Auto Body

NR-88-25 739 S. Mill St. - Site Plan Review - Saxton's Distribution Center  
Applicant: William E. Saxton

Public Hearing - A Public Hearing will be held on the proposed revision of the Sign Ordinance.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

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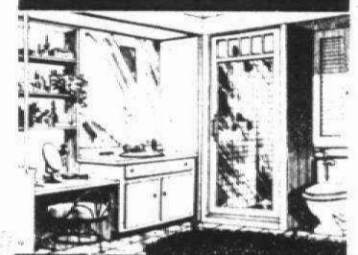
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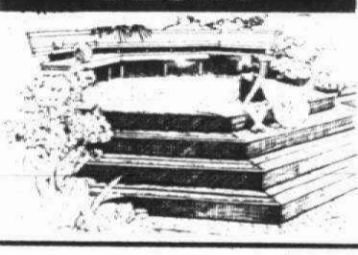
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THU. 4:15 p.m. HYGRADE MIXED - 4 to a team  
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## clubs in action

### ● ROUND ROBIN

Registrations will be accepted until Tuesday, Sept. 6, for the Plymouth Symphony League's round robin bridge and pinochle groups. Individuals or partners may sign up for the new season. Play will begin in September and end by June 1. Group choices are women's daytime and mixed couples evening groups. Donation is \$15. Winners get their money back at the end of the season. To register or for more information, call Elaine Kirchgatter, 453-8054, or Joyce Kelly, 453-3888. Substitutes may also sign up.

### ● CANTON NEWCOMERS

The Canton Newcomers Club will meet Wednesday, Sept. 7, at the Faith Community Church, 46001 Warren, Canton. Social time will be at 7 p.m., the meeting at 7:30 p.m. Dr. Patrick Best, a child psychologist, will discuss children's mental well-being. New and established residents may attend. For more information, call Kim, 397-3970.

### ● BOOK SALE

The Plymouth branch, American Association of University Women, will hold a used book sale during the Fall Festival in downtown Plymouth. The sale will be held Thursday, Sept. 8, through Sunday, Sept. 11. Price for paperback fiction will be \$1 per inch.

### ● AMERICAN LEGION

The American Legion, Passage-Gayde Post No. 391, will hold its business meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 8, at 173 N. Main St.,

Plymouth. For more information, call Commander Cornelius Van Boven, 453-7629. Veterans who need general or claims assistance, or who are interested in American Legion membership, may call.

### ● ANTIQUE MART

The Plymouth Symphony League will hold its 26th annual "Antique Mart" Friday through Sunday, Sept. 9-11, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer St. Hours will be 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. A total of 22 dealers will display a variety of antiques and collectibles. Donation is \$2. Deli food will be served each day. A preview reception will be held from 7:30 to 10 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 8. Wine and hors d'oeuvres will be served. Reservations are required. For reservations or more information, call 453-5544.

### ● CANTON PIONEERS

The next meeting of the Canton Pioneer Senior Citizens will be held at 12:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 9, at the Canton Recreation Center, Michigan Avenue at Sheldon. New members may attend. For more information, call 397-1000 Ext. 278.

### ● FISH FRY

The Plymouth Lions Club will hold its annual fish fry Friday, Sept. 9, in conjunction with the Plymouth Fall Festival. This year's meal will feature some new items. Price is \$5 per meal. The club meets at 6:30 p.m. the first and third Thursdays of each month at the Mayflower Hotel in downtown Plymouth.

### ● WESTSIDE DANCE

Westside Singles will hold an anniversary dance from 8:30 p.m. to 2 a.m. Friday, Sept. 9, at Roma's of Livonia, on Schoolcraft west of Inkster. The dance is for singles age 21 and older. There will be a band. Price is \$5. For more information, call the hotline, 562-3160.

### ● BETHANY NORTHWEST

Bethany Northwest will meet at 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 9. A speaker from the Social Security Administration will discuss "Everything you wanted to know about Social Security and didn't know who to ask." Bethany Northwest is a Christian organization for separated, divorced and widowed people. Meetings are held at 8 p.m. the second Friday of each month at Our Lady of Sorrows church hall, 23615 Power Road, Farmington. Donation is \$3.

### ● SPEECH CONTEST

The Toastmasters International Club "Impromptu Speech Contest" will be held at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 13. The contest will be held in the banquet room of Denny's, on Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth Township. The public may attend. This will be a dinner meeting, with those attending ordering from the menu. For more information, call 455-1635.

### ● 50-UP CLUB

The St. John Neumann Seniors, 50-Up Club, will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 13, at the church, on Warren Road west of Sheldon in Canton. New members and guests may attend. For more information, call Terry Brunner, 495-0075.

### ● ARTISTS, CRAFTSMEN

The 17th annual Artists & Craftsmen Show, sponsored by the Plymouth Community Arts Council, will be held Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 10-11, at Central Middle School, 650 W. Church St., Plymouth. Hours will be 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 10, (with a 9-10 a.m. preview for arts council members), noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 11. The show will be held in conjunction with the Plymouth Fall Festival. Donation is \$1.50 for adults, 50 cents for students and senior citizens. Admission is free for children younger than 12 when accompanied by an adult. Proceeds will support the Plymouth Community Arts Council. About 100 artists and craftsmen will participate in the juried show. The afternoon of Saturday, Sept. 10, will include an art student workshop, with demonstrations by art students.

### ● BOY SCOUTS

Boy Scout Troop No. 1539, Plymouth-Canton, is for boys age 10½ to 17. Activities include monthly field trips and summer camp. Meetings will start again in September at Fiegel Elementary School, 39750 Joy Road at I-275 in Plymouth Township. For more information, call Doug Taylor, 455-1891.

### ● CUB SCOUTS

Cub Scout Pack/Tiger Cub Den No. 748 meets at 6:30 p.m. Mondays at Cherry Hill United Methodist Church, at Cherry Hill and Ridge roads in Canton. Meetings will start Monday, Sept. 12. For more information, call Roger or Kristin Cope, 482-8841.

### ● STUDENT BOOTH

The Plymouth Community Arts Council will again sponsor a student booth as part of the Artists & Craftsmen Show Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 10-11. Students in the Plymouth-Canton community may sell their artwork and crafts, with 10 percent of their proceeds donated to the arts council. The student booth has included an assortment of handiwork, including painting, jewelry, dolls, stenciled items, woodworking, leather work, strawflowers and live plants. Advance registration is required. To register or for more information, call Pat Mackiewicz, 459-3816, or Aileen Burcham, 455-5666, preferably after 5 p.m. Items for sale will be received at Central Middle School after 4 p.m. Friday, Sept. 9.

### ● PHOENIX DANCE

Phoenix will hold a dance/party for singles from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 11, at the Monaghan Knights of Columbus Hall, 19801 Farmington Road, between Seven Mile and Eight Mile roads in Livonia. The dance/party is for singles age 21 and older. Dressy attire should be worn (no jeans). Price is \$4. There will be a cash bar. For more information, call Ruth, 471-1248.

### ● GARAGE SALE

The Canton Pioneers will sponsor a garage sale. The sale will be held Thursday through Saturday, Sept. 15-17, at 45160 Geddes Road 8, between Sheldon and Canton Center roads in Canton. Hours will be 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The public may attend.

### ● TRI-COUNTY

Tri-County Singles will hold a dance/party from 8:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 10, at the Airport Hilton Inn, I-94 and Merriman in Romulus. The dance/party is for singles over age 21. Dressy attire should be worn. Price is \$4. For more information, call the hotline, 843-8917.

### ● CLOTHING SALE

The Western Wayne County Mothers of Twins Club will hold its semi-annual sale of children's clothing from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 10. The sale will be held at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 30650 Six Mile Road, between Middlebelt and Merriman in Livonia. Items for sale will include fall/winter infants' and children's clothing, toys, baby goods and furniture. A bake sale will also be held, with proceeds supporting the organization. The public may attend.

### ● CANTON BPW

The Canton Business and Professional Women will host a membership tea starting at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 12, at the Roman Forum Restaurant, on Ford Road in Canton. Working women interested in learning about BPW membership may attend. The speaker will be Shirley Zeller, past state president of the Michigan Federation BPW and the 1989 convention chairwoman for the national BPW convention, to be held in Detroit. For more information or reservations, call Bonnie Berg, 495-0811, Mary Breckon, 961-2242 Ext. 307, or Terry Ponkey, 535-1800.

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# Sports

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Monday, September 5, 1988 O&E

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## Post player puts Canton over Salem

By Dan O'Meara  
staff writer

Susan Ferko, like the rest of her Plymouth Canton basketball teammates, started slowly in Thursday's season opener, but she was cruising by the end of the night.

The 5-foot-11 junior sparked a last-quarter surge that carried the Chiefs to a 50-46 victory over rival Plymouth Salem, pacing the winners with 19 points from her post position.

Canton, a veteran ballclub that's expected to contend for the Western Lakes Activities Association title again, had trouble finishing its offense early in the game. The Chiefs were able to get the ball inside to Ferko and forward Candi Jones, but the shots weren't dropping.

In contrast, the Chiefs were racking up points in the final quarter as they pulled away from Salem. Ferko, who had eight in

the finale, scored six straight to stretch Canton's lead to 45-36, and Jones made it an 11-point difference with 3½ minutes left.

"Basically, I wasn't on balance," said Ferko of the early going. In the fourth quarter, "We were thinking about who wanted to have the ball at the right time. We wanted to take control and play our tempo game."

**THE ROCKS** rallied to make it a four-point ballgame behind the outside shooting of senior Jill Estey, who made her '88 debut with a game-high 24 points.

The 5-foot-4 guard, the lone returning starter from last year's championship team, kept Salem in the game with her impressive performance.

"Getting off to a good start like she did really gave her confidence," Salem coach Fred Thomann said. "Now our job is to make sure the team rises up and competes at the level she's competing."

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Canton, which lost all four meetings with the Rocks last year and has been runner-up to Salem in the last three WLAA championship games, found the victory gratifying.

"It's a little bit satisfying," junior Jenny Russell admitted. "We were trying not to think of it as Salem, but one game toward No. 20."

"We wanted to work hard and, for once, show people we're better than the cross-campus rival. It will give us an edge going into the next game."

**THOUGH** THE Chiefs had trouble converting at the start, Salem kept sending Canton to the foul line. Despite being 11-of-20 in

the first half, the Chiefs used their free-throw edge to hold a slim lead at intermission, 27-26.

"It was rough in that we didn't score," Canton coach Rob Neu said. "Our No. 1 priority in this game was to establish inside play. Although we didn't score the buckets, they got a lot of fouls."

The Rocks, who survived a potentially bad foul situation, had their biggest moment when they ran off the first eight points of the second period to build a 20-13 lead.

"I was very pleased with the character of our team — the intensity and willingness to stand in there and do battle in the heat of the game," Thomann said.

The Chiefs got back in it by scoring the next six points and taking a 23-22 lead on Stacey Thompson's layup. Ferko gave Canton its halftime margin.

"Our adjustment was simple," Neu said. "We must rebound on the defensive glass."

Once we established that, it eliminated their second chances."

**ESTEY'S PERIMETER** marksmanship had the underdog Rocks staying even in a neck-and-neck contest until Michelle Fortier pulled the plug in the third quarter.

Her outside shot broke a 29-29 tie, and she added another long-range basket that helped send the Chiefs into a 37-31 lead. It was shortly after that Ferko started taking the ball to the hoop.

Fortier finished with eight points, Thompson 10 and Jones nine.

"When Michelle started pulling up and hitting those jumpers, that reopened the middle," Neu said. "When we turned her loose, she became a big factor. She's a great player."

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## Canton mistakes leave door open for Monroe

By Dan O'Meara  
staff writer

Plymouth Canton's football past was too much a part of its present Friday night.

The Chiefs, beginning a new season with hope of achieving their first winning record, got off to the wrong start as they dropped the season opener to Monroe, 6-3.

The fact was Canton did more to give the game away than the visiting Trojans did to win it. If the Chiefs hope to be above .500 eight weeks from now, it will be necessary to overcome the self-inflicted wounds that have stifled its aspirations in past years.

"Not to take anything away from (Monroe), but we beat ourselves," said Canton coach Bob Khoenle after the Chiefs turned the ball over six times.

"The kids played really well, but we made too many mistakes. We were driving, driving, driving and then we fumbled."

**KHOENLE COMPARED** the season opener to several games a year ago in which the outcome could have been different, possibly leading to that first winning season.

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"Just remember this game at the end of the season," he said. "Here's one we could have and should have won."

"That's been the story at Canton for too many years: could have and should have."

The Chiefs showed real promise, however. Khoenle wasn't just softening the blow when he said his team played well. In contrast to the cold facts of the stat sheet, a first-hand account supports that view.

Canton's defense, led by end Brian Bartlett, played superbly and stopped a big, strong Monroe team that got high marks in preseason assessments. The offense, with fullback Jim Young as the star, moved the ball well, but two of the four fumbles halted lengthy drives.

All of which added to the frustration when the Trojans scored a late touchdown to go ahead and the Chiefs had an exciting, last-minute pass from Jason Dembny to Aaron Adkins nullified by penalty.

**"THE THING IS** we have to win some games to get some confidence," Khoenle said. "We've got to stop doing these things that prevent us from winning."

"It would have given us such a boost if we had won this game."

The scoreless stalemate continued until the final play of the third quarter when Canton's Bob Quinn kicked a 42-yard field goal.

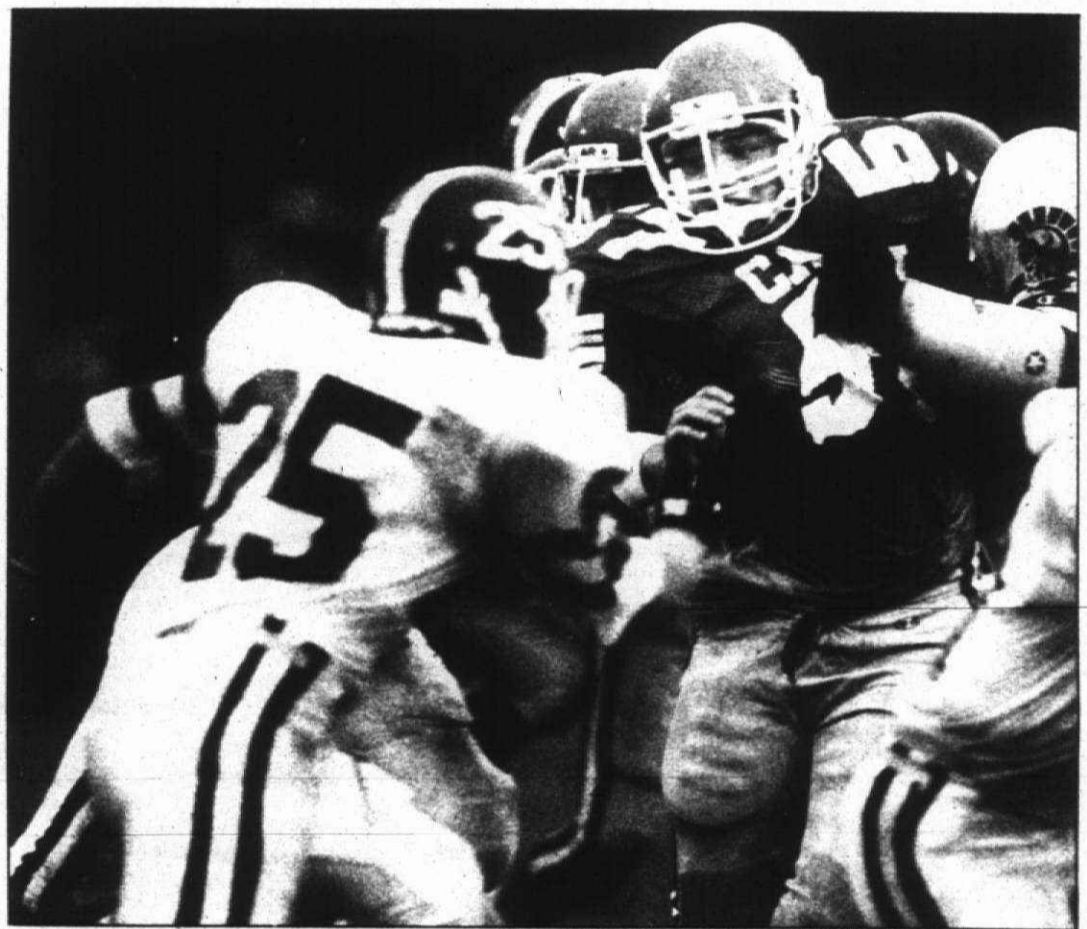
Scott Swartzwelder recovered a Monroe fumble at the opponent's 26-yard line, but three negative-yardage plays stalled Canton's drive at the 24.

"We called timeout intentionally so we'd have the wind at our back, but we had a whole quarter to go," Khoenle said.

A penalty pushed the Chiefs deep into their own end, and the forthcoming punt gave Monroe the ball at the Canton 30 midway in the final period.

**AFTER BEING** shut off by a veteran defense to that time, the Trojans needed just five plays to finally reach the end zone with 4:12 to play. Little Rod Purkey, a 5-foot-8 tailback, charged over the right side

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Jim McKinnon, a Canton defensive lineman, fights off a Monroe block in Friday's season opener. The Chiefs were outstanding on defense, but turnovers, penalties and the game's only TD led to a 6-3 defeat for Canton.

THOMAS ARNETT/staff photographer

## Rocks knock off Trenton in football opener

For three quarters of Plymouth Salem's football season-opener at Trenton Friday, it seemed the long ride there would be an even longer one coming back.

A defeat can have that affect on transportation. But fortunately for the Rocks, who were facing that lengthy ride home accompanied by coach Tom Moshimer and his staff, a game lasts four quarters. And Salem finally awoke in the last quarter to trip Trenton 20-12, transforming their bus ride into a pleasure trip.

It was hardly a thing of beauty, this victory. "I'll tell ya, I'm just happy to have a win over a good football team," said Moshimer. "They're one of the better teams we're going to play."

Problem was, until that fourth quarter Sa-

lem didn't play very well. Each team scored on turnovers in the second quarter, Brian Schultz racing 28 yards with a recovered fumble to give Salem a 6-0 lead (the extra point snap was fumbled) and Jeff Neckel tying it by returning a blocked punt 35 yards for a Trenton touchdown with just 39 seconds left in the half (the extra point kick was blocked by Mike Jarvey).

**THE TROJANS** then took control in the third quarter, marching 74 yards on 16 plays. Neckel scored his second TD of the game, plunging 1 yard, but the two-point conversion run failed, so Trenton led just 12-6.

"After Trenton scored, I would have taken bets they'd jam it down our throats," said Moshimer. To that point, he had seen little from his offense to make him believe anything

else. Penalties — 12 in the game for 70 yards — ruined any rhythm Salem might have established.

Then something happened in the final quarter. Moshimer's young offensive line, his biggest concern entering the season, started opening some holes and junior quarterback Ryan Johnson rallied his team with a couple of big plays.

"We lost everyone on our offensive line (from last year) and it showed," said Moshimer. "We need a lot — A LOT — of work up there. We came back in the fourth quarter and played better. I think some of our coaches talked to the, uh, 'children.'"

**WHATEVER THEY** said, it worked. With 9:33 left to play, Johnson capped a 67-yard drive with a 30-yard touchdown pass to

Schultz. Don Nichols' placement put Salem on top for good, 13-12.

Johnson then scored an insurance TD, diving in from a yard out, with 6:03 to go. Nichols again added the extra point kick. The Rocks recovered a fumble at Trenton's 28 to set up the score. After losing 10 yards on a holding penalty, Johnson passed 31 yards to Don Parrish to the 4-yard line.

Johnson finished with four completions in six passes for 87 yards, with one intercepted, and rushed 17 times for 63 yards. Schultz also enjoyed a solid game, catching a touchdown pass, returning a fumble for another TD and intercepting a pass.

Salem had 192 total yards on offense to Trenton's 166. The Trojans had two fumbles and an interception.

*"I'll tell ya, I'm just happy to have a win over a good football team. They're one of the better teams we're going to play."*

— Tom Moshimer  
Salem football coach

## The 'difference' disbands; SC star forwards move on

**MAKING IT** to championship caliber, on a national scale, requires certain elements — most essentially, talent.

Schoolcraft College's women's soccer team rose to the top of the NJCAA a year ago with what appeared to be the bare minimum. The Lady Ocelots had a handful of good, solid players and some passable ones.

Several members of that cast were thrust into alien roles — a forward (Amy Weber) was in the goal, a midfielder (Jennifer Belhart) was at sweeper, another midfielder (Lisa Hysko) was at defender. A lack of depth made coach Nick O'Shea's task more difficult.

What made O'Shea's job easier — and what catapulted SC from ordinary to championship contender — was what he called his "three aces in the hole." Jennifer Huegli, Jennifer Flowers and Mary Kay Hussey.

**EXCEPTIONALLY SKILLED** soccer players are rare, even in

soccer-rich Livonia. Huegli, Flowers and Hussey are three of the best — not just from Livonia, but the state. When O'Shea managed to land all three to fill his forward line, he knew his team had a shot at the NJCAA crown. His "aces" were that good.

How good? Here's Michigan State soccer coach Joe Baum's assessment: "What a forward line that was. They might not be quite as good as you'd find on a North Carolina or George Mason or Colorado, but those are all Top 10 teams (in the NCAA's Division I). They would be a top-20 forward line, certainly."

"We would have jumped for joy to have a line like that."

As it turned out, Baum had cause for joy anyway — he signed perhaps the best talent of the three in Huegli. She'll begin her Spartan career as a junior and as a starter, switching from left wing to left midfielder where Baum thinks "she'll be able to handle the ball more, and she'll still be able to get into the offense."

**"WE FEEL** she's such a great talent, we could play her anywhere. She's definitely one of the top three players on our team. We're so happy to have her — she has tremendous skills."

It took Huegli a while to decide to accept a partial scholarship at MSU. Planning to major in education, she also considered attending Eastern Michigan and giving up collegiate soccer.

Playing the game had already taken the Livonia Churchill graduate to Barry University in Miami, Fla., where she started every game as a freshman. A combination of factors brought her back to Livonia, to Schoolcraft and to O'Shea, who had already signed Flowers and Hussey. Huegli was the final piece in SC's championship puzzle.

**"THAT WAS** one of the best teams I ever played on," she said, "because it was really just an average team, but we had a lot of success."

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## Defense no longer weak point on S'craft's squad

By C.J. Risak  
staff writer

A year ago, Schoolcraft College women's soccer coach Nick O'Shea faced a major problem. He had scorers, he knew; what he didn't have was a proven defense.

So O'Shea started shuffling, moving midfielders Lisa Hysko and Jennifer Belhart to outside defender and sweeper, respectively, and sticking former forward Amy Weber into goal.

With Jennifer Huegli, Jennifer Flowers and Mary Kay Hussey doing the bulk of the scoring, the revamped Lady Ocelots rolled all the way to an NJCAA championship.

That was 1987, though. And although Belhart, Hysko and outside defender Sharyl Acitelli return, Weber is gone and — what's more devastating — so is the entire front line.

It leaves immense holes for O'Shea to fill. Huegli and Flowers accounted for 37 goals and were junior college All-Americans, and both they and Hussey were named to the

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NJCAA all-tournament team.

Replacing them would be impossible. So what's O'Shea planning?

"I'm not trying to replace them," he replied. "I'm going to try and improve the whole team, defensively and offensively."

**IMPROVING THE DEFENSE** is certain, considering the talent O'Shea has signed. Indeed, last year's weakness is this year's strength.

"Last year, I made midfielders into defenders," he said. "This year, I've got so many defenders I'm going to have to move some up to midfield and forward."

His new recruits include the top two prep sweepers in Observerland last spring — Livonia Churchill's Kellie Davis and Plymouth Canton's Lori Stoecklein. With Belhart back,

that gives O'Shea three sweepers, or two too many.

At the moment O'Shea is trying Davis at center mid. Stoecklein may move to outside defender and Hysko to stopper, replacing the graduated Kelly Churchill.

O'Shea also recruited outside defender Rosemary Hally, another Churchill grad and all-Observer performer. So in a scrimmage last week, O'Shea moved Acitelli up to outside midfield.

**NOT THAT** the midfield isn't loaded, too. Churchill's Dawn Gabrieli, an all-Observer choice and one of the top players in the area last spring, will play outside mid. Maureen Frampus returns (she started on the outside in '87), while newcomer Wendy Howell fills the attacking midfield position.

The forward positions could be a trouble spot. Joan Arndt, who ran track at Livonia Ladywood instead of playing soccer, is solid in one spot. Converted defender Gina Carozzo,

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# Rocks get rolling with 5-2 victory

Plymouth Salem's young soccer team surprised even its coach Thursday in the 1988 season opener.

The Rocks hit Brighton early and often, building a 4-0 lead after 30 minutes of action. Salem remained in front for a 5-2 victory.

Coach Ken Johnson's troops played "better than I thought they would." He added the Bulldogs had eight seniors in their starting lineup.

"It seemed every player they announced was a senior," said Johnson, deepening his voice to imitate the public address announcer. "So-and-so, senior! so-and-so, senior! so-and-so, senior!"

"They were big and strong, but we were quick and had good passing," he said.

Greg Christensen paced the Rocks with two goals, both coming in the four-goal barrage that started the game, and one assist.

Matt Gold, a fellow midfielder, notched a goal in between Christen-

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sen's scores, both of which were achieved on headers with assists from Billy Joker and Marc Lipke.

"A lot of set plays worked," Johnson observed.

Donovan Nichols, the stopper, made it 4-0 when he scored via a direct free kick from 25 yards out. Paul Brown got the Bulldogs on the scoreboard before halftime.

Jeff Van DerMergle cut Salem's lead in half at the 58-minute mark, but Chris Olson, on a crossing pass from Joe Tippman, added an insurance goal for the Rocks.

Matt Tudor played the first 65 minutes in goal for Salem, and Derek Olson completed the game.



Monroe's Lorenzo Clark tackles Jason Riggs and forces a fumble in the opening quarter of the non-league opener.

## sports shorts

**SOCCER CAR WASH**  
Plymouth Salem's boys soccer team will have a pledge-per-car car wash from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 18, behind the high school.

No more than 150 cars will be washed. To make a pledge, call 397-0668 or 981-4296.

**PUNT, PASS, KICK**  
Canton Parks and Recreation Department will sponsor its annual Punt, Pass and Kick Contest for boys and girls, age 8-13, at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 1, at Griffin Park.

Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. that day. Each participant will try one punt, pass and kick, and his/her efforts will be judged on distance and accuracy.

Awards will be given to the top finisher in all six age groups. The winners will represent Canton Township in regional competition later in October.

No football shoes (cleats) will be allowed, only tennis shoes. Call 397-5110 for information.

**MEN'S SOCCER**  
Canton Men's Recreational Soccer League is looking for men 30 years of age or older to play soccer this fall.

The league plays on Sunday evenings, beginning Sept. 11, at the Canton Recreational Complex. If interested, call Don at 397-1926.

**3-ON-3 BASKETBALL**

The city of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department will sponsor a 3-on-3 basketball league again this year. The entry fee is \$45, plus \$5 for each non-resident.

Games will be played on Monday and Thursday nights at Central Middle School. League play begins the week of Sept. 18-24. Each team will play a 14-game schedule (two games a night).

Registration runs through Wednesday, Sept. 14. For rules and regulations or further information contact Tom Willette at 455-6620.

**DOMAKO UPDATE**

Tom Domako, a 6-foot-9 honorable mention Associated Press All-American forward from Montana State, has signed a contract with a professional league first-division team in Lyon, France.

The Livonia Stevenson High School product reportedly signed for \$100,000.

Domako, the Big Sky Conference Player of the Year in 1986-87, turned down an invitation to the Houston Rockets' veterans camp, which begins in early October. He was also the first pick of the second round in the Continental Basketball Association.

**Brothers pace Salem win**

Salem coach Rick Wilson figured brothers Dan and Dennis Alcock would help the Rocks' goal team, and he was right on target about that. The Allocks, with a surprise contribution from freshman Dave Weaver, turned back the Hawks in the season-opening dual meet for both teams Thursday at Braeburn Golf Course.

Dan shot 38 for the nine-hole round and Dennis 42. Weaver was sandwiched between the transfers from Texas with 41. Brian Fennelly and Mark Bodley added scores of 43 and 45 for Salem.

"I was pretty happy," Wilson said. "I expected us to be 205 or under. That's not too bad for the first match."

Harrison was led by another brother combination, Mike and Tim Story. Mike shot 47 and Tim 49.

# Soccer champs on different trails

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Average except for that forward line. Both Huegli (15 goals, 14 assists) and Flowers (22 goals, four assists) were junior college All-Americans; Hussey (five goals, nine assists) was hurt during much of the regular season, ruining her All-American chances, but she joined Huegli and Flowers on the NJCAA all-tournament team.

"It was the best line I ever played on," Huegli said without hesitation.

At least she'll get a chance to keep playing. "I'm excited about going to MSU," she said. "I had a good season at Schoolcraft, and I'm confident. I've played Division I soccer before. I know I can do it."

"If I had gone to Eastern, I know I would have been so unhappy."

FOR HUSSEY and Flowers, playing intercollegiate soccer seems remote. Hussey, who graduated from Livonia Stevenson in 1985, also played one year at Barry. She has no

junior college eligibility remaining, she plans to go to EMU, and she's been hired as Stevenson's girls soccer coach.

Flowers graduated from Church Hill in '87 and has a year of eligibility left at SC, but she won't use it this season. Academic woes have sidelined her.

The unit that clicked so well on the field for SC will probably never be on the field together again, with an occasional summer tournament or indoor league serving as possible exceptions.

But they will always retain a lofty place in local sports history, for they deserved a major portion of the credit for SC's first-ever national title.

"You can't go out and replace those three," admitted O'Shea. If he ever does, SC will be a good bet to win its second NCAA championship.

Huegli and her new MSU teammates will scrimmage SC at 6 p.m. today at Schoolcraft.

# Ocelots minus big guns

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also from Ladywood, and Lori Hodges (Garden City) will work at the other position. DeAnne Brda played just about everywhere for Livonia Franklin, and may fill a similar role for SC.

In goal, O'Shea thinks SC could be improved, although Weber did a remarkable job for having almost no experience (she was named the NJCAA all-tournament keeper). Kris Moore, who played keeper at Chipewa Valley, has better technique and more experience than her predecessor.

WITH THE TEAM heavily skilled along the back line and in midfield, O'Shea plans to go to more of a controlled passing game.

"We've got the skill in the back to pass the ball around and keep possession," he said. "Instead of getting the ball to one person and let them try and beat the defender, we're going to try to control the ball, work

down one side of the field and then reverse it to the other."

So can SC repeat?

"It's going to take a while to develop," said O'Shea. "With more passes, there's more chances for mistakes. I'm asking them to do more than any high school team, but they have the talent. What we want to do is force the other team to play more defense."

The Lady Ocelots won't have much time to develop. They open at Western Michigan Sept. 14, but the West comes three weeks later in Monroe, N.Y. when they face three of the top five teams in the NJCAA in a three-day span: Monroe CC, Farmingdale CC and Nassau CC.

That weekend will go a long way in determining SC's repeat hopes.

# Monroe spoils Canton opener

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from 4 yards out.

The Chiefs gave the ball up on an interception with 2:53 remaining, but they still weren't through. Canton might have pulled out a victory if not for the most costly penalty of the night.

Demby passed to Adkins over the middle, and the 6-foot-4 receiver galloped up the left sideline for a 64-yard gain to the Monroe 2. Adkins, however, was declared off-sides and the play was called back.

The 6-foot, 175-pound Young made the biggest impression among offensive players. He ripped the Monroe defense for huge gains time and again, finishing with 174 yards on 25 carries.

"He's a good back, but we can only run him so long," Khoelne said. "He's a good runner, but we

have to get some consistency from some of these other guys."

In his varsity debut, Demby was 7-of-15 with two interceptions for 93 yards. Swartzwelder, Bruce Hermanson, Joe Perko and Jim McKinnon also played well for the defense that didn't give up a first down until late in the second quarter.

THE CHIEFS stopped Monroe's longest drive of the night — a 15-play march — at the Canton 26 just before halftime when Bartlett, who had a handful of sacks, dropped Monroe quarterback Willie Jones on consecutive plays for minus-13 yards.

"It was very encouraged," said Khoelne of the game's positive points. "I enjoyed the game; I thought it was a good game. It's there; we just have to get rid of the mistakes."

# Canton beats cage rival

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"I think you're going to see this year, with Susan, the more games she plays the better she's going to be around the basket," he added.

With many new players on the varsity, Salem gave a good account of itself, and the most impressive newcomer was Wendy Bailey, who scored some big baskets and followed Estey with eight points.

"I THOUGHT WE played very well in the first half with the exception of the foul we committed," Thomann said. "We made some little mistakes that maybe we won't later in the season."

Neu also was pleased with the debut, which was made sweeter by a victory that ended a string of losses to Salem.

"You try and downplay the Canton-Salem thing, so the players don't get too excited about the thing," Neu said. "I think the girls did a nice job of trying to execute their game."

"The closeness of the game was due to Fred and Jill," he added. "The man can flat out coach. You can't take a team with Fred Thomann and Jill Estey lightly."

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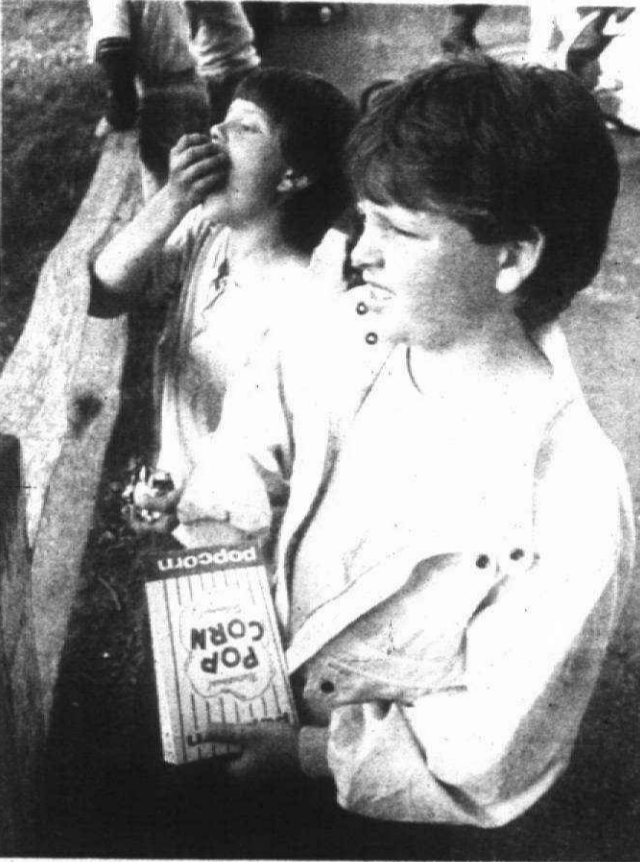
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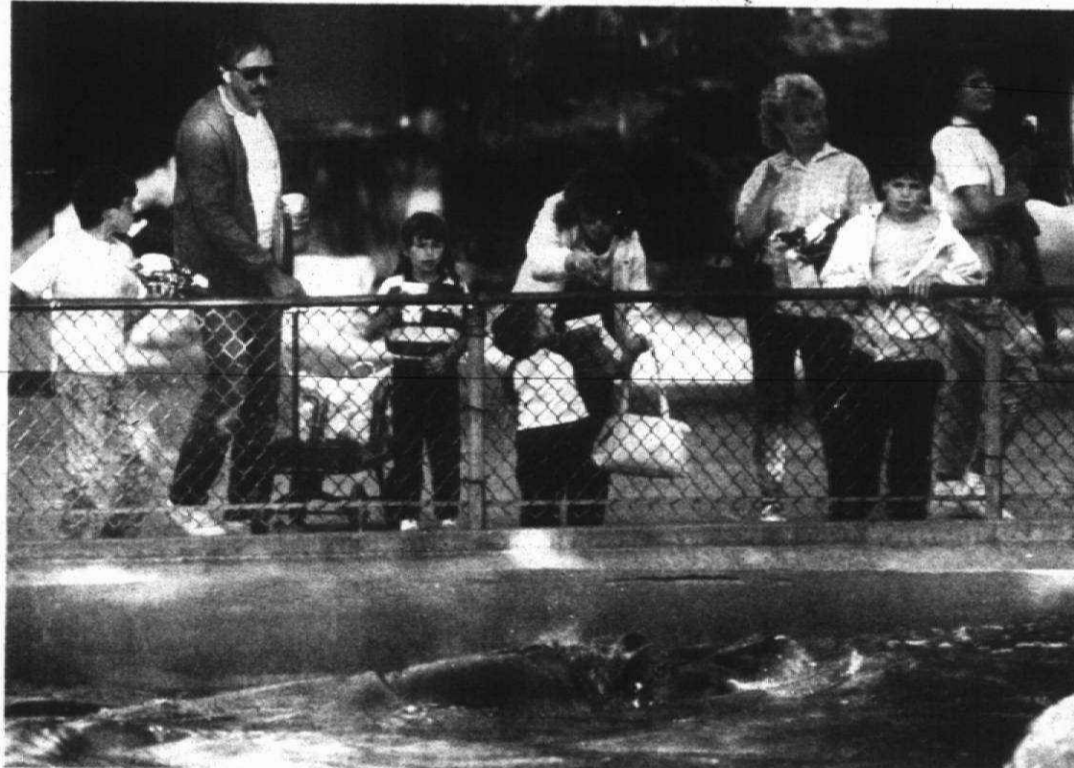
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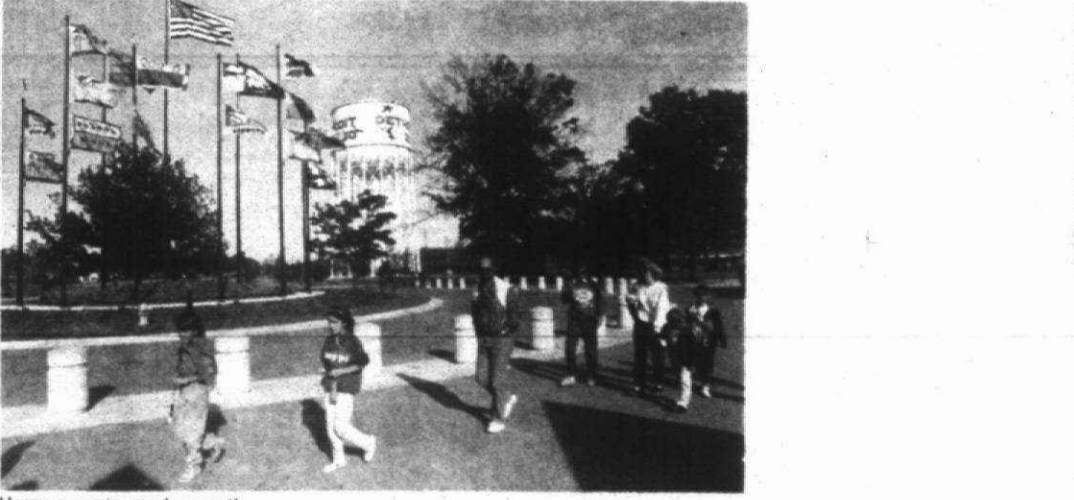
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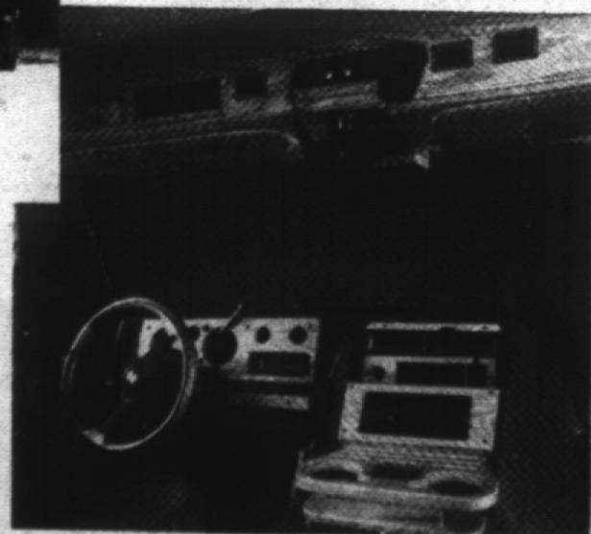
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All eyes are on San Diego, Calif., as Dennis Connor begins his defense of his 1987 America's Cup victory. The challengers are from New Zealand, and to borrow a phrase from a sports-minded TV station, Street Scene is getting up close and personal with this island country. See Page 6D.

# STREET SCENE

## Leotards, tank tops: High-tech 'marriage'

By Judith Doner Berne  
staff writer

The slim, leotard-clad females file in through the south door. The muscled, tank-topped males move in through the north entrance.

It's the newest marriage in town as the body-builders of Powerhouse Gym and the aerobic exercisers from Fitness are now side-by-side in a new, high tech, mirrored and upbeat storefront in Hunter's Square, Orchard Lake Road south of 14 Mile in Farmington Hills.

But each partner — as in many modern marriages — is retaining his/her maiden names and economic independence. And, at least so far, the "families" that each has brought to the marriage are eyeing each other with caution.

"WE PEAKED in our gym. I've always loved aerobics," said Jill Amsel, who with her husband Larry has operated the Powerhouse franchise for a year. So they recently moved to the larger quarters from another Orchard Lake Road shopping center, two miles south. She took classes at all the local studios and health clubs offering aerobics, "shopping" for the one she wanted to be her next door neighbor.

"By going in together, they'd get more people and we'd get more people," said Helaine Keller, who owns Fitness with partner Andrea Bernstein. Fitness abandoned its smaller studio on Northwestern Highway earlier this month to expand its space and share quarters — and hopefully clientele — with Powerhouse.

HOWEVER THE separate doors are symbolic of the fact they are "two separate businesses in the same space," Keller, a Birmingham resident, said. "We are not affiliated."

Fitness, which also has a studio in Birmingham's 555 building, counts females as 80 percent of its clientele. Coincidentally, about 80 percent of Powerhouse's members are male.

"We've wanted more men," Keller says, and the newest Fitness routines have reflected more intensity and power movements. They have also actively sought more male instructors.

"We've made our aerobic workouts a little more masculine, cut out the fluff, getting to things that really work," adds Bernstein, a Southfield resident. "They're a little more resistance oriented."

AS FOR AMSEL, who lives in Farmington Hills, "We wanted to give the opportunity for our customers to have something else to do."

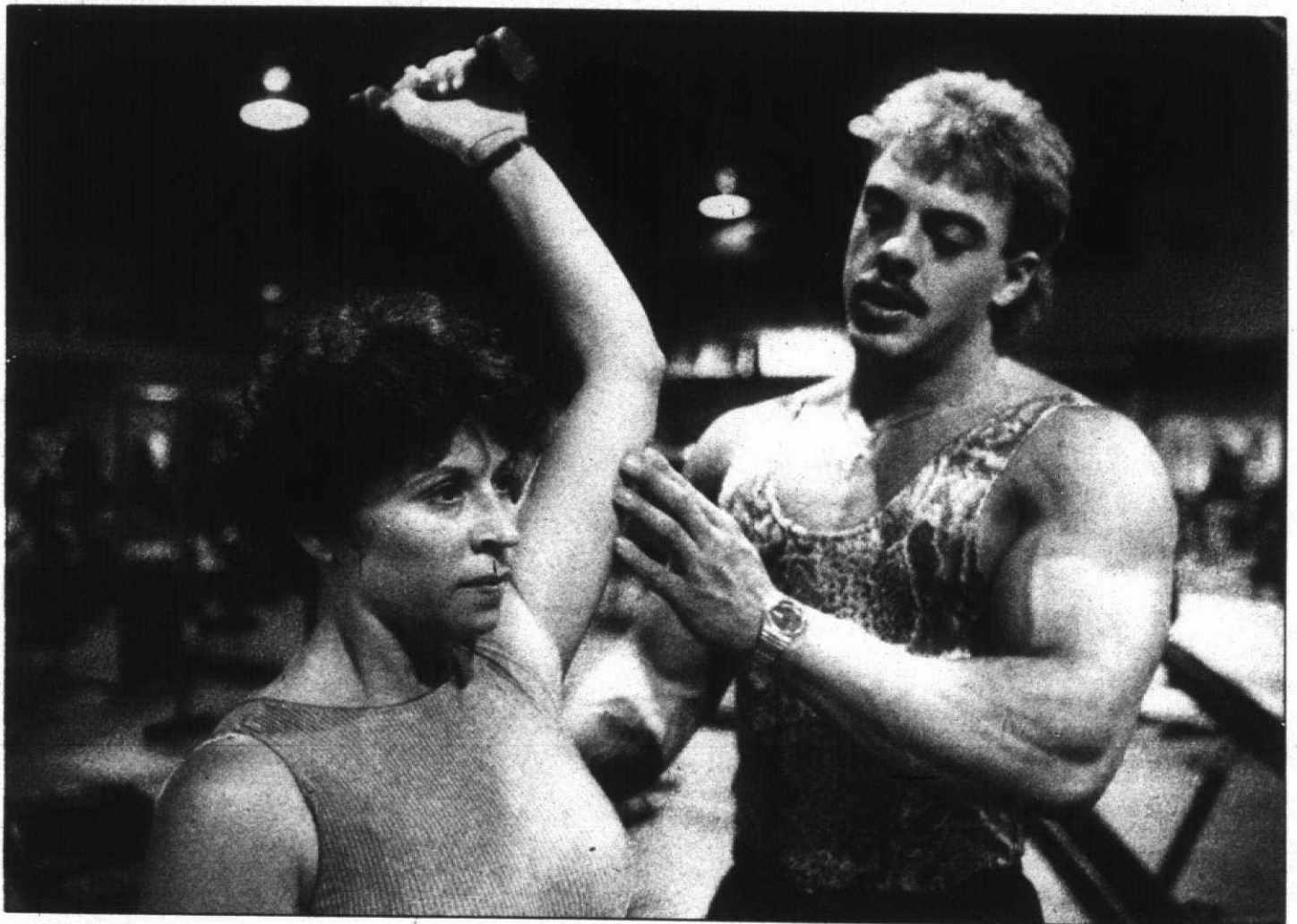
Owners of both businesses are out to dispel some myths. They hope that through education and proximity more body builders will incorporate aerobics and more aerobic exercisers will take up weights.

"In terms of physiology, aside from socially and psychologically, they go hand in hand," Keller says. Women "are afraid they'll 'bulk up'," Keller said. They won't — they don't have the physiology. At the same time, body builders are afraid they'll lose their bulk. They won't — they'll gain agility and muscle flexibility and lose fat."

ALTHOUGH THE exposure to more members of the opposite sex while exercising will appeal to some, owners of both businesses are adamant that heavy-duty, no-frills exercise is the main reason for coming to Fitness/Powerhouse, that those who are more social may be happier at the health clubs.

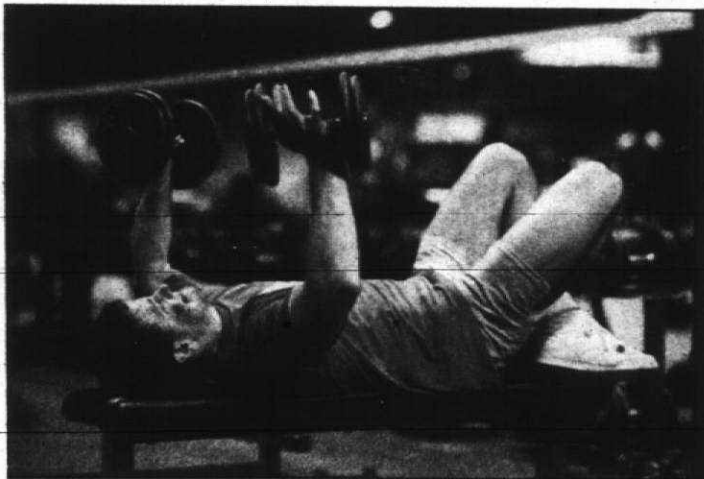
"I wanted a place for people to come to work out and not feel they have to wear makeup," said Amsel.

"We're exercise — no frills — a hard sophisticated workout," Keller agreed. "We're all here for the same reason. There is more of that social opportunity, but it's not blatant."

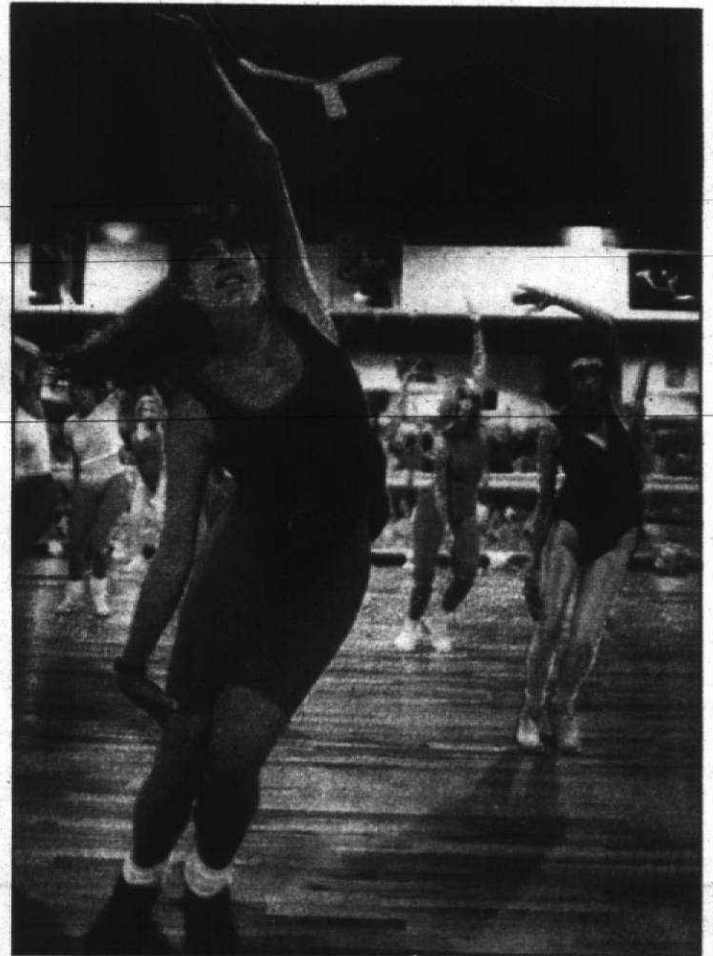


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Don Frazier helps novice weight lifter Honora Levy of Bloomfield Hills with her weight training program. Frazier operates a service called Body By You out of the Powerhouse Gym.



Mike Acho of Farmington Hills grimaces during his workout at the Powerhouse Gym.



Helaine Keller, co-owner of Fitness, puts her class through a tough aerobics workout.

## Look before you stretch

"Body building is coming out of the closet now," said Jill Amsel, of Powerhouse Gym.

"Everything will peak, but aerobics are here to stay," said Andrea Bernstein of Fitness.

For the newcomer to body building, most area gyms offer weight and streamlining machines, exercise cycles, moving stairs — and supervision on how to use the equipment according to your ambition and physique. And new machines are coming out all the time.

As for aerobics, classes vary from the original jumping-style aerobics

to low-impact to what some believe are "the aerobics of the future" — hi/lo — which combines the two. As for stretching and toning your body, classes may give an overall workout or be devoted to lower body or abdominals (abics).

Body building and aerobics are offered throughout the Observer & Eccentric communities at gymnasiums and studios, private sports and health clubs, Y's and community education programs.

Whatever you do, Bernstein advised, "Find out what you like to do and stick with it."

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"Finally, the guilt got to be more than I could handle — I had to join a support group, 'Parents Without Computers'!"

## Almost heaven and white water rafting

By Casey Hans  
staff writer

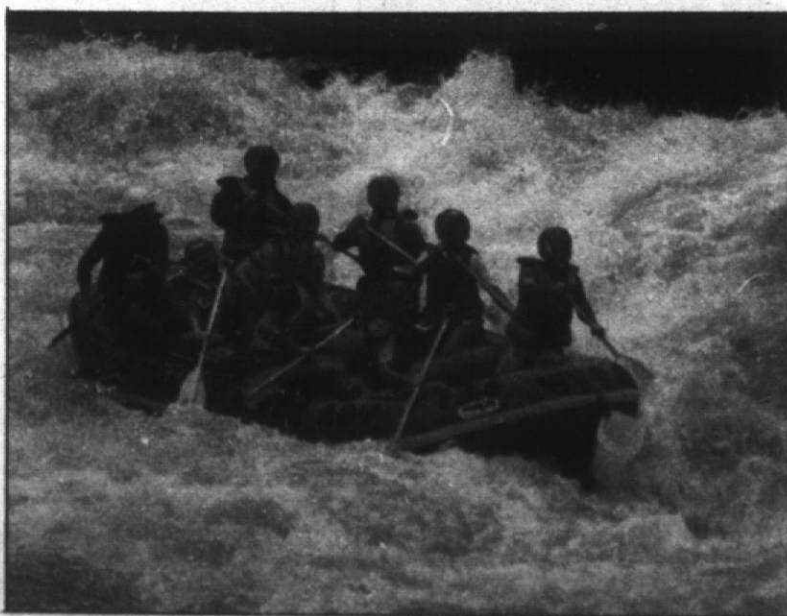


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A group of rafters take on the Gauley River in West Virginia, one of the more rocky and technical rivers to navigate.

I was sure. The rubber raft slid from under me and was headed down the Gauley River toward the next foamy, rocky dropoff of white water.

We were bucking our way through Pillow Rock, the second major white-water rapid, and I was already a statistic. This two-day overnight river trip had just begun, and I was not going to live to see the rest of it.

I was sure. "Everyone OK?" I heard our guide inquire with a laugh. I realized it was almost heaven, but I was still in West Virginia. Much to my surprise, and delight, no one had fallen out.

Our raft, carrying eight, was on its way to a bouncing, wet, wild ride down the Gauley River, which is in the mountains just east of Charleston.

The Gauley is one of the few rivers outfitters schedule for fall white-water trips, because that's when the U.S. Corps of Engineers lets water out of the dam. We were there in early October, just before the colors changed but in time for a couple of cold, snappy nights in a tent.

Fall rafters appear to be in uniform, as everyone dons wetsuits, wool sweaters and helmets for the trip.

The Gauley River covers 26 miles of sandstone-cliffs and forests of poplar, mountain ash, conifers, hemlock, red oak and white pine.

# 'Roger Rabbit,' 'America' spur on box office record

There's very little new product this week as the summer film season draws to a close with new box-office records in virtually every category.

The 1988 take is running \$300 million ahead of 1987's record \$4.2 billion, led by "Who Framed Roger Rabbit," "Coming to America" and "Crocodile Dundee II." Each grossed more than \$100 million. "Big" at \$90 million has contributed its fair share, while a half dozen others are running in the \$30 to \$50 million bracket.

Controversy and good box office continue to swirl around Scorsese's "Last Temptation" with the squabbling losing out as curiosity feeds the turtles.

As of Aug. 21 the film grossed \$1.18 billion while playing at 18 theaters. However, 2,600 theaters have refused to show it.

### RECENT RELEASES:

The Maple Theater features a double-bill as "Bagdad Cafe" teams up with Southfield filmmaker David Lee's 27-minute "Curtains Baby Blues."

Filmed in New York City last year, "Curtains" testifies to the abundant young talent on the contemporary movie scene. Lee's work is complemented by Skip Roesse's cinematography and William British's acting in a thoughtful comment on creativity.

"Bagdad Cafe" (B) PG 91 minutes. Except for a confusing opening, this is a wonderful comedy about friendship, love and understanding. Jasmine (Marianne Sägebrecht) leaves her husband in the middle of the Mojave Desert and winds up in Bagdad where she rents a room from Brenda (C.C. Pounder), who has kicked her husband out. The two women, who start out with nothing in common, form strong bonds. Jack Palance also appears. Reviewed by Jennifer Morse.

### SPECIAL PRESENTATION:

The Detroit Film Theatre presents the latest (1987) in the Eric Rohmer ("Pauline at the Beach") cycle of comedies and proverbs. "L'Ami de Mon Amie" ("My Girlfriend's Boyfriend") at the Detroit Institute of Arts at 7 and 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Sept. 9-10, and at 4 and 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 11.

### STILL PLAYING:

"Bambi" (A) (G) 70 minutes. Short but good animated story of young fawn growing up. Great for kids, and for adults on a nostalgia trip.

"BETRAYED" (A) (R) 115 minutes. In the best Costa-Gavras ("Z" and "Missing") tradition, this tense film combines political thrills and personal poignancy. FBI agent, Cathy Weaver (Debra Winger) goes undercover to track murderers of controversial radio talk-show host. However, loosely based on the murder of Denver broadcaster, Al Berg, and the subsequent expose of white supremacist groups, this film will make you nervous about fascism and about personal involvement versus commitment as Winger becomes emotionally attached to the man she's investigating, Gary Simmons, (Tom Berenger).

"Big" (A) (PG) 95 minutes. A shy 12-year-old boy's wish is granted when he wakes up one morning in a man's body. Tom Hanks skillfully captures the innocent childlike qualities and gestures of a 12-year-old trying to live in an adult world. Reviewed by Cathy Guyer.

"The Big Blue" (D±) (PG) 110 minutes. Despite attractive Aegean photography, nice music and elaborate underwater scenes, you can forget this display of macho intensity as diving men test their strength and will against one another. If you do see it, let me know whether the hero ended up with Rosanna Arquette or the dolphin.

"Big Top Pee-wee" (B) (PG) 80 minutes. Kids and Pee-wee Herman fans will love this "talking farm animals, dumb jokes, a circus and Pee-wee in love. Reviewed by Kathy Guyer.

"The Blob" (D) (R) 90 minutes. This remake just doesn't cut it. Horror film fans may love this blob with an '80s touch, but too much blood and guts and too little story. But don't worry, Kevin Dillon and Shawnee Smith save the day. Reviewed by Jennifer Morse.

"Bell Durhan" (A-) (R) 105 minutes. Wonderfully wacky, but slightly overdone summer in the minor leagues. Veteran catcher Crash Davis (Kevin Costner) is brought in to steady hotshot young pitcher Nuke LaLoosh (Tim Robbins). Susan Sarandon and Jenny Holmson complicate matters. Film is as explicit as possible while remaining an "R."

"Clean and Sober" (C) (R) Maudlin soap opera has Daryl Foyner (Michael Keaton) on the lam and hiding out in a 21-day detoxification program. So-so PR for your local chemical dependency center.

"Cocktail" (C-) (R) 110 minutes. Adolescent fantasy, populated with overdone, soapy melodrama about a high concept bartender, Brian Flanagan (Tom Cruise) and assorted "chickies" led by Jordan Mooney (Elisabeth Shue). Some clever lines by Bryan Brown but only Cruise addicts will sail on this one.

"Coming to America" (B-) (R) 120 minutes. Hollywood and sexist view of Africa, but Prince Akeem (Eddie Murphy) rebels against an arranged marriage and visits New York City Lee's 27-minute "Curtains Baby Blues."

"Die Hard" (\*) (R) Bruce Willis and Bonnie Bedelia in story of hostages trapped in L.A. building seized by terrorists on Christmas Eve.

"A Handful of Dust" (C) (PG) 110 minutes. A boring story of marital problems between Tony (James Wilby) and Brenda (Christine Scott Thomas). Brenda has an affair and Tony goes to South America. Cameo appearances by Angelica Huston and Sir Alex Guinness are the only bright spots. Reviewed by Jennifer Morse.

"Hero and the Terror" (B) (R) 100 minutes. Cop Danny O'Brien (Chuck Norris) nabbed killer Simon Moon (Jack O'Halloran) three years ago and now O'Brien's worst nightmare comes true — Simon escapes. Hero must come to terms with his fear and catch the Terror once more. This time around Danny has his girl Kay (Brynn Thayer) and unborn child to protect. Chuck Norris does well in this suspense thriller as tough guy with a tender side. Reviewed by Jennifer Morse.

"Hot to Trot" (\*) (PG) Comedy about insecure stockbroker and his friend, Don, the talking horse.

"The Invisible Kid" (PG) Juvenile up-date of the old "Invisible Man."

"Mac and Me" (\*) (PG) A young boy in a wheelchair and a kidnapped alien.

"Married to the Mob" (B) (R) 110 minutes. Enjoyable and cute film, as Angela (Michelle Pfeiffer) is widowed when mob boss Tony "The Tiger" Russo (Dean Stockwell) loses her hit-man hubby, Frankie (Alec Baldwin). She figures that's her ticket out of the mob but Tony wants her and so does FBI agent, Mike Downey (Matthew Modine), in more than one way. Reviewed by Jennifer Morse.

"Midnight Run" (F) (R) 115 minutes. An absolute disappointment, wasting two acting talents in weak script. Bounty hunter Jack Walsh (Robert Downey Jr.) suffers through overly familiar chase scenes, the FBI and the Mob to bring accountant-embelzer Jonathan Mardules (Charles Grodin) back to L.A. Reviewed by Jennifer Morse.

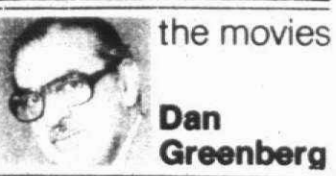
"Nightmare on Elm Street Part 4 — The Dream Master" (C) (R) 90 minutes. Looks like Freddie's power is weakening and so's the series. Storyline is developed, but the expected suspense and gore is lacking. Even "Nightmare" fans will be disappointed. Reviewed by Jennifer Morse.

"Pascali's Island" (A-) (PG-13) 101 minutes. Excellent photography and fine characterizations in this classic portrayal of loyal civil servant forgotten by home office. For 20 years, Basil Pascali (Ben Kingsley — "Ghandi"), faithful servant of the Ottoman Empire, has reported to Constantinople from his station on the Greek Island of Nisi. No one answers British adventurer Anthony Bowles (Charles Dance) is catalyst for tragedy as Pascali searches for meaning in his life.

"A Summer Story" (B±) (PG-13) 100 minutes. Well-done, tragic love story. After 18 years Frank (James Wilby) returns to the farm where he met his true love, Meagan (Imogen Stubbs). He recalls their romance and learns some shocking things. Reviewed by Jennifer Morse.

"Stealing Home" (C±) (PG-13) 100 minutes. Convoluted story of failure in the heartland of America's privileged class, the well-to-do. Billy Wyatt (Mark Harmon with help from William McNamara and Thacher Goodwin as the 10- and 16-year-old Billys) must disperse cremated ashes of best friend, Katie Chandler (Jodi Foster). Motivation for so much failure is weak. Goodwin and McNamara have more screen time than Harmon and much-needed poignancy is missing.

"Tucker: The Man and His Dream" (A) (PG) Excellent production that really



the movies  
**Dan Greenberg**

### Grading the movies

A+	Top marks - sure to please
A	Close behind - excellent
A-	Still in running for top honors
B+	Pretty good stuff, not perfect
B	Good
B-	Good but notable deficiencies
C+	Just a cut above average
C	Mediocre
C-	Not so hot and slipping fast
D+	The very best of the poor stuff
D	Poor
D-	It doesn't get much worse
F	Truly awful
Z	Reserved for the colossally bad
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"The Dead Pool" (B-) (R) 95 minutes. Clint Eastwood is back in Dirty Harry's fifth adventure. This time its multiple celebrity deaths. Action-packed with quite a few bloody scenes. Dirty Harry fans will appreciate their hero's usual endurance.

"Die Hard" (\*) (R) Bruce Willis and Bonnie Bedelia in story of hostages trapped in L.A. building seized by terrorists on Christmas Eve.

"A Fish Called Wanda" (A) (R) 110 minutes. A very funny film with the whackiest gang in town. Principals include Jamie Lee Curtis as Wanda the Wonderful, jewel thief extraordinaire. Among her colleagues are Kevin Kline in an absolutely inspired performance as a berserk American in London. John Cleese is a proper barber, but... The whole thing is beyond words. The only solution is to see the movie.

"A World Apart" (B±) (PG) 110 minutes. Intense, true story of Diana Roth (Barbara Hershey), the first woman in South Africa to be jailed under its 90-Day Detention Act for her anti-apartheid activism. She suffers psychological tortures for her political

stand and her daughter, Molly (Jodi May), struggles to understand her mother's activism. Reviewed by Jennifer Morse.

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"Young Guns" (D) (R) 90 minutes. This film wouldn't have been so long and boring if they'd cut the s/mo footage. It added absolutely nothing to this dull and dumb story of Billy the Kid (Emilio Estevez) leading a gang of young outcasts out to avenge murder of their mentor (Terrence Stamp). The evil Mr. Murphy (Jack Palance) caused all the trouble. Despite help from Charlie Sheen, and others, this is a loser

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## STREET BEATS



Jimmie Bones and the Grave Robbers include Dominic LaMarra (left), Jimmie Bones, Tommy Ciccon, Louie Rando, and Randy Michaels.

### Grave Robbers dig bare bones beat

By Larry O'Connor staff writer

Throw in the raw guitar sound like the MC-5 or the Rolling Stones. Add some diverse lyrics in the spirit of Jim Carroll or Patti Smith.

Maybe include a dash of irony, a la the Ramones, for a bit of spice.

Of course, trying this in the kitchen will cause a considerable mess. On stage, though, you'll have the straight-ahead rock 'n' roll thunder of Jimmie Bones and the Grave Robbers.

But Art Lyzak of Lili's 21 had no idea of what he was getting a few weeks back when he booked the five-member group into the Hamtramck club. Another band had canceled at the last minute, leaving the former member of the Motor City Mutants scurrying for another group.

All Lyzak had was a video of Jimmie Bones and Bones and his Grave Robbers shook the house with a no-holds-barred approach to rock'n'roll.

"They just play good, straight-ahead rock'n'roll," Lyzak said.

It's a straight-ahead sound that's honed in only nine months time. The band formed out of a series of jam sessions with lead singer Jimmie

Bones and Dominic LaMarra. LaMarra honed his skills in The Reputations, a highly regarded Detroit band. He learned the importance of breaking the mode of standard hard rock drum rhythms, instead taking a more upbeat approach.

JIMMIE BONES played in a number of local rock'n'roll outfits, including the commercial heavy metal sounding Jack Black and Miller's Killers (obviously, Bones has developed a knack for being in well-named bands).

From those experiences, the game plan is clear for Jimmie Bones and the Grave Robbers. The want to play a selective number of dates locally, avoiding saturation. Also, they would like to make regular rounds on the outstate college circuit.

"We want to keep writing," Dominic said. "It all boils down to your writing."

Already, the group has shown some depth with socially relevant "All In the Cards," which deals with contrasts between the daily life of the rich and the homeless. Yet the band also produces the punchy tunes, "Tough Girl," that leave people running to the dance floor.

The name of the band itself will more than likely please the interest of the non-local rock variety. "It was probably a combination of too much beer and watching the Three Stooges," Jimmie Bones said.

IN CONCERT

• THE LYRES The Lyres, who are from Boston, will perform Tuesday, Sept. 6, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First, Ann Arbor. For more information, call 996-8555.

• ROMANCE Romance will perform Wednesday through Saturday, Sept. 7-10, at Jagers, 3481 Elizabeth Lake Road, Pontiac. For more information, call 681-1700.

• WALK THE DOGMA Walk the Dogma will perform, along with Figure 4, on Thursday, Sept. 8, at Psyche's Lounge, 2932 Caniff, Hamtramck. For more information, call 872-8934.

• TERRENCE SIMIEN Terrence Simien & The Mallet Playboys, who are from New Orleans, will perform at 10 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 8, at the Blind Pig, 208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. Tickets are \$7 and available only at the door.

• POLISH MUSLIMS The Polish Muslims will perform 5:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 8, in the New Center area, Woodward Avenue and West Grand Boulevard.

• THE SHY The Shy will perform on Friday, Sept. 9, at Lili's 21, 2930 Jacob, Hamtramck. For more information, call 875-6555.

• N SOMETIMES Y N Sometimes Y will perform, along with Souled Out, on Friday, Sept. 9, at the Hamtramck Pub, 2048 Caniff, off I-75. For more information, call 875-9760.

• FUNHOUSE Funhouse will perform on Saturday, Sept. 10, at Lili's 21, 2930 Caniff, Hamtramck. For more information, call 99-6555.

• SEE DICK RUN See Dick Run will perform on Saturday, Sept. 10, at Hamtramck Pub, 2048 Caniff, off I-75. For more information, call 365-9760.

• JUGGLERS AND THIEVES Jugglers and Thieves will perform along with Anti-Fashion and Ash Can VanGogh on Saturday, Sept. 10, at Psyche's Lounge, 2932 Caniff, Hamtramck. For more information, call 872-8934.

• J.J. CALE J.J. Cale will perform at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 7, at the Michigan Theater, 608 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Tickets are \$16.50 and \$12.50. For more information, call 99-MUSIC.

• B.B. KING B.B. King will perform at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 7, at the Michigan Theater, 608 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Tickets are \$16.50 and \$12.50. For more information, call 99-MUSIC.

## Sunday radio show has new 'dimension'

By Larry O'Connor staff writer

When tuning into WDET-FM 102 from 10 p.m. to midnight, the question is whether this is a radio show or merely a conversation between two friends during lunch.

With Martin Bandyke and Ralph Valdez, the answer tends to be the latter.

An informal air surrounds their show, "Dimension." The casual nature of this two-hour program is what, perhaps, sets "Dimension" apart from other new music shows on Sunday night.

"We approach it like we're having friends over to the house, and we're playing music for them," said Bandyke, who has hosted "Dimension" with Valdez for nearly six years.

Chances are you won't know what to make of "Dimension" at first. A steady stream of new music from up-and-coming bands, like the Pixies, Throwing Muses and Wire, is featured without the standard deejay rap.

Instead, Bandyke and Valdez fill idle air time by talking about the latest film at the Michigan Theater in Ann Arbor or the new exhibit at the Detroit Institute of Arts. Sometimes they engage in a Siskel-Ebert debate over the merits of a record just played.

Surprisingly, they manage to pull it off without coming off as a pair of hoity-toity intellectual cosmopolites.

"I DON'T like to be seen as elitist or just playing strange music," Bandyke said. "I feel we're playing music that's enjoyable and challenging at times. We're not trying to alienate listeners or be weird. Or to be obscure for the sake of being obscure."

"I think our friendship comes across," Valdez added. "We joke and stuff without going over the top. It's a friendly rivalry there."

Apparently, their growing audience agrees. Requests come in from all around the metropolitan Detroit area, Bandyke said.

The show has a lot of other factors going for it, such as no commercials and an 80,000-watt signal.

"Dimension" will be moved to the 8-10 p.m. time slot on Sundays starting in October, putting it up against Steve Koston's new music

show, "Sonic Rendezvous," on neighboring WRIF-FM. Bandyke and Valdez are up for the challenge. The earlier broadcast time will allow more people to listen to the show.

Bandyke said "Dimension" has another edge. He works as an import buyer for Dearborn Music, thus keeping up-to-date on new releases. He also knows just what people are buying.

"There's other avenues where people are finding out about alternative music," Bandyke said. "Radio has been lagging far behind. The audience is there. Just by working in a record store, I can see it there."

"PEOPLE ARE a lot hipper than radio or newspapers give them credit for."

Radio was a natural interest for Bandyke, who graduated from the University of Michigan in 1976 with a degree in TV, radio and film. Bandyke and Valdez played in a new wave band, Retro, together.

A friend who hosted "Dimension" at the time invited the duo down to play some music. The show, which has been on the air for 12 years, was devoted strictly to literature at the time.

Eventually, they took over as hosts. They still focus on the arts, but mix it with a liberal dose of alternative music.

Here are the top 10 albums receiving airplay on WWWW-FM, the campus station for Henry Ford Community College.

1. "Go Bangs," Shriekback. 2. "Tighten Up the Volume

street seen

Charlene Mitchell



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Excitement pops up

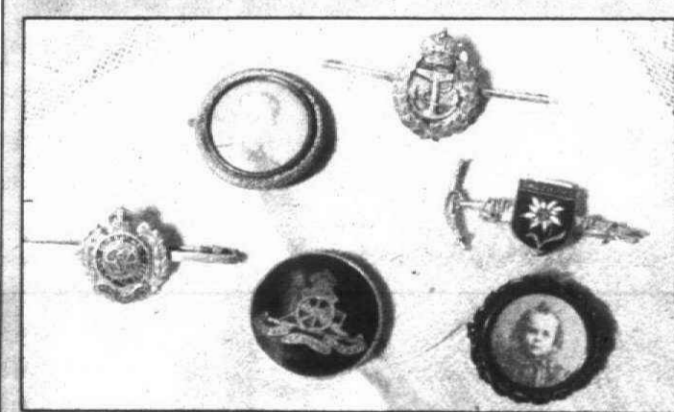
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Lend an artful earful

Get an earful of art with the latest masterpieces by one of the jewelry world's most renowned designers, Robert Lee Morris. Morris has scaled down his earpieces for fall, but nothing has changed with his trademark 24k gold plate. This style consists of seven soft petal-shaped darts that gently swing with head movement. A step ahead of conservative, but not too trendy for everyday wear. \$130. Twigs, Birmingham.

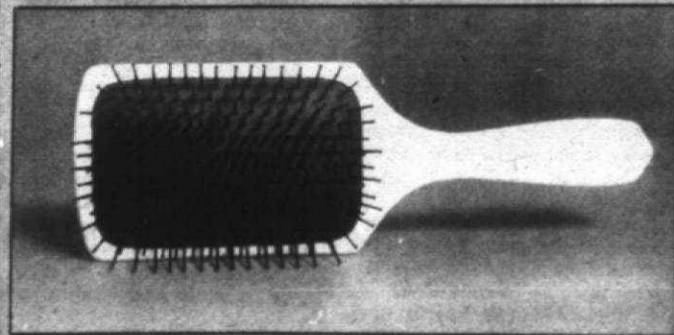
Silent friends

They speak of a quieter time — these "friends" of artist Mary Teeter's. Each doll stands 38 inches high, is made of a combination of antique and new materials, and is individually signed and numbered. Their clothing and hair are hand-stitched with the same quality workmanship of their earlier cousins. Their contemporary designer Teeter creates them in her cozy farm home in Stouchsburg, Berks County, Pa. Each is one-of-a-kind. \$220. Mabel's Country, 33887 Five Mile, Livonia.



Traditional pin-ons

Tradition still lives with these antique English sweet-heart pins made of sterling pins, tortoise shell or brass. Originally worn by the wives or girlfriends of servicemen, today's wearers use them for pictures of their favorite bears, grandchild, or even pet. Choose from a variety of sizes and styles. Prices range from \$55 to \$140. Diane M, Birmingham.



Easy does it

An old design from the Orient has resurfaced with this popular oversized, rectangular hairbrush. Bendable bristles make it easy on the hair, preventing pulling and breakage. The large size and shape of the head bring out a lot of fullness in your hair. Plastic handle, in black and white. \$12. Daniel J. Salon, Farmington Hills.

STREET WISE

All that jazz

If you're really into jazz, then you don't want to miss out on Oakland University's your ticket to the jazz greats continuing education class being offered this fall. The class will be 6:30-9:30 p.m. Thursdays, Sept. 22 to Oct. 27, on the university's Rochester campus. OU jazz studies director Marvin "Doc" Holladay will conduct the course, using dialogue/lecture, videotapes, sound reproductions and his own performance as classroom materials. Tuition is \$95, and registration can be completed by calling 370-3120 between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. weekdays.

Driving for laughs

It's not a comedy golf classic nor is it a set of wheels that laugh. It's

the 1988 Pulitzer Prize winning comedy, "Driving Miss Daisy" and it will be at the Music Hall Center for a six-day engagement Tuesday, Sept. 13, through Sunday, Sept. 18. The mention of the automobile in any Broadway play or musical is very unusual, but in "Driving Miss Daisy," the mention of the automobile is the norm. In fact, four car makers — LaSalle, Packard, Oldsmobile and last, but not least, Cadillac — get banded about in the play. Former Detroit and five-time Tony Award winner Julie Harris and the multi-talented Brock Peters are co-starring in the comedy. "Driving Miss Daisy," in its second smash year, is New York's hottest comedy. Its stop at the Music Hall Center is the first leg of its national tour. For ticket information, call the Music Hall at 963-7623.

Peace, brother

Pete Seeger, the 69-year-old folk singer who has devoted his life to writing and singing songs about events of the day, will be bringing his style of folk music to the Power Center in Ann Arbor Friday, Sept. 9.

place be to Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 10-11, is Greenfield Village in Dearborn. Yep, it's time for the village's annual Old Car Festival. Motor cars from 1929 and before will be the main attraction as they will compete for prizes. There also will be plenty of folks wandering around in old-style clothing and entertainment to suit the era. There is no additional charge for the festival beyond the regular admission of \$9.50 for adults, \$8.50 for senior citizens and \$4.75 for children 5 to 12 years of age. For more information, call 271-1620.

Touch of old

For those of you who love "Tin Lizzies" and horseless carriages, the

Seeger will perform in "Songs for Peace, Jobs and Justice" with Pig Land Station and Workers Lives, Workers Stores, a benefit concert for the Workers Culture Program. The son of a musicologist, Seeger started off working with folklorist Alan Lomax at the Library of Congress Archives of Folk Song for a year before forming the Almanac Singers along with Lee Hays, Woody Guthrie, Millard Lampell and others. A few years later he became a member of the Weavers, a quartet that sold more than four million records and helped popularize folk songs and topical songs on a national scale before being blacklisted from commercial work. Seeger championed the rights of workers, the poor and the illiterate in his music. Tickets for the 8 p.m. concert cost \$15.50 each and are available at the Michigan Union ticket office and all TicketMaster outlets. For ticket information or to charge tickets by phone, call 763-TKTS.

American rivers are lure to rafters

By Casey Hans staff writer

More than 4 million people raft on our nation's rivers each year, and many first-time paddlers soon become white water regulars. There are rafting trips on rivers from Maine to Colorado, and West Virginia to Idaho. And, who can forget the Chattahoochee River in Georgia — famous scene of the 1972 movie "Deliverance."

Trips attract 4 million a year

Most trips are scheduled from spring through autumn, but some rivers are used only a few weeks each year, depending on water run and whether they are fed by dams. Eastern rivers have rapids closer together, while western rivers offer more calm between rapids. All the

rivers range from Class I rapids, the easiest, to Class V, the technically toughest rapids in which to maneuver a raft. Experts suggest you do your homework before planning a trip, and learn about outfitters and their reputations. Plan to raft a river regulated by a federal or state permit process, which gives outfitters standards to follow. Get references, if possible. Information can be obtained from various state travel bureaus and from the following sources:

- Eastern Professional River Outfitters Association, P.O. Box 119 Oak Hills, WV 25901.
- Western River Guides Association, 7600 E. Arapahoe Road, Englewood, Colo. 80112.
- National Park Service, Department of the Interior, Washington D.C. 20240.
- U.S. Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, Washington D.C. 20250.

Surviving on the Gauley River

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BUT RAFTERS and their guides have little time to view the scenery as they navigate rapids with names such as Pure Screaming Hell, Heaven Help You and Insignificant. All white-water rapids are rated on a Class I to Class V system, with Class V being the most difficult. Many rapids on the Gauley range between Class III and Class V. The upper portion — which includes the aforementioned Pillow Rock — is intense and not for those without rafting experience. Most outfitters recommend at least two rafting trips on other rivers before attempting it. But the

Lower Gauley is more manageable for novices. And for those who want more time to relax between rapids — or plan a spring or summer trip, there's the New River Gorge, also in West Virginia. I've had two experiences on the New and one on the Gauley, and find the New gives me a chance to catch my breath, and the rapids are just as enjoyable. It's also been 80 degrees, plus, for both New trips, compared with the Gauley where we encountered rather frosty mornings.

THERE ARE OTHER rivers to consider, including the Youghiogheny and Cheat in West Virginia, and the

Penobscot and Kennebec rivers in Maine, to mention a few. Traveling from the Detroit area to the popular Eastern rivers takes 8-10 hours, depending on your speed and whether you caravan with carloads of friends. Our initial six-person trip on the New River has grown to an annual spring trip with nearly 30 people. That's quite a caravan — and a lot of fun.

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Up, up and away

By Sue Mason staff writer

Now I know what's meant by a bird's eye view — trees that look like fuzzy mounds of moss stuck haphazardly on a Lionel train board; sailboats that look like white slashes on an artist's canvas; roads that resemble streamers of gray satin ribbon. The world certainly does look different from 6,500 feet, especially when the only thing between you and the ground is the gondola of a hot air balloon.

It's serene and peaceful. Gone is the noise of cars rushing by, dogs barking and children laughing. The only sound to interrupt the solitude is the sporadic woosh of the propane burner pilot Phil Glebe operates to heat the air in the balloon, or envelope. The sun dances around the rainbow colored envelope, casting a shadow on a layer of haze that hovers thousands of feet above the ground. The lakes act as mirrors, offering a crystal clear reflection of the balloon as it slowly passes overhead.

IT HAS to be the closest thing to flying like a bird without all the wing flapping.

Glebe, 36, has been ballooning for 12 years and the thrill of the sport and his respect for nature is reflected in what he says and does.

While at the helm, if there's such a thing as a helm in a hot air balloon, he points out the sites as the balloon lazily moves northeast from the Island Lake recreation area to Milford.

He had launched his \$24,000 balloon as part of a promotion for the Channel 2 Great Balloon Festival Friday-Saturday, Sept. 9-11.

The gods are smiling on Glebe's greenhorn passengers, including yours truly. It's ideal ballooning weather. The winds are less than 10 miles an hour; the temperatures balmy.

With a woosh, the balloon quickly pulls away from the Meadows balloon port, a small open area set aside in the Island Lake recreation area for balloon launches. The port is the only such facility in the country that is state-owned and is the re-

sult of lobbying by Glebe and fellow balloonists. Within minutes of lift-off, the balloon clears the trees ringing the port and is climbing to its cruising altitude of 6,500 feet. At 650 feet, the ground resembles a Lionel train board. By the time it is a mile high, the view resembles an architect's scale model.

As the balloon reaches the mile high marker, the greenhorns strike up a ragged chorus of the Fifth Dimension's "Up, Up and Away." Many of the words were replaced by da-das and the quality of the performance is a good candidate for vaudeville's rotten tomato salute. Glebe just cracks a smile.

While the view is spectacular at 6,500 feet, the thrill of ballooning doesn't hit home until you skim along at treetop level, so low you can reach out and pick the leaves from the trees and hear the children hollering as they run along waving.

One of the greenhorns remarks about feeling like Miss America. "Smile and wave, smile and wave," he says as he waves to a youngster, who returns the salute then turns and runs into the house, screaming "come and see the balloon."

HOT AIR ballooning is a gentleman's sport so to speak. Balloonists are polite. They can't be in a big hurry because their mode of transportation depends on the fickleness of Mother Nature. They can't be rude because they depend on the good nature of farmers and property owners for places to land.

As gentle as the ascent is, landing is a completely different experience. The gondola touches the ground with a bump and if you're lucky, stays put. If not, it bounces as few times, giving into the envelope's urge to keep moving forward.

For the greenhorns, the gondola bumps and bounces three times before coming to a rest on its side. The greenhorns are stacked like so many pieces of wood, howling with laughter as they try to untangle their legs.

A slight cross wind had caught the balloon as it neared the ground, making for the bumpy landing. But the greenhorns don't care. They survived their first hot air balloon ride and found the landing to be great. Up, up and away.



With a woosh of flame, Phil Glebe prepares the Pontiac racing balloon for lift-off. Helping with the preparations is crew member Jan LeGarde.

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Balloonists star at fest

First there was the Detroit Grand Prix, followed by the Thunderbolt hydroplane races. Now, there's the Channel 2 Great Balloon Festival. Sponsored in part by Auto One, Health Alliance Plan and Thorn Apple Valley, hot air balloons will be the center of attention at the festival Friday-Sunday, Sept. 9-11. The "bound and hare" races — the Channel 2 balloon will race the hare that will race ahead and mark a spot the other balloons (hounds) will race to — will be at dusk Friday and dawn and dusk Saturday and Sunday. NBRA points will be given to those balloonists who come closest to the target marked by the "hare." The festival will be held on a 200-acre site in Green Oak Township. It will include helicopter and tethered balloon rides, air show, arts and crafts, a food extravaganza and plenty of entertainment. Heading the entertainment will be Chuck Barry, who will perform at 4:30 p.m. Saturday. There also will be a 1960s show with the Shrelles, the Crystals and the Shangri-Las at 3 p.m. Saturday and 12:30 and 3:30 p.m. Sunday. In addition, local group Bugs Beddow will perform at 4 p.m. Friday. The festival gates will be open from noon to 8 p.m. Friday, and 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Admission is \$10 per car Friday and \$8 for adults, \$4 for children under 12 and free for children under 5 on Saturday and Sunday. For balloon enthusiasts who want to watch the launchings, admission is \$3. Advance tickets are available at all TicketMaster outlets and discount tickets can be purchased at all Auto One stores. The festival grounds can be reached by taking I-96 west to U.S. 23 south (exit 148) toward Ann Arbor. Get off U.S. 23 at Lee Road (exit 53), turn left on Lee Road to Ricket Road.

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## Sailing is islanders' first love



It is 16 days until the first day of spring. A water skier swings past the giant Maori canoe, parked on the shore of the Bay of Islands at the northern end of the North Island.

A few miles south, the sailboats cover the harbor at Auckland, City of Sails. The tiny blue penguins come out of the sea at Wellington only by night, but the sign is there at all times to warn motorists: Don't run over the penguins.

On the South Island, the gardens at Christchurch are yellow with daffodils. There are fuzzy fawns in the deer farms, just beyond the fence from the cattle herds. New born lambs dot the pastures like globs of white wool, wobbling across spring-green grass and up the steep foothills of the Southern Alps.

How steep are the pastures of New Zealand? If you buy a leg of lamb buy the downhill leg, it's longer.

There are 60 million sheep and only three million people in New Zealand, many of them sheep farmers, so you can be sure they are talking about the spring weather this week.

But most of all, they are talking about the America Cup challenge Sept. 7-11 in San Diego. They were talking about it last September, when most Americans hadn't yet heard that New Zealander Michael Fay had challenged American Dennis Connor to a rerun.

**NEW ZEALANDERS** love to sail. The country consists of two narrow islands running northeast to southwest for 1,000 miles, plus a few other islands scattered about the South Pacific. It's difficult to be more than 100 miles from the sea, so the kiwis spend a lot of time on the water.

To get the picture: Take a strip of the United States from Detroit to Jacksonville, Fla., divide it in two, turn it upside down, and surround it by water. It is warm, almost tropical, at the north end of the volcanic north island, cold, pointing to the Antarctic, at the south end of the mountainous South Island. Mostly mellow in between.

There were no mammals and no people here until the Maoris paddled out of Polynesia 12 centuries ago and named the place, Aotearoa, "Land of the Long White Cloud." Captain James Cook brought a

few pigs that went wild. The whalers, seal hunters and, eventually, the settlers brought the rest, including deer, dogs, cats, rabbits, sheep, all those animals that make an Englishman feel at home. Most of them went wild, making New Zealand a hunter's paradise in 1888.

The mammal immigration wasn't so good for the flightless kiwi and moa birds, who never learned to fly because they didn't have any ground enemies. The Maori's killed off all the giant moas for food. The ground animals have now made the kiwi almost extinct, although you can still see them in protected situations.

If you tour New Zealand, you will probably fly United, Air New Zealand or Continental airlines into Auckland, New Zealand's largest city, and drive to the geysers and hot volcanic pools around Rotorua, where Maori culture is a major tourist attraction.

**MOST TOURS** go from there to Christchurch on the South Island and on to the popular city of Queenstown, with day tours into Milford Sound. This is one of the most beautiful areas in the world and has lots of interesting side trips, like flying to the Tasman Glacier at Mount Cook, or heli-skiing in the New Zealand Alps.

New Zealander John Anderson founded Contiki Tours, which specializes in tours for 18- to 35-year-old travelers worldwide, so Contiki is very popular here. You can easily drive the country on your own in a rental car or a motor home (they call them caravans). There are many caravan parks, mostly in grassy fields.

The gorgeous national parks are environmentally protected, so people camp near the entrances unless they go in on foot.

Most motels in New Zealand have kitchens. Farm stays are very popular. THC Hotels, run by the New Zealand government, are adequate to good; the THC resorts are best and chain hotels are available in many places.



A Maori craftsman carries on the woodcarving tradition of his ancestors.

MICKY JONES

# Sampling 'kiwi' life in the Southern Alps

## Tourists tip pints, tell tales at tavern

By Iris Sanderson Jones  
contributing travel editor

**QUEENSTOWN, N.Z.** They are all here, jammed against the old wooden bar and around the tables. The Shotover jet boat drivers, the girls who work in the Mount Cook Airline office, the guides who lead track tours to Milford Sound, the skiers trusting their luck to the melting spring slopes of the Remarkables.

It's like this year round at Eichardt's Tavern on the waterfront of Queenstown, the tourist center of the South Island. The gold miners gathered in this tavern a century ago to brag about their strikes, when the Shotover River was the richest gold mine in the world.

Now, tourists from New Zealand, Australia and the United States belly up to the bar, swapping tales about hiking the Milford Track or outlasting the last weary dancer at the Penthouse, the disco upstairs.

Aussies used to be 50 percent of the New Zealand tourist trade, and you can still hear their "G'day mate," but the rest of the world is here now, too. American tourists have increased 20 percent. Airplane safety regulations are spoken in English and Japanese.

Albert Eichardt built his hotel in 1871 after winning a gold nugget in a raffle at the infamous Royal Oak Hotel in nearby Arrowtown. You can still wander the restored Arrowtown streets, and you'll find the crazy, wonderful Royal Oak Hotel.

**THE EICHARDT** was the heart of Queenstown during all those years when no roads ran into the mountains and everything came

by steamship down Lake Wakatipu. The TSS Earnslaw, Lady of the Lake, is the only old coal-burning steamship left now, and most of the beer drinkers here and in the lounge bar across the hall have ridden her into Frankton Arm or across the lake to Mount Nicholas Sheep Station to see the sheep shearing.

Streets of smart shops surround the tavern door now, selling Paua shells, carved Maori clubs, greenstone jewelry and expensive hand-knitted designer sweaters to the skiers who pay the rent in the winter months of July and August and to the summer crowds of December and January.

It takes a while to get used to hearing a Kiwi say things like "the best time to come is in the autumn months of April and May," but this is the southern hemisphere and seasons are reversed.

New Zealand has the best helicopter skiing in the world. We really loved taking the fixed-wing ski planes to Tasman Glacier on Mount Cook and skiing down!

I had met Bev and Tom Kauza of Bloomfield Hills standing on the 7,000-foot Tasman Glacier, amid the mountain grandeur of Mount Cook National Park on my way to Queenstown. Mount Cook, between Queenstown and Christchurch, is the highest peak in New Zealand at 12,349 feet. They were touring the South Pacific.

Most of the tourists on Mount Cook were on either the South Pacific tour, with quick stops at Auckland, Rotorua on the North Island, Queenstown, Christchurch and Milford Sound on the South Island, or they came to have a



Sheep are a common sight in New Zealand, way or another, involved in the raising of the animals.

MICKY JONES

longer, more strenuous vacation, especially on the Milford Track, known to hiking insiders as one of the finest walking tracks in the world.

**YOU HAVE** to reserve months ahead to be either an independent "freedom walker" or to join the five-day, four-night escorted tour from Te Anau near Fiordland National Park to Milford Sound.

You cruise to the head of Lake Te Anau and do the first flat mile of the track, climb steep switch-back trails to the 3,400-foot McKinnon Pass, across the high plateau grass and on through Arthur Valley and around Lake Ada to Milford Sound. Definitely not for strollers like me.

That's the hard way to get to Milford Sound, the only way for

centuries except the way that Captain Cook came — by sea. Most of us go in by car or bus through the magnificent scenery of Fiordland National Park. Any way you go it's worth the effort to stand at the heart of the sound and see the glaciated peaks drop into the fiord, or to cruise the sound to the edge of the Tasman Sea.

You can take a tour or a seaplane to Milford Sound from Queenstown. There are several other tracks out of the Queenstown, but most of us are content to exercise our elbows at Eichardt's Tavern or down the street in Queenstown Bar; eat pizza between the stone walls of The Cow or eat Mutton Bird at Roaring Megs; ride the gondola car up the steep slope to Bob's Peak for a top-of-the-world view of town;

visit the beautiful public gardens overlooking the harbor and town; or play golf on one of the two peninsulas jutting into the lake.

**DRIVING** downhill to the dock and watching the red boats leaving their wake between gorge walls, you might think about enjoying a view of the adjoining mountains, but the time you have rounded the first curve of river you know better.

The guides, who wrap you in orange life vests and hoods that tie up around your head, are trained to accentuate the experience, so when the jet boat takes off from the dock and heads towards the sharp edge of the nearest rock wall at 50 miles per hour, you scream with fear and delight, just like you do when you take that first long drop on a roller coaster.

## North island place for culture

The best place to experience Maori life and culture is in the town of Rotorua on the North Island, especially at the Whakarewarewa Thermal Reserve.

You can tour the New Zealand Maori Arts and Crafts Institute and a complete Maori village, set in a thermal plain full of hot springs, steam and geysers.

Traditional Maori carvings are created for viewing and for sale and can be seen in use on the grounds. Several thermal areas are worth day trips out of the town.

Some Rotorua hotels offer the Hangi, a Maori feast and concert. You will be introduced to the dances so reminiscent of South Pacific life, the dance postures in which the tongue is used to express hostility or friendliness and the gentle sense of humor of the Maori.

# Creative Living



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**organizing**

**Dorothy Lehmkuhl**

**Q.** Does attitude have much to do with organizing? I tend to put off my work because I dread it.

**A.** Attitude has everything to do with organizing. In fact, attitude has a lot to do with success in life — in career, relationships, accomplishments and even in health.

Have you ever known a person who seems to drag through life? The sun is shining, it's a beautiful day and Mr. Negative will find something to grumble about.

My best friend and neighbor in another city used a strange expression. She'd say, "I just quick picked up the toys" or "I just quick ran some errands." Nothing was a burden to Carol, her house was always immaculate without seeming effort, and she was a joy to be around.

Another neighbor was the opposite, Ms. Negative just "had" to get the vacuuming done, but she'd delay it for days. When she finally did get around to it, she'd drag out the vacuum and then find a dozen excuses not to get the job done. Mrs. Negative's home was never neat or clean, and she was frankly not much fun to be around.

Listen to your Self-Talk. Do you constantly make excuses? The pessimist says, "I don't have time," the optimist, "I can just quick do that." The pessimist, "It can't be done"; the optimist, "I can find a way." Pessimist: "That's a dirty job"; optimist: "Working up a sweat will be good for me." Pessimist: "Why should I pick up that litter?" optimist: "Someone has to do it." Pessimist: "I dread writing checks"; optimist: "I'll do it now while I have time." Pessimist: "What a problem!"; optimist: "no problem!"

While not all optimists are well ordered, or vice versa, it seems people with control over their lives have a more affirmative attitude about their work. In observing them carefully, notice how they clean up after themselves almost automatically, without effort. They will show you a picture, for instance, and, instead of excusing themselves with, "I'll put it away later," they simply replace it without missing a beat. They just naturally put tools away when they are finished, hardly realizing they are doing it.

Altitude (height of success) can be determined by attitude. Many people have a positive attitude on the job because they know promotions depend on it, but are contrary about organizing at home. When things get into disarray, they become even more negative about restoring order, convincing themselves it is an overwhelming task. Instead of dreading work, consider it a challenge you can control.

## All this and kingfishers, too

By C. L. Rugenstein  
special writer

**M**OST REVIEWS of Blue Heron Pointe condominiums focus on the ambitious wetlands preserve being created in a reclaimed Northville gravel pit, and justly so. But the domestic preserves being built for Blue Heron's human inhabitants are equally impressive.

For starters, the words "spacious" and "gracious" come to mind on a walk-through of the Blue Heron models. And the use of recessed and arch windows in gables creates a welcome light and openness.

One enters from the private courtyard through a glass-paneled, solid oak door, hand-carved in Charlevoix. Most of the rest of the house is visible from here, including a generous view of the 18-acre lake the condos back up to.

The lavish use of oak and European ceramic tile throughout gives the feel of a country manor. Indeed, many of the prints gracing the walls were country and hunt scenes, in tune with the builder's theme.

"We wanted to stay traditional, to reflect the unique character of Northville," said Earl La Fave, partner with his brother, Steven, and Dennis Park in Beck Developers, builders of Blue Heron. "This is a quaint, quiet place; we wanted to create a feeling of community within the community."

The condos come in two styles with lots of options and leeway for buyers to make minor floor plan changes so long as they don't interfere with the structure, La Fave said.

**THE "SUNSEKER,"** Blue Herons' two bedroom-two

bath ranch, boasted oak tongue-and-groove flooring as a standard feature for the kitchen. Amish-built, solid oak cabinets were also standard, as were top-of-the-line G.E. appliances.

Floor plan changes could include an optional loft, to add another bedroom and 600 square feet to the ranch's 1,800-square-foot area.

The model's lower level was also finished, adding another two rooms and bath to the walk-out "entertainment" area (with wet bar). This option could add another 1,000 square feet for an overall total of more than 4,000 square feet of living space in the ranch. Choice of either option would also add \$25,000 to the ranch's base price of \$237,500.

**TWO-BEDROOM COLONIAL MODELS** start at \$206,000 and also have a couple of variations in floor plans. The balcony loft overlooking the living room could be finished off as a third bedroom with a large walk-in closet. The master bedroom has its own private bathroom with separate glass-doored shower stalls, a standard feature in both models.

An enticing feature of the "Skylight" colonial model was the doorwall to the deck off the formal dining room, overlooking the lake. Besides self-storing screens, which were in place in time, permitting a cool breeze to waft through, a show card listed as standard "a breath of fresh air."

While the builders hope the beach-front community will foster neighborliness and an open lifestyle, the staggered walls between units will still allow for privacy.

Billed as "a lake community," Blue Heron Pointe will

have non-motorized boating, fishing, swimming and other water sports in the spring-fed lake. But the big draw will be the two-mile boardwalk, with paths and observation points around the wetlands preserve.

**RESIDENTS WILL BE ABLE TO** watch rare kingfishers and playful purple martins as well as blue herons in a habitat specially created by Beck's landscape architects to attract and support them.

The site had previously been owned by Old Northville Sand and Gravel Co., then an investor who wanted to build, according to La Fave. But the steep, eroded banks made it too expensive to build without extensive reclamation work.

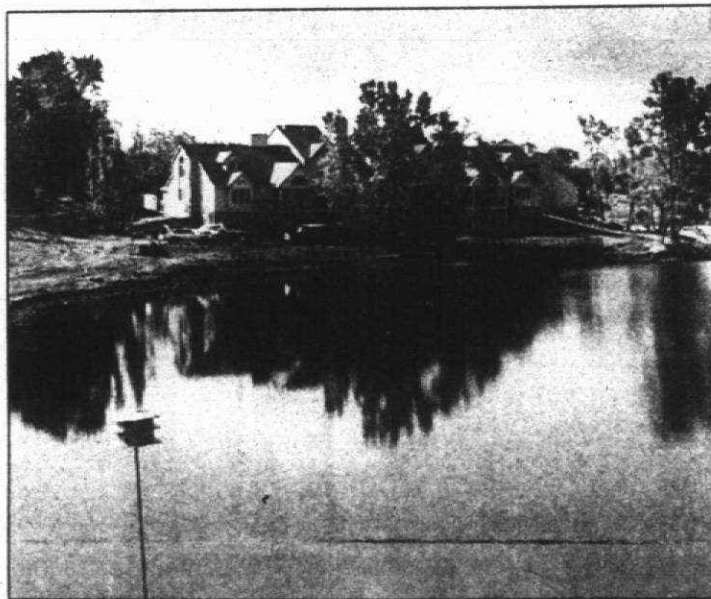
Enter La Fave, who also owns an earth-moving company and a trucking company. The overlapping interests made it possible to reclaim and build on 39 of the 67 acres of the site.

La Fave had the water on the site tested by an independent biologist and found it to be some of the purest in south-east Michigan. His cooperation with the Department of Natural Resources and Northville officials in the planning of his development won their blessings on the project.

Beck Development's reward for its efforts was having the condos snapped up even before they went on the market.

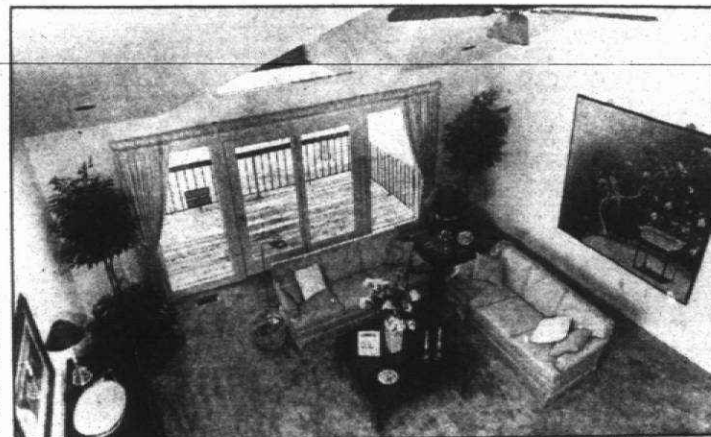
Blue Heron's four phases will have a total of 140 cluster homes. La Fave expects phases two and three to be completed this summer.

Blue Heron Pointe models, on Beck Road between Six and Seven Mile roads, are open daily except Thursdays 1-6 p.m. For more information, call 344-8808.



STEVE JONES

Previously a gravel pit, the site of Blue Heron Pointe will retain much of the natural environment. Residents, for instance, will be able to watch rare kingfishers and blue herons in the nearby wetlands, which were preserved.



STEVE JONES

Interior of the colonial model.

**condo queries**

**Robert M. Meisner**

**Q.** Our condominium is experiencing several construction defects in the common elements of the condominium. The board is perplexed as to what to do. Having met with the developer several times but getting no satisfactory response, they are concerned about the cost that might be incurred in pursuing litigation and are somewhat apprehensive about initiating any proceedings. As a member of the board, I feel they have an obligation to do so. Do you have an opinion?

**A.** Generally speaking, the board of directors of the association has the responsibility to ensure that the developer has delivered the common elements of the condominium in a workmanlike and proper fashion. To the extent that the developer has not done so, the board of directors has the responsibility to pursue the developer to ensure that it meets its legal and contractual responsibilities to the association and its members in a manner which, if pursued, could result in the institution of legal proceedings.

The association should consult with an experienced condominium-litigator in regard to the various theories or avenues available to the association in regard to dealing with the developer. Sometimes the mere presence of an experienced condominium lawyer on behalf of the association will cause certain developers to come to the negotiating table in an effort to resolve the matter amicably for fear of the ramifications of litigation.

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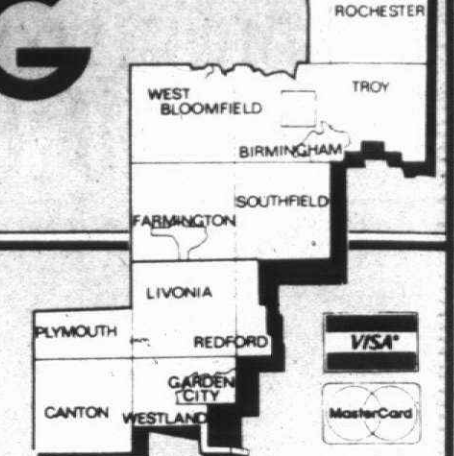
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**ALARM SERVICE PEOPLE**

\$\$\$ \$300 SIGN UP BONUS \$\$\$

We have immediate openings for EXPERIENCED service people who are seeking a change. If you are interested in top \$\$\$ job security and a full benefit package... call today at 423-1000 or apply in person: Guardian Alarm, 20800 Southfield Rd., Southfield, MI.

**ARBOR TEMPS**

Has immediate light packaging assignments in the Plymouth, Canton, Livonia areas. Come in at 8am - it's possible to be working at 9am!

459-1166

ACCEPTING applications for apprenticeship for tool & gage shop. 18 yrs. or older. Valid Tool & Gage, 27675 Joy Rd., Westland.

### 500 Help Wanted

**PHOTOFINISHING**

Immediate Full Time openings for enthusiastic individuals for entry level production positions. Positions available on midnight shift. No experience necessary.

Must be able to work overtime on a consistent basis, have reliable transportation and be seeking long term steady employment.

We offer our employees a pleasant work environment, excellent benefit package including weekly bonuses, increases after 60 days, overtime pay after 8 hours and film processing discounts.

Anyone may apply. Come to Guardian Photo Monday thru Friday, 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM to complete employment application.

**GUARDIAN PHOTO INC.**

43045 West Nine Mile Road  
Northville, Michigan 48167  
313-349-6700

### 500 Help Wanted

**ABOVE AVERAGE?**

Wanted bright, articulate persons to work in our Customer Service Office. Permanent and temporary part-time positions available. Flexible hours. No experience necessary, we will train. Call for interview 559-4447

**ABSTRACTOR**

National title insurance company looking for experienced Abstractor. Full benefits. 362-1311

**ACCOUNTANT - Growing Firm**

CPA firm seeking experienced person to help build a million dollar practice. Call: 471-7890

**ACCOUNTANT**

Southfield CPA firm offering a special opportunity for CPA who is a self-motivated high achiever with management ability. Minimum 4 years experience. Position emphasis on tax planning and management consulting. All inquiries confidential. Send resume or call: Rubin & Weisman, 4000m Town Center, Suite 1601 Southfield, MI 48075 352-4920

**ACO HARDWARE**

Part-time Warehouse Position. General labor, night shift starting time, 7 PM. Apply at: 23333 Commerce Dr., Farmington Hills.

### 500 Help Wanted

**JOIN A WINNING TEAM**

We are looking for self motivated, personable individuals to help us build a winning team at our newest Speedway Super Store. Our new store will be opening soon in Novi at 8 Mile and Haggerty Roads.

- ASSISTANT MANAGER
- DELI MANAGER
- CASHIER
- DELI ATTENDANT

We offer competitive wages, health and life insurance, paid vacations and sick pay.

Equal Opportunity Employer

**SPEEDWAY**

### 500 Help Wanted

**ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS** for all positions including management. No experience necessary. Apply: 1-Hour Martinizing Dry Cleaners, 3337 N Woodward, Royal Oak, Southfield, Oak Park

**ACCOUNTANT/COMPTROLLER**

For franchise type organization. Located in Livonia area. Must have taken charge ability. Please send resume to: G.L. Hollander, 19675 W. 10 Mile, Ste. 402, Southfield, MI 48075.

**ACCOUNTANT SENIOR**

needed for busy Southfield CPA firm. 3 years public accounting experience required. Excellent growth opportunity. Bernstein, Morris & Brown PC 352-6300

**ACCOUNTANT**

Tax CPA needed with 4-6 years experience, to join our rapidly expanding Lapeer, Michigan, office, located 50 miles north of Detroit. We offer a successful career path and professional development. Our firm offers competitive salary and an excellent benefit package. Resumes to: Box 344, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, Michigan 48150

**ACCOUNTANT**

Two years or more experience for CPA firm. Excellent opportunity. Benefits. Call Southfield 354-4044

**ADAPTIVE AIDE**

Part-time, to assist on Saturday afternoon bowling & monthly Friday night dance for mentally handicapped teens & adults. Must be 18 years of age. \$5 per hour. Apply to: City of Troy Personnel, 500 W. Big Beaver. An Equal Opportunity Employer

**ADIA WAREHOUSE WORK**

ADIA has Warehouse Work available near Jeffries (I-96)/Newburgh area. 2 shifts. Call for appointment: 525-0330 ADIA Personnel Services An Equal Opportunity Employer

### 500 Help Wanted

**Accounts Payable/Receivable Payroll**

Westside automotive supplier has an opening for a qualified person to handle computerized accounts payable, receivable & shop payroll. Salary commensurate with experience. Send resume to: Box 152, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, Michigan 48150

**ACCOUNTS PAYABLE CLERK**

A growing retail chain is seeking an Accounts Payable Clerk for our Farmington Hills office. Responsibilities include matching invoices, cost checking, posting and related duties. Experience on manual and computerized systems preferred. This position requires an individual who is organized and detail oriented. Previous experience required. Call: 553-6260

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**ACTIVITIES ASSISTANT** - for long term care facility. Experience desired. Part-time, 20 hours (flexible). Apply in person: South Court, 105 Higgerty Rd., Plymouth. 455-0510

### 500 Help Wanted

**STOCK CLERKS CASHIERS**

SHOPPING CENTER MARKET has immediate openings for full and/or part time stock clerks, cashiers, produce clerks, meat counter clerks, deli clerks & bakery clerks. Excellent pay (\$5.80/hr. to start) and benefits. Must be 18 years or older. Heavy lifting required. No experience necessary. Apply in person at: SHOPPING CENTER MARKET 6433 ORCHARD LAKE RD. (At 15 Mile Road - West Bloomfield) 425 NO. CENTER ST. (Sheldon Road - Northville)

### 500 Help Wanted

**ACCOUNTS PAYABLE SUPERVISOR**

If you are a person with 5 years of accounting & supervisory experience, the ability to manage a large volume of tasks including sales & use tax returns & analysis & all accounts payable responsibilities, we want you to contribute to our growth. You should be a highly motivated self starter & be able to work effectively in a group environment with strict adherence to deadlines. We can offer you the opportunity of growth & advancement with an established corporation. Salary range \$18,200. Please send your resume & salary requirements to: Manager of Personnel P.O. Box 7105, CAPS, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302

**Accounts Receivable**

Fast growing marketing company in Bloomfield Hills seeks a competitive salary & benefits. Must have 2 years of accounts receivable experience, good organizational skills, math aptitude, and computer experience. Associates degree or equivalent a must. Forward resume to: Manager of Personnel P.O. Box 7105, JC986, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302

**ADULT MOTOR ROUTE** newspaper carriers for Troy/Rochester area. Morning & afternoon routes. 526-1510 Mon-Fri, 8:30-Noon

**KEYLINER**

HIGHLAND SUPERSTORES, INC. is seeking experienced Keyliners to join the Advertising Dept. at our new Corporate Headquarters in Plymouth. Retail keylining background preferred. We offer a competitive salary & the opportunity to work in a dynamic, fast-paced environment. Send letter with salary history, or apply in person.

**Highland Superstores**

Human Resources Dept. - K. 909 N. Sheldon Rd. Plymouth, MI 48170 An Equal Opportunity Employer.

**500 Help Wanted**

**WE ARE LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD APARTMENT MANAGERS.**

We are seeking someone for the position of Manager for our apartment properties within the Suburban Metropolitan Area.

- Good Communication Skills
- Experienced with Apartment Developments
- Strong People Skills
- Enthusiastic and Friendly
- Strong Bookkeeping Background and Skills

We welcome the opportunity to talk with you!

Please send your resume or contact: CADROY MANAGEMENT COMPANY 26913 Northwestern Highway Suite 510 Southfield, Michigan 48034 313-282-1800

### 500 Help Wanted

**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**

strong math and organizational skills required, duties include estimating, inside sales, drafting and clerical. For Novi area. Salary commensurate with experience. Send resume and salary requirements to: K. Lipsky, P.O. Box 197, Novi, MI 48050

**ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATOR**

Contract chair manufacturer requires independent & well organized person. Responsibilities include customer service & sales coordination. Ability to be a problem solver necessary. W. Bloomfield Area. Call Jane 851-2463

**Adult Basketball League Coordinator**

Must be 18 years of age or older. Must be dependable. Must have knowledge concerning basketball rules & first aid. Prefer some experience with scorekeeping/timing. Position starts Oct. 31, 1988. \$5 per hour. Apply now to City of Troy, Personnel, 500 W. Big Beaver, Troy, MI 48068. An Equal Opportunity Employer

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### 500 Help Wanted

**AEROBIC INSTRUCTORS** - Experienced for West Bloomfield health club. Knowledge of muscle groups, stretch & tone weights & water exercise helpful. Call Sharon, 661-1000 ext. 301

**ALARM SERVICE PEOPLE**

**EARN WHILE YOU LEARN**

Immediate openings exist for those individuals who are highly motivated and interested in the alarm industry. We are willing to train those individuals who are graduates of an electronic trade school or have experience in the electronics field. Call for an appointment today at 423-1000 or apply in person at Guardian Alarm, 20800 Southfield Rd., Southfield, MI.

**ALIGNMENT TECH**

High volume 15 bay tire store in Brighton seeks highly experienced alignment tech. Above average income. Vacation, insurance, commission. Days 313-227-7377. Even 517-546-4427

**ALL AROUND PERSON**

Full time. Apply in person, 555 S. Woodward Birmingham

**ALTO VOCALIST**

For solo and ensemble. Salaried position. First Congregational Church 831-4080

**AMBITIOUS PEOPLE NEEDED** for growing cleaning service. At least 18yrs. of age. Part time evening. Call 668-3555

**AMERICAN FIELD MARKETING**

needs dependable people to deliver magazines to subscribers in Plymouth, Livonia, Redford & Westland. Possible earnings of \$25 to \$50 per delivery. No public contact required. You must be 18 years or older, car & telephone required. Call American Field Marketing at 271-7149

**APPLICATIONS** Being accepted for full & part time, experienced only. Qualified individuals should bring background report, Mechanical Layout, Sheet Metal Layout, 464-0100 Livonia area. An Equal Opportunity Employer

### 500 Help Wanted

**AMERICAN HOUSE-MIDDLEBELT**

Livonia - Night attendant position available in a lovely retirement home. Call Pat or Beth 261-2884

**AMERICAN MAIDS**

We need hardworking individuals to do residential housecleaning full time Mon. thru Fri. Must have own transportation. Good pay + benefits. Call Today! 855-1849

**AMOCO/DAWN DONUTS**

Full-time Gas Attendant. Established business. 24 hours. 44/hr. to start. Apply within: 39600 Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth.

**AN ASSOCIATE ASSISTANT MANAGER RETAIL TRAINEES**

Can earn \$18,000 1st yr. Bonuses, benefits, profit sharing. Rapid advancement for persons with previous any type store management or heavy in-store sales experience. All areas Metro Detroit & Taylor, Westland, Southgate, Lincoln Park, Inster, Dearborn, Clawson, Warren, Utica, Waterford, Bloomfield, Pontiac

**ANIMAL PEOPLE!**

Experienced Kennel Help & Receptionist. Farmington Hills. Siesta Kennels, 851-2191

**APARTMENT MANAGER**

On-site position for experienced Maintenance Person in Trenton. Working knowledge of carpentry, electrical & plumbing repairs. Cleaning & general office work. Top pay for experienced Apartment Manager. 2 bedroom townhouse included. Suitable for retired person. Please send resume to: CERTIFIED REALTY, INC. 38345 W. 10 MILE RD., SUITE 300 FARMINGTON HILLS, MI. 48024 313-471-7100

**ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSPERSON**

Full time. Immediate opening for qualified individual with planning background is a plus. Send resume to: Box 328 Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, Michigan 48150

**ARE YOU SEEKING**

full or part time work? Wholesale dealing in fresh flowers & silk flowers has positions open for full or part time stock person. Work in a pleasant healthy environment under flexible conditions with good fringe benefits (hospitalization, life insurance, profit sharing, paid vacations, etc.). Good position. Send application to Mr. Thomas, 262 E. Montclair, Detroit, MI. 48201

**ART**

Full time positions available for minimum Art work on photographs. We will train. Must be able to work overtime and some Saturdays. Starting \$4.25 per hour. Raises and promotion based on performance. Apply North American Photo, 27451 Schoolcraft, Livonia.

**ART GALLERY** Position Available in sales administration. West Bloomfield area. Art background & office skills required. Call Tues. thru Sat. 628-3111

**A SOUTHFIELD** area company, soon moving to the Novi area, is looking for several sharp individuals for ENTRY LEVEL employment. A willingness to learn, with an ability to deal well with others, is more important than previous work experience. We have openings in our Customer Service, Delivery, Warehouse, Small Appliance Repair and Service Departments. Most positions start at \$4.50 per hour. Call Mr. Coleman, West. after 11am. 428-3207

**ASSISTANT MANAGER** for ladies health spa in Westland. 728-8330

**OPENING SOON!!!**

**OUR NEWEST & FINEST FARMER JACK SUPERMARKET**

In Commerce Township  
Union Lake Road & Commerce Road

**PART TIME POSITIONS**

Farmer Jack Supermarket located at Union Lake Road and Commerce Road will be accepting applications on September 13th, September 14th, and September 15th, between the hours of 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Join the Number 1 Supermarket Chain**

- Flexible Schedule
- Scheduled wage increases based on length of service
- Promotional opportunities
- A clean friendly work environment

Equal Opportunity Employer

**CAREER OPPORTUNITY**

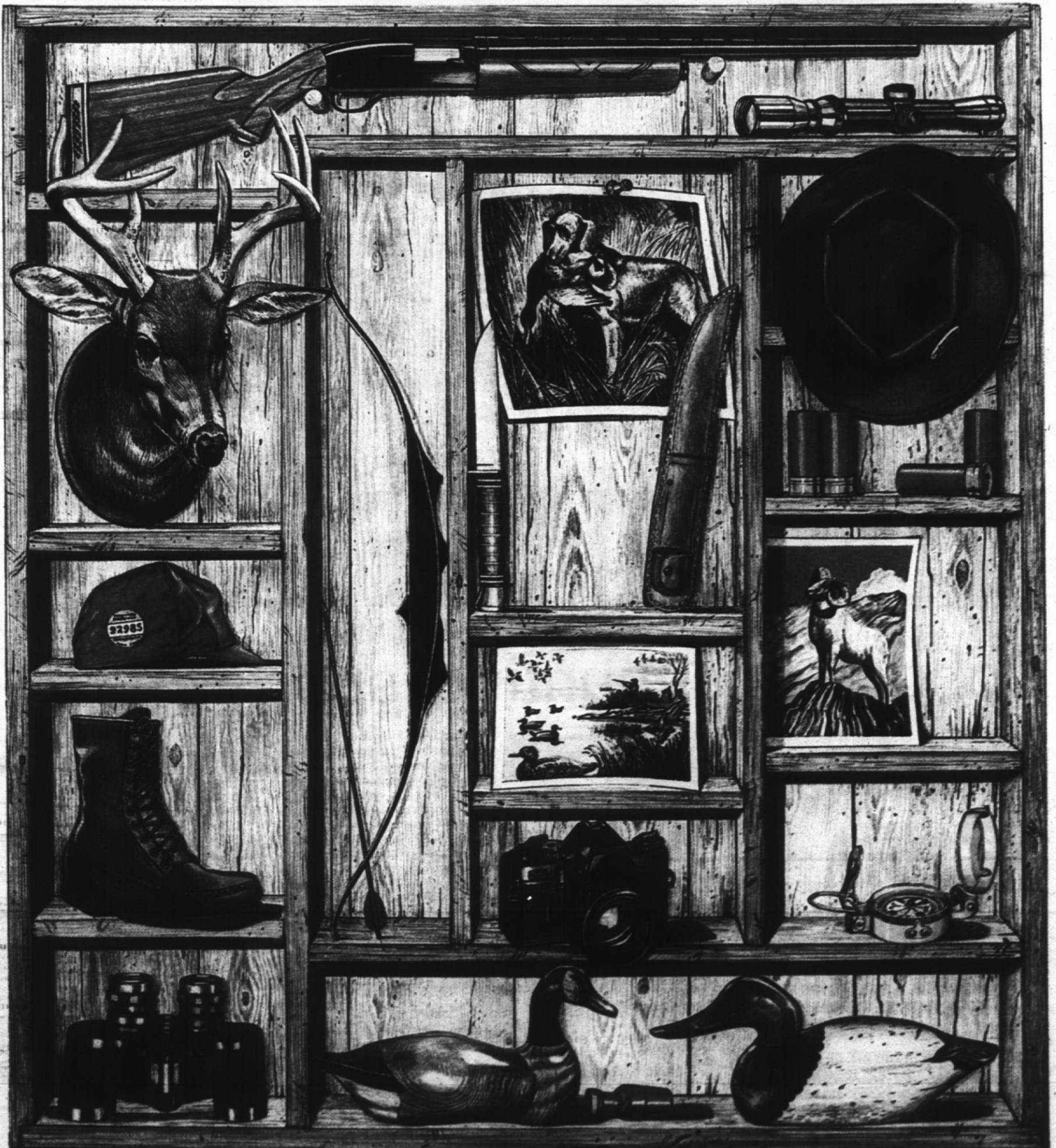
PROFESSIONAL PHOTOFINISHING

\$4.25 to \$8.24 Per Hour

Overtime - Profit Sharing - Other Benefits

Full time positions available for general help, printing, inspection, art and

# Michigan Hunting & Sports Show



More than 250 local, regional and national exhibitors will display the latest archery and hunting equipment, rifles, clothing, camping equipment and a first look at the new 1989 boats. Dunham's Sporting Goods, Remington Arms and Velger Marine are among the participants.



## Cobo to host hunting, sports show

For the first time ever, the Michigan Hunting and Sports Show, featuring four big shows — hunting, fishing, boating and camping — will be held at Cobo Hall, Thursday through Sunday, Sept. 8-11.

Show hours are: 5-10 p.m. Thursday, 3-10 p.m. Friday, 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday.

Everything for the outdoorsman

and woman will be exhibited and for sale at this indoor paradise. More than 250 local, regional and national exhibitors will display the latest archery and hunting equipment, rifles, clothing, camping equipment and a first look at the new 1989 boats. Dunham's Sporting Goods, Remington Arms and Velger Marine are among the participants.

Produced by Champion Productions, Inc. of Burnsville, Minn., a variety of speakers will address such outdoor topics as waterfowl, deer and bear hunting, camouflage clothing and hunting safety.

In addition, Harold Knight will teach the art of turkey, goose and deer calling.

Special attractions at the Michigan Hunting and Sports Show include the Hawg Trough, a 14 feet tall by 45 feet long by 8 feet 6 inches wide fresh water aquarium; and an archery range that will raise money for the Detroit Archers, Detroit's oldest and largest, non-profit archery club.

A hunting and sports show of this size is long overdue for Michigan, as this state currently has more regis-

tered boats than any other state in the country, and ranks second only to Pennsylvania for issuing the greatest number of hunting licenses. Over 50,000 people are expected to attend this first-year show.

Tickets are available at the door and are priced at \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12. Special discounts are also available. For further information, call (313) 567-6000.

Thursday is Marathon Kids Day, ½ price for kids under 12 with a coupon from area Marathon Petroleum dealers.

Stop by the Channel 50 booth and register to win a V-14 Commodore deep, V-hull fishing boat complete with a 15 horsepower Evinrude motor and E-Z Sprint trailer, compliments of Empire Marine — Flint.

Stop by the WCSX radio booth and register to win a Starcraft Camper, compliments of Chapman's Sports Center and WCSX.

Friday, from 6-10 p.m. KISS 102 FM will broadcast live from the show.

Saturday, from 3 to 8 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 5 p.m. WCSX-FM will broadcast live.

## Champion goose caller featured

### EZ-Grunter call one of several to fill the air

Special guest speakers at the Michigan Hunting and Sports Show will include:

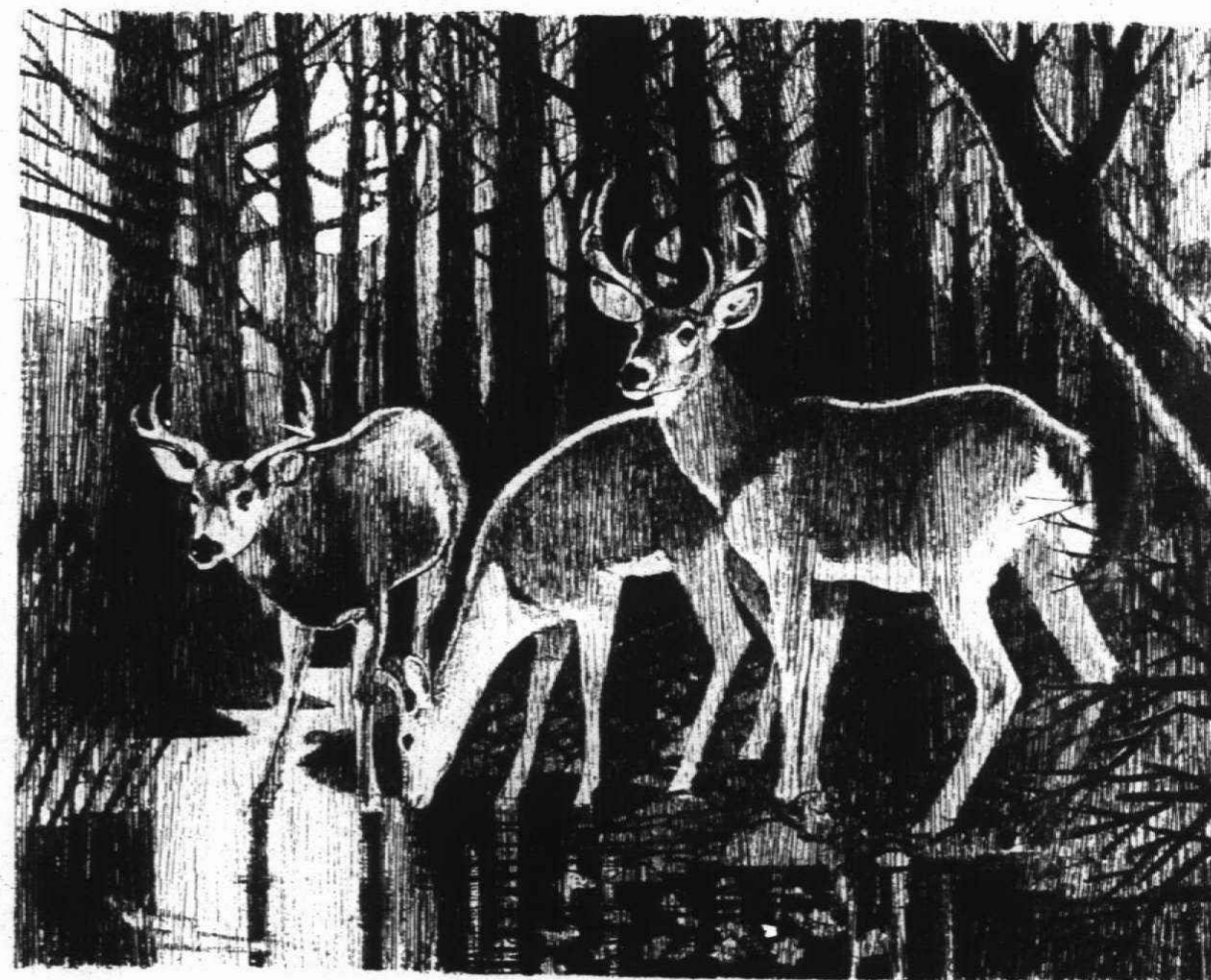
Harold Knight — Turkey, goose and deer calling — is a world champion goose caller and one of the founders of the famous Knight & Hale Game Calls. One of his most famous calls is the EZ-Grunter deer call but his famous Double Cluck goose call is one of the most sought after goose calls in the world. Listen to champion caller Harold Knight tell you how to call turkeys, geese and deer.

Bill Jordan — Camouflage clothing and hunting techniques — is the owner of Spartan/Realtree Camouflage Clothing, the fastest selling camouflage pattern in the world. Learn tricks on how to camouflage yourself successful, and how to add camo tricks to your hunting repertoire. Jordan has taken over a dozen whitetail bucks that would make the record books. His tips can help any hunter.

Dan Fitzgerald — Deer hunting — is one of the state's leading taxidermists. He's also a highly rated video producer of hunting films for sportsmen like Noel Feather and Ben Rogers Lee. He is a leading big-game hunter, and some of his hunting techniques are very productive. Learn how and when and where to hunt Michigan's whitetail deer and black bear.

Richard P. Smith — Bear hunting — is a well-known outdoor writer and author of several fast-selling outdoor books. He has studied bears, and brings to the Detroit Hunting & Sports Show a wealth of knowledge to share with Michigan's bear hunters. Smith's writings and photographs have appeared in Outdoor Life, The American Hunter and many other national magazines.

Mark Romanack — Waterfowl hunting — is a Michigan outdoor writer, and his specialty is waterfowl hunting. Learn the tricks the experts use to



take these migratory gamebirds almost every time they go hunting. Learn where to go, when to hunt, decoy setting tactics, calling, tips on how to camouflage a blind or boat, and the other tricks needed to score on ducks and geese.

Herb Boldt — Rabbit hunting — is the Michigan outdoor writer for the Associated Press. His 50 years of rabbit hunting experience is second to none, and this is a chance to learn the special tactics used to score on cottontails and snowshoe hares. Guns and loads, hunting techniques and solid where-to-go information will make this an important seminar.

Dave Richey — Hunter safety — is the outdoor writer for The Detroit News, Michigan's largest daily newspaper. Richey is a popular MC for outdoor shows, and a gifted outdoor writer with over 6,000 sales to over 200 different magazines. In addition to his newspaper columns he is the author of 17 books on fishing and hunting, and has been a fishing and hunting guide. His seminars on deer hunting are very informative.

Frank McKeon — Antler Rattling — is a professional hunter and a hunting guide. One of his specialties is rattling in whitetail bucks. Learn the exciting techniques he uses with deer an-

ters to lure big bucks within easy range of a bow or rifle hunt. McKeon is the vice president of the Green Head Co., a manufacturer of various calls.

Special attractions at this year's show are:

The Hawg Trough — The world's largest fresh water aquarium will be on display and filled with a variety of fish. The Hawg Trough measures 14-foot tall by 45-foot long by 8-foot-6-inch wide.

Archery Range — Show patrons will be able to test their archery skills and help raise money for the Detroit Archers, Detroit's oldest and largest, non-profit archery club.

## DNR hopes to nab turkey poachers

AP — Decoys are no strangers to hunters, who often use them to bag their prey.

But the Department of Natural Resources is turning the tables on turkey trackers — setting decoys to nab poachers.

Curt Bacon, law enforcement supervisor for the Department of Natural Resources division in the western Upper Peninsula, has put out the once-live but now very stuffed turkey, hoping to lure illegal hunters into officers' sights.

This spring, during one week of work, the dead turkey helped officers arrest seven would-be poachers. Bacon said DNR officers stationed themselves near the turkey, and armed themselves with videotape cameras in their war against poaching.

Bacon said one man emptied a .357-caliber pistol at the extremely slow-moving turkey, made plump by a taxidermist.

"We had to repair it a couple of times," Bacon said.

Conservation officers and biologists have estimated that hundreds of thousands of deer are killed every year by poachers, but that no accurate number can be determined. There also have been reports of moose, wolf and other animals being shot and killed illegally.

DNR officials are planning to use stuffed deer and grouse this fall during hunting seasons. Last year, state officials estimated that 750,000 hunters invaded Michigan's woodlands during the firearms deer season in late No-

vember.

This year, Bacon and other officers hope to be able to bag a few poachers before they illegally bag wildlife.

Bacon said after one of the alleged poachers blasted away at the already dead bird, he inspected his kill closely.

"One gingerly got within five yards of it, bent down and stared at the bird for five or 10 seconds to see if it would move," Bacon said. "Then he made a half-circle around it and kicked it to make sure."

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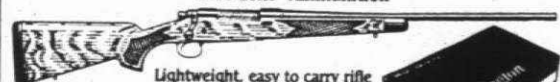
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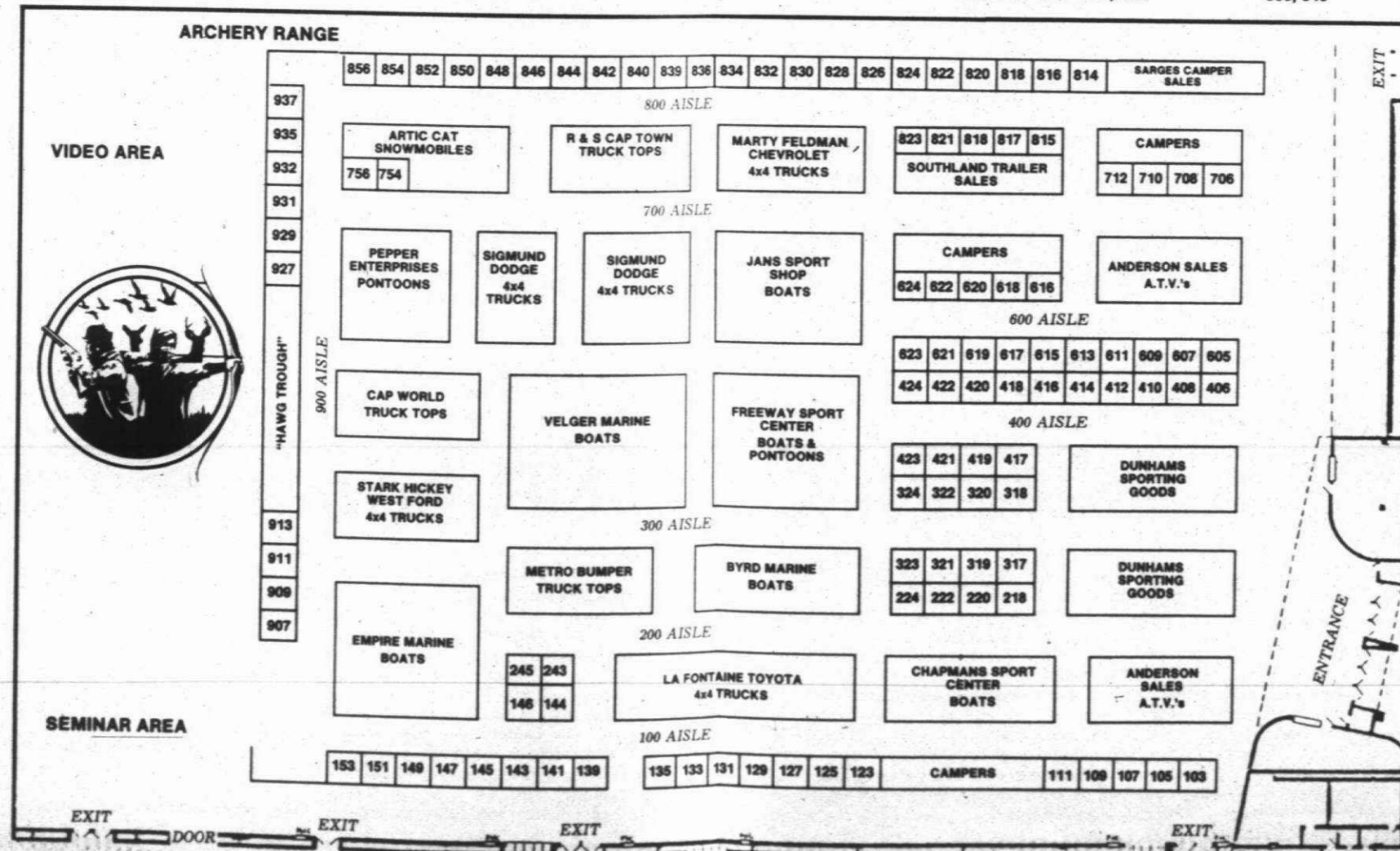
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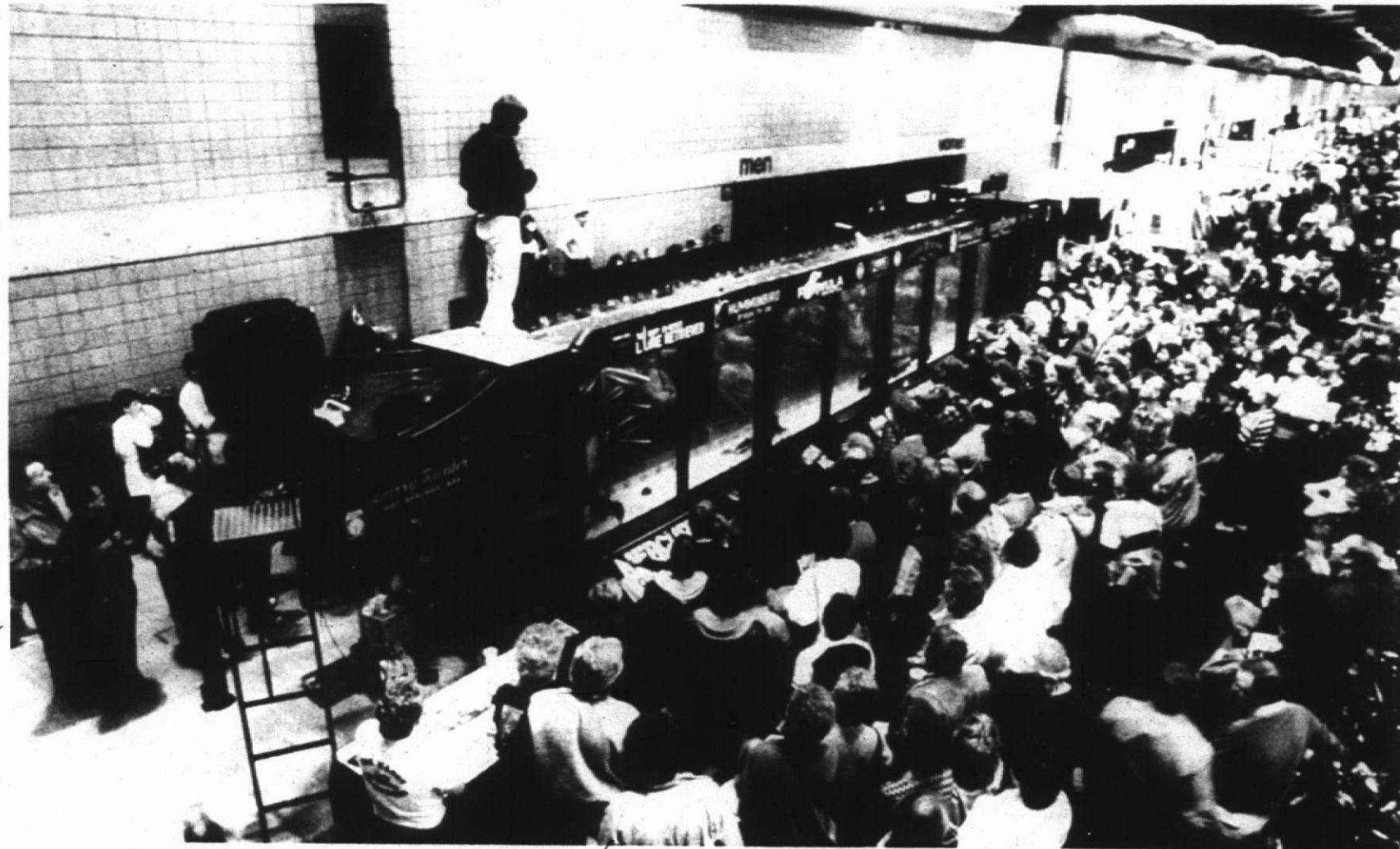
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## Oil royalties to boost state, local recreation and ecology projects

Royalties from oil and gas drilling on state land will provide \$20.1 million this year for state and local recreation projects and preservation of ecologically sensitive areas throughout Michigan.

The royalties were paid to the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund, which will finance or all part of 60 projects chosen from among more than 300 applicants.

The largest grant, \$4 million, will help the state Department of Natural Resources' Wildlife Division buy private property within game and wildlife areas in the southern Lower Peninsula and within an hour's drive of major urban areas elsewhere in Michigan.

The smallest grant, \$7,900, will allow Burt Township in the Upper Peninsula's Alger County to buy one acre of land near Grand Marais, an area

identified as a nesting site for the piping plover.

Other trust fund grants will be used to develop marina, boat launch and pier facilities in cities as large as Detroit and as small as Caseville on Lake Huron's Saginaw Bay.

Grants also will be used to preserve about 27 acres of dunes and wetlands in Charlevoix County; to add three undeveloped lakes to the Pere Marquette Forest in Missaukee County; and to develop an urban recreation trail along the Red Cedar and Grand rivers in Lansing.

Oakland County's West Bloomfield Township will use a \$500,000 trust fund grant to help finance its \$4.3 million purchase of 162 acres of woodlands bisected by the Rouge River. The land now is owned by a local developer.

## Helpful hints for better shooting

A good shooter makes good shooting look easy. But that's only because a spectator watching a skilled marksman can't feel the concentration of the person behind the trigger or be aware of the well-practiced techniques that the shooter is putting into use.

However, anyone willing to put forth a little effort can become a proficient marksman, regardless of size, weight, sex or athletic ability. And it's fun!

The following tips for better shooting are provided by Daisy Manufacturing Co., which has taught more than seven million Americans the fundamentals of shooting.

Daisy, which manufactures firearms as well as air guns, recommends learning to shoot and practicing with an air gun.

The skills necessary to shoot BB guns and pellet rifles well are the same as those used in firearms marksmanship. But air guns don't kick or make much noise; the ammunition and guns are inexpensive, and air guns may be shot safely in the backyard or the basement if the weather is unpleasant.

**STABILITY IS ONE** of the keys to sharp shooting. Of the four standard shooting positions — standing,

kneeling, sitting and prone — prone is the most stable because more parts of the body are in contact with the ground. Conversely, the standing, or off-hand, position is the least stable and most challenging. For greatest accuracy and stability, try resting your gun on a sturdy platform such as a table or fence post.

How a target appears through a gun's sights varies with different types of sights, but as a general rule you should focus on the front sight rather than the rear sight or the target.

The key to hitting the mark every time is consistency in shooting technique. Shoot groups of three-five shots at a paper bull's eye, then adjust your rear sight to compensate for groups hitting off center, rather than aiming off center to compensate for a gun that is shooting high or low.

Raising a rear sight will raise where the projectile hits. Moving it to the right will place the projectile further to the right.

Another key to shooting accurately is breath control. The act of breathing causes the gun to waiver, so most shooters gain stability by taking a deep breath, letting out about a third of it, then holding what's left while they squeeze the trigger.

# Drought leaves ducks in decline

AP — Duck hunters will be asked to get up later, shoot fewer birds and pack up their gear several days earlier this season because of the drought and a decline of ducks and wetland habitats.

The aim of new federal guidelines, which also would suspend a point system used by several states, is to cut the number of ducks killed — 9.4 million were shot down last year — by 25 percent.

"Hunting is not the cause of the current decline in duck numbers," U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Director Frank Dunkle said recently in unveiling the proposed regulations. "However, it is one influence that must be regulated when populations are low."

"The long-term health of waterfowl depends on our ability to protect and enhance the wetland habitats which sustain these creatures," he said.

The continuing drought in midcontinental North America has increased pressure on wetlands already in decline because of the spread of civilization and other factors.

Dunkle's announcement proposed guidelines for hunting seasons to be set by each state this fall. The framework is still open to public comment and will not become law until mid-September.

"It's been a terrible year for ducks," Fish and Wildlife spokesman Craig Reiben said. The projected fall flight of ducks in migration is 66 million — the second lowest on record. The service, in cooperation with Canadian wildlife officials, wants to build up migration to 100 million. Canada already has announced a scaled-back hunt.

There are an estimated 1.5 million duck hunters in the United States.

Dunkle, in proposing the regulations, went further than the recommendations of the agency's regulations committee and addressed some concerns expressed at a public hearing earlier in the week.

He indirectly endorsed a "national hunter restraint" program announced by the pro-hunting North American Wildlife Foundation which urged hunters to buy state licenses and fed-

eral duck stamps but shoot below their bag limits.

The duck stamps, Dunkle said, will help preserve duck breeding areas.

Dunkle did not heed pleas from Eastern and Southern states to be exempted from the hunt restrictions because birds along the Atlantic flyway migratory route are not expected to decline.

Several groups, including some representing duck hunters, have proposed a no-hunt season to help build up duck populations across the United States and Canada. Some accuse the government of not imposing it because it doesn't want to lose the revenue from duck stamps.

The proposed guidelines include an elimination of hunting before sunrise. The hunt traditionally begins a half-hour before sunup.

The point system, which would be eliminated across the country pending further study, had allowed hunters to shoot more of abundant species and fewer of those that are endangered.

Critics of the system say it tempts dishonest hunters to throw out less common birds so they can shoot more of those with lower point values.

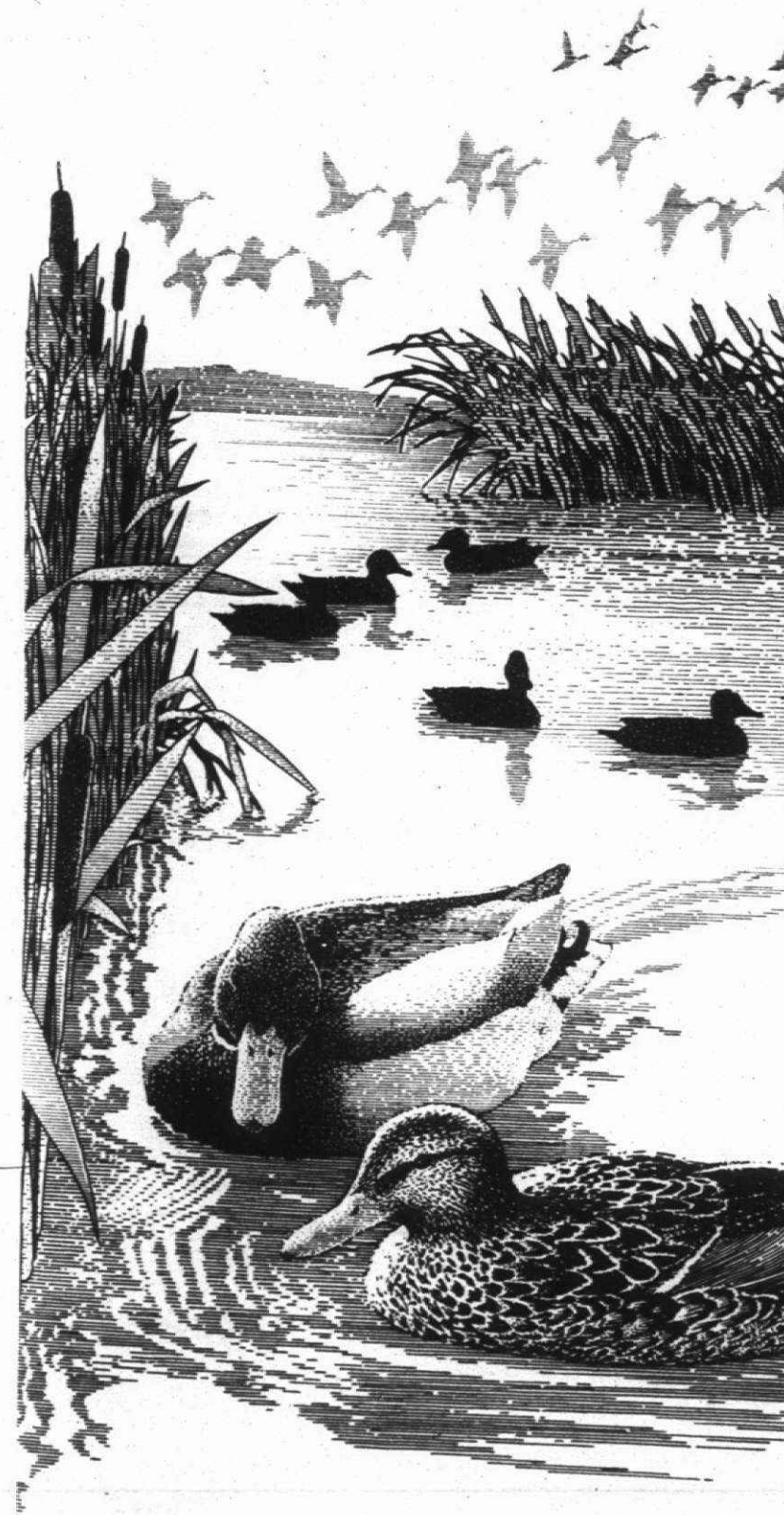
The length of the season would be reduced from a maximum of 40 days to 30 days in most areas. It also would be cut back 25 percent in areas where it has been longer than 40 days.

Bag limits across the country would be reduced by one duck, generally to three per day.

Dunkle also proposed a limited season for pintail ducks, with a daily bag limit of one duck in its first seven days. After a break in the hunt, another limited hunt would be allowed in some areas, with a limit of two male pintails. The length of the second phase of the hunt would vary from state to state.

The special bonus seasons for teals and scaups would be suspended for 1988, and last year's limited ban on canvasbacks would become total.

The regular season could be set by states anytime between Oct. 8 and Jan. 8. Last year's closings ranged from Jan. 10 to Jan. 18, depending on the region.



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6 - 6:30pm • Mark Romanack on waterfowl hunting  
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