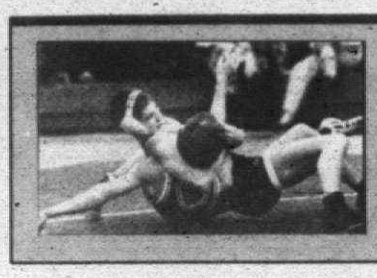
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Group wants reservists to get war dividend

By Diane Gale
staff writer

Fortune 500 corporations making money from the war should cover the financial losses suffered by reservists and National Guard personnel away from their jobs while serving in the Persian Gulf War, according to Canton resident and attorney Bruce Patterson, who Monday founded the Minute Man Foundation, Inc.

"I hope to reach every one of the corporations making windfall profits off this war," he said, specifically naming Amoco, Texaco, Shell, Hughes Aircraft, Remington Arms, Olin Corporation and McDonnell Douglas.

"To the extent that they choose not to participate voluntarily, I will be in touch with them personally," Patterson said.

The purpose of the foundation is to benefit "the community of mankind" by financially supporting reservists and National Guard personnel who suffer financial loss and can "adequately demonstrate" a hardship as a result of their service, the incorporation papers said.

If the war ends before all the money in the foundation is allocated, the remaining will be donated to a non-profit organization, Patterson said.

The idea developed, he said, when he began thinking what would happen if he were called to serve.

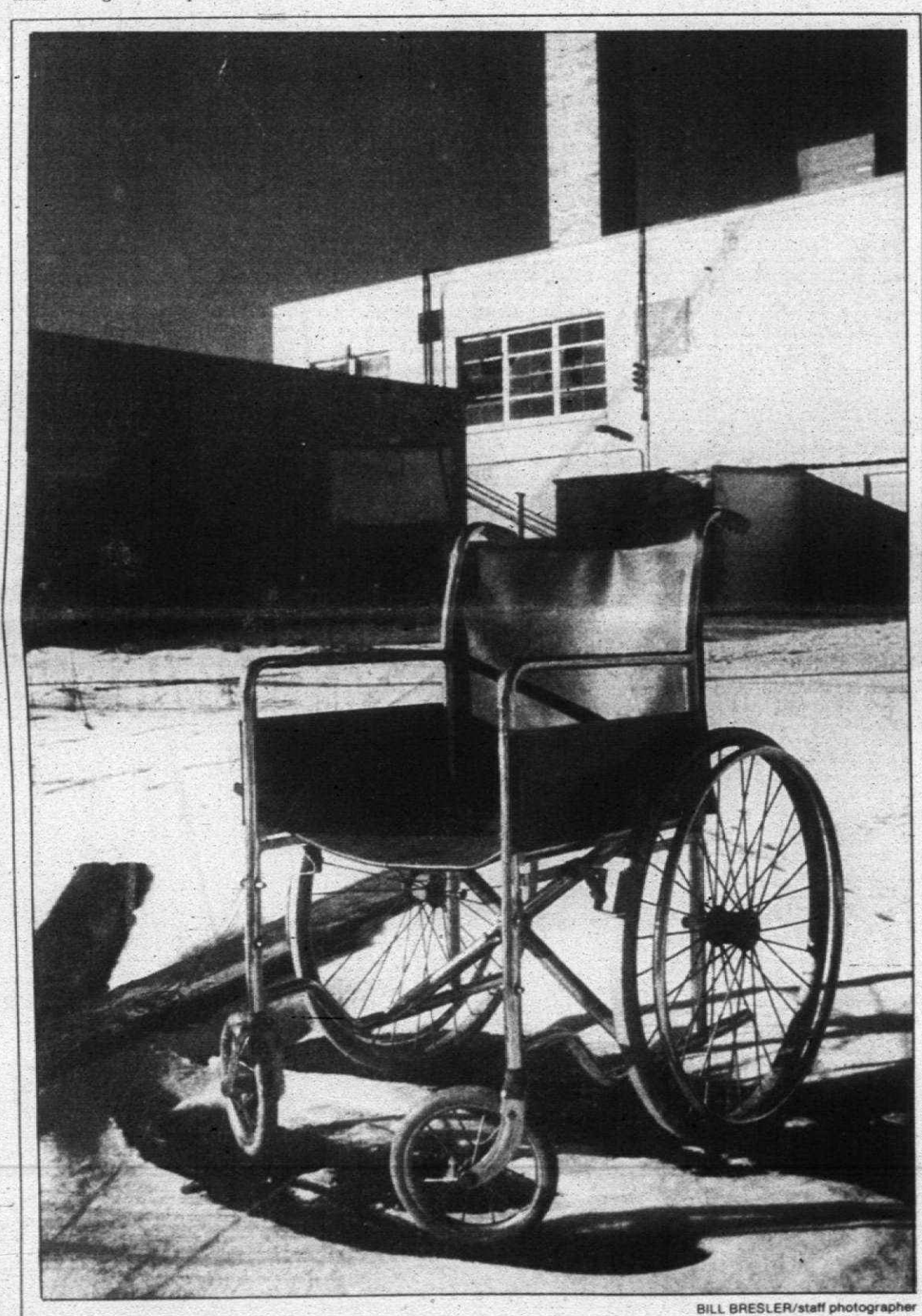
"I thought, 'My God, what would my family do if I was a reservist activated and sent to the Middle East?'" Patterson said. "As a small businessman, my family would be devastated, and my (law) practice would be ruined."

The name of the group came about in memory of the minutemen who immediately dropped their jobs when called to serve in the Revolutionary War.

He admits that the fund-raiser is a "grandiose" idea, but he quickly adds that if the right people, like Lee Iacocca, H. Ross Perot and other celebrities, get involved the program could snowball into a national foundation with wide reaching effect.

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THE GULF WAR
Hitting Home



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

A former Canton nursing home will be turned into an alcohol and drug treatment center this fall.

Drug, alcohol treatment center to occupy, improve older site



Joan Ford

By Diane Gale
staff writer

Almost $1 million will be spent to transform a rundown building previously used for a nursing home on Michigan Avenue into a alcohol and drug treatment center this fall.

The building known as Dion Memorial Nursing Home and later Canton Care Center closed after receiving health department violations.

After the building went into bankruptcy court it turned out to be a "decent price" for the Affiliated Management Group in Inkster, which has promised to spend $900,000 to prepare the building for the Hegira Programs, said Joan Ford, Hegira Programs Inc. executive assistant.

"It's a very solid building structure, so it's a good base to start on," Ford said. "It's going to be beautiful."

The program runs out of the Eloise Complex on Michigan and Merriman.

"The community needs us," Ford said. "We see a real need in Canton. We've been operating in Western Wayne County for years and we've always had an overflow of clients."

The new facility in Canton will offer 72 hour detoxification services; 40 beds for overnight treatment; an outpatient service; counseling services and aftercare services to help the recovering addict adjust to everyday life without drugs.

Also, Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous and Cocaine

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Judge grounds injunction; airport proposal will fly

By Kevin Brown
staff writer

At least for now, the runway is clear for Plymouth and Plymouth Township to continue their effort to buy and run Mettetal Airport.

Wayne County Circuit Judge Richard Kaufman ruled Wednesday that Plymouth and Plymouth Township "are acting under the code and not the (Community Airport Authority) act, and therefore may pursue" efforts to buy and operate the airport.

Kaufman then threw out the injuction filed by Canton and other opponents of the Plymouth-Plymouth Township effort to buy and run the airport located in Canton.

In filing an injunction Jan. 22, Canton and the group Plymouth Concerned Citizens charged Plymouth and Plymouth Township with "conspiring to purchase a small private recreational airport in Canton" without seeking approval from Canton's elected officials, who have voted against buying the airport.

But while Canton's attorney, James Romzek, maintained that Plymouth and Plymouth Township were "straddling" airport authority law and a state code by which the two municipalities can create an airport governing board with more limited powers, Kaufman ruled that state law allows the municipalities to act together to buy the airport.

While Plymouth Township attorney Brian James said there were several examples of municipalities jointly running an airport outside their boundaries, Romzek challenged that claim.

Saying there was no hard evidence to support the contention, Romzek said, "I don't think the court should start today," to allow such acquisi-

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'I am definitely disappointed and we should proceed further in different directions.'

— Paul Nastoff
Plymouth Concerned Citizens.

Plymouth city manager tries to be peacemaker

By Kevin Brown
staff writer

The raging fight over Mettetal Airport has sparked a public plea from Plymouth City Manager Gordon Jaeger for parties to "attempt to find a solution to this dilemma."

"Whether or not there is a Mettetal Airport is not an issue worthy of lawsuits, counter-lawsuits, recall, and spending taxpayers' money to defend the city," he said Monday during the city commission meeting.

Jaeger, along with several commissioners, has expressed surprise over the intensity of opposition the city-township airport joint operating agreement has generated.

That opposition includes a recall effort against five of six city commissioners who supported joining Plymouth Township in buying the Canton airport with government grant money.

"WE CANNOT become so bogged down that we can't perform city functions," Mayor Dennis Bila said before the commission meeting. "We have other business that we need to attend to that is also of great importance."

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— Gordon Jaeger
Plymouth city manager

The 1949 recall vote in Plymouth — which resulted in all five commissioners being recalled or resigning — resulted in "months of turmoil," Jaeger said.

"The prospects, in my view, are for greater disruption, turmoil and feuding than occurred in 1949," said

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Former township supervisor in race

By Diane Gale
staff writer

Canton residents are lining up to run for the Wayne County commission seat vacated by Milt Mack who was appointed probate court judge as one of the last duties of Gov. James Blanchard.

Mack won the November election to serve on the commission representing the 11th District including the townships of Canton, Van Buren, Sumpter and Huron and the cities of Wayne, Belleville, Romulus, Flat Rock and Rockwood.

The filing deadline for candidates wanting to run for the county seat is Feb.7. And so far some of the candidates from Canton include past Canton supervisor and Republican James Poole and Shirley Poling, who has filled Mack's seat since the beginning of the year.

"I had enough people call me and say: 'Do it,'" Poole said, adding that previous obligations prevented him from running last fall.

"Qualifications-wise what's best? The guy with experience or the guy who walks in off the street who is innocent and a virgin?" asked Poole, who served for eight years as Canton's supervisor before the current supervisor, Tom Yack.

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Shirley Poling



James Poole

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More people will be added, Patterson said.

MEANWHILE, other local events are being held to support families of troops involved in the war, including a rally between 2-4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10 at the Fellows Creek Golf Club on Lotz Road, hosted by the Canton Community Foundation. The rally's goal is: "Come and show support for our service men and women serving in Desert Storm."

Also, a Canton support group has been established for families of service people. The group will meet weekly at St. Michael Lutheran Church, Sheldon Road between Ford Road and Warren. The first meeting is 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 14.

The support sessions are in addition to meetings held in Northville on Friday, said Cindy Burgess, Canton Community Foundation executive director.

THE GULF WAR *Hitting Home*

During the past couple weeks, callers have kept the phones ringing on a hotline number, 454-5428, to support family and friends of service people in the Middle East.

Volunteers are answering calls from noon to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, to tell people about programs and events launched since the war started four weeks ago. The hotline also is available for people who need financial or moral support.

"We've been getting about half a dozen calls a day from people who want to sell something, to people who are having a hard time financially, to other people who are just falling apart," Burgess said.

Catherine Johnson, a Canton planning commissioner, has been answering the hotline.

"One woman (who has a son in the Middle East) called and she was very short and distant when she first called," Johnson said. The woman asked about support meetings and about the times they were held.

"She said, 'I need to talk to someone right now,' " Johnson said.

The call became emotional when the woman explained that she tries to appear strong for her family.

"Then all of a sudden the flood gates opened," Johnson said.

City to roll out cannon

To honor U.S. troops and allies participating in Operation Desert Storm, an 18th century cannon is scheduled to be fired at 6 p.m. Friday in Kellogg Park.

"This cannon was used in 1805 by Lord Nelson at the Battle of Trafalgar," said Creon Smith, Mayflower Hotel co-owner.

"We want our U.S. troops and allies to know that we care."

Former Canton supervisor among commission hopefuls

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Poling, a Democrat and 20-year Canton resident, said: "I've been referred to as a person from a factory. I have several qualifications, not at the least is I worked hard for a living almost 20 years in a factory, and that, having been involved in the union, I bring certain negotiating skills.

"You don't survive on a factory floor without becoming adept in negotiation," said Poling.

She has worked as an instructor at the University of Michigan in labor relations, has been involved in lobbying efforts for local and state elected officials, including the child care bill and is a member of the board of canvassers for the Plymouth-Canton schools.

"Of course I have an 11 year old son and that's a good reason to have conern with what's going on with the schools," she said.

Canton residents Vic Gustafson and Linda Chuhran, past Canton clerk, ran on the Republican ticket against Mack. Gustafson won the primary election against Chuhran and lost in a face-off with Mack.

Neither Gustafson nor Chuhran returned Observer telephone calls inquiring whether they were running again.

Bryan Amman, assistant county executive known as the "noise czar" for his work with people complaining about noise from jets at Metropolitan airport, is running as a Democrat. He's backed by Wayne County executive Edward McNamara.

Robert Beeny, a Wayne city council member and Democrat, also is running.

A primary election between Democrats and Republicans is March 19. Voters will choose out of the winners from both parties May 7.

The special primary and general elections will cost Canton about $40,000, said Canton clerk Loren Bennett.

He's encouraging residents to take advantage of the absentee ballot.

"All they have to do is call my office, and we'll mail it out for the primary and general election," Bennett said. "There's no standing in line, no concern about bad weather, no fuss, no muss."

Treatment center to open in Canton

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Anonymous meetings will be held at the center.

A typical client, Ford said, is a male between 25 and 33 years old, "who probably works at Hydraulics or GM and has been abusing drugs since his teens." He uses drugs daily.

Cocaine is the most popular drug, but "that changes over the years, Ford said. "We're expecting a big rush on heroin. It's cheaper than cocaine right now, because the demand for cocaine is so high."

An actual case of someone who went through the Hegira program involved a 33-year-old Westland woman addicted to cocaine, Ford said.

She had never been married, had three children and didn't know where any of them lived, she continued. Family members agreed to allow her to live with them if she promised to quit using cocaine. Each time she broke her promise, they threw her out and she finally had no where to turn.

The woman was at the end of her rope when she called her sister, who knew someone who knew Ford, who got her into the Hegira program. Now the woman is reunited with her children, is living with her mother and for the first time in her life is maintaining a steady job.

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tions outside the boundaries of the municipalities seeking to buy the airport.

By the agreement drawn up by Plymouth and Plymouth Township to operate the airport by means of a joint governing board, "They have given themselves all the same powers as an authority," Romzek said.

"Absolutely not," Kaufman said.

Unlike an airport authority, Kaufman said a governing board — which Plymouth and Plymuth Township say they are seeking to create — can't issue bonds, levy taxes or acquire additional property.

Asked if he would appeal the judge's ruling, Romzek said, "I'll have to confer with my client. If that's the route, we'll file fairly soon."

"I enjoyed my day in court," said Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Breen.

"I am definitely disappointed and we should proceed further in different directions," said Paul Nastoff, of Plymouth Concerned Citizens.

"I talked to 100 people in my neighborhood and only two people were in favor of the airport. Democracy above bureaucracy," Nastoff said.

Jaeger tries to settle tiff

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Jaeger, who for 12 years served as Battle Creek city manager.

"No one is going to win and the community is going to be a big loser. Other issues of importance will be sidetracked during the many months of the coming airport battle.

"Plymouth will be given a black eye throughout the area and the state."

THE FIGHT over the airport will have an impact on potential development, he said.

"Developers seldom have much interest in attempting to place projects in areas with unstable government," he said. "The result is a negative impact on potential tax revenue.

"In addition, Plymouth must spend taxpayers' money to legally defend its actions and to conduct special elections — money that the city cannot afford to spend."

"Had the commission obeyed the will of the people there would be no waste of taxpayers' money," said Jerry Vorva, the lone city commissioner voting against the Mettetal Airport agreement.

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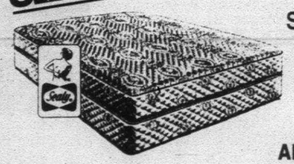
Scholarship available

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Warm spell

The calendar may have said February, but that didn't matter to folks who headed for Hines Park to enjoy the spring-like weather earlier this week. At right: Kelie Quigley and nephew, Kirk, feed the Canada geese. Above: Kirk Woodall, Kurtis Quigley, 3, and Keli Quigley (right) of Livonia pause for a lunch break in the park.

There is a proper way to display 'Old Glory'

The current wave of patriotism prompting the display of the American flag also could result in some instances of improper display.

For instance, although the flag may be displayed 24 hours a day, it should be properly illuminated at night. If the flag is to be flown during bad weather it should be made of an all-weather material.

The protocol is established by the Federal Flag Code enacted as Public Law 94-344 by the 94th Congress on July 7, 1976.

Among the items of protocol specified include:

- It is the universal custom to display the flag in the open only from sunrise to sunset. When a patriotic effect is desired, the flag may be displayed 24 hours daily if properly illuminated during the hours of darkness.
- The flag should not be displayed on days when the weather is bad unless an all-weather flag is used.
- The flag should not be draped over the hood, top, sides or back of a vehicle or of a railroad train or boat. When displayed on a car the flag should be fixed firmly to the chassis or clamped to the right fender.
- No other flag or pennant should be placed above or, if on the same level, to the right of the American flag.
- The flag of the U.S. should beat the center and at the highest point of the group when a number of flags of states or localities or pennants of societies are grouped and displayed from staffs.
- The American flag should be hoisted first and lowered last.
- When flags of two or more nations are displayed, they are to be flown from separate staffs of the same height and should be of approximately equal size. International usage forbids the display of the flag of one nation above that of another in time of peace.
- When displayed horizontally or vertically against a wall or in a window, the union should be uppermost and to the flag's own right (the observer's left).
- The flag should never be used as a covering for a statue or monument.
- When flown at half-staff, the flag should first be hoisted to the peak for an instant and then lowered to half-staff and before it is lowered should be raised to the peak. On Memorial Day the flag should be half-staff until noon only. On other occasions a flag may be flown at half-staff only by order of the president of a governor.
- When used to cover a casket, the flag should be so placed so the union is at the head and over the left shoulder. The flag should not be lowered into the grave and not allowed to touch the ground.
- The flag should never be displayed with the union down, except as a signal of dire distress in instances of extreme danger to life or property.
- The flag should touch anything beneath it, such as the ground, the floor, water or merchandise.
- The flag should never be used as wearing apparel, bedding or drapery.
- The flag should never be used as a covering for a ceiling.
- The flag should never have placed on it any mark, insignia, letter, word, figure, design, picture or drawing of any nature.
- The flag should never be used for advertising purposes in any manner. It should not be embroidered on such articles as cushions or handkerchiefs, printed or impressed on paper napkins or boxes designed for temporary use and discard.
- No part of the flag should ever be used as a costume or athletic uniform. A flag patch may be affixed to the uniform of military personnel, firefighters, policemen, and members of patriotic organizations. The lapel flag pin, being a replica, should be worn onteh left lapel near the heart.
- The flag, when it is in such condition that it can no longer be displayed, should be destroyed in a dignified way, preferably by burning.
- When the national anthem is played, all present except those in uniform should stand at attention facing the flag with the right hand over the heart. Men not in uniform should remove their hats. Persons in uniform should render the military salute. When the flag is not displayed, persons should face toward the music. The same rules apply for when the pledge to the flag is given.

Proposed pact includes pay hikes

By Darrell Clem
staff writer

Wayne-Westland teachers are expected Monday to ratify a proposed contract that would give them a raise that totals 11.9 percent when compounded over two years.

The pact would cost the school district an estimated $4 million.

Hundreds of teachers were told specifics of the last-minute tentative agreement at a meeting Wednesday afternoon with leaders of the Wayne-Westland Education Association, which represents 1,000 members in collective bargaining.

Although the union didn't ask for an informal vote at the meeting held in Wayne Memorial High School's Stockmeyer Auditorium, union president William Reece predicted the contract will be approved Monday in a ballot vote in schools throughout the district.

"There will be some negative votes, but it will be passed overwhelmingly," Reece said after Wednesday's 1½-hour session.

The latest proposal, which averted a teachers' strike last Tuesday, emerged from 11th-hour negotiations between union representatives and school officials. Teachers have been working without a contract since Aug. 27.

Under the proposed contract, teachers would get a 3.5-percent raise for the current school year, another 4 percent pay hike for the first semester of the 1991-92 school year, and a 4 percent raise for the second semester of that school year.

Wayne-Westland School District
The district serves southeast Canton.

"Nobody's completely satisfied with it, so that must mean something's right," school Superintendent Dennis O'Neill said late Wednesday afternoon, adding that "it's a very fair and equitable contract for both sides."

UNDER TERMS of the contract, the top salary for union members with a master's degree and at the top of the salary schedule would increase from $45,755 to $47,355 for the current school year and to $51,220 for the following school year.

The pact could be extended for a third year if the union and school officials can reach an accord by late August in 1992. Negotiations would begin no later than April 1 of that year.

During Wednesday's meeting, Reece told teachers that if the proposed agreement is ratified, their raises would be reflected on their paychecks in mid-February. They also would receive a lump-sum check in early March for the retroactive portion of the pact.

Some teachers appeared concerned that they wouldn't receive their second-year raises if a proposed 7.75-mill tax increase fails in a special March 13 election. "That's not true," Reece said.

Several teachers predicted as they left the union session that the contract will be approved Monday, though some said the victory margin could be narrow.

Kip Swihart, WWEA building representative at Adams Junior High School, said teachers he has talked with "very truly believe that the negotiating team did the best they could," considering the school district's financial woes.

Elwood (Woody) London, the district's associate superintendent of business and operations, said the new contract would cost the district an estimated $4 million over two years.

Both Reece and O'Neill said the contract should pose no problems for the millage election, saying the tax increase being sought is aimed at restoring programs eliminated or reduced six months ago.

DURING THE WWEA meeting, teachers heard a millage pep talk by Ken McGregor, a Michigan Education Association political action consultant who is helping organize the millage campaign.

Tornado spotters needed

The National Weather Service will conduct a basic tornado spotting class at 9 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 23, at Plymouth Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road.

Plymouth Township and communities in northwest Wayne County need help with the tornado warning system. The team sign-up, partial spotting post assignments and local operating procedure training will commence after the Sky Warn Training.

Local procedures call for spotters to respond to their assigned spotting post each time there is a tornado watch. Trained spotters are needed for all time periods.

For information call 453-3840, ext. 221, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. no later than Feb. 15.



Sweet songs

Members of Harmony International will be scurrying on Valentine's Day, giving singing telegrams, a silk rose and tape recording to lucky sweethearts all over metropolitan Detroit. In this barbershop quartet are (left) Marge Dugan of Redford, Linda Lupo of Canton, Kris Tandon of Farmington Hills and Betty Koch of Canton. Harmony International will also present singing valentines over the telephone.

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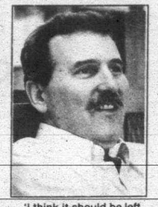
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— Myron Hopper
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'I can't understand why it's so controversial.'
— Robert Shank
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'I would say that the voters should decide.'
— Jeryl Hall
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'I haven't given it much thought.'
— Judy Richardson
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'They should take a vote on it.'
—Mark Newsom
Plymouth



'I think the voters should decide.'
— Dimitri Ayoub
Plymouth

Home vigil

Candle burns for daughter's return from Gulf



Leonor Ardila Brooks (left) worries about the safety and whereabouts of her daughter, Janice Higuera, an Army captain serving in the Persian Gulf.

A candle in the window of Leonor Ardila Brooks' home burns for her daughter, Army Capt. Janice Higuera.

"It will be going until she comes back," said Brooks who works in the lab at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia.

Higuera, who grew up with her mother in Farmington Hills and graduated from North Farmington High School and U.S. Military Academy at West Point, is stationed in the Persian Gulf.

BROOKS SAID Monday she hadn't heard from her daughter since Jan. 13, three days before the U.S.-led forces attacked Iraq. "She told me she would call next week, 'But if I don't, don't worry.' "

Brooks told her daughter that friends and family members here and her grandmother and relatives in Colombia were calling frequently and praying for her. "She said, 'I need it. I know that I will be back.' And, because I started to cry, she said, 'I will be seeing you.' "

Capt. Higuera is a civil engineer stationed somewhere in Saudi Arabia — she couldn't tell her mother just where.

She told her mother the food there was good; she needed underwear that was lost probably during washing; and asked for videotapes since their unit got ahold of a video-cassette recorder.

Brooks sent her daughter two features, one of the "Indiana Jones" series and "Married to the Mob."

BROOKS, A microbiologist at St. Mary Hospital, said she raised Janice, 28, and her other children, Olga Cook, 32, and Gilbert Higuera, 27.

She was divorced from Dr. Gilberto Higuera, their father, who lives in Bloomfield Hills with wife Margaret and their children Mike and Philip.

Brooks, who was remarried but has been widowed for 13 years, said she hasn't seen her daughter in 1½ years. Nevertheless, she's told her the family is worried. "She said, 'You don't have to worry. We are well prepared.' "

As for her own feelings, Brooks said, "She's there. I support her 100 percent. I really think we could have done it differently, but I support her and the troops completely."

Shops plan Valentine events

Merchants at Laurel Park Place in Livonia will be playing Cupid's Helper as they present a series of Valentine related events.

A Lovers' Getaway Contest is featured now to Feb. 14. Shoppers can enter to win overnight accommodations at the Courtyard By Marriott hotel, a romantic dinner for two, and tickets to see the Detroit Pistons. Entries will be available in the Grand Court.

Food and Valentine fashions will be featured from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, during an informal modeling exhibition at D. Dennison's and Marriott Hotel's Garden Court Restaurant.

Distinctive Valentine gift ideas will be highlighted at 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, during Laurel Park Place's Valentine's Day Gift Show in the Grand Court.

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No exceptions

Engler holds his ground on budget cuts

By Tim Richard
staff writer

Here's what Gov. John Engler says to people who ask his budget cutters to make an exception for the Detroit Institute of Arts, Displaced Homemakers program, local arts groups, Detroit Symphony, Southfield Symphony, the Grand Ledge Opera House, Youth Corps, community growth alliances, Oakland Technology Park, new computers, harness racing purses, subsidies to race track-impacted cities, a local mental hospital — and so on:

"People say to me, 'John, we're happy with most of what you're doing, but there's one program — *one little program* — save this one.'

"Someone else comes and says, 'You're doing a heckuva job, but there's this other program — save that one.'

"What happens is that when we add up everything you've asked us to except, the exceptions are bigger, and it allows us to go nowhere.

"**WE NEED** your help," he told the Oakland County Lincoln banquet, "to say, 'Look, ladies and gentlemen of the Legislature, we've got to work this out.' "

"We went through the budget without regard to the identity of the project," Engler said in an interview later, "and simply removed all the projects. Everybody was treated the same. No special considerations for anyone or anything."

Now that House Democrats have rejected his budget revisions, most state programs face 9.2 percent across-the-board cuts rather than some being zeroed out.

The Saturday night Republican event drew some 950 people, said chairman John Wierzbicki of Huntington Woods — more than double the 400 who attended in 1989 when the speaker was John Engler the state senator.

The tables were salted with nonpartisan judges and peppered with Democrats. Even the Michigan Education Association, a union representing 12,000 teachers in Oakland alone, bought a full-page ad in the program alluding to Engler's decision to protect school aid.

A MINOR part of the budget problem was falling revenue in a recession, Engler said: "Our general fund of $7.5 billion was off only $250 million.

"When we got hold of the books (Jan. 1), we found that if we changed nothing — just kept spending the way the programs were set up — we were on course to spend $650 million more than we were going to take in.

"We were a state in the 1980s that simply didn't perform economically the way it could have . . .

"It simply costs more to be here than to be somewhere else. We used to argue that Michigan is a high-cost state because it's a high income state.

"But in the 1980s, income per capita dropped down, and we find we're not as wealthy as we were, but we're still paying high taxes.

"We said we're going to balance the budget without raising taxes, protect education, make it a priority. Then next year we're going to restructure the way government delivers services and spends your tax dollars.

OTHER POINTS Engler made of local interest:

● Judy Miller, former state representatives from Birmingham who is now Engler's business ombudsman, will not only try to cut governmental red tape for business — she'll try to remove it. "That office grew bigger and bigger (under Democrat James Blanchard). They were trying to solve problems. We oughta go change the rule or law that caused the problem."

● He wants to settle a lawsuit won by Oakland County against the state Department of Mental Health, for calling DMH programs "local" in order to give a false picture of state aid. The Blanchard administration in December carried its appeal to the state Supreme Court. "I am distressed at the amount of litigation. Everyone has felt in recent years that in order to talk to the state, you have to sue us. I hope to change that practice."

● Can Patrick Nowak, the deputy Oakland County executive who will become his transportation chief, sell him on a fuel tax increase or change in the distribution formula for local roads? "Pat did a superb job as head of SMART (Suburban Mobility Authority — Rapid Transit) in halving administrative costs. We can build a lot of roads with every dollar we can save on administration. We'll see how many roads we can get built that way first."

Said Nowak: "To those who think I'm putting on weight, it's just my pockets bulging with all your road requests."

IN A RARE near-criticism of the president, U.S. Rep. William Broomfield, R-Lake Orion, said George Bush may want to keep warm relations with the Soviet Union, but "he can't afford to ignore repressions and violations of human rights in the Baltic states."

In following news of the Persian Gulf war, Broomfield said Americans shouldn't overlook that "Soviet soldiers killed 19 people in Latvia and Lithuania; Soviet soldiers patrol the streets in every city; Soviet soldiers search and seize business property . . .

"And it's on the authority of top Soviet leadership," said Broomfield, ranking Republican on the House Foreign Affairs Committee and 32-year congressional veteran.

Troops can delay taxes

The designation of the Persian Gulf as a combat zone triggers a number of federal tax relief provisions for taxpayers serving in Operation Desert Storm.

According to John Hummel, IRS district director in Detroit, members of the armed forces and support personnel in the Persian Gulf assigned to Desert Storm will not have to file their 1990 federal income tax returns until at least 180 days after they depart from the Persian Gulf. No penalty or interest will be charged during this period on any tax due for 1990.

IRS will also suspend all tax return examinations and actions to collect any back taxes owed by these taxpayers for years prior to 1990 until at least 180 days after the taxpayers leaves the combat zone. During this time no penalty or interest will be added to any tax due.

"These relief provisions not only apply to armed forces and support personnel serving in the Operation Desert Storm combat zone but also to their spouses," Hummel said.

Military pay received by enlisted personnel while serving in the combat zone is exempt from income tax. For commissioned officers, up to $500 a month can be excluded from income. The exclusion generally includes amount received during periods of hospitalization resulting from injury or sickness suffered while serving in the combat zone.

In the event a member of the armed forces dies while serving in the combat zone, no tax is due for the year of death or any prior year in which the person served in the combat zone. In addition, any unpaid tax for years prior to service in the combat zone is forgiven.

The combat zone designation is effective Jan. 17, 1991, and covers Iraq, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Oman, Bahrain, Qatar, United Arab Emirates, Persian Gulf, Red Sea, Gulf of Oman, certain parts of the Arabain Sea and the Gulf of Aden.

Hummel emphasized that taxpayers, including spouses and others acting on behalf of a taxpayer in the Operation Desert Storm combat zone, should call the IRS toll-free at 1-800-829-1040 for additional information on federal tax matters. If they receive correspondence about any collection or audit matter covered by these relief provisions, they should contact IRS immediately so that the action may be suspended.

Golf event set

Golfers are invited to sign up for the first Wayne County "chili dog open," with registration open until Friday.

The event is scheduled for 11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 16, at Warren Valley Golf course. It includes nine holes of golf on the snow covered course, plus refreshments — including warm drinks and chili dogs.

Spikes and carts aren't necessary. Golfers are allowed to use a maximum of four clubs.

Free golf balls will be provided, though they will be replaced by tennis balls if the snow is too deep.

Fee is $15 per person. Fees can be paid in person at the course, 26146 W. Warren, near Hines Drive, Dearborn Heights.

Toma still fighting in his war on drugs

By Wayne Peal
staff writer

The war in the Persian Gulf will end someday but there is no end in sight for the drug war in America's streets, anti-drug crusader David Toma said last week in Plymouth.

"That war (against Iraq) — in six months, in three months, in one year — will be over," Toma told a mostly teenage audience. "The war we're having (with drugs), I don't think that will be over in your lifetime."

Toma spoke to youngsters and parents at the local offices of Straight, Inc., a national non-profit substance abuse treatment program.

The former Newark, N.J., policeman — real-life model for the 1970s television shows "Baretta" and "Toma" — is himself a recovered drug addict.

"You have been there. I have been there," he told his audience, not only challenging them to stay clean of drugs and alcohol but also to help others.

"**YOU'RE THE** best counselors," said Toma.

Clad in jeans, with sleeves rolled on his open collar shirt, Toma brought an evangelistic fervor to his appearance, often hugging and kissing audience members during question-and-answer sessions.

"I'm here because I love you," he said.

It's normal to be depressed, Toma told a young girl, asking audience members to raise their hands if they, too, had ever been depressed.

A young boy, worried about bad past experiences, was told to let them go.

Worry about the future, Toma said, not about events you can no longer control.

"He talked to the kids in their language and they understood," said one onlooker, a Westland woman who said her adult son has suffered three relapses in his ongoing battle to get off drugs. "He doesn't even know I'm here," the woman said.

The problem, Toma said, is weakness.

"Weakness doesn't just relate to drug addiction, it relates to everything you do in life," he said.

His own moments of weakness, Toma said, came after his young son died — ironically on a day when Toma saved the life of another young boy.

Restrained from committing suicide, Toma said he finally put his life back together with help of a nephew who, at the time, was fighting his own battle against drug abuse.

Toma's life story kept his audience rapt for nearly 45 minutes, and his direct style twice brought the audience to its feet.

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Teacher promotes the art of learning

By Marie Chestney
staff writer

Inside every academically struggling student is a student who never learned how to learn.

That's the philosophy behind the a relatively new private learning center whose director is Mary Alger, a former Garden City Public Schools teacher.

She heads the Wehrli Learning Center, 19159 Merriman, Livonia.

Perhaps the student is failing social studies, English or math, but the real reason for academic failure, said Alger, is that the student never learned the art of successful learning.

Once the basic rules of learning are mastered, she believes, the student can apply them successfully in all subjects taught in school.

"We teach learning skills, not subjects," said Alger. "School districts don't deal with this, they teach subjects.

"The schools may say to a parent of a struggling student, 'wait, let him catch up at his own pace.' But parents shouldn't wait. They should try to find out what the learning problem is."

ONE WAY A can find out is to have their child tested at the privately-operated center.

Another way is to scout out special, one-to-one tutoring in the child's own school.

Alger believes parents should seek this help as soon as a scholastic problem is detected.

"Parents see that the child needs help but don't know what to do. They should seek help before years go by. When youngsters start falling further and further behind, they eventually give up.

"The classroom teacher can't offer them the extra attention they need. Teachers have certain things they have to get through. They have to move on, even if all kids don't master it. And all kids don't learn in the same time frame."

Alger uses a learning program developed 10 years ago by an educator, Kitty Wehrli. The program, which uses a tape recorder, headset and a workbook, teaches learning skills to youngsters and adults.

Students come to the center for one-hour sessions three times a week for at least 10 weeks. The cost is $35 per week, plus a $45 testing fee.

So far, the oldest person to use the center is 37.

"He was a high school graduate but had a second-grade reading level. He had a short attention span and spent his time in school looking out the window. He also was dyslexic. The first book he ever read through completely he read here. He now works in a business in a supervisory capacity."

GRADE SCHOOL youngsters, she said, tend to run into learning problems in two grade levels — first and second graders and fifth and six graders.

Youngsters who start having problems, Alger said, show certain signs, signs parents often miss.

"They're nervous. They can't sit still. They don't show enthusiasm for their work. They can't keep up with their classmates. When they fall behind, their self-image falters.

"Teachers often can't give them individual attention because of the number of kids they have, and the demands made on their time. Even extra tutoring by teachers' aides might not be able to help them catch up."

The center is open 3:30-8 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and Saturday morning.

On this particular Thursday, Ryan comes in at 4 p.m. with his mother and, after picking up his work materials, heads for one of 10 tables in the center.

Alger helps him into his headset, makes sure his work book is centered before him, and turns on the tape recorder.

"He knows his routine and goes to it and gets busy," Alger said.

ALGER BELIEVES many youngsters today don't know the value of personal discipline.

"Learning takes patience, discipline, time. Everybody has the potential to learn. They just have to do it.

"Sometimes parents don't set high enough expectations for their kids. Studying is the most important thing the kids are doing, not a concert at the Palace or a basketball game. We should expect more from our kids, and kids have to take responsibility for their own lives.

"School is serious business. The demands made on our kids is phenomenal today, and competition is keen."

Ryan fills out the workbook silently, independently and quietly. Only occasionally does he look up to ask Alger a question. Sometimes he speaks out loud, in response to a question. Other times, he writes the answer. He simply is following Wehrli's directions.

After completing his lesson, Ryan reads a book to finish out the hour. He then packs up his work materials and puts them away in his own cubbyhole. Another session has ended.

THERE ARE 30 levels of learning in the Wehrli method of learning.

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"When the student hears the word 'good,' he has a sense of accomplishment and pushes himself. He feels good about his accomplishment and so will do more."

Two types of students come to the center — those who simply need extra help or a different approach to learning, and those who have some type of disability that hinders learning.

After they complete the program, Alger said the students' view of themselves as learners is dramatically altered. Their self-esteem has risen so high, she said, they are motivated to go back to their own classroom and continue their success.

"We bring the students up to their grade level," Alger said. "The demands of the classroom can become overwhelming for some kids. Here, we tap into the kid's natural inclination to learn. Their own success becomes their motivation. It builds on its own momentum. Our focus is to put the kids back on the right track."

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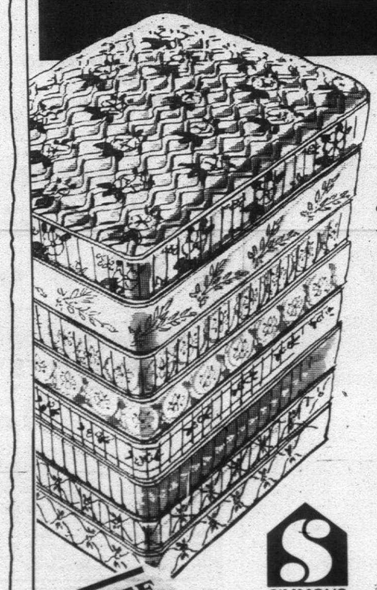
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Program spotlights Engler's changes


State Sen. Lana Pollack featured speaker.

"A New Governor: Will It Make a Difference? An Insider's Insight," will be discussed by state Sen. Lana Pollack's Thursday, Feb. 21, at a town hall forum sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Organization.

The forum begins, sponsored by the Garden City BPW, is at 7:30 p.m. in the Garden City High School cafeteria, 6500 Middlebelt Road, between Warren and Ford roads.

A question and answer session will follow Pollack's remarks.

Admission is free and refreshments will be served following the forum.

Pollack, D-Ann Arbor, recently began her third term in the Michigan State Senate. She is member of the appropriations, criminal justice and urban affairs and joint administrative rules committees.

She also serves as a member of the Senate Select Committee on Higher Education, the Senate Select Committee for the Advancement of the Creative Arts and on several nongovernmental organizations including the board of trustees of the Michigan Women's Foundation and the advisory board of the United Negro College Fund.

She was elected to the Ann Arbor Board of Education in 1979 and served until she was elected to the Senate.

She was unsuccessful in her 1988 bid to unseat 2nd District Republican Rep. Carl Pursell. The western Wayne County section of the 2nd District includes Livonia and Plymouth.

Pollack holds a bachelor's degree in political science and a master's in education from the University of Michigan. She also studied dance and music and is a former teacher of dance.

An active political worker for more than 20 years, she has held several party posts including chair of the Ann Arbor Democratic Party in 1975 and 1976.

Pollack is currently working on legislation to provide better enforcement of Michigan's environmental laws, withdraw Michigan from the Midwest Low Level Radioactive Waste Compact, improve school bus safety, provide restrictions over placement of prisoners in community corrections, require detention of domestic violence offenders until arraignment and clarify educational benefit provisions in the Veterans Trust Fund Act.

She has sponsored public acts which address the issues of corporal punishment in the public schools, children in foster care, jury selection, barrier free design standards, crime, domestic relations and the retirement system.

Pollack, who has traveled throughout Africa, Europe, India, Mexico and the Middle East, lived in England in 1977 and in Zambia in 1970. While living in Zambia she was teacher and administrator of the John Howard Compound School.

The BPW, sponsor of the forum, is a national organization of women and men dedicated to elevating the status of all working women.

Drunk driving bills promoted

Secretary of State Richard H. Austin today said his top legislative priority this year is a comprehensive package of anti-drunk-driving bills.

"It should come as no surprise that we will strive for continued success in preventing the No. 1 crippler and killer of Michigan's children, teenagers and adults — traffic crashes," Austin said.

THE PACKAGE includes provisions for:

- Swift and sure suspension of a drunk driver's license.
- 48 hours of consecutive jail time or 10 days of community service for a second-time offender.
- 30 days' minimum suspension for a drunk-driving conviction.
- Primary enforcement of Michigan's safety belt law. Presently, a person cannot be cited for failure to wear a safety belt unless stopped for another offense.
- Tougher drunk-driving standards for commercial drivers who operate large trucks, buses and school buses. Commercial drivers who are convicted of having a blood alcohol level of .04 percent or greater would have a one-year suspension of their commercial driver license and a lifetime suspension if convicted of a second violation. Currently, the blood alcohol limit is .10 percent.
- Mandatory safety helmet use by moped operators regardless of age. Currently, only moped operators up to age 19 are required to wear a safety helmet.

AUSTIN, SERVING his sixth term, also expressed a desire to work with other state officials in this post-election year to establish ethics legislation, "particularly regarding the issues of campaign finance and financial disclosure."

As Michigan's official historian, Austin expressed concern over lack of legislation governing the state's archaeology program, which is largely directed by federal law.

Austin called for approval of two other issues that have come before legislators in the past: limiting the sale of lists of names and addresses from driver and motor vehicle registration information, reduce the potential for junk mail; and authorization for the Department of State to accept credit card payment for all transactions, a practice now limited to mail transactions.

Troop boosters

Groups work to raise morale

By Wayne Peal
staff writer

Victory in the Persian Gulf will be much more difficult without victory on the homefront, say those involved with area troop support groups.

They're selling T-shirts, sending food baskets, writing letters and generally showing their support for the Persian Gulf conflict — no matter how they felt about Vietnam.

Elaine Guenther, a teenager when the Vietnam War broke out, remembers that war as unjustified.

Now a mother, with a daughter getting ready to depart for military duty, Guenther is working hard to generate support U.S. troops and their families.

"This war, I feel, is justified," the Westland woman said. "Vietnam wasn't — it wasn't declared by Congress."

Her group, called PUT-UP — Parents United Toward Universal Peace — meets weekly at a Livonia church.

"IT IS scary," she said of having a daughter who could soon take part in Operation Desert Storm. "But we're all there for each other. It's a safe place for us to go."

Support for the troops, complete with flag waving rallies, isn't really something new, according to Yvonne Zapinski of Friends of Freedom, another area support group.

"This is more what people did during World War II, but for some reason it stopped during Korea and Vietnam," said Zapinski, whose group has already delivered more than 300 pieces of mail to U.S. military personnel.

Group members believe candy and cookies are keys to boosting troop morale.

"We're sending them the kind of things they can't get," Zapinski said. "They don't have PX's set up in the desert."

Drop boxes are soon expected to be set up at area high schools, Zapinski said, with items to be sent to the troops.

Rallies, like the one recently held at Pontiac-Oakland Airport, are seen as morale boosters.

"That was really welcome," said Zapinski, whose son-in-law is awaiting transfer to the Persian Gulf.

"A lot of people feel — and justly so — that they have to do something," said Guenther.

But while public support is running in favor of the war effort, it isn't universal. Polls indicate support could drop if fighting becomes prolonged and if U.S. casualties mount — despite President Bush's repeated assurance that wouldn't happen.

Already, two large anti-war demonstrations have been held in Washington, drawing the kind of turnout unseen until the latter stages of the Vietnam War.

Both women acknowledged the right of protesters to protest — but said they wished they wouldn't.

"MY FEELING about protesters changes every day. Right now, I'd say if they want to protest something, they should go protest the price of milk," Guenther said. "It's time for all of us to stand behind the troops."

Guenther also said she was a big booster of the president.

"We have to stand behind him, too," she said. "I think he's doing an excellent job."

Toward that goal, indifference could prove a bigger barrier than opposition.

Guenther said she was surprised her group only included 30 people.

"Really, I feel we should have a lot more members," she said.

Support is there, she believes.

"When I'm on line at Kroger or wherever the talk invariably turns to the war and, when they find out what I'm doing many people end up giving me a hug. They tell me to keep going."

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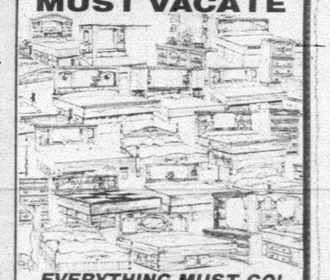

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Call for 'peoplecy'

Ex-journalist seeks a new approach to diplomacy

By Tim Smith
staff writer

A Southfield resident and former journalist believes the U.S. should abandon traditional diplomatic methods in trying to resolve the Middle East crisis and instead use "peoplecy".

"Peoplecy is in vogue and diplomacy is beginning to be passe," said Jerry Halloran, who in 1951 was the first Western journalist to be based in the troubled Persian Gulf region. "That's from the standpoint that people are going to get more done."

They will if they follow the lead of Halloran, who is founder and owner of Imacom Travel/American Express in Southfield.

Since last summer, Halloran has persisted in his efforts to get people to refer to the region as the Arabian Gulf instead of the Persian Gulf, as it long has been identified. He said the latter term was inaccurate and "an affront to those people. It showed how little they (U.S. officials) cared about them."

Halloran even sent a letter to President George Bush last August, following Iraq's invasion of Kuwait, suggesting calling the Gulf "as all the Arabian countries know it."

THOSE EFFORTS now are beginning to pay off, Halloran said. In the last week or so, the official U.S. posture at military briefings has been "Arabian Gulf."

Now it's only a matter of time before the media adopts the term he prefers. "Once one starts (using) it they'll all be on the bandwagon," Halloran said.

Any success in his name change quest would only be "one minor thing, but it shows the false foundation this whole thing is based on."

Halloran claims Bush misled the American people by saying the government has done everything possible to bring peace to the troubled region, calling the assertion a "gross overstatement."

According to Halloran, it is an exaggeration because Bush originally said there wouldn't be talks with Iraq until that country left Kuwait, but then agreed to negotiate only between Dec. 15 and Jan. 15, after which Iraq agreed to talk on Jan. 12.

"He (Bush) attempted no communication through the Arab League," Halloran said. "They would have been the best ones to conduct negotiations."

NOT OPPOSED in principle to the U.S. being in Saudi Arabia, Halloran said he's "strongly opposed to taking military action without having negotiations conducted to bring about a return to normalcy concerning oil production in Kuwait and Iraq. It all gets down to economics."

Besides his campaign urging that the region be called the Arabian Gulf, Halloran sent several letters to Bush focusing mostly on the need to incorporate a "people-to-people" philosophy to achieve peace.

"Getting to know people is the way to world peace. It's the only solution. If we left it up to the people instead of politicians, there wouldn't be any more wars," said Halloran in explaining his philosophy during an earlier interview.

State OKs hospital expansion

A $2 million expansion and renovation plan to double the size of the emergency facilities at Annapolis Hospital, Wayne, has been approved by the Michigan Department of Public Health this week.

Carla O'Malley, senior vice president and chief operating officer of Annapolis, said that the state has approved a certificate of need, required before any major hospital development can proceed.

"To better service the growing surrounding communities, Annapolis (on Annapolis near Venoy) is launching a 12,000-square-foot renovation and expansion program," said O'Malley.

The hospital serves local patients whose doctors have staff privileges there.

Plans include expanding both the major trauma room and the waiting room, and increasing the number of support rooms. The completion date for the first phase of the project is July of this year.

Annapolis has been, and will continue to be, a major provider of emergency services in the western Wayne area, with more than 35,000 emergency patient visits annually, O'Malley said.

"TO ACCOMMODATE the growing emergency volume, we have increased our trauma support staff and upgraded our trauma-related equipment," said O'Malley.

"The expansion of emergency services is needed, and I'm pleased to see Annapolis is continuing its commitment to better serve the community," said Cynthia Taueg, director/ health officer of the Wayne County Department of Health.

Annapolis added a new urgent care center last fall in recognition of the need for more comprehensive emergency services in the communities it serves. This urgent care center has allowed the existing emergency services to concentrate on the more serious traumatic cases.

A significant amount of renovation also has taken place during the past several months in other patient care areas. In addition to the emergency expansion, Annapolis has added another operating room, cardiac catheterization laboratory, an intensive care unit, and expanded and renovated the outpatient surgery center.

obituaries

EWART HALL

Services for Ewart Hall, 84, of Northville were Thursday, Jan. 31, at Casterline Funeral Home in Northville. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

Mr. Hall was born Dec. 23, 1906, in Gateshead, England. He died Tuesday, Jan. 29, at St. Mary Hospital. He came to the Northville community in 1928 and retired from Ford Motor Co.

Mr. Hall is survived by four sisters, Enid Schoppele of Plymouth, Freda DeWilde of Goshen, Ind., Greta Hughes of Waterloo, Iowa and Mona Makinson of Glendale, Calif.; and many nieces and nephews.

Friends officiated the service.

JOHN L. TALERICO

Services for John L. Talerico, 74, of Plymouth were Saturday, Feb. 2, at Casterline Funeral Home in Northville. Burial was in Rural Hill Cemetery, Northville.

Mr. Talerico was born Jan. 25, 1917, in Monongah, W. Va. He died Wednesday, Jan. 30, at Dearborn Heights Care Center. He was retired from Ford Motor Co.

Mr. Talerico is survived by four daughters, Renee Talerico of Plymouth, Rachele Talerico of Plymouth and Robyn Talerico of Plymouth and Rosanne Talerico of Plymouth; two sisters, Rose Waraish of West Virginia and Mary Cavallero of West Virginia; four brothers, Tony Talerico of West Virginia, Louis Talerico of West Virginia, Frank Talerico of Connecticut and Joseph Talerico of Morgan Town, W. Va.

Deacon Edward Stryc, of St. Williams Catholic Church in Walled Lake, officiated the service.

NANCY GROSDA BAILEY

Services for Nancy Grosda Bailey, 41, of Plymouth were Monday, Feb. 4, at Harry J. Will Trust 100 Funeral Home in Livonia. The body was cremated at Evergreen Crematory in Detroit.

Mrs. Bailey was born April 9, 1949 in Detroit. She died Thursday, Jan. 31, in Plymouth. She came to the Plymouth community in 1974 and was a teacher for the Plymouth Public School System. She was a member of Our Lady of Good Council in Plymouth and Plymouth Woman's Club.

Mrs. Bailey is survived by her husband, Michael Bailey of Plymouth; mother, Rose Androff; one son, Michael Bailey of Plymouth; one daughter, Jennifer Bailey of Plymouth; one brother, Christopher Androff and two sisters, Linda Dreber and Marilyn Suttle.

Cigarette, alcohol use still high among teens, college students

By Darrell Pressley
staff writer

Though the results of a University of Michigan survey show drug use on the decline among high school and college students, the number of young people doing drugs is still significant, said Mary Kay Meier, program supervisor for the Maplegrove Youth Treatment Center in West Blooomfield.

In the annual study, "Monitoring the Future," U-M social scientist Lloyd D. Johnston and several colleagues reported a decrease in the use of crack cocaine and other illicit drugs by high school seniors, college students and young adults between the ages of 19 and 28.

"We are seeing a continuing decline in the proportion of these populations who are actively using any illicit drug, as well as in the proportions using a number of specific drugs such as marijuana, cocaine, crack, stimulants and sedatives," Johnston said in the report.

Cigarette and alcohol use, however, remain high -- and the use of hallucinogens has remained constant, according to the study. In fact, the use of LSD is at its highest since 1983.

"THERE IS SOME decline in numbers and that's encouraging," said Meier, who works with adolescents involved in six-week residential plus follow-up treatment. "But I'm still concerned that the numbers are significant."

In 1990, one in 20 high school students (5.3 percent) reported using cocaine at some time in the prior year. That number is down from 13 percent in 1986.

Only one in 50 seniors (1.9 percent) used crack during that time period, down from 4 percent in 1987.

And, for the first time the survey noted a significant drop in the proportion of high school seniors saying they felt they could get cocaine powder fairly easily if they wanted some (down from 54 percent in 1989 to 42 percent in 1990) and crack cocaine (down from 47 percent in 1989 to 42 percent in 1990.)

In reviewing the report, Meier said some teenagers who take the survey do not include every instance in which they use a drug -- and cut down on their usage when taking the survey.

"The kids who come into treatment tell me that they minimize their use when they take the survey," Meier said.

Meier added she doesn't agree with the term illicit drugs, because it does not include alcohol. "Even alcohol in adults is illicit," she said.

"Alcohol is the most abused substance in the country. That's the drug that gets the least attention."

There is a downplay on alcohol, "because parents drink and they want to continue drinking," Meier said, adding that if teenagers are just drinking, then parents feel they should not be too concerned.

ALCOHOL USE, however, is widespread among those under 21, although some modest declines have been recorded in use among high school seniors. The proportions reporting any alcohol use in the prior month fell from a peak of 72 percent in 1980 to 57 percent in 1990. And, for the first time in 15 years of the survey, use of alcohol at any time by high school seniors dipped below the 90 percentile mark to 89.5. Highest use was 93.2 percent in 1980.

"Considering that the purchase of alcohol is illegal for all high school seniors, these are still very troublesome levels of drinking, though the statistics have been gradually moving in the right direction," Johnston said.

Though there is a decrease in smoking in the general population, there has been no change in the younger generation, Johnston said.

In 1990, 29 percent of high school seniors said they smoked at least some in the prior month, the same number in 1981. The daily smoking rate declined from 20 to 19 percent over the same interval.

THE INCREASE in the use of hallucinogens is consistent with what we're seeing. It subsided for a while, but recently we're seeing an increase, Meier said.

"When the media focuses on one drug ... we kind of lose our awareness of other kinds of chemicals," Meier said.

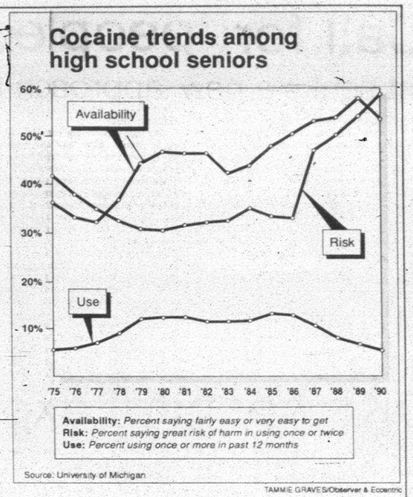
The numbers for college students using sedatives, hallucinogens, cigarettes increased between 1989 and 1990. Statistics overall, however, have decreased in alcohol and other substances.

With added educational programs and treatment programs for young adults, the study shows that there seems to be more of an awareness of the dangers of these drugs, Meier said.

There is also less tolerance among drug use in our adult population, she said. As parents begin to stop their own drug abuse, "that will continue to have a benefit on our kids."

THOUGH THE NUMBERS are high, the survey is still encouraging, Meier said. "It feels good to know there has been some positive impact," she said.

Adolescents are risk takers and it is important to provide them with education before they become substance abusers, Meier said.



Widow of Malcom X highlights EMU forum

Betty Shabazz, widow of Malcom X, will be featured speaker during Black History Month activities at Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti.

Shabazz will speak on "Reflections and New Directions" 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 18, in the university's Hoyt Conference Center. She is the second King/Chavez/Parks visiting lecturer for 1991.

Tickets are free, but reservations must be made by calling the EMU Office of Equity Programs, 487-2133.

In addition to the Shabazz visit, EMU will present a Black History Month lecture series each Tuesday at the university's Goodison Hall Multicultural Center.

"Read It, Write It," a lecture featuring EMU English Language and Literature faculty is scheduled for 11 a.m. Feb. 12.

"Feeling Good," presented by EMU Nursing Department head Regina Williams, is scheduled for Feb. 19.

The final lecture, at noon Feb. 26, is "Exploring the Mind." It features EMU education faculty members.

EMU will also participate in "The Rise in Campus Racism: Causes and Solutions," a live, national teleconference Wednesday, Feb. 20. The conference begins 1 p.m. in the McKenny Union Guild Hall. A panel discussion follows at 3 p.m.

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● **SENIOR TRIPS/SLIDES**
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Tuesday, Feb. 12, 9:50 a.m. — Canton Seniors will sponsor a Mystery Trip; $24.50; register now (397-5444).
Monday, Feb. 18, 1 p.m. — Slide show on Australia at Plymouth Cultural Center. Call 455-6620.
Wednesday, Feb. 27 — Canton Seniors will enjoy an "Afternoon of Art" at the Detroit Institute of Arts; $11.50; registration opens Jan. 28.
April 25-May 10 — Australia, New Zealand and Hawaii; sponsored by City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation; $3,299; 455-6620.
Aug. 4-17 — Norway, Sweden and Denmark; sponsored by City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation; $2,499; 455-6620.
May 19-23 — Hudson River Valley Trip, sponsored by City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation; $499; 455-6620.

● **LUNCHTIME PROGRAM**
Tuesdays, Feb. 12 and 19 — Bring a brown bag lunch to the Plymouth District Library at noon and enjoy "The American Short Story Video Series." Coffee, tea and juice will be available. For more information call Mrs. Barlage at 453-0750.

● **TRIPS**
The Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department will sponsor the following trips:
Friday, Feb. 8, three days — Snow Train Trip, two nights in Sault Ste. Marie, $245.
Monday, March 11 — Frankenmuth, $42.
Tuesday, March 19, six nights — Palm Springs, $949.
Thursday, April 11 — Westgate Dinner Theater to see "Camelot," $38; residents; $39, non-residents. Includes international lunch buffet.
Thursday-Friday, April 25-May 10 — Australia, $3,299.
Monday, May 20, four days — Dubuque Casino Belle Riverboat, $379.
Sunday-Saturday, Aug. 4-17 — Scandinavia Trip, $2,499.
Call the Recreation Department, 455-6620, for details.

● **LEISURE CLASSES**
Begin week of Feb. 4 — The city of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department offers the following classes: judo and karate, bridge, pencil and charcoal drawing. Call 455-6620.
Classes for seniors include arts and crafts, woodcarving, fitness, painting and current issues.

● **PLYMOUTH YMCA CLASSES**
Register now — Classes offered are stop smoking/weight control clinic, hatha yoga and getting to know your inner self, adult tennis lessons, dog obedience and women's self-defense/rape prevention. Call 453-2904 to register.

● **PLYMOUTH YMCA MEETING**
Monday, Feb. 11, 7 p.m. — The public is welcome to attend the annual meeting at 248 South Union Street.

● **BLOOD DRIVE**
Saturday, Feb. 16, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. — Red Cross Blood Drive will take place at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, 1343 Penniman at Evergreen. Parking is in rear of church.

● **ESTATE PLANNING**
Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1-2:30 p.m. — Plymouth Community Family YMCA is conducting a free seminar on organizing your estate to minimize taxes and maximize wealth at its office at 248 Union Street in Plymouth. Refreshments will be served. To register call 453-2904.

● **SOFTBALL MEETINGS**
Saturday, Feb. 23 — Softball Informational Meetings will be held at Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road to discuss entry fees, registration, contract
oster requirements and residency requirements. Men's Leagues will meet at 10 a.m.; Women's, 10:30 a.m.; Coed, 11 a.m. Call 397-5110 for information.

Youth

● **CANTON SOCCER CLUB**
Register through Feb. 15 — Girls and boys between the ages of 5 and 18 may register now at the Canton Parks and Recreation Department for the Canton Soccer Club spring 1991 season. Call Watson Zdrodowski at 459-0927 for registration information.

● **LEISURE CLASSES**
Begin this week — The city of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department will offer the following classes: creative dramatics, Acting I, Acting II, ballet, jazz, tap, Fine Arts for Children, Cartooning For Kids, roller skating, Jr. Jazzercise, Mommy & Me Gymnastics, pre-beginner gymnastics, beginner gymnastics, advanced-beginner gymnastics, baton twirling and cheerleading. Call 455-6620.

● **VALENTINES PARTY**
Saturday, Feb. 9, 10-11 a.m. — Canton Parks and Recreation is sponsoring its annual Children's Valentines Party for Canton children, ages 3-12. Register by calling 397-5110.

● **WILLOW CREEK PRESCHOOL**
Monday, Feb. 11, 9:30 a.m. — Open registration will be at Geneva Presbyterian Church. Call 459-9540 for additional information.

● **PLYMOUTH YMCA CLASSES**
Register now — Classes offered for youths are: driver's education, Rhythm and Games, First Aid for Little People.
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● **GOLF LESSONS**
Mondays, beginning March 4 — The City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department in co-operation with the Oasis Golf Dome will be offering golf lessons for children and adults. Lessons will continue for four weeks. Children ages 7-14 will meet 4:30-5 p.m.; 15 and older, 6-6:30 p.m. Cost for children is $37 for city residents; $40.70, non-residents; Adult lessons are $40, residents; $44, non-residents. There is a limit of four students per class. Call 455-6620.

● **DELL'ORCO BENEFIT**
Saturday, March 9, 6 p.m. — Detroit Red Wings Alumni vs. Westland Over 40 All-Stars will conduct a benefit hockey game at Westland Sports Arena in Westland. Proceeds will go to the Dell'Orco family of Canton to help rebuild their lives after a tragic house fire Dec. 22. Game is sponsored by Playball in Westland. For advance tickets, call Jim Reed at Computer Connection in Plymouth at 455-2983 or Playball Cards & Comics at 326-3930.

Ongoing events

● **FAMILIES ANONYMOUS**
Thursdays, 8 p.m. — A self-help program for those concerned about drug abuse and behavioral problems of a relative or friend is at St. John Neumann Church, 44800 Warren in Canton. Call 453-2811.

● **TOUGH LOVE**
Mondays, 7 p.m. — A parent support group dealing with teenage behavior meets at Faith Community Church, 46001 Warren Road in Canton. Call 981-5967.
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● **FREE SENIOR CLASSES**
Wayne County Community College sponsors these leisure classes at the Canton Recreation Center: painting, ceramics and woodcarving, crafts, genealogy and machine quilting. For information, call 397-5446.

● **FOOD DISTRIBUTION**
The Canton Recreation Center is an official food distribution site for Focus:HOPE, which provides monthly food to eligible Canton senior citizens. Call 397-1000, Ext. 278.

● **THERAPY FOR WOMEN**
Sundays, 7-9 p.m. — Adult Children of Alcoholic and Dysfunctional Families Therapy group for women is now forming at Growth Works in Plymouth. For information, call Growth Works at 455-4902.

● **TEEN SUPPORT GROUP**
Tuesdays, 3 p.m. — YWCA of Western Wayne County will offer a "family 'n friends" support group for Plymouth-Canton high school teenagers. The group will meet in the room next to the Plymouth-Salem counseling office. Contact Kristin Blackwell at the YWCA at 561-4110 for further information.

● **MEAL DELIVERY**
Volunteers are needed to deliver meals to homebound seniors living in the Canton community. If you can give one hour or more per day, one or more days a week, call 453-2525, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. Volunteers are reimbursed for mileage.

● **SENIOR TAX COUNSELING**
Mondays and Tuesdays — The Canton Recreation Center is the site for AARP's program, "Tax Counseling for the Elderly." Counseling is available by appointment only, 9-11:30 a.m. Mondays and 9 a.m. to noon and 1-4 p.m. Tuesdays. Appointments will also be taken for tax counseling at Royal Holiday Mobile Home Clubhouse. Call 397-5444.

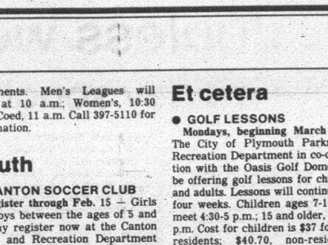
● **QUILTING**
Second and fourth Thursdays — Plymouth Piecemakers will meet at 10 a.m. at the Plymouth Historical Museum. Bring a sack lunch and any quilting project you are working on. Call the museum at 455-8940.

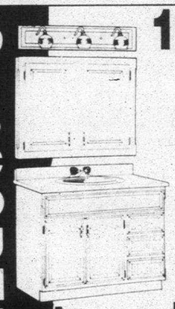
● **ADULT FOSTER CARE**
Foster care is needed for adults with mental retardation. Call 332-4410 in Oakland County or 455-8880 in Wayne County.

● **WALK FOR THE HEALTH OF IT**
Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. — Meet in the St. John Neumann Church parking lot on Warren between Sheldon and Canton Center. Also Thursday, 6:30 p.m. Call Ed at 455-9042.

● **ADULT DAY CARE**
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Nighttime Leg Cramps Cause Insomnia

According to a recent report, nighttime leg cramps are the fourth leading cause of insomnia (the inability to get to sleep and stay asleep). Typically, cramps in the legs during the night occur suddenly as muscular contractions that can last up to 10 minutes. The thigh or calf muscles tighten, followed by a random restlessness with movement of the legs. The cramping pain is commonly referred to as a "charley horse."

Those who have studied nighttime leg cramps believe the problem is due primarily to an imbalance of certain body electrolytes (sodium, potassium, magnesium, and calcium). The nerve impules that cause muscular contraction may be altered by the imbalance of these minerals.

Leg muscle massaging and stretching may help reduce muscle tension and pain. Heat in the form of hot baths, water bottles, or heating pads may help. Elevating the legs many provide some relief. Nutritional supplements such as *vitamin E* have been advocated. At this time the U.S. Food and Drug Administration has not ruled on the safety or efficacy of vitamin E for leg cramps. *Quinine sulfate* has been used for over 50 years for this condition. Nightly doses of 200 to 300 milligrams have been reported to lessen the severity and duration of cramps.

Environmental group closes Detroit office

Concern Detroit, Inc., will close up shop Feb. 28 after 19 years in the environmental education field, director Terry Gibb announced.

She said the group will turn its programs over to the many groups and governmental entities it has trained and dealt with over the years.

A Concern Detroit environmental award has been established through Cranbrook/Horizons-Upward Bound to preserve its philosophy and ideals. HUB is a program which has for 26 years assisted high school students from low-income families to realize the advantages of higher education.

This award will promote environmental awareness and sensitize the HUB community to recycling and responsible consumerism.

Concern will provide a list of resources for environmental information and programs available throughout the metropolitan Detroit area. Its telephone number is (313) 469-6085.

S'craft hosts Mardi Gras

Mardi Gras will be celebrated at Schoolcraft College this weekend with New Orleans-style food and activities.

The college's annual Mardi Gras Dinner is scheduled for Friday, Feb. 8, and Saturday, Feb. 9. Tickets are $25 each and are available for both nights.

The celebration begins 7:30 p.m. each night with the arrival of "King Rex," a surprise celebrity. Costumed singers and a Dixieland band will perform.

Dinner will be prepared by the college gourmet club and includes sausage and chicken gumbo, greens, black-eyed peas, barbecued shrimp, fried catfish, crawfish, chicken creole and baby back ribs. Flaming Bananas Foster will be served for dessert.

Additional information is available by calling 462-4400, Ext. 4452.

Science Center reopens Omnimax

The Detroit Science Center is reopening its Omnimax Theater by showing "To the Limit," a look into the human body as it meets the demands of physical exertion. Sequences feature world class athletes and dancers.

The theater is reopening after a one-month renovation project.

The DSC spent $300,000 to replace the theater's 238 seats and six-track sound system and clean the 67½-foot domes screen.

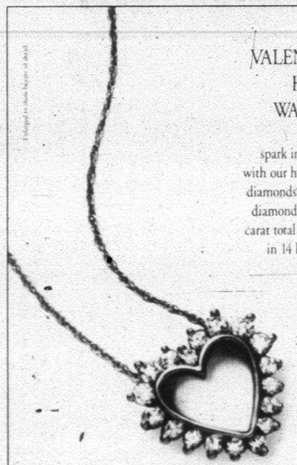
Renovation was financed by individual and corporate donations.

The center is open 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and noon to 6 p.m. Sunday. Admission is $5 for visitors 13 and older, $4 for children 6-12 and $2 for children 4-5. Group rates are available.

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Jobless workers wait
More money sought to process claims

By Tim Richard
staff writer

For once Republicans and Democrats, labor and management, the state House and Senate agree:

Jobless workers are waiting a month or more for unemployment checks, and Washington should cough up more money for staff to process their claims.

"You've heard we have no 'waiting week' for unemployment benefits. There is a de facto four or five week waiting period," said Sen. David Honigman, R-West Bloomfield.

Honigman, new chair of the Senate Labor Committee, is author of a resolution due for passage today in both chambers of the Michigan Legislature asking Congress to release more of the money it has been taxing employers to pay for more staff at the Michigan Employment Security Commission.

SEN. ROBERT Geake, R-Northville, another Labor panel member, supports Honigman's measure.

"I've had lots of complaints from my district about long lines in MESC offices. Employees are stressed-out and short-tempered," said Geake, whose district includes Plymouth, Canton, Livonia and Redford.

"Nobody gets their first check in less than four weeks. Nobody," said Larry Horwitz, executive vice president of the Economic Alliance of Michigan. Horwitz, of Southfield, said the group looks for "common ground" between labor and management.

Horwitz and spokesmen for the AFL-CIO and employers testified Tuesday before Honigman's Senate panel, repeated the speeches later for the House Labor Committee and scheduled a love-in news conference prior to today's 10 a.m. sessions of the House and Senate. Both chambers were scheduled to vote on it today.

It was an easy beginning for freshman Sen. Honigman, chairing his first committee after serving three terms in the House minority.

UNEMPLOYMENT compensation was born in 1935 as a federal-state program.

The states tax employers for benefits to laid-off workers. The federal government charges employers $5 billion a year to administer the program.

The problem, said Hongiman, is that Washington doesn't spend that $5 billion. "They spend $3 billion and count the rest as surplus. They're using the surplus as an accounting gimmick against the deficit," he said.

Michigan has reduced MESC staffing from 6,200 in 1980 to 2,400 currently and closed many branch offices. MESC needs to add at least 350 staffers, said David Plawecki, a state Labor Department official. "We operate totally on federal funding," he added.

"It's gonna get worse," said Carl Simpson, lobbyist for the state AFL-CIO, referring to recession layoffs.

THE RESOLUTION asks the Bush Administration to cough up as much as $201 million from the surplus to alleviate the staffing problems nationwide.

"The president just submitted a budget in which he requested $100 million," said Horwitz. "He's short $101 million by his own administration's estimates. And that's assuming unemployment isn't going to go up any more."

Vicki Cook Bumbaugh spoke for the Service Employees International Union, which represents MESC staff. "Claims are waiting up to nine weeks," she said.

"We've asked employers to let them know (about impending layoffs) so they can gear up. The UAW has been good about opening its union halls (for processing). But that doesn't get the work done," Bumbaugh said.

"WHAT DO THEY do while waiting for the checks? Go on welfare?" Honigman asked.

"No," said Horwitz. "DSS (Department of Social Services) first determines if you're eligible for unemployment assistance. They send you to the MESC."

Margaret Zaliagnis, representing the 300-member Employers Unemployment Compensation Council, said her group supports removing unemployment funds from calculations of the federal deficit.

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Troop rally

U.S. forces deserve support

THE GULF WAR has its supporters and detractors, but there's one thing we can all agree on: The nearly 500,000 troops there and their families at home deserve our support.

And there's an event this weekend that we can all attend, no matter if we're anti or pro-war. It's a rally in support of our troops.

The rally will be 2-4 p.m. Sunday at Fellows Creek Golf Club, 2936 S. Lotz Road. It's open to all area residents, even if they don't have family members serving in the Gulf.

Such rallies are a way to show our women and men in the service that they haven't been flown half way around the world, dumped in a desert and forgotten by mainstream America.

To us the rally isn't pro-war or anti-war. It's pro-humanity.

Also, the rally won't just be flag-waving. Its organizers hope that it will be the start of a safety net to assist war veterans when they return home.

In the words of one rally organizer: The service men and women will need more than ticker tape parades when they come back. They will need financial and psychological support.

The rally isn't a solution to those problems, but it is a start. If there's any lesson we should have learned from the Vietnam era, it's that returning veterans shouldn't be shunned by the public.

We think the rally is a step in the right direction.

Mettetal

Mike Duggan had wise words

WE LIKED WHAT Mike Duggan, deputy Wayne County executive, had to say about Mettetal Airport.

"As far a we're concerned, it doesn't make a difference," Duggan told an Observer reporter.

We hope his comments help relieve the unrealistic fears of some in the Plymouth-Canton community that keeping Mettetal as an airport will some how mean it will become a major link in the transportation system of southeastern Michigan. It isn't and probably never will be.

Mettetal is a recreational airport that probably carries less traffic than Joy Road. It's like a marina on the Great Lakes. It's mostly for fun, but if it's an attraction and helps business locate in the area, it's just another plus.

We've been a lukewarm airport supporter for two reasons. One is that we just don't see Mettetal as being all that important to economic development; and second, because of environmental and safety concerns.

We think those questions need public airing, but that can't be done when so much attention is being paid to a proposed recall of city of Plymouth commissioners and a proposal to put the airport issue on the ballot.

We were glad that the move to put the issue on the ballot hit a legal roadblock last week. But we don't expect the move to die.

Mettetal just isn't worth the fuss. But we're in the middle of a battle over it now and it looks like it will do nothing but intensify. That's too bad.

We just hope that folks pay attention to Duggan.

A generalist

He takes on a road campaign

Roads in Oakland and Wayne counties need an enormous amount of attention and more money than the existing fuel tax formula can give them.

PATRICK NOWAK will take a splendid — if unusual — set of credentials to Lansing later this month when he becomes director of the Michigan Department of Transportation.

First, he's a generalist, not an engineer. Nowak has been an insurance agent, county commissioner and deputy Oakland County executive in charge of long-range projects. He has rubbed shoulders with elected leaders from big cities and little towns in the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments.

Second, he is the first MDOT chief to have a background in public transit, chairing the rebirth of the suburban bus system called SMART. His predecessors have been largely road guys.

Third, Nowak, though raised in Detroit, has spent his adult life in Oakland County, chief source of complaints about bad roads. Gov. John Engler understood the message when he appointed the Bloomfield Township resident. Nowak once called Oakland "the place where all freeways end," referring to the state's reluctance to build M-275 and sloth in completing I-696.

Fourth, Nowak has political credentials that no other MDOT chief has possessed. In 1974 he was on Gov. William Milliken's short list of lieutenant governor candidates. Since 1977 Nowak has been County Executive Dan Murphy's campaign designer, political spokesman, debate stand-in and heir apparent.

We hope only that Nowak, a man unafraid of big change, won't try to resurrect the corpse of the M-275 freeway project across the lakes country of western Oakland County. Milliken's people killed it. Let the dead lie in peace. There are other and better ways to put a major artery in the heavily traveled Haggerty Road corridor.

Roads in Oakland and Wayne counties need an enormous amount of attention and more money than the existing fuel tax formula can give them. The governor is uncomfortable discussing this delicate subject. Maybe Pat Nowak can use his craft to good advantage.

Traffic to worsen

NEXT TIME you're stuck in a line of traffic at a red light, count the number of vehicles sharing your idle misery. Then count the number of cars, vans and pickup trucks with a single occupant.

Multiply that by the amount of fossil fuel you all are burning as you sit there waiting for the light to change. Look at the blue fumes blowing away in the winter breeze.

We have scant comfort for you. Your plight will get worse. In the years ahead, the odds are you will not only drive longer distances to work, but it will take disproportionately longer to get there because traffic will be even worse than it is today. By the year 2010, you'll see a 6 percent population increase and a 40 percent increase in vehicle miles.

Your only consolation is that you'll see less blue smoke as vehicle emissions laws kick in. But the fuel will be burned up just the same. Whether the price is $1 or $3 a gallon in the years ahead, most fuel consumed in a traffic jam still is wasted.

SUCH IS the case for public transit.

A bus takes up as much road space as two or three cars but can carry dozens of passengers. A bus reduces traffic and is more fuel efficient than a single-occupant vehicle.

We note with some satisfaction that SMART, the suburban bus authority, is about to expand the size of its fleet.

There are other things individuals and businesses can do to reduce traffic congestion, fuel consumption and costs.

- Use car pools and van pools. The Michigan Department of Transportation, which the above-mentioned Patrick Nowak will head, has an aggressive program of encouraging pooling that we hope the new boss will continue.
- In industrial parks and office complexes, arrange staggered work hours so that not everyone is emerging from the parking lot at once.
- Take advantage of modern computer technology to let people work at home.

THERE'S MORE government can do.

Government can halt urban sprawl, encourage use of alternate fuels and develop public transportation further so that city dwellers can get to suburban jobs.

Traffic jams don't have to get worse. They don't even have to be as bad as they are.



Politicos duck the need for U.S. energy policy



Philip Power

Michigan's economic health is bound to the auto industry. So talk about oil and fuel mileage stirs up emotions and much opportunity for confusion. This column may help straighten out the discussion.

LIKE FLOWERS that bloom in spring, war in the Middle East has brought out the predictable.

"No blood for oil," scream protesters in Ann Arbor and East Lansing.

"We're back again," said Sen. Richard Bryan of Nevada as he introduced a bill to require U.S. auto fuel efficiency increased to 40 miles per gallon.

"Of all the reasons to be at war in the Middle East," say I, "one of the worst is to bail out politicians who have ducked creating a national energy policy for 25 years."

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FIRST SOME facts.

Oil provides 40 percent of America's energy. Oil imports are up 60 percent in the past five years, accounting for half of our total oil consumption. Americans consume twice as much oil per capita as Europeans, our nearest competitors.

Some 26 percent of the oil winds up in cars. Total consumption is up by nearly 20 percent from the early 1970s as more suburbanites drive longer distances to work. Fuel efficiency of new cars has risen more than 100 percent overall since 1973.

Our pump price is around half of that paid by our industrialized competitors. And the record of the late '70s suggests the only thing that cuts use of oil is price.

TWO SLOGANS — energy independence and energy efficiency — are about two different things.

Sen. Bryan talks about national energy independence as a reason for mandating increased fuel mileage. What he appears to mean is that the U.S. should quit importing oil and become self-sufficient in energy.

If that's what he means, get ready for a substantial increase in energy prices. U.S. oil reserves are dropping, and costs of exploiting them are rising. Maybe that's why the senator prefers to focus on Detroit bashing and not on the economic consequences of his proposals.

Instead of total energy independence, we might well consider what it takes to achieve national energy security to ride out any disruptions in oil supplies — by creating reserves of stored oil, natural gas and spare generating capacity.

That's likely to be cheaper, and it recognizes the reality that countries producing oil, no matter how unstable or weird, sooner or later must sell that oil.

Longer-run, energy conservation can hold down the amount we need to store or buy from other sources during a disruption. We already have come a long way on this front with improved fuel mileage, efficient appliances and conservation by utilities.

As Marina Whitman, GM's vice president and group executive for public affairs and marketing, says, "Mandating stringent increases in CAFE (fuel standards), as the Bryan bill proposes, would force manufacturers to restrict customer choice and reduce overall safety by lowering vehicle size and weight. Worse yet, history has shown the CAFE did not in fact reduce oil consumption because people drove more. Only higher fuel prices have been effective in reducing consumption."

The higher the price of energy, the more demand for efficiency and the less we use. Mandating increased CAFE standards ignores these realities.

Why not just raise gasoline taxes? From Michigan's viewpoint, according to Whitman, a 15-cents-per-gallon tax increase would cut domestic car sales by an estimated 500,000 units and cost 75,000 jobs.

An approach that would not penalize just one industry — and hurt us in Michigan — would be to tax *all* energy sources — gasoline, oil, coal, etc. That would help drive up prices and efficiency and help pay for our national energy security in one step.

Phil Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper.

Home coming worries soldier



Judith Doner Berne

ARMY PVT. MIKE FLEMING of Rochester Hills is afraid of war — and of coming home.

"He said he didn't want to come home and go through what the Vietnam vets went through when they came home," his stepmother Karen Fleming says. "All they hear over there is that the American people aren't behind them."

Let's hope that by now Fleming, 19, stationed in Saudi Arabia, has heard differently.

For if the United States government can "manage" the war news that comes out of the Middle East, surely it can make certain that its military personnel receive an accurate account of the wave of patriotism unfurling in this country. And that even those who line up against the war are careful to explain that they do support the men and women in the Persian Gulf.

HERE'S JUST a small sampling of the swell of patriotism around our communities:

- A rally to support troops in Desert Storm will be held in Canton Township on Sunday 2-4 p.m. at Fellows Creek Golf Club, 2936 S. Lotz Rd.
- On one block in Birmingham 15 homes, including nine houses in a row, fly the flag.
- A "Show Your Colors Day" rally is set for 2 p.m. Sunday in Rochester.
- Saturday, Greg Anderson and his son, Ryan, 6, were among 2,000 area residents who packed a plane hangar at the Pontiac-Oakland Airport to wave flags and cheer for the Persian Gulf troops.
- In Livonia, nine machinists at Phillips Service Industries repaired for free and in record time a six-foot long part used to make Patriot missiles. The machinists volunteered their time over a weekend.
- An applied economics class teamed up with the special education program at John Glenn High School to produce and sell an estimated 1,200 lapel flag pins adorned with yellow ribbons to a ready market. They turned the $700 profit over to the Wayne-Westland chapter of the Disabled American Veterans.
- Red, white and blue T-shirts, sweatshirts and sweaters for sale — and yellow ribbons everywhere.

It's been a long time since we felt able to show our patriotism — to fervently sing the Star Spangled Banner, to fly the flag, to stand up for our country.

It has been difficult to dissolve the cynicism resulting from Vietnam and further solidified by Watergate. It has been difficult to watch our once proud automobile industry bested and our largest corporations sold to entrepreneurs from other nations. It has been difficult to witness drugs and crime take over our cities and the gap widen between rich and poor.

Earlier this week, one of our fellow employees — Sandie Benz — and her husband, Bruce, of Garden City lost son Kurt, a marine corporal, in a helicopter crash in the gulf. Theirs is the supreme act of patriotism — even in anguish they support their country.

How very sad that it has taken going to war to know how much we care.

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from our readers

Recycling system will work

To the editor:

I am writing in response of your editorial regarding curbside recycling in Canton. I would like to request that the Observer & Eccentric Newspaper finish the editorial, debate the merits of the information that was included in the editorial and question the logic of condemning an idea before it is tested.

First, the O&E states that rotational recycling is too complicated to work. That is a very strong statement. Please finish your thoughts by sharing with your readers, who among them cannot understand and implement this concept.

Please tell us if you are referring to the educational segment of our community. Perhaps the O&E believes that it is doctors, homemakers or truck drivers who will be baffled by the concept of reading a calendar. Maybe you think children will not be able to distinguish glass from plastic. Possibly you have decided men cannot cope with the idea, or is it women? Once you have provided the list of Canton residents who will find the system too complicated, we will attempt to target them with special education.

The second point is the most puzzling to me. The O&E states that the commingled curbside program is a good idea and the only one that will work. I am sure the hundreds of communities across this country that use a source-separated system or a materials recovery facility (M.R.F.) program would be very surprised to hear that they cannot do what they are already doing. They may even be offended to hear the O&E refer to their systems as "plans from trash hell."

My office, at your request, has provided the O&E with a great deal of information on recycling and composting. This information proves that programs other than commingled curbside recycling will work. You apparently did not read the information. I can only hope you at least recycled it.

Third, and extremely disappointing, is your attempt to negatively impact a pilot program before it even begins. If the program works, the results will be significant. The benefits will include less material going to landfills, a cost savings to Canton in excess of $75,000 in collection fees, faster collection of recyclables (saving fuel and maintenance on the trucks) and the preservation of our limited free landfill capacity for future use and savings. If the program fails, none of the above results would be accomplished, and it would be totally illogical for Canton to choose rotational recycling.

In conclusion, politically, the easy decision for the Canton Township Board to make would be to adopt the commingled system, without testing the rotational system. Other communities are doing it, so the risk of criticism would be minimized if Canton followed the pack. I do not think the citizens of Canton Township would be best served by that attitude.

I believe the Canton Board of Trustees has shown the leadership to keep Canton at the forefront of solid waste solutions. I can only hope the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers will support the concept of leadership and experimentation in the future, and hold their judgment of an idea until the facts are in.

Loren N. Bennett
Clerk, Charter Township of Canton

Name not on petitions

To the editor:

Two newspapers recently published articles on a recall petition being filed against Maurice Breen, Plymouth Township supervisor.

My name was indicated as being the author of this petition. Let me make the record very clear. I did not initiate, submit or sign any recall petition for anyone.

Upon learning of this falsehood I telephoned the Wayne County Clerk's Office and stated I was not aware that such a petition had been submitted without my knowledge and consent. I asked to have this corrected and then sent a letter to Mr. Killeen, county clerk, stating this petition did not come from me.

I do disagree with Mr. Breen on the specific subject of Mettetal Airport. I am opposed to tax money being used to buy and then operate the airport. I am concerned about the questions whether this airport will be a financial success.

However, I do not feel that a recall of a township supervisor will in fashion stop the creation of a public airport. I am devoting my time and energy in a more positive direction such as expressing my opinion to the officials now in a decision position on Mettetal.

Gov. John Engler, for example, I understand must approve the Joint Operating Agreement for the airport. So I have written Engler and stated that state money should not be used for the purchase of Mettetal and if this money was already allocated for airports the money would be better spent to improve safety at Metro. This is the airport our family uses for business and pleasure, and we sure do not want to be killed just waiting on a runway prior to takeoff.

Yes, I am still trying to arouse citizens to an awareness that if this airport is made a public airport that the impact of an enlarged airport will create more problems than good. Our property values will decline, our taxes increase, there will probably be liability suits, an increase in accidents, increase in noise and the loss of tax revenues that could help our school district. Then too we will be further alienating our good Canton neighbors where the airport is located.

I still think that we should be allowed to vote on this issue.

Warren M. Dusbiber
Plymouth

Mettetal vote asked

To the editor:

The city commissioners have decided to provide the citizens of Plymouth with a jewel of an airport, whether they want it or not.

When some of these citizens questioned the value of this jewel and requested the right to vote on the issue, they were told, among other things, that it was not possible to vote on every little thing.

It would appear to me that an issue involving joint operating agreements, large sums of money, packed hearings, emergency closed door commission meetings, petition drives and full-page newspaper editorials is not a little thing.

And how can anyone know the social vocal minority is a minority if there is no vote?

I am not a member of a special interest group or a radical, but I am a resident who cares deeply about my home and my community.

Surely the members of this community are entitled to a vote.

Marian L. Gotshall,
Plymouth

No dignity in arena

To the editor:

"I came to bury Caesar, not to praise him. The evil that men do lives after them, the goodness is oft interred within their bones."

Et tu, Brutus?

At the last city commission meeting, I thought I was living in the days of the Roman Empire. In the arena, the gladiators gave a tremendous performance.

However, it was embarrassing to listen to the opponents of the Mettetal JOA scream "recall" and act like barbarians.

Remember the "goodness" of the commissioners. For the sum of $10 per meeting, they devote countless hours of their personal time outside of the regular meetings investigating situations, considering solutions and attending other city-related meetings.

Instead of condemnation proceedings against our public officials, why not discuss the problem calmly and leave the arena with dignity?

Another quotation: "Heart unfortified, a mind impatient."

Eileen Williams,
Plymouth

Mettetal a shield against jets

To the editor:

It wasn't long ago I learned to fly and many lessons included a stop at Mettetal Airport. The significance of this airport has been debated and its final outcome will remain to be seen. The importance of your airport in Plymouth provides an access to aviation much the same as an exit to the city from the expressway. Don't be by-passed.

Another aspect which everyone in Plymouth, Canton and as far away as Livonia had better consider is the future of Metro Airport. As it stands, with the airport in Plymouth you have created a buffer for overflying heavy jet aircraft. Flight patterns are routed around smaller airports for safety. Without your airport, jets could be routed as low as 1,200 feet above your homes, 24 hours a day. Think about it, get behind the people that support Mettetal Airport, an inconvenience for a few may be a lifelong burden for everyone.

Peter J. Smith,
Union Lake

Anti-airport faction are spoiled kids

To the editor:

Enough, already. How long will this community have to suffer listening to these people's nonsense? Like spoiled children threatening to break a favorite toy, anti-Mettetal storm troopers tried to sway city administrators' opinion with threats of an unfair, but well-financed, recall campaign. This handful of doomsayers continues to pepper the public with horror stories as fabricated and frivolous as anything that ever came from Hollywood.

The city commission knew that it is easier to distort facts against an airport than in favor of it. They knew they would be the targets of false accusations and slanted recall campaigns. Most of all, they knew that no such unpleasantries awaited them from the pro-airport side; how tempting it must have been to just wash their hands and walk away.

Despite the intense heat, all but one of the Plymouth city commissioners voted in the best interest of their community; only Mr. Vorva yielded to the heat.

These fine servants knew Mettetal expansion talk is blather. They know that the city, and not the Michigan Aeronautics Commission nor the FAA, will run the airport. They know that the city does not plan to condemn property, in fact, that it can't. How can Plymouth officials condemn property in Canton? They know that Mettetal is a small, friendly place where people come to learn to fly, to picnic and watch airplanes with their children, to buy airplane rides and attend airplane exhibitions. They know that her protected air space prevents 400-ton jets from rattling Plymouth children from their beds.

Their conclusion that Mettetal should be preserved came from the recreational value alone, with business and school use a great bonus. They know that the few privileged pilots who use Mettetal is really several hundred pilots, but also thousands from the general public who stop by to watch, attend airport events and perform volunteer work for the community.

They know that expansion doomsayers are either victims of a shameful smear campaign or the willful perpetrators of it. Like many of us, they are sick of the lies and distortions, the cowardly and self-serving rhetoric that nobody has any rightful business to hurl at Mettetal.

Mettetal is an old-fashioned, Podunk airport, contributing to her community in a friendly, slow-moving way. Such airports are the cornerstone of American aviation and the biggest reason American pilots and aircraft are the best in the world.

Your city commissioners and other officials kept their faces into the wind to support something they felt was good for the community. Whether or not Plymouth needs an airport, it surely needs insightful leadership with the guts to stand toe-to-toe with all comers, and uphold their promise of service to the community. You have such leaders. Please don't be suckered into helping punish these people who have faithfully represented you.

William T. Kern,
Farmington Hills

Marching band is thankful

To the editor:

The Plymouth Centennial Educational Park Bands wish to express appreciation to the Observer Newspapers for their excellent pre-show coverage and for their help in announcing the first Senior Citizens Night at Variety Is. . . to the community.

To the following sponsors who made the Thursday evening seniors night performance possible, we extend our gratitude: Ford Motor Company, Sheldon Road and Prescribed Oxygen Specialists, Plymouth Township (for purchasing tickets to cover the cost); and University Transportation and Limousine Service, Canton (for providing a bus and driver to transport some of our "guests" and return them safely).

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Kids send troops message of love

By Julie Brown
staff writer

PRESCHOOLERS AND kindergarteners aren't old enough to understand everything that's happening in the Persian Gulf, but they know it's important to support the troops.

Youngsters at the Children's World Learning Center, on Sheldon in Canton, decided to set aside a day to honor the allied forces. They made valentines to send to the troops.

"The kindergarteners know what's going on," said Jennifer Reber, director of the center. "Most of them are aware."

The younger children don't understand as much, said Reber, a Brighton resident who grew up in Westland. A couple of youngsters at the center have fathers serving in the military who've been away from home but still in the United States.

"You can see a little bit of difference in their personalities," she said of those children.

ABOUT 60 KIDS spent part of Jan. 30 making colorful valentines. The project had to be completed a few weeks before Valentine's Day, to allow time for the valentines to reach the troops, she said.

"They're excited about it. It makes them feel involved. It gives them a chance to show how they can help, which is very important."

The children also made flags and hats out of construction paper to send to the troops. Photos of the kids working on their creations were included, so that servicemen and women will see the effort and creativity that went into the project.

"Hopefully, this will be a nice boost for them," Reber said. She and others at Children's World are hoping for a response from the troops, but understand that may not be possible for people far from home with work to do.

Older children made more elaborate creations, while younger ones stuck with simpler efforts. Hearts were a common theme for the valentines, although patriotic designs were also featured.

Some valentines went to unknown servicemen and women, but Reber was able to track down addresses for some local troops. Parents of children at the center provided some names; several families have cousins in the military and some have other family members and friends there, she said. Personalized greetings for Valentine's Day went to those people.

CANTON RESIDENT Donna Lewandowski, a pre-kindergarten teacher at Children's World, was among those who helped children complete the project.

"Oh, they love it," said Lewandowski, the mother of two grown children. "They're so geared up to be able to share this with someone."

She also has found the youngsters generally know what's going on in the Middle East.

"They are very much aware," Lewandowski said. "In their own way, they understand and are trying to cope."

She and Reber agree it's important to reassure children and to give simple answers to their questions. Children need to understand that their lives won't be disrupted, Lewandowski said.

Extra doses of love and reassurance help children deal with their fears, said Reber, who has a 10-month-old son. Keeping the same routine helps children cope, and staffers at the center have been trying to do that.

"The teachers try to stay as calm as possible," said Reber, who earned a bachelor's degree in elementary education from Eastern Michigan University. Teachers answer questions, using simple, reassuring explanations that children can comprehend.

"They pick up on a lot," she said. "They need to know what's going on in the world."

Reber has noticed war-related role-playing among the children. Some have been playing with small green army figurines that she hadn't seen in years until recently.

"It's again another way to release some of the frustration."



Kids get some help creating colorful valentines to send to the troops in the Middle East.

Staff photos by Bill Bresler



Diane Lucas helps Nicholas Blackford and Justin Tilley with a crafts project at the Children's World Learning Center.

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Andrew Smith and Chris Callow work on a flag.

Exhibit may be your cup of tea



photos by BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

By Julie Brown
staff writer

If you're in the mood for a cup of tea, you probably won't find it at the Plymouth Historical Museum.

Tea and other refreshments aren't served, other than for special occasions, but just about everything else related to tea is at the museum. The "Tea Time" exhibit recently opened and will continue through late April.

Floral designs are often found on china.

During the latter part of the 19th century, members of the English aristocracy dined at 7 or 8 o'clock, said Donna Keough, exhibits chairwoman at the museum. That left a considerable amount of time between lunch and dinner.

"To handle the hunger pangs, they had tea at 4 o'clock."

That practice was adopted by the middle and lower classes, and found its way across the Atlantic to the United States. Late afternoon tea remains a tradition in England and isn't unheard of in the United States.

The 1880s era was the heyday of the tea room, Keough said. An exhibit in the museum's lobby area shows what such a tea room looked like. Mannequins are dressed in clothing styles of that era.

"We've tried to recapture that feeling."



Afternoon tea in bygone days also included a selection of sweets.



In the 1880s, tea rooms were popular gathering places. This exhibit in the museum's main lobby area shows what such a tea room looked like.

THE MUSEUM'S Victorian living room shows how tea was served at home. Some exhibit items are from the museum's collection and some are on loan from Plymouth Historical Society members and others in the community.

"The museum has a lot to work with."

Teapots and tea sets are among items exhibited. Children's tea sets, tins for tea, biscuit jars, caddies and spoons are included, along with antique silver, linens, lace and Victorian napkin rings.

"Napkin rings are very collectible. A lot of people are interested in those. I think there is an interest in going back to the past."

The exhibit items date back to the late 18th century. Many others are from the more recent Victorian era.

"Then there are some things that are more current."

Some items are 30 to 40 years old and carry well-known brand names that are still found on supermarket shelves today.

CHILDREN'S SETS were used years ago to teach little girls how to serve tea and how to hold a cup and saucer. Women of that era had more household help than is typical today, Keough said, so using elegant items wasn't as much of an effort.

Keough and others at the museum have enjoyed putting the exhibit together.

"I just love all of this. I think that people did have a real elegance."

THESE DAYS, many people drink coffee from sturdy mugs that are more functional than attractive. Even so, tea has its place.

"There's still a large group of people that prefer tea, I think, to coffee," said Keough, a Canton resident.

Drinking tea at a leisurely pace helps people relax, and many aren't shy about using their best china and silver to set an elegant table.

"You might as well. What are we saving this for?"

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Author to speak at Novi luncheon

A book and author luncheon will be Tuesday, March 5, at the Novi Civic Center, 45175 10 Mile, between Novi and Taft roads. Lucy Taylor, author of the novel "Avenue of Dreams," will be the speaker.

The fifth annual luncheon is sponsored by the Friends of the Library groups from Canton, Plymouth, Novi and Northville. The noon luncheon will be catered by Home Sweet Home restaurant. Taylor will speak after the luncheon.

Taylor, a Utica resident, set her saga about an immigrant family from Italy in Detroit. "Avenue of Dreams" encompasses the Great Depression, the early days of the United Auto Workers, and the impact of World War II on Detroit.

TAYLOR, THE daughter of Italian immigrants, began her writing career some 10 years ago after raising eight children. She is a native Detroiter who recently retired after 21 years as a secretary with the Warren Consolidated Schools.

She has also published several short stories and poetry. Taylor is working on another novel to be published in 1992.

After her talk, the author will sign copies of her book. Copies of "Avenue of Dreams" will be available for $5 each.

TICKETS FOR the luncheon are available at the Canton Public Library reception desk, 1200 S. Canton Center. Price is $10. Tickets won't be sold at the door and won't be available after Thursday, Feb. 28.

Those who wish to reserve tables may do so by buying six to eight tickets at the same time. Checks should be made payable to the Friends of the Northville Public Library.

It's tea time at museum

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PLANS WERE made some time ago to have a historical fashion show at the museum in downtown Plymouth.

"So we looked for something that would go along with having a fashion show," said Beth Stewart, museum director.

Some Detroit-area hotels now serve afternoon tea and the tradition's a popular one, she said.

Finding items for the exhibit wasn't difficult, Stewart said, as many people have things at home that they've inherited from older family members. In more modern times, items for serving tea were mass-produced and became more affordable.

"All of this would have been more readily available for people to buy," said Stewart, a Plymouth Township resident.

THE "Crumpets and Crinolines" fashion program will be presented 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 16, at the Plymouth Historical Museum. The fashion show will be presented by the Sand Hill Questers.

Tea, tea sandwiches, scones, tarts and sweets will be served that afternoon, and a tour of the museum will be included. Reservations will be limited to the first 100 people. Price is $10.

The museum will be closed to the public that Saturday. For reservations or more information, call 455-8940.

Regular hours at the Plymouth Historical Museum, 155 S. Main, are 1-4 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 2-5 p.m. Sunday. Admission price is $1.50 for adults, 50 cents for students ages 5-17, free for children under age 5. Family rate is $4. For more information, call 455-8940.



Tea caddies, used for storing tea, are included in the exhibit.

engagements

Zens-Lundy



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. (Carole) Zens of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Renee Marie Zens of Chicago, Ill., to John Tyler Lundy of Chicago, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. (Patricia) Lundy of Oswego, Ill.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and of Indiana University, where she earned a bachelor's degree in marketing. She is employed by Winston & Strawn, a Chicago law firm.

Her fiance is a graduate of Indiana University, where he earned a bachelor's degree in finance. He is a graduate student at the University of Chicago, where he is working on a master's degree in business administration. He is employed at the Chicago Board of Trade.

A late May wedding is planned in Chicago.

Sobczak-Guck



Kenneth and Rose Ann Sobczak of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Lynn Bernadette, to Daniel Richard Guck of Westland. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Lambert Guck of Mesa, Ariz., formerly of Wayne, and of the late Mary Guck.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School. She is a student at the Detroit College of Business and will graduate in June with a bachelor's degree in business administration. She is employed by the Society of Manufacturing Engineers in Dearborn.

Her fiance is a graduate of Wayne Memorial High School. He is employed by Magnus Industries in Livonia.

A late June wedding is planned at St. Mary's of Wayne.

Winters-Kmet



Mary Ann Winters Johr of Canton and Harold Winters of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Marie Winters of Canton, to John Joseph Kmet. The prospective bridegroom, a Canton resident, is the son of Patricia Hirshell of Westland and Lazarus (Butch) Kmet of Taylor.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School. She is employed as a nail technician at Schwab's Hair and Nail Studio.

Her fiance is a graduate of Wayne Memorial High School. He is employed as a machine operator at Baron Drawn Steel.

A late July wedding is planned at the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth.

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Senior style

She likes to dress up and look her best


BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Muriel Cobb, who's "80-plus and holding," lives at Tonquish Creek Manor in Plymouth.

By Julie Brown
staff writer

Plymouth resident Muriel Cobb doesn't object to being known as a senior citizen.

"I've been a senior citizen for some time," she said. "You may say that I am 80-plus and holding. That's the closest I'm going to come."

When it comes to choosing clothes, Cobb believes in dressing up and looking good.

"I'm a little bit fussy. I do, I wear pretty clothes, pantsuits, a few dresses for special occasions."

She's lived at Tonquish Creek Manor in Plymouth for pearly six years. Cobb recently fell and broke her hip, necessitating a temporary stay at the Plymouth Court nursing home.

COBB GREW UP in an era when "dressing for dinner" was more common than it is today, and women rarely wore slacks. Even so, she didn't always wear her Sunday best.

"I was a terrible tomboy. I even played on a boys' hockey team. That's a long time ago." Frilly dresses weren't appropriate for those kinds of activities, although she remembers dressing up for special occasions when she was a girl.

She came from Welland in Ontario, Canada, and finished her last two years of high school at Blessed Sacrament Academy in Detroit. Cobb married at 20 and she and her husband had two daughters.

Her husband died when their daughters were young.

"So I had to get myself to work." She worked for nearly 25 years at American Standard in Dearborn, staying there until her retirement.

"I had a supervisory job there."

Cobb married again about nine years after her first husband died. She was proud to be able to send her daughters to Marygrove College in Detroit. One now lives in Plymouth and the other in Dearborn Heights.

During Cobb's years in the work force, businesswomen were expected to dress up. Even in the winter, slacks weren't considered appropriate.

"All the years I worked, no, we didn't wear pantsuits."

DURING a recent interview, Cobb wore a pink top and white sweatpants. She usually wears dressy slacks and blouses at home, but opted for more casual attire while in the nursing home because it's more practical.

She's not likely to begin wearing jeans, however.

"I hate these blue jeans that they wear. I don't like them. They just look sloppy."

She's noticed other seniors who live at Tonquish Creek Manor also tend to dress up.

"Our people do, our people are always dressed up. They really like to dress, they really and truly do."

She participates in many of the activities at Tonquish Creek Manor. Cobb's a charter member of the Zesters, a Canton Seniors group. She continues to do her own housework and shopping.

Cobb, a widow, has many grandchildren and great-grandchildren and enjoys spending time with her family.

She doesn't have any local stores that are particular favorites for buying clothes. Cobb's a size 8 petite, and doesn't have much trouble finding clothes that she likes.

"I love red. Red-red," she said. "I think red is my favorite color. Of course, I like pink too."

off the cuff

Know someone in the Plymouth-Canton community who dresses with a certain sense of style and flair? Drop us a line at the Observer Newspapers, 744 Wing, Plymouth 48170. Please include your name and daytime telephone number, along with a brief description of why you think that person should be featured in "Off the Cuff."

'I do, I wear pretty clothes, pantsuits, a few dresses for special occasions.'
—Muriel Cobb, Plymouth resident

new voices

Dennis and Maria Rottell of Westland announce the birth of a daughter, Nicole Irene, Jan. 24 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Grandparents are Jerry and Judy Caleca of Canton, Cheryl Porcelli of Westland, Vince Porcelli of Brighton and Dennis and Joanne Rottell of Plymouth.

Michael and April Greenshields of Wayne announce the birth of a daughter, Heather Renee, Jan. 22 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Mary Templeton of Westland and James and Erma Greenshields of Plymouth. Heather Renee has a brother, Michael, 5, and two sisters, Jennifer, 3, and Melissa, 1.

John and Tammy Vadnais of Westland announce the birth of a daughter, Kristen Marie, Jan. 23 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Francis and Dorothy Vadnais of Livonia and Robert and Judith Ward of Canton. Kristen Marie has a sister, Kali Ann.

Andrew and Jan Stirton of Northville announce the birth of a son, Alexander Macintyre Stirton, Jan. 12 at Providence Hospital in Southfield. Grandparents are Robert and Sandra Briggson of Saline, Mich., and Ned and Carol Stirton of Jensen Beach, Fla. Great-grandparents are Floyd and Vera Layton of Dexter, Mich., and Fred Briggson of Weidman, Mich. Andrew Stirton and his parents are former Plymouth residents.

Paul and Sandy Bosker of Canton announce the birth of a son, Benjamin Daniel, Dec. 11 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Grandparents are Don and Cathie Bosker of Plymouth and Jose and Sara Fuentes of Alma, Mich. Katherine Pagel of Livonia is the great-grandmother. Benjamin Daniel has a sister, Chelsee, 5.

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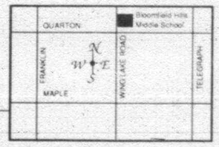
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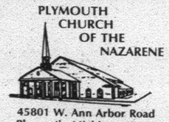
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St. Peter Ev. Lutheran Church
1343 Penniman Ave. • 453-3393
Pastors Mark Freier & Daniel Helwig
Worship Services
8:00 & 10:30 A.M.
Sunday School & Bible Class 9:15 A.M.
In Redford Township
Lola Park Ev. Lutheran Church
14750 Kinloch
Pastor Edward Zell - 532-8655
Worship Services
8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
30000 Five Mile (West of Middlebelt)
Livonia • 421-7249
Worship & Holy Communion
8:15 and 10:45 A.M.
Learning Hour 9:30 A.M.
Tuesday Classes K-8 4:15 P.M.

ST. MICHAEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Worship Service
8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Starting Feb. 2nd
Saturday Service 5:30 p.m.
Jerry Yarnell, Sr. Pastor
Dennis Beaver, Pastor
Jesse Abbott, Pastor
7000 N. Sheldon, Canton Twp. • 459-3333
(just South of Warren Rd.)

UNITED METHODIST

ST. MATTHEW'S UNITED METHODIST
30900 Six Mile Rd. (Bet. Merriman & Middlebelt)
Chuck Sonquist, Pastor • Kearney Kirby, Assoc.
10:00 A.M. Worship & Church School
11:15 A.M. Adult Study Classes
Nursery Provided • 422-6038

NARDIN PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
29887 West Eleven Mile Road
Just West of Middlebelt
476-8860
Farmington Hills
Worship & Church School
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
FEBRUARY 10th
"Sort of Glowing"
Rev. David Penniman preaching
Dr. William Ritter
Rev. David B. Penniman
Rev. Robert Bough
Rev. William Frayer

CHERRY HILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Randy Whitcomb
WORSHIP SERVICE
8:30 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.
SUNDAY SCHOOL
9:30 A.M.
321 Ridge Road
Just South of Cherry Hill in Canton

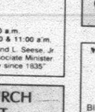
First United Methodist Church/Plymouth
45201 N. Territorial Rd.
453-5280



Worship 9:00 & 11:15 A.M.
Adult & Youth Church School 10:15 A.M.
Ministers:
John B. Grenfell, Jr. - Dr. Frederick C. Vosburg - David K. Stewart, Sr.
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NEWBURGH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
36500 Ann Arbor Trail
Livonia's Oldest Church
422-0149
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
Worship Service
February 10th
"This Thing Called – Love"
Rev. Roy Forsyth, preaching
Ministers:
Dr. David E. Church,
Rev. Roy Forsyth
Nursery Provided

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Worship Services 8:00 A.M. & 10:00 A.M.
Sunday School for all ages 9:45 A.M.
February 10th
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Nursery Available
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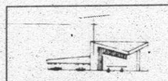
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Farmington Road and Six Mile
422-1150
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9:30 A.M. WMUZ-FM 103.5

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1991
8:00, 9:15, 10:45 A.M. and 12:05 P.M.
Worship and Sunday School
8:00 a.m.
"DIACIPLEMAKING, THE MISSION OF CHRIST: Individually Intensive"
Rev. John B. Crimmins
9:15, 10:45 a.m. and 12:05 p.m.
"SHOULD A CHRISTIAN USE FORCE?"
Is the United States Fighting a 'Just' War?
Dr. Bartlett L. Hess
7:00 p.m.
EVENING FELLOWSHIP
Message by Rev. Paul D. Hansen
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.
SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
(Activities for All ages)
Nursery Provided at All Services

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FIRST APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN CHURCH
26325 Halstead Road at 11 Mile
Farmington Hills, Michigan
Services Every Sunday at 10:30 A.M.
Also, 1st & 3rd Sunday at 7:00 P.M.
Sunday School - 9:15 A.M.
Bible Class - Tuesday 7:30 P.M.
Song Services - Last Sunday of Month 7:00 P.M.



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10101 W. Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth
at Gottfredson & Ann Arbor Rd.
Worship Services
8:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.
SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES
9:30 A.M.
Dr. Wm. C. Moore - Pastor
Rev. Wm. Branham - Associate Pastor
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(313) 474-6880
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Divine Worship, Worship Education - 10:45 A.M.
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Pastor Icenogle
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CHRISTADELPHIANS

CHRISTADELPHIANS
Sunday Memorial Service 10:00 A.M.
Wednesday Night Bible Class 8:00 P.M.
February 24th 2:15 P.M.
One Bible, Many Churches, Why?

Singer offers Christians words of encouragement

By Julie Brown
staff writer

When Terry Blackwood was 12, he committed his life to the Lord. As a Christian, he thought life was just great.

"A lot of times, it was lip service," said Blackwood, a singer who recently traveled to Tri-City Assembly of God in Canton for a concert. It wasn't until later in life that he went through some tough times that tested his faith.

"The Lord is in the business of putting broken lives back together again," he said. "Jesus is so loving, so kind and patient with us. He's brought me a long way, and I have boldness in the Lord."

Blackwood's late father was a musician whose career included time spent performing with The Blackwood Brothers Quartet.

"He really was a bold witness for the Lord."

His father died and that was difficult to deal with. Blackwood later had to cope with his mother's death and with his wife leaving him.

"It hurt me very deeply. God was faithful to me through that time.

"He brought me out of that. He's a friend that sticks closer than a brother."

BLACKWOOD'S MUSICAL career includes nine years singing with The Imperials. During that time, he and the other group members backed up such well-known performers as Elvis, Pat Boone, Carol Channing and Jimmy Dean.

"You have to do their songs, of course." The Imperials concentrated on gospel music in their own performances. They've been together since 1964 and have continued to sing gospel music.

"They're still very contemporary, a lot more contemporary than I would be now. I'm comfortable with that. I'm not a kid anymore."

More recently, Blackwood spent nine years as a partner with Sherman Andrus in Andrus, Blackwood and Co. In 1986, he launched a solo ministry from his home base in Nashville, Tenn.

"I want to encourage people. I want to relate to them. Christians need encouragement," said Blackwood, who performed the evening of Sunday, Jan. 27, at Tri-City Assembly of God. Christians go through the same struggles that other people do and need a helping hand.

"Until you've been there, you don't know how to cry for them. We have disappointments in life too. I'm a stronger person because of it. My faith is stronger."

Blackwood kept things moving right along during his concert in Canton. He sang a variety of songs.

"We're just going to praise the Lord a little tonight," he told those at the church. "He deserves all the praise and the glory."

BLACKWOOD TOLD the worshipers that he was shy as a teenager and couldn't have envisioned himself performing before an audience.

"I've fallen a lot of times. God honored every attempt I made. I'm realizing my dream tonight, I really am."

Blackwood's now comfortable singing before audiences. His work takes him to churches, conferences for singles, banquets, revivals and other gatherings.

He's participated in a number of recording projects through the years. His most recent solo tape is "Keep Pressing On."

Blackwood wrote the title song for that and performs many original songs. He draws on his own experiences in writing music.

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— Terry Blackwood

"I think that's the greatest outlet for speaking."

He was pleased with the turnout at his Canton concert. Blackwood, who's performed previously in the Detroit area, had to compete with the Super Bowl that Sunday evening.

"I knew that the Super Bowl would claim some victims. I thought everybody was a fanatical pro football fan."

He was also surprised to see that the evening's snowfall didn't keep people away. People from Nashville and other southern communities aren't comfortable driving in snow, he said.

Blackwood would like to continue to record and to minister through song.

"There's a real need for it. I'd like to be a part of filling it."



Singer Terry Blackwood recently performed at Tri-City Assembly of God in Canton.

The deeper dimensions of life also affect men



moral perspectives
Rev. David Strong

The children with me were from 4 to 8 years of age. I was explaining to them the idea that it is OK to cry.

"Crying lets the sad out of us," I said. At this moment, a little boy's clear voice broke through: "No, it isn't OK to cry!" He had already learned that men do not express certain feelings, especially with tears.

Another story comes to mind. A 10-year-old boy has heard about the war in the Middle East. He comes home one day so disturbed by this news that he throws up.

It is OK in our society for women to be this upset. We see their tears on the nightly news. It is not allowed for boys or men to express such fears and sensitive feelings.

MEN ARE taught to repress their feelings. One writer calls this the "anesthesia of males." Men are taught not to feel their own feelings. We are to be numb. We are taught to fix problems. These problems may require a wrench, a phone call or a M16 rifle.

In his new book, "Men's Dreams, Men's Healings," Robert Hopcke suggests that we raise boys to believe in masculine glory. Such raising leads tragically to "kingdoms devastated" and friendships destroyed.

How does this training relate to our current fixation on the war in the Middle East? Unfeeling males wind up either defeated or arrogant. Their feelings and especially their hearts are shrunk and their egos inflated.

It is tragic to admit that what we men feel is usually buried far below the surface. I wonder if men and women really want it this way. Men are certainly less apt to be responsive and close if raised in this manner.

Each of us is a unique person. Our feelings and our values must be a part of this uniqueness. They are planted in us by God so that we may become fully our special selves.

We need to measure life in ways that are more personal, more wholistic, more full of feeling. When will we learn that money, power, heroism and achievement cannot exist without other qualities in life? These other qualities include close fatherhood, feelings, individual growth, sharing our unique selves, a defined faith and compassion. These are the essentials.

IN OUR WESTERN culture, God is often identified as Father. Feminists and those who do not have a positive image of a father object to this image. Yet for men, there can be a deeper sense in which men are able to identify with the father and son relationship in a positive, life-giving manner.

The paradox of the incarnation, of God within one's experience, and with the drama of life and death which this involves, this can lead to maturity and spirituality. Men can find within these symbols a deeper appreciation of the mystery both of our mortality and of our continuation beyond death.

This is implicit in the religious drama of Father and Son which is central to the Christian rituals of the Lenten and Easter season. Such symbols of the deeper, spiritual dimensions of life can become part of the internal journey of faith so that these meanings become intimate with inner meaning.

Men are as emotional and spiritual as women. But before this deeper dimension of men becomes typical rather than a rare phenomenon our society must change. We men have a long way to go to find that journey toward wholeness which is both possible and one which is affirmed in our society.

The Rev. David T. Strong is pastor of Central United Methodist Church in Detroit.

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The church bulletin is published every Thursday in The Observer. Information must be received in the Livonia office by noon the Monday prior to publication.

● **VILLAGE AMBASSADORS**

The Ambassadors of Village Presbyterian Church will meet 6 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, at the church, 25350 W. Six Mile, Redford. After refreshments, the group will go to the Redford Theatre to see "The Caine Mutiny." For information, call 534-7730.

● **MIDDLE EAST RELATIONS**

Dr. William Gepford will discuss theological and political implications for the United States and the Middle East 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, in the parish annex of St. Edith Catholic Church, 15089 Newburgh, Livonia. The Peace and Justice Committee is sponsoring the program. Gepford worked in Lebanon from 1953 to 1963. Since 1979, he has been in ministry to Arab-Americans in Dearborn. He has visited and studied in Israel and in Arab countries in recent years. He is a minister at Littlefield Presbyterian Church in Dearborn and has a doctorate in sacred theology.

● **VEGAS WEEKEND**

The St. Linus Ushers' Club will have a Vegas weekend 6 p.m. to midnight Friday-Saturday, Feb. 8-9, in the parking lot, Gulley and Hass. Refreshments will be available. Proceeds will go to the general fund. Admission is free.

● **DRAMA PRESENTED**

The drama "Judgment Morning" will be presented Friday-Sunday, Feb. 8-10, at Tri-City Assembly of God, 2100 Hannan, north of Michigan Avenue in Canton. Presentations will be 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday, 6 p.m. Sunday. For information, call the church office, 326-0330.

● **DRAMA PRODUCTION**

Three performances of "Crossing Yesterday's Bridge" are scheduled Friday through Sunday, Feb. 8-10, at Lake Pointe Bible Chapel, 42150 Schoolcraft, Plymouth. The Pointe Players production concerns a man who faces life's crises and realizes his limitations.

Livonia playwright Cynthia Seiler produced the script. Lead actors include Allan Reid, Ellen Head, Allen McDonald, Wayne Nutt, Nate Bush and Steven Dale. The production is directed by Linda Alvarado.

The Friday production will include dinner at 6:30 p.m. and the performance at 8 p.m. A teen and youth group performance will take place 8 p.m. Saturday with pizza and pop served afterward. A matinee will be performed 4 p.m. Sunday with a "meet the cast" reception to take place afterward. Ticket prices are $15 for Friday's dinner theater, $5 for the teen performance and pizza, $4 for the Sunday matinee with child care provided. To reserve seats, call 420-2420 or 420-0515.

● **HEALTH FAIR**

A health fair will take place 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, at Timothy Lutheran Church, 8820 Wayne Road, Livonia. There will also be a Red Cross bloodmobile. Those who want to donate blood can call 522-5266.

● **WOMEN'S RETREAT**

The women of Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 10000 Beech Daly, Redford, will have an annual "Women's Mini-Retreat" 9 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9. The theme this year is "Walls That Come Tumbling Down." The speaker will be Patsy Clairmont.

Clairmont has been featured on the "Focus on the Family" radio program and in the book "Help for Hurting Women" by Florence Littenauer. Music will be provided by Claudia Keef. Lunch is included in the $10 registration price. For information, call 471-4985.

● **PRAYER BREAKFAST**

Terry Wall will be the speaker at the men's prayer breakfast Saturday, Feb. 9, at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington, near Six Mile in Livonia. Breakfast will start 8:30 a.m. and there is no charge. For information, call 422-1826.

● **RELIGIOUS ARTICLES**

A sale of religious articles and books will be Saturday-Sunday, Feb. 9-10, in the school gym at Our Lady of Good Counsel, 1151 William, Plymouth. Hours will be 4:30-6:30 p.m. Saturday, 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Sunday. The public may attend.

● **ECUMENICAL SERVICE**

The sixth annual ecumenical service for the Canton community will be 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at the Faith Community Moravian Church, on Warren west of Canton Center in Canton. The service will be led by pastors from churches in the Canton Clergy Association. The Rev. Randy Whitcomb of the Cherry Hill United Methodist Church will preach. There will be a special anthem by the combined choirs of the churches. Refreshments will be served.

● **LENTEN WORSHIP**

Lenten worship services will take place 7 p.m. Wednesdays, Feb. 13 through March 13, at Timothy Lutheran Church, 8820 Wayne Road, Livonia. A light supper will be served at 6 p.m. At 7 p.m. Sunday, March 10, a special ecumenical service will take place at St. Theodore Roman Catholic Church.

● **VIDEO SERIES**

Livonia Baptist Church, 32940 Schoolcraft, will sponsor a new World Wide Pictures film and video series, "Hope for the Lonely," 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10. The story is based on the life of a woman who is desperately trying to find answers in life. Sunday, Feb. 17, "Hope for Forgiveness" will be shown. The series will include four dramatic films in the "Hope" series featuring Billy Graham. For information, call 422-3763.

● **CHOIR CONCERT**

A combined-choir concert featuring choirs from the Plymouth-Northville area will be held 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial. Participating churches include: First United Methodist of Plymouth; Our Lady of Good Counsel in Plymouth; First Baptist Church of Plymouth; Church of the Risen Christ in Plymouth; First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth; and Our Lady of Victory in Northville.

Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus" and "How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place" by Brahms will be among the selections. Admission is free of charge. A freewill offering will be taken to support F.I.S.H., a Christian service organization. For information, call 453-5280.

● **BOY SCOUTS**

Boy Scout Troop 1736 of the First Congregational Church of Wayne will celebrate its 50th anniversary Sunday, Feb. 10. All former Scouts, Scoutmasters and others affiliated with the troop in the past may attend 10:30 a.m. worship services.

● **PRESCHOOL GROUP**

The MAT-PAC preschool group of Antioch Lutheran Church will have a valentine party 10 a.m. Monday, Feb. 11, at the church, 33360 W. 13 Mile, Farmington Hills. Refreshments will be served. Price is $1 for craft materials. For information, call 626-7906.

● **WARD BIBLE CLASS**

Margaret Hess teaches a Bible class Tuesdays during the school year at Ward Presbyterian Church in Livonia. Small groups meet 9:30 a.m. and a 10 a.m. lecture follows. The lesson schedule is:

● Feb. 12, "2 Kings 18-20, 2 Chronicles 29-32; Hezekiah, One Man's Influence for Good."

● Feb. 19, "Hosea 1-7; Called to Share God's Feelings."

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● **WISE MOTHERS**

Judy Cox of Wise Mothers Inc. will discuss parenting 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 14, at Village Presbyterian Church, 25350 W. Six Mile, Redford. The program is open to the public at no charge. Baby-sitting will be provided. For information, call 534-7730.

● **WOMEN'S LUNCHEON**

St. Aidan Women's Guild will present a "Hearts and Flowers" luncheon and card party noon Thursday, Feb. 14, at St. Aidan Catholic Church, 17500 Farmington Road, Livonia. Ticket price is $8. For reservations, call 427-3384 or 474-1797.

● **MOMS OF PRESCHOOLERS**

MOPS, Mothers of Preschoolers, will begin meeting at Tri-City Assembly of God, 2100 Hannan, north of Michigan Avenue in Canton. The first meeting will be 9-11:30 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 14, and will include a Valentine's Day brunch.

MOPS meetings will be 9-11:30 a.m. the second and fourth Thursdays of each month during the school year. For information, call 326-0330.

● **RELIGIOUS ARTS**

The First Presbyterian Church of Dearborn, 600 N. Brady, Dearborn, will present its second Religious Arts Festival Friday-Sunday, Feb. 15-17. Brian Wren, a theologian, hymn writer and poet, will lead a luncheon workshop on the new Presbyterian hymnal 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 16. Price for the workshop is $5, including the luncheon. Reservations should be made by Wednesday, Feb. 13. For reservations, call 274-1313.

Other festival events will include a production of Thornton Wilder's play, "Our Town" 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 15-16. The church's drama guild, The Presbyterian Players, will be featured. Admission price is $7, including a picnic supper. Reservations are required by Wednesday, Feb. 13, and should be made by calling 274-1313. There will also be an exhibition of religious art featuring prominent local artists. A performance of the Beethoven Mass in C is scheduled for 5 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 17. Admission is free.

● **FISH FRY**

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Fairlane West Christian School
Preschool & K-8
348-9031

United Assembly of God
46500 N. Territorial Rd., Plymouth
(between Sheldon & Beck Rds.)
453-4530

Sunday School	10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship	11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship	6:30 P.M.
Wed. Family Night	7:00 P.M.

Jack R. Williams, Pastor

TRI-CITY ASSEMBLY OF GOD
2100 Hannan Rd., Canton
326-0330
Btw. Michigan Ave. & Palmer
Pastor Rocky A. Sarra
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 8:30 and 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.
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nold, Dearborn Heights, will have a fish fry 4-7 p.m. Fridays, beginning Feb. 15, during Lent. Admission price is $4.50 for adults, $4 for seniors age 62 and older, $2.50 for children under 12.

● WORLD OUTREACH

The 1991 World Outreach Conference at Ward Presbyterian Church will explore the question "Who's My Neighbor?" It will be Saturday-Sunday, Feb. 16-24. The conference will focus on ministry to Muslims and will feature the following lineup of experts from nationally known missions and ministries:

- Sunday, Feb. 17: Greg Livingstone, executive director of Frontiers, will be the speaker. He is a worldwide traveler in Ministry to Muslims. He will speak at 8, 9:15, 10:45 a.m. and 12:05 p.m. services.
- Wednesday, Feb. 20: Dr. Anis Shorrosh is an author and an evangelist to the Muslim world.
- Friday, Feb. 22: Bruce Green will discuss overseas ministry at 7:30 p.m. Bible study will sponsored by Single Spirit, a ministry for young single adults at Ward.
- Sunday, Feb. 24: Dr. Bartlett Hess will give the message. At 12:05 p.m., the Rev. John Crimmins will give the sermon. The evening worship service at 7 p.m. will feature a concert with Bobby Michaels.

● LENTEN STUDY

The Disciples of Jesus Lenten study will take place noon to 1 p.m. Sundays, Feb. 17 through March 17, at Village Presbyterian Church, 25350 W. Six Mile, Redford. Lunch will be served 11:15 a.m. For information, call 534-7730.

● PRAYER VIGIL

The sanctuary of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile, Livonia, will be open 7-9 p.m. Wednesdays to anyone who wishes to pray for peace in the Middle East. Those who have family or friends in the Persian Gulf area, or who are concerned about those people, are being encouraged to stop in for a few moments of prayer.

● SCRIPTURE EXPERT

The Rev. Jack Castelot, a well-known Scripture authority and speaker, will discuss Mark's Gospel 7:30 p.m. Thursdays, through Feb. 7, at St. Edith Church, 15089 Newburgh, Livonia.

The focus of the series will be Mark's Gospel as compared to Matthew, Luke and John. Castelot's perspective will provide an opportunity to explore the differences between these gospels.

For information, call 464-1222.

● DIVORCE SEMINAR

"Divorce — Healing Whole and Healthy" will take place 7 p.m. Thursdays, starting Feb. 7, at the St. Aidan Activity Center, 17500 Farmington Road, Livonia. Different speakers each week will focus on various concerns and issues facing divorced or separated people. For information, call 937-1531 or 473-6275.

● A.C.T.I.O.N.

A.C.T.I.O.N. Ministry provides support and practical help for people who are unemployed or changing careers. Meetings take place 7 p.m. in the Lighthouse of Ward Presbyterian Church the second and fourth Mondays of each month. Upcoming speakers and topics include: Feb. 11, Barbara Poulos, "Franchise Marketing and Business Basics"; Feb. 25, James Danielski, "Pulling It All Together"; March 11, Lou and Barbara Ellman, "Four Steps to Career Development — Step One: Self-Assessment"; and March 25, Aniceto Muniz Jr., "Free Employment Training." A.C.T.I.O.N. Ministry is a support program sponsored by the Congregational Care Ministry of Ward Presbyterian Church in Livonia. For information, call 422-1826.

● FILM SERIES

World Wide Pictures, the audiovisual ministry of Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, will present a film series, "Hope," 6 p.m. Sundays, through Feb. 10, at Calvary Baptist Church, 43065 Joy, Canton. The film schedule includes: Feb. 10, "Hope for Commitment." For information, call 455-0022.

● YOUNG MOMS

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● BUDDHISM

The Detroit Area Karma Kagyu Study Group offers meditation and discussion of the Buddha's teaching. Free meditation instruction can be arranged by appointment. Weekly meditation and discussion takes place Thursdays in Redford. For information, call 538-1559.

● NEW BEGINNINGS

New Beginnings is a non-denominational fellowship group for substance abusers, their families and friends. The group meets 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at Newburg United Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. For information, call 728-2302 or 464-0035.

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● KISSPRINT BENEFIT

Kissprints, autographs, photographs and other memorabilia items will be auctioned off in the Jefferson Avenue lobby of the Renaissance Center through Tuesday, Feb. 12, for the benefit of the Myasthenia Gravis Association. Kissprints from Tom Selleck, Mark Aguirre, Ann Jillian, Crystal Gayle and Gordie Howe will be among the items up for bid. Silent bids will be taken on items throughout the week with a live auction to be at noon Tuesday, Feb. 12. All proceeds will support MGA patient service and research programs. For more information, call 927-7833.

● CHOLESTEROL SCREENING

St. Mary Hospital will have a community cholesterol and blood pressure screening 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, in the social services conference room of the hospital, Levan at Five Mile, Livonia. There is a $5 fee and registration is requested. For more information, call 464-4800, Ext. 2297.

● PROJECT S.T.

The Project S.T. (Spasmodic Torticollis) Support Group will meet 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, at Peace Lutheran Church, 11701 E. 12 Mile, Warren. The speaker will be Phyllis Davis-Williams, president of Rehabilitation Management Options Inc. of Southfield. For more information, call 547-2189.

● E.M.S. SUPPORT

An E.M.S. (Eosiniphilia Myalgia Syndrome) Support Group will meet 8-9:15 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12, in the 10th floor Classroom A of Beaumont Hospital, 13 Mile and Woodward Avenue, Royal Oak. The group will meet the second Tuesday of the month throughout the year. For more information, call Connie Moftz at 553-2855 or (800) EMS-2829.

● WEEKLY WEDNESDAYS

Weekly Wednesdays, a free support group designed to provide effective coping strategies for family members and adult patients with cancer-related disorders, meets 3-4 p.m. Wednesdays, beginning Feb. 13, in the East Conference Room of Sinai Hospital, 6767 W. Outer Drive, Detroit. The group is sponsored by by Sinai Hospital and the Children's Leukemia Foundation of Michigan. For more information, call 493-5200.

● PERSONAL WELLNESS

Madonna College will offer four personal wellness seminars 7-9:30 p.m. Thursdays, beginning Feb. 14. Topics include "Overcoming Depression — An Holistic Approach" on Feb. 14, "Help, I'm Burning Out" on Feb. 21, "A New Day Dawn: Healing for Adult Children" on March 14 and "Growing Self-Esteem" March 21. The seminars cost $12 each and are taught by Sandy Baumann. Pre-registration is required. For information, call 591-5188.

● HEART FAIR

Botsford General Hospital will offer a free heart fair, "Listen to Your Heart," noon to 5 p.m. Friday, Feb. 15 in the administration and education building, 28050 Grand River, Farmington Hills.

Activities include a cholesterol level check ($3), blood pressure check, cardiac risk evaluation, nutrition counseling, body fat analysis, exercise/fitness counseling and demonstrations. For more information, call the hospital's cardiology department at 471-8870.

● AIDS TRAINING

The AIDS Volunteer Network will offer training in prevention and transmission, confidentiality, values and substance abuse for volunteers Saturday, Feb. 16, and Saturday, March 23. AVN is a project of the Junior League of Detroit. For more information, call Roberta Sharpe at 831-4AVN.



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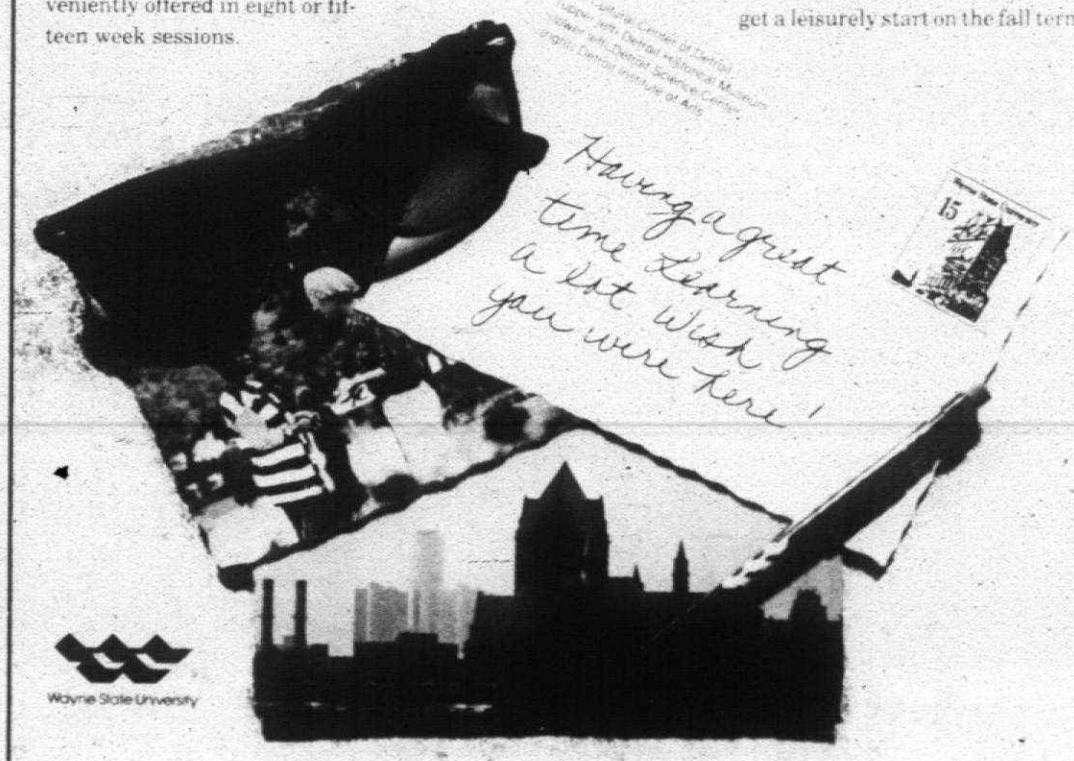
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Sharon and Ken Smith recently received the Top Dog Award for operating the best dealership in terms of percentage of sales increase and service for the Invisible Fencing Co. Candy, the couple's Golden Retriever, has personal experience with the system.

Invisible fencing limits pets' range

By Doug Funke
staff writer

Cami Annas of Bloomfield Hills and Christine Koski of Farmington Hills rave about the product.

It's made life more pleasant for Tank, Patches, Chester, Nicky, Lady and hundreds of other dogs.

And it's proven to be a successful business venture for Sharon and Ken Smith of Birmingham.

The husband-wife team owns and operates Invisible Fencing of Birmingham, a dealership that installs underground, radio-controlled pet containment systems.

The Smiths recently won the company's Top Dog Award for the largest annual percentage increase in sales and quality service among the 225 dealers in the network.

"What made our business successful is it works," Sharon said. "It's the kind of thing people don't believe does, but it works."

INVISIBLE FENCING of Birmingham had gross sales of well over $500,000 and installed more than 500 containment systems last year, Ken said.

"This is a tremendous alternative, maybe the best way to go for containing a dog in the yard," he said. "In subdivisions where no fencing is allowed and there are tough leash laws . . . most people wouldn't get a dog."

Unless they buy a product like Invisible Fencing, he said.

Here's how it works.

Wiring is buried 2-3 inches underground around the area you want the animal to be contained. A transmitter is hooked to the wire, a radio-receiver collar attached to the dog.

Flags or rope is placed around the perimeter for the animal to see. The dog is led around the perimter on the leash to explore the boundaries. A warning beep precedes a shock by an instant.

THE PET usually becomes conditioned to the boundaries in a week with few shocks, Ken said. "It is harmless, very mild and startles them more than anything," he said of the shock. "When they hear the beep and see the flags, that's enough to warn to keep back."

'The thing that concerns us is it shocks the animal.'
— Gary Tiscornia
Humane Society

The hardware and installation costs about $1,100 for 600 linear feet.

A few general observations about the system from Ken and Sharon.

- The transmitter, because it sends out pulsating, low-frequency radio waves, won't interfere with neighbors' appliances.
- Dogs should be at least six months old to learn the system. Older dogs can be trained. The ease or difficulty of training depends on the temperament of the individual dog, not the breed.
- The failure rate is about 1 percent.

THE SMITHS can vouch for the product from personal experience. Their dog, Candy, a Golden Retriever, took to the system like a fish to water.

"When we moved from Philadelphia, we brought our (transmitter, collar) system with us," Sharon said. "When we got here, we figured we'd have the (wiring) system installed. We found no one had a dealership here.

"They practically begged us to start a dealership here," Ken said of Invisible Fencing Co. headquartered in Pennsylvania.

That was about six years ago.

Sharon ran the business herself out of the home for a couple of years, then leased offices in West Bloomfield. Ken, who had been a sales representative, jumped in full time in 1989. Now, they have six inside employees and four sub-contracting installation crews.

Referrals account for most of the business. Ken said he knows of no local competitors.

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Beware of mail business opportunities

By Doug Funke
staff writer

Tough economic times often bring out get-rich-quick schemes.

Police, a postal inspector and an investment adviser warn consumers to beware of plans that seem too good to be true.

"They can come up any time, but especially when financial climates are down," said Lt. William Tullock, who heads the Troy crime prevention bureau.

"Absolutely it picks up," said Sid Mittra, a certified financial planner, college instructor and a columnist for the Observer & Eccentric. "That's a point you can easily make. People are looking everywhere for comfort."

"Given the sign of the times, the economic situation, things like this would seem very attractive to people," said Officer Lisa Hale, Garden City crime prevention officer.

"That's when people are desperate to make ends meet and grasp at straws," said Fred Van de Putte, a postal inspector in Detroit.

ONE LETTER now circulating in metro Detroit presents what it claims is a legitimate opportunity to earn money through a multi-level marketing mail order business. But authorities have their doubts.

The six-page letter offers the chance "to make at least $50,000 in less than 90 days in the comfort of your own home."

Recipients are asked to send $5 cash to each of four people on a list in exchange for reports about multi-level sales programs. Recipients then are directed to add their names to the letters, move the other names around and send copies to more people.

Van de Putte said he intends to send a copy of the letter to the special investigations division in Washington, D.C. for follow-up review.

"From my own experience . . . and from what I've read, it certainly looks like an illegal chain letter," he said.

Mittra said after reviewing the letter that he would have thrown it away after the first paragraph.

"MY FIRST advice is anything that offers anyone no cost, no problems, no trouble, my immediate reaction is to reject it no matter what," Mittra said. "I've never found anything that offers no cost, all benefit."

Sue Mason, a Westland resident and O&E editor, received a copy of

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Employees account for much theft

By David F. Stein
special writer

The kindly grandmother sifting through the sales table at the local Sears or Hudson's may really be a loss prevention employee, while electronic eyes keep watch overhead. But man and machine are not only guarding against customer theft. All eyes also are on employees, and for good reason.

While more than 93 percent of those caught stealing in 1989 were customers, employees caught shoplifting took nearly seven times more per person, according to the 12th annual "Ounce of Prevention" survey of 160 retail companies nationdwide. The average recovery per customer apprehension in 1989 was $196, compared to $1,350 per employee apprehension.

The survey, co-sponsored by Ernst and Young, a retail professional services firm, and the International Mass Retail Association, includes data from Michigan department and drug stores, mass merchants, supermarkets and specialty stores. National sales for the 160 companies surveyed topped $193 million in 1989.

"Employee theft is absolutely a problem," said Michael P. Fricker, loss prevention manager at Sears' Livonia Mall store. It's a freedom situation; employees are there every day and they present a great risk because of access to merchandise and cash.

But overall retail loss, called shrinkage, consists of paperwork errors as well as customer and employee theft. Total shrinkage for the survey firms increased slightly from 1.89 percent of retail sales in 1988 to 1.91 percent in 1989.

AT THE SAME TIME, companies spent an average $2.5 million to battle shrinkage, a 20-percent increase from 1988 to 1989. The money went for sophisticated merchandise accounting and tagging systems and electronic surveillance in addition to employee training and old-fashioned detective work. Personnel costs were 73 percent of the security and loss prevention total.

Department stores spent two to three times more than specialty stores or drug chains and supermarkets, as a percentage of sales, to combat losses. An informal survey of local department stores confirms concern with employee theft, although most retailers admit that getting an exact handle on each factor in the shrinkage equation is difficult.

At Kmart, Philip C. Way, director of loss prevention, wouldn't divulge

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Only 10 percent of employee thefts were detected in the stock area. Forty-five percent of employee thefts were detected at the point of sale, the cash register. This may include false voids, a phony return or undercharging friends for merchandise.



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Let's blame the other guy when we run out of gas



auto talk

Dan McCosh

A guy is suing Ford Motor Co. because he ran out of gas.

Now, this really isn't so funny, since the suit is based on a serious injury suffered after he not only ran of gas, he was hit by a motorcyclist as he tried to push the car off the road.

Regardless, the notion that a car company is responsible for what happens after a guy runs of gas seems to me to stretch the notion of product liability a bit far.

In this case, the argument is that the car in question had a faulty gas gauge, which still read about a quarter tank full when if fact it was empty.

In a way, I sympathize if this actually occurred, since the old Fords I have been acquainted with normally showed empty when in fact there was about a quarter of a tank in there.

In fact, I once had an old Ford that had a gas gauge needle that swung down to the E mark about as fast as a sweep second hand. It ended up reading E after you got about a half a mile away from a fillup. Then the fun began.

If the sun was right, you could sort of eyeball the width of the E as about the first two-thirds of the tank. Then the needle entered a sort of gray area, where it gradually opened up white space below the letter until eventually, it ran out of gas and the car stopped.

THE RESULT was a steady increase in anxiety once the needle left the bottom leg of the E, since the interpretation was completely subjective and certain to fluctuate. When you went up a grade, for example, the sloshing gas wiggled the needle, as it would in a hard right turn. Pretty soon, you were looking for the degree of slosh to figure out if you could make it down to the discount station or had to pull in and pay full price.

I admit this happened a long time ago, but currently, the family minivan seems to have a similar method of estimating remaining gas. At least that's what my wife claims, since she says she has about three errands left after the needle hits rock bottom, where it seems to stay stuck even on steep hills.

In the course of my work, I drive a wide variety of automobiles, which means I often have been forced to rely on the accuracy of an unfamiliar gas gauge.

Modern technology is of little help in this matter, despite the fact that most modern cars have not only a gas gauge, but a warning light that comes on some time before the car stops dead, although there seems to be no widely accepted standard for the exact time remaining when the light comes on.

These lights tend to introduce yet another form of gas gauge phobia, since now I'm not only estimating the width of the bottom of the E, I'm trying to figure out if there is, in fact, a warning light that will give me a sporting chance, or merely a flashing light that blinks GOTCHA when it is too late.

If you have been reading this far, you might have surmised that I am the type that tends to stretch a tank of gas a bit. Sometimes I wonder what it is drives me to stretch for the ultimate mileage inherent in a tank. Maybe it's the mental exercise of calculating miles remaining and seeing if it matches up with the Miles to the Next Rest Stop sign on the turnpikes. Maybe it's something imprinted in my psyche from adolescent memories of when running out of gas didn't seem like such a bad idea at the time.

Whatever, when it does happen, I figure it's nobody's fault but my own.

Dan McCosh is automotive editor of Popular Science Magazine.

Invisible fencing can help keep your pets from leaving home

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A COUPLE of customers gave the product a ringing endorsement.

"I didn't think it would work," Annas said. "They had a guarantee on it and I liked that idea."

Tank, an 8-year-old Labrador, learned fairly quickly, she said. "He got zapped a couple of times, that was it."

"It's freedom for the dog. The dog isn't confined. I can take off for the day and not leave him in the house. It's an excellent product."

Koski said Invisible Fencing seems to be better for animals than keeping them tethered with ropes or chains or inside all the time. She had some misgivings initially about the shock effect, but changed her mind when she was accidentally zapped while holding a radio-activated collar.

"I KNEW it wasn't bad," Koski said. "If it were cruel, I wouldn't have done it."

She has four dogs ranging from a 16-pound chihuahua/poodle, Patches, to a 108-pound shepherd/husky, Lady.

The Humane Society of Michigan probably wouldn't place a dog with a person who had or planned to install an Invisible Fence, said Gary Tiscornia, executive director.

"The thing that concerns us is it shocks the animal," he said.

Other risks cited by Tiscornia include the possibility of an animal escaping, then not being able to get back into the yard due to constant zapping and the possibility of another animal coming into the yard and breeding with the dog who belongs there.

Employees guilty of expensive theft

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company statistics but said that the average employee theft involves considerably more merchandise or cash than a customer incident. Way also said that Kmart's shrinkage is below the 2-percent national average.

"Our primary focus is education," said Way. "The loss prevention manager at each store is involved in the training of every employee. We also use videotapes to educate employees on the behavior pattern of shoplifters."

But Kmart also aims surveillance at employees through routine observation and investigations of cash or merchandise discrepancies. The Kmart accounting system can track individual departments at each store. The laundering of merchandise tends to be a team effort with a non-employee, Way said, while employees usually act alone when stealing cash.

HUDSON'S RELIES on a sophisticate computer system to thwart employee theft, according to spokeswoman Susan L. Kelly.

"Our initial training for employees has a segment on shrinkage and loss prevention; our employees are informed on what our computer system can do, which often acts as a deterrent," Kelly said. "Our policy is to prosecute employees and customers whenever possible."

Local loss prevention managers see no clear pattern or profile for the dishonest employee.

Kmart's Way believes that there is less employee theft with increasing age and length of service. "Other workers haven't gained a stake in our business yet," Way said.

Sears' Fricker, with more than 16 years' experience in loss prevention, isn't so sure.

"Unhappy employees may be more likely to steal," Fricker said, "but if I knew why employees steal, I'd quit here and become a millionaire. The problem is difficult and getting more difficult. I hate to see people hurt themselves."

Kenneth Stedman, director of security for Crowley, Milner and Co., is also perplexed.

"I have never found any real correlation between male or female, black or white, young or old," said Stedman, who has 23 years in loss prevention. "The need as the employee perceives it and opportunity are the deciding factors."

Stedman also confirms a surprising finding of the loss survey. Forty-five percent of employee thefts were detected at the point of sale, the cash register. This may include false voids, a phony return or undercharging friends for merchandise. Only 10 percent of employee thefts were detected in the stock area.

"There's nothing really new," Stedman said, "Employees keep reinventing the wheel. They try to cover tracks wherever they leave them. Theft of merchandise is least on the list."

But Crowley's has a handle on the problem, Stedman said. In addition to computer inventory systems and plenty of closed-circuit cameras, Crowley's is fighting money losses with money.

Selling staff receive rewards for pointing out thieves: $25 plus 25 percent of the merchandise value for customer theft, and $350 plus 10 percent when identifying employees who steal.

Stedman said this program has helped Crowley's achieve a 1.34 percent shrinkage rate for 1989, well below the 2-percent national average.

Crowley's is also hard on those caught stealing. "We prosecute 80 percent of cases, employee or customer," Stedman said. "We make sure it's a winning case, and we have lost only one case in three years."

Michigan laws against retail fraud are stiff. First-time theft under $100 (second-degree retail fraud) is a misdemeanor with a maximum penalty of 93 days in jail and/or a $100 fine. Theft or $100 or greater, or a second offense of any value, brings the charge to first-degree retail fraud, a felony subject to a maximum penalty of two years in jail and or $1,000 fine. Stores are allowed to apprehend those caught stealing under the principle of citizen's arrest.

The national survey also claimed that 55 percent of employed thefts were related to drug use, a relationship that was not confirmed by local stores. None of the local stores surveyed test employees for drugs, although 64 of the 160 companies in the national survey do.

Business-by-mail can be a big loser

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the letter from B. Jamesons with a Garden City post office box number. Mason didn't recognize the name.

Mason speculated that her name came from a mailing list. "I'm registered to vote. I do take magazines. There are charge card companies that would gladly sell names for a fee."

B. Jamesons is a business operated by a Westland woman. She recently got involved after receiving a letter herself.

"THE BOTTOM line is just like everyone else — operating in the black and having a few bucks in my savings account," she said of her decision to participate. "I'm obviously on a lot of lists. I get letters every day. I'm a mail order freak."

The woman said she's spent about $250 on the venture and has just made her first mailing of 1,000 letters.

However, the woman has had second thoughts since she was contacted for this story. "I want to investigate it further with the postal department," she said.

The woman said she has been advised by her lawyer to get a written ruling, hold all letters she receives unopened until that time, then return the letters and close the box if the decision goes against her.

That's her plan for now.

Jerry Embree of Cincinnati, Ohio, introduced the woman to the program via a mailing list.

He said he's been at it about two months, having earned $200, spending a little over $400 and mailing 1,000 letters.

"It did seem legal. It wasn't a chain letter. It wasn't a pyramid scheme. You're selling a product, information," said Embree. He, too, said he'd quit if the business were determined to be illegal.

Especially the affluent must plan for retirement

By Sid Mittra
special writer

A wealthy local professional is in shock. He has been busy making money for the business that he founded and owned for 30 years.

Now, at age 60, he has sold his business for $2 million and believes he has the right to a comfortable retirement. But being a multimillionaire is not enough.

His needs current income, adequate insurance, an emergency fund and inflation-proof investments with limited risk. Unfortunately, during working years he failed to provide for himself the many fringe benefits offered by corporations.

He is not alone. The drive and controlling nature of the affluent professional can become a time bomb that explodes the moment the professional needs to take that important step and attend to the family's financial needs.

In a six-part article, I will address some of the major financial concerns of the affluent professionals.

Seminar: "Playing to Win: Financial Concerns of the Affluent Professional" presented 7-9:30 p.m. Thursday, March 21, in the conference room at 3290 W. Big Beaver, Troy. Reservations required. Information: 643-8888.

Sid Mittra is a professor of finance, school of business at Oakland University and owner of Coordinated Financial Planning.

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● **TAX HELP**
Thursday, Feb. 7 — Free group self-help tax preparation 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile. No registration required. Information: browsing desk, 421-7338 Ext. 633. Sponsor: Internal Revenue Service.

● **ANALYZE COMPETITORS**
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● **INVESTMENT EDUCATION**
Monday, Feb. 11 — Free education investment seminar on trusts and municipal bonds 7:30-9 p.m. at Mt. Hope Congregational Church, 30330 Schoolcraft (north service drive of I-96 one-quarter mile west of Middlebelt), Livonia. Information: John Nye, 274-8995. Sponsor: National Association of Investors Corp.

● **INVESTMENT PLANNING**
Mondays, Feb. 11 through May 6 — Investment planning seminar 8-10 p.m. at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty, between Six and Seven Mile, Livonia. Fee: $56. Information: Continuing Education Servcies, 462-4448.

● **BUSINESS MARKETERS**
Tuesday, Feb. 12 — Business Marketing Association meets for lunch in the Michigan Room at the Fairlane Club, 5000 Fairlane Woods Dr., Dearborn. Information: Fran Stern, 358-3240.

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● **WOMEN'S ECONOMIC CLUB**
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● **BUILD A BUSINESS PLAN**
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Entertainment

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Classic actor explores band's life

Brian Bedford will present "The Lunatic, the Lover and the Poet" on the American Artists Series at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at Cranbrook's Kingswood auditorium in Bloomfield Hills. Tickets at $25 are available by calling 851-5044.

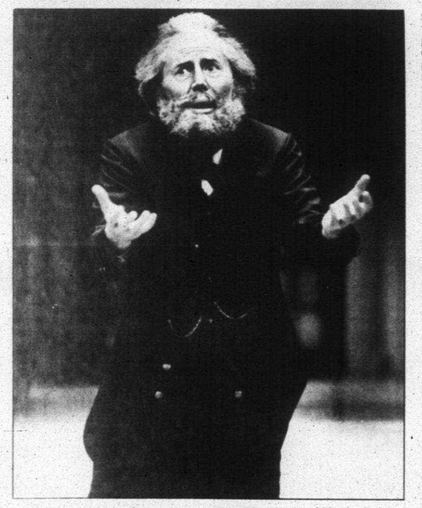
By Cathie Breidenbach
special writer

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE went through a mid-life crisis centuries before the pop-psych term was even invented, and a distrust of women accompanied his middle-aged disenchantment.

In Brian Bedford's two-hour festival of Shakespeare called "The Lunatic, the Lover and the Poet," the acclaimed actor — who is a perennial box office favorite at Ontario's Stratford Festival — reveals his insights into the mind of Shakespeare. In a phone interview from Washington, D.C., Bedford said he is surprised how many sophisticated people don't know the facts of the bard's life.

"Shakespeare's father was mayor of Stratford," Bedford said. "William was married at 18. Before he was 21 he had a wife and three children. He had a middle-aged decline similar to what his father experienced."

Bedford's show ties in documented biographical facts about Shakespeare with the sonnets and speeches from the plays to create "a dramatic portrait of Shakespeare using his own words."



Bedford portrays Shylock from "The Merchant of Venice" during his show, "The Lunatic, the Lover and the Poet."

BEDFORD EXPLAINED the show is "not just Shakespeare's greatest hits. What I'm trying to do is create the character of Shakespeare. Everything works to that end. Lots of people see him as a high-fallutin', oracular, god-like man. I see him as a very human being who experiences love, hate, ecstasy, despair."

To illustrate the beginnings of what Bedford calls the bard's "middle-aged decline," he quoted the happy country song from "As You Like It": "Most friendship is feigning, most loving mere folly." He said, "That is the acorn that blooms in succeeding plays into the full-blown nihilism of Lear and Timon."

The classical actor, born and trained in England, spoke with candor of King Lear's despairing speeches and of the bitter exile, Timon. He included some of those speeches in "The Lunatic, the Lover and the Poet and said the bitter language "is full of upchuck. It's Shakespeare spewing out venom and bile against life."

Bedford admits it was a challenge to find the real man beneath the approximately 1,200 characters the bard created. "Shakespeare successfully masks his own personality. He wasn't interested in psychological therapy. He wanted to write wonderfully enthralling theater."

Bedford read the sonnets and the plays over and over to find the chinks through which he could glimse the playwright, to find "what might be straight from the horse's mouth." He cited Hamlet's instruction to the actors who have come to Elsinore castle as such a chink. "It has no narrative value, and it was uncharacteristic for a Renaissance prince to be an aficionado on acting." In Hamlet's speech, Bedford said, "Shakespeare proclaims his own artistic mandate."

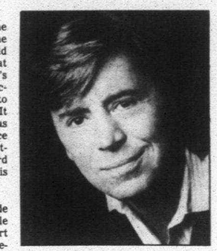
SELECTIONS IN the show include a gallery of Shakespeare's male characters. With only the actor's art (no costumes or sets) and Shakespeare's inimitable language, Bedford brings to the stage such divergent men as Nick Bottom, Romeo, Malvolio, King Richard II, Shylock, Macbeth, Angelo, Prospero, Hamlet and Lear.

Bedford says it took him a year to "compile" the show, which opened at Stratford's Third Stage in September 1989 to rave reviews. Since then the only change to the original show has been adding a little more of Macbeth after Bedford played the ambitious Scotsman last season at Stratford.

Bedford spoke of the particular challenge of making Macbeth relevant to audiences. "I don't think vaulting ambition is something the man in the street connects with. He can relate to jealousy, love and revenge, but Macbeth wants more and more." He added, "If a character is closer to my own experience that makes it a bit easier."

Playing Richard III, who murders for political gain, challenged Bedford, who felt a distance from the hunchbacked king. "I suppose if I'd murdered anyone, I'd find it easier," he said, and explained the dramatic challenge of making the audience feel empathy for Richard. "It's hard to convincingly depict a man who murders."

In more than 31 years as a classical actor, Bedford has become intimately acquainted with Shakespeare's plays, having played most lead male roles at one time or another. He said, "The sonnets (which he includes in the show) were a comparatively new discovery for me. They comprise an enigmatic documentary of part of Shakespeare's life, and I got on intimate terms with them. They weren't published until Shakespeare was 45, except for two which were leaked out when he was 35."



Jimmy Tittle and the Storm perform Friday, Feb. 8, at the Birmingham Unitarian Church in Bloomfield Hills.

LAST WINTER Bedford took "The Lunatic, the Lover and the Poet" on a successful "20-25 city" international tour that included Canada and Mexico. This winter the itinerary includes 26 cities. Later this month, Bedford will perform his one-man show at Wayne State University's Hilberry Theatre in Detroit.

On tour, every performance is different. "The acoustics of the houses are important and they vary with each date," he said. Audiences also differ in their familiarity with Shakespeare's plots and characters. Many bookings are at regional theaters and universities.

"The university is the perfect Shakespeare class. Lively students have a knowledge and love for Shakespeare," Bedford said. "The point of fact is you don't actually need a knowledge of Shakespeare to find the show interesting. You come, sit there, and I do all the work."

After the tour, Bedford will return to Stratford, where he will play Dogberry in "Much Ado About Nothing" and the lead in "Timon of Athens" on the upcoming Stratford Festival season. He will play Timon for the first time, and despite the play's depressing nihilism, Bedford looks forward to the dramatic challenge and to working once again with director Michael Langham.

King Lear remains a plum Shakespearean role Bedford includes in "The Lunatic, the Lover and the Poet," but it is one part he has yet to play in a full-blown production. Bedford's almost boyish looks not only belie his 50-some years but, so far, directors may have perceived him as a bit young to play the blind, despondent old king.

BEDFORD DOESN'T want to wait too long to play Lear. He said, "You have to play him when you still have a lot of energy. When you're really older, you can't whip up energy out of the air."

At the moment he is enjoying his on-the-road schedule. "It's perfect. I do it three months at most a year." The other nine months he spends in Stratford, where he has a house, or at his farm in upstate New York. Of the tour, he said, "I don't do it (the show) every single night. It hasn't become a bore."

The production has attracted the eye of a Public Broadcasting System producer who wants to make a television video of it. Bedford said, "I'm stepping very gingerly. I do want to get as much mileage as I can. I don't want people to buy a video instead of me."

Now on its second successful tour, "The Lunatic, the Lover and the Poet" holds a mirror up to nature and mesmerizes audiences with the range and power of Shakespeare's words and the artistry of one of the finest classical actors in the business.

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table talk

Venice Carnival

A "Carnival of Venice" is being celebrated through Sunday, March 24, at the Olive Garden Italian Restaurant in Livonia. Cuisine, regional wines and festivities of Venice are highlighted. Four Venetian favorite dishes (Pizza Bianco, Chicken San Marco, Seafood Torecllo and Pasta Venezia); a traditional dessert, Tiramisu; and Venetian wines are available. Authentic Venetian carnival masks are on display and for sale.

American Harvest

Schoolcraft College's American Harvest Restaurant has reopened for the winter semester. The restaurant is staffed and operated by the college's culinary arts students. Gourmet lunches include such specialties as Caesar's Salad prepared tableside, grilled medallions of beef tenderloin with whiskey sauce and black beans, garden vegetable sandwich roulade with havarti cheese, and a dessert tray. Hours are 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday and 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. for a Friday buffet.

Mardi Gras

A special menu has been prepared for Cranbrook P.M's "Adventures in Good Taste," which will celebrate Mardi Gras Tuesday evening, Feb 12, at the Pike Street Restaurant in Pontiac. This is the fourth consecutive year that Chef Brian Polcyn has participated in the Mardi Gras dinner. Cost is $55 per person. For more information call 645-3635.

Wild game

The Golden Mushroom in Southfield will present an eight-course wild-game dinner, complete with an assortment of wines, Saturday, Feb. 23. The meal, created by Master Chef Milos Cihelka, will include a main course of grilled Barbarie duck breast with Cassoulet Toulousaine. Dinner is $75 per person. A reception starts at 6:30 p.m. with seating at 7:15. For reservatigos or more information call 559-4230.

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Bob Weibel

3 offbeat sisters make a great show

Performances of the Plymouth Theatre Guild production of "Crimes of the Heart" continue through Saturday, Feb. 16, at the Water Tower Theatre on the campus of Northville Regional Hospital. For ticket information call 728-4400.

If you think you've had a bad day, you don't know what a bad is until you check out the Magrath sisters in Plymouth Theatre Guild's entertaining "Crimes of the Heart." The play is set in Hazelhurst, Miss. It might as well be in River City because the sisters have got troubles. Big troubles!

First, there is Lenny who is celebrating her 30th birthday (and facing spinsterhood with a "shrunken ovary"). Patricia Ebbitt goes a bit heavy on the histrionics from time to time but gives a consistent performance as Lenny.

Then, there is Meg who dreamed of a glamorous carer but returns home with a checkered past (after faking success in Hollywood). Michelle Mihail is very believable as Meg and shows a nice command of the stage.

Finally, we have Babe who is out of jail on bail (after shooting her husband — a state senator no less — because she didn't like "the way he looks"). Eileen Giffels makes her stage debut as Babe, and while we would like to see a more quirky character, she does an admirable job in a difficult role.

ALL OF THIS is just a sampler of problems facing the family. It obviously requires a stretch in imagination to accept the bizarre characters and the outrageous events. The point seems to be that when life's aggravations become intolerable, we become irrational and lash out in wacky ways.

Nevertheless, in the end the sisters work out all their problems. And we can see why playwright Beth Henley won a Pulitzer Prize for her comedy-drama, "Crimes of the Heart."

PTG manages a goodly number of laughs and poignant moments in this roller coaster of emotions. From time to time, however, the production jumps the tracks.

For example, the setting (a kitchen), while well done, is too large to establish an intimate family feeling. When combined with a plethora of curtain line scenes, the performers often appear detached from each other and their surroundings.

Also, the sisters, while well cast, have similar voices. They are difficult to understand when speaking rapidly or together. Perhaps director Carla Lenhoff might consider underplaying or working in a few pauses.

Also appearing are Brenda Hearon Damiani who is splendidly brassy as Chick Boyle, Thomas Hoagland as Doc Porter, and Faud Kandah as attorney Barnette Lloyd.

Bob Weibel of Westland is a freelance writer, who has spent more than 25 years in community theater as director, designer and performer.

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● VARIETY SERIES
Individual tickets are available for Andy Williams and Johnny Mathis, the first two performers in the AT&T Variety Series at the Fox Theatre in Detroit. Williams will open the series with five performances Thursday, Feb. 14, through Sunday, Feb. 17. The voice of Johnny Mathis will be heard Wednesday-Sunday, March 6-10. Tickets to individual performances in the AT&T Variety Series are priced at $37.50, $32.50, $25, $20 and $10. Tickets are available at the Fox Theatre box office, the Joe Louis and Cobo Arena box offices and all Ticketmaster outlets. To charge by phone call-645-6666. For more information call 567-6000 anytime.

● ROGUES, RASCALS
The Gnome Restaurant in Detroit presents "Rogues & Rascals (the men you hate to love)" at 9 p.m. and 11:15 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays. Developed by vocalist Mark Watson and pianist Bernie Katz, the show combines song and satire "in a tribute to the infuriating but irresistible chauvenists back in vogue." Appetizers, dinner and drinks are served prior to and during the performance. 5:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m., with a $5 cover charge during entertainment.

● COMEDY TIME
Second City Touring Company, improvisational comedy group, returns to the Attic Theatre in Detroit as part of the Guest Artist Series. Performances are Friday-Saturday, Feb. 22-23, at 7:30 and 10 p.m., and Sunday, Feb. 24, at 7 p.m. Tickets at $19.50 are available at the Attic Theatre box office and Ticketmaster outlets, or call 875-8284 or 645-6666.

● DETROIT YOUTHEATRE
Three performances of the Detroit Youtheatre celebrate the achievements of African-Americans in conjunction with the national observance of Black History Month. On Feb. 9, the Ishangi Family of West Africa returns to the Youtheatre stage for the 23rd year in "Ishangi's Africa." On Feb. 16, New York's Kim and Reggie Harris return for their fifth season with a new show entitled "One Family, One Planet." Also scheduled is "Play to Win," a musical performed by New York's Theatreworks/USA. Showtimes are 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. in the DIA Auditorium. Youtheatre tickets are $5 per adult and per child. For information or reservations call the DIA Ticket Office at 833-2323.

● 3RD WINTERFEST
Ann Arbor will celebrate its third annual Winterfest weekend Friday-Sunday, Feb. 8-10, Winterfest is a city-wide display, by local merchants and business people, of theater, dance and music groups, as well as art exhibits, an opening night movie and outdoor activities at various parks and recreation facilities. Performance, visual and musical artists display their talent in unusual venues such as bank lobbies and retail establishments. Again this year, the Winterfest button is the ticket of admission. Buttons are on sale for $5 and can be purchased at the Michigan Theater and City Hall as well as most event sites.

● JAZZ SEARCH
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● IN CONCERT
Jimmy Tittle and the Storm will perform at La Casa at 8:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, at the Birmingham Unitarian Church in Bloomfield Hills. Tickets are $10. For more information call Dave Brogren at 540-9031.

● 'LOVE LETTERS'
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A.R. Gurney's hit play "Love Letters" to Detroit's Fisher Theatre for a Valentine's engagement, Tuesday-Sunday, Feb. 12-17. Tickets are on sale at all Ticketmaster outlets and the Fisher Theatre box office. To order by phone call 645-6666. For more information call 872-1000.

● CASTING CALL
First Theater Guild of Birmingham will hold tryouts for the Cole Porter musical "Anything Goes" at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, and 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 11, at Knox Auditorium at the First Presbyterian Church in Birmingham. Roles are available for adults and older high school students. There are singing, dancing and speaking roles. For more information contact Barbara Gowans, director, at 647-0052.

● CHILDREN'S SHOW
The Peanut Butter Players, professional children's luncheon theater, announce the opening of "Just So," a musical version of Rudyard Kipling's "Just So Stories." Performances begin Saturday-Sunday, Feb. 9-10, and continue every Saturday and Sunday through May 19, with the exception of Easter weekend and Mother's Day, at the historic Players Club in downtown Detroit. Lunch is served starting at noon; the show begins at 1 p.m. Ticket price of $7 includes lunch and the show. Reservations can be made by calling 559-6"PBP" between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

● MOVIE PREMIERE
The Providence Cancer Center's Midwest premiere benefit of Samuel Goldwyn's movie, "My Heroes Have Always Been Cowboys," includes a reception at 6:30 p.m., followed by the movie at 7:15, on Wednesday, Feb. 27, at Northland Theater in Southfield. The premiere, sponsored by the Providence Cancer Center, Providence Hospital Foundation, and Northland Center, will be a charity benefit for cancer research at the Providence Cancer Center in Southfield. Tickets, selling for $25, include a reception with live entertainment preceding the movie. Hors d'oeuvres, cocktails and other beverages will be served. For reservations, call 424-5744.

● 'BITTER FRIENDS'
Jewish Ensemble Theatre stages "Bitter Friends" by Gordon Rayfield, a drama based on the Jonathan Pollard spy case that examines the ethics and emotions involved in Israeli-American relations, Wednesday, Feb. 13, to Sunday, March 3, at the Aaron DeRoy Theatre at the Jewish Community Center in West Bloomfield. Performances are at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. Reduced-price previews are Wednesday-Sunday, Feb. 6-10. For information or tickets call JET at 788-2900. Tickets also are available at any Ticketmaster outlet or by calling 645-6666. Tickets are $8 to $18.50. Student and senior discounts are available.

● JIM BAJOR
Rochester pianist Jim Bajor has just signed a contract with Kruse & Muer on Main Street in Rochester. Bajor appears at Kruse & Muer every Wednesday, 6-10 p.m. and Friday-Saturday, 7-11 p.m. Bajor has recorded three albums. His "Awakening" album was nominated for the new-age Grammy Award in 1988. Currently Bajor is working on his fourth album, "Places of the Heart," scheduled for release this spring.

● FILM PROGRAM
The Association for the Advancement of Psychoanalysis presents Woody Allen's "Crimes and Misdemeanors," followed by discussion with Martin Bergmann, Ph.D., psychoanalyst in private practice, New York City, who appears as the philosopher Professor Levi in the film. The screening is at 7 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 16, at the Smith Theatre at Oakland Community College's Orchard Ridge Campus in Farmington Hills. Admission is $10. Tickets may be purchased at the Michigan Psychoanalytic Society (557-8633) or at the door. An afterglow of coffee and pastry will follow the viewing and discussion.

● IN CONCERT
Jimmy Tittle and the Storm will perform at La Casa at 8:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, at the Birmingham Unitarian Church in Bloomfield Hill Tickets are $10. For more information call Dave Brogren at 540-9031.

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Travel Scene



crossroads
Iris Jones

China tourist activities a mystery

Where would you go and what would you do if you could spend two weeks in China this summer? That's the question I was asked by Jane Bibeau of Bloomfield Township and Sandy Pennington of Novi, who plan to join Jane's daughter in China in either July or August.

Renee Bibeau, 23, has already had an interesting travel life since she graduated from Mercy High School in Farmington. She has lived in Finland, Estonia and Tahiti as part of a program offered by Oral Roberts University in Tulsa, Okla.

A youth pastor in Tulsa recommended her for a similar position with a Christian group in Shenyang, in the Chinese province of Liaoning, not far from the border of Korea.

"The three of us would like to see significant areas of China this summer," Jane wrote. "Could you please tell us what we should see, and recommend a geographic area that would break up the trip on our way to China or on our way home?"

Jane and Sandy are looking for information about the weather, the cost of the trip, and whether they should try to include places like Tibet, Singapore or Malaysia.

If they had asked me about any other part of the world, I would have a file drawer full of information, but I have never been to China and travelers are just starting to go back there 18 months after the brief uprising in Beijing.

My first stop was a letter to the China National Tourist Office, 333 West Broadway, Suite 201, Glendale, Calif. 91204. That's usually a good way to get information, but I have waited several weeks without a reply.

I put the question to Kathy Ambrose, the manager of Travel Works in Southfield. She hasn't been to China but has all the information needed to book China travel through wholesalers like Pacific Delight Tours of New York or Silkway Travel Ltd. of Hong Kong.

I also called Jean West of Oakland Travel in Birmingham, who has booked many people on such tours. Jean agrees with me that Singapore, Malaysia and Tibet are too far from China to be practical side-trips on a two-week journey. When I flew to Singapore on Singapore Airlines last March, it was a five-hour flight south from Tokyo to Singapore, about the same time as flying from New York to London.

Jean suggested that Jane and Sandy start with a few guidebooks from their local library, so they can narrow their choices. She also recommended that they do at least part of their trip on a tour out of Hong Kong.

"Most tours go to Shanghai, Beijing, Sian — that's the archeological site of the life-sized terracotta soldiers — and maybe on a boat trip down the Yangste River."

Jean recommends a Hong Kong stopover, where you can shop and maybe take a hydrofoil to Macau. I have been to Hong Kong and I second the motion, even if all you do is wander down the colorful streets or stare at the beautiful scenery.

Ed Jamieson of Northville Travel has taken groups to China and highly recommends it for the right kind of travelers.

"I took 40 members of the Michigan Dairy Farmers Association to China with Pacific Delight Tours," he said. "It was a 12-day trip with three nights in Hong Kong to adjust to the new time zone, and the rest of the time traveling south from Beijing to Shanghai.

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SINGAPORE

Good joss among the high-rises

By Iris Sanderson Jones
special writer

In another time and place, Singapore would be a city-state, or a kingdom, and this story would begin with "once upon a time."

Once upon a time there was an island 25 miles long and 15 miles wide off the Malay Peninsula, a pencil dot at the southeast tip of Asia.

When British East India Company officials created a trading post halfway between China and India, they named it Singapore, "lion city." The island was a swamp, but people brought their skills from China and India, worked hard, and soon ships from all over the world sailed into its natural harbor.

People lived in shop-houses, making shoes and joss sticks and other things in the open-fronted stores and living in the quarters above. Merchants, calligraphers and children spilled out into the streets. The shop-houses were edged by the five-foot way, a covered walkway mandated by Sir Stamford Raffles when he founded the city as a British trading post in 1819.

I lived in that Asian city during the later 1950s, and went back in 1990 when Singapore was celebrating its 25th anniversary as an independent nation, most of it under the benevolent dictatorship of regularly-reelected Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew.

The city of shop-houses — that was the picture I carried in my mind. I was eager to learn whether the oriental city I knew was still there. Would I find the curry lady of Tanglin Market, who clucked over my blonde babies and challenged me to eat durien?

Would I see the street hawkers that sold sweets wrapped in leaves, the shopkeepers whose voices followed me down the street: "Buy a ring lady. Come see my shop?"

My first impression was that the Asian city I knew was gone. In its place I found a contemporary city where men and women in western dress travel by car and subway to high-rise hotels and office centers, rushing home every night to multi-storied apartment buildings.

The kampongs, where people lived in wooden houses high above the ground, were almost gone. Eighty percent of the 2.6 million people now live in high-rises.

When I taxied along Tanglin Road, I had to lean down to see the tops of high-rise hotels soaring above what were once fields. The market was gone. The curry lady was gone. The only sign of durien, a fruit that smells like rotten tennis shoes but tastes delicious, were a few signs in hotels saying "It is forbidden to bring durien into this lobby."

The British built this city as a free port, and the sea has been its trademark ever since. Hundreds of ships anchor offshore and the colored sails of windsurfers fill the water between shoreline and ship. French perfume and Irish lace can be bought at duty-free prices. Oriental goods are not nearly as visible.



MICKY JONES

This is the Sri Mariammam Hindu temple in the heart of Singapore's Chinatown. While the small nation is filled with high-rise office buildings and apartments now, the old oriental city is still there, under the facade of modernity.

The British were so accustomed to facing the sea, they had fixed guns facing out to sea when the Japanese bicycled down the peninsula and across the causeway that connects the island city to the mainland during World War II.

The British surrendered to the Japanese arpund a Ford Motor Company conference table on Bukit Timah Road. Many a Ford employee from Michigan subsequently sat at that table before it was moved to a museum on Sentosa Island, reached by cable car or ferry.

Sentosa, a $2-million development of beaches, museums and other attractions, was one of many new sights I would see for the first time. But first I wanted to find out if our old apartment building still stood amid the splendor of the Regent, the Omni Marco Polo, the Sheraton and Shangri-la hotels.

St. Martin's Drive was still there. The apartment was there, newly painted, across from the house where hundreds of fireworks were exploded during Chinese New Year. Fireworks are forbidden in the city now.

"Rich people live up here now," the taxi driver said. The house next door to our apartment was pretty rich in those long ago days as I remember. One Chinese man lived there with three wives, one on each floor, and 27 children.

I remembered the day we moved in, with our two tow-headed sons. The amahs and the 27 children were singing at the top of their lungs.

"Davy, Davy Crockett, king of the wild frontier." So much for exotica.

The house and the 27 kids are gone now, along with Ah Soong, my amah, a servant known as a black-and-white because they traditionally wore loose black pants and white tunics. Nobody in this affluent city wants to be a servant any more, so those who can get permission from the government import their servants from the Philippines.

Singapore looked so much like New York City (except it is clean, safe and well-run) that it took me a few days to realize that the old oriental city is still there under the new glass-and-steel high-rises.

The food hawkers used to sell from street corners, but Singapore is a cleaned-up city, so hawker food is now served on plastic tables under the trees in government-owned "hawker centers" like Newton Circus or Cuppage Center. Stalls sell chicken rice, Chinese char siew, Indian biriyanis, Malay curry, giant prawns and lobsters, oyster omelets, cuttlefish and especially satay.

In the old days we bought satay — barbecued chicken or meat dipped in peanut sauce — from hawkers who squatted over their barbecue grills on Beech Road. Now they are scattered through every hawker center.

The joss makers can still be found in the industrial park of a satellite town called Ang Mo Kio. Fantastic figures made of sawdust mixed with cinnamon or camphor are created in open-fronted buildings and burned in front of temples and other places for luck.

A few yards down the street you can watch people make huge fun-

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Snorkeling near Australia's barrier reef

By Allen I. Moore
special writer

Snorkeling in the warm clear waters off Australia's Great Barrier Reef was the highlight of a nine-week trip to Australia last year. My wife Christina and I took day tours into "Crocodile Dundee" country and rode the Kuranda Rail-Road, but the best and last tour was to the reef 30 miles east of the Australian coastal resort town of Cairns.

Cairns is a pleasant seaside town in the tropical northeastern state of Queensland. It is on Trinity Bay, surrounded by the rugged Atherton Mountains. We stayed in a modern hotel and took guided day tours, including one into the croc-infested Daintree River, but diving the reef was the epitome of "getting away from it all."

We sailed out aboard a huge catamaran called Great Adventures. Our first stop was 25 miles offshore at Green Island, which typifies the palm tree islands of the south seas, with its white sandy beaches and shark barriers.

We disembarked for lunch at a small cafe in a jungle clearing. Nearby in a small zoo are the two biggest crocodiles in captivity: Oscar, 24 feet long and Cassius, 19 feet long. They were caught out at sea in trawl nets, just like a scene from the movie "Jaws."

After re-embarking and sailing a few more miles, we reached the outer reef, where a huge pontoon was anchored. This had a restaurant on-board and loading slips for numerous vessels. A glass-bottom boat took us over the reef.

The underwater views were incredible. I couldn't wait to go snorkeling.
— Allen I. Moore

The underwater views were incredible. I couldn't wait to go snorkeling. We met a Canadian couple from Edmonton, but the wives, after seeing Oscar and Cassius, elected not to snorkel, but to view the reef from a semi-submersible boat. They missed a fabulous experience.

As we dived, we saw a technicolor display of vivid coral hues under the crystal water, a quiet peaceful world full of strange shapes and shades. We swam a few inches below the ocean's surface, watching neon-like fish through the clear glass face-pieces. It is an amazing experience.

These remarkably beautiful, but indifferent, creatures seem to regard snorkelers as merely other aquatic beings. They swam above and beside us, or below us

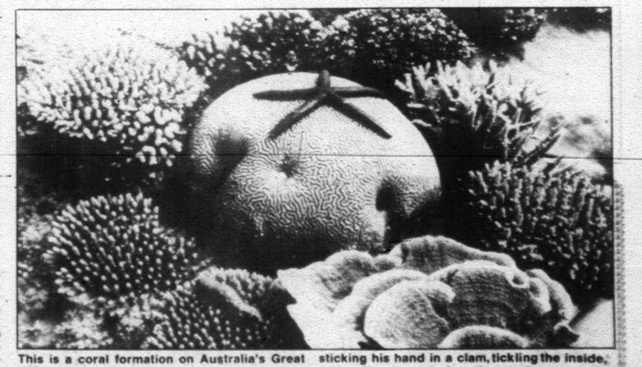
Some of the exotic names are quite descriptive: red emperor, parrot, clown, sweetlip, barramundi, angel and sailfish. Swimming with them in 80-degree ocean water gave the impression of being inside a huge aquarium.

We saw giant clams on ledges among the coral 10 or 12 feet below us. We dove down, following the tour guide through the schools of tropical fish. We teased the clams by hand-stroking their insides, then withdrew FAST before their three-foot mouths clamped shut. It created quite an adrenalin rush.

Although it was early May, during the southern hemisphere's autumn season, the temperature was in the high 80s. The blazing tropical sun, high in the clear blue sky, illuminat-

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reader's report



This is a coral formation on Australia's Great Barrier Outer Reef. When Allen Moore went snorkeling there, he entertained himself by sticking his hand in a clam, tickling the inside, and pulling it out before the crustacean could bite him.

Snorkeling near the Great Barrier Reef

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ed the warm ocean water deep down to the sea bed, exposing the ageless coral reef in all its splendor.

This was the most calming, relaxing and absolutely the most unforgettable experience I have had.

FACTS: Australian prices are usually higher than U.S. prices, but the people are friendly and they like Americans. Australia is roughly the same size as the continental United States. Some roads are inadequate for very long journeys.

Avoid the mid-summer months of December and January in the north, because of the heat; Aussies go north for the sun in their winter months of July and August just as we go south in our winter months.

Livonia Travel Service, located at 7 Mile and Middlebelt, arranged our Australian and Far Eastern trip. We flew Quantas from Honolulu to Sydney, which enabled us to fly 1,800 miles north to Cairns at a discount price of about $321 per person. This discount must be requested.

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For more information, contact a travel agent or The Australian Tourist Commission, 489 Fifth Ave., 31st Floor, New York, N.Y. 10017, (212) 687-6300. For Australian tourist literature call (800) 234-0789.



Although Allen Moore enjoyed snorkeling in Australia more than anything else, he also found a measure of pleasure when this bird sat on his head.

Allen I. Moore is a resident of Livonia.

Good joss among the high-rises

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erary paper houses, perhaps a giant house for a grandmother who died 10 years ago; her son couldn't afford a house for her then, but he has a new house now so she must have one too.

You can still visit a working pottery and you can still find coffee houses where men take their song birds every morning and take part in Asia-wide competitions. Check out the cafe at the corner of Seng Poh and Tiong Bahru roads.

The shop-houses would be only a memory if Singaporeans hadn't stopped their frantic building just in time. Now they are restoring the shop-houses and preserving the ancient Asian lifestyle in Chinatown, Little India and Arab Street, three of the areas most visited by tourists.

Even the famous Raffles Hotel is being restored, to reopen this spring as a luxury hotel.

For information, contact your travel agent or the Singapore Tourist Promotion Board, 590 Fifth Ave., 12th Floor, New York, N.Y. 10036, (212) 302-4861.

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"A guide from the Chinese National Tourist Office met the group in Hong Kong and stayed with us until we returned to Hong Kong. We also had Pacific Delight people with us, but they were there as hosts, not guides."

Jamieson said there are several tour groups that specialize in China, including Pacific Delight, Silkway, United Airlines Vacations and Gateway-Globus, just to name a few. He can sell you a trip for as low as $2,300 per person.

It's good to turn to professionals like us for information, but sometimes the real experts are travelers who have done the trip and have first-hand experience. Have you been to China? Send your advice to Jane and Sandy by writing to Iris Sanderson Jones, 35516 Grand River, Farmington Hills, Mich. 48335.

And if you have advice for travelers to Europe, remember our special Europe travel page March 14. Our deadline is at least 10 days before that, so write soon.

travel notes

KOREA

You'll be seeing more about Korea on television this year. The Korea National Tourism Corp. has begun a promotional campaign targeting North America. The American market is Korea's second largest. Major projects for 1991 include television advertising, development of special-interest tour programs and participation in exhibitions and festivals.

The Korea National Tourism Corp. has also introduced its Automated Response System, by which tourism information is given out over the telephone in Korea. By dialing 134 and following the instructions, information on transportation, accommodations and more than 500 tourist attractions throughout Korea can be obtained.

For more information on Korea travel, contact the Korea National Tourism Corp., New York, N.Y., (201) 585-0909, or consult your travel agent.

The Weidong Ferry Co., a Korean-Chinese joint-venture has opened a car ferry route between Inchon, the port west of Seoul, and Weihai in China's Sandong Province. The ferry can carry up to 500 passengers in addition to cars and cargo, and operates two to three times per week. Cost for the 12-hour trip is $200 for VIP cabins, $140 first class, $90 second class. Travelers can obtain their entry visas on arrival in Weihai.

SOUTH PACIFIC

If you think of the Tahitian Islands as a romantic but far-away south-seas destination, you may be surprised to learn that Tahiti, Borabora, Moorea and other neighboring islands are only eight hours from the US west coast by air.

UTA French Airlines, a new member of the Air France Group, offers nonstop flights to Tahiti and neighboring islands from Los Angeles and San Francisco. For more information and prices, contact Jet Vacations, (800) 538-0999, or consult your travel agent.

AUSTRALIA ADVENTURES

"Crocodile Dundee" buffs in your family can experience Australia by signing up for a tour this year. Journey's, located in Ann Arbor, for example, offers family trips to Australia that include a ranch stay in the Outback of the Red Center with a visit to Ayer's Rock and excursions to the rain forest and the Great Barrier Reef.

Local guides can lead families on a trip that interprets Australian history, Aboriginal culture and the scenic and natural environment of the country.

For more information on tours to Australia and other Pacific locations, contact your travel agent. For Journey's tours call (800) 255-8735.

The Globus-Gateway tour company has added the Great Ocean Road to its 17-day "Australia in Depth" tour. The road was built by 3,000 World War I veterans and dedicated to the memory of all who fought in that war.

Work on the road, said to have provided first access to the coastal area, began in 1919 and was completed in 1932. The road follows the coast southwest of Melbourne, winding around cliff faces, along the edge of beaches, down into river estuaries and up to the headlands.

Land rates for the "Australia in Depth" tour are $1,718-$1,748 per person. Price includes first-class hotels, some meals, sight-seeing with guide/lecturers, transfers, and the services of a professional tour director.

Call Globus-Gateway, (800) 221-0090, for additional information and the 1991 Australia and New Zealand book, or consult your travel agent.

NORTHWEST AIRLINES

Northwest Airlines will begin service between Tokyo and Beijing, China this year, under the terms of a "Memorandum of Understanding" recently negotiated between the United States and the People's Republic of China.

It has not yet been determined when the service will begin or how often flights will operate, but service will be aboard Boeing 747 aircraft. Beijing will be the 13th Asian city served by Northwest. Northwest now flies to Shanghai, China from Tokyo. For updated information, consult your travel agent.

You should also note that Northwest offers a low-cost tour to Hong Kong through March, priced at $1,000, including airfare and hotel. Check your travel agent or AAA Michigan.

Northwest will also honor tickets of displaced Eastern Airline passengers under many circumstances. Northwest will offer confirmed reservations for passengers holding Eastern-validated tickets, provided Northwest has an available seat in the same class of service as the Eastern ticket.

If Northwest does not have an available seat in that fare category, it will accept Eastern customers on a standby basis. The offer is available between any two points served by Eastern and Northwest. For more information, call Northwest reservation agents, (800) 225-2525, or your travel agent.

CHINESE ART AT METROPOLITAN MUSEUM

An exhibition examining the worship of sacred mountains in China from the Zhou Dynasty to the 20th century is now open at The Metropolitan Museum of Art, 82nd Street and Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10028, (212) 879-5500.

The "Sacred Mountains in Chinese Art" exhibition includes about 100 works drawn from collections arqund the country and from the museum's own holdings. On view are works ranging from mountain-shaped bronze and ceramic vessels to finely rendered maps and paintings illustrating the mountain abodes of immortal sages and fantastic beasts.

On March 3, the museum's "Sunday at the Met" program will be devoted to issues relating to the exhibition. On March 24, a day-long scholarly symposium will be held in the Uris Center Auditorium in conjunction with the exhibition. The symposium is free with museum admission. A series of weekday gallery talks will be offered throughout the course of the exhibition.

Three million foreign travelers visited Japan in 1990 and more are expected this year. The International Tourism Center of Japan plans to open new reservations centers April 1 to serve the needs of foreign travelers.

Japan's version of the bed and breakfast, known as Minshuku, will be available along with western-style pensions, and small economical Japanese inns. These reasonably priced accommodations will allow travelers to meet Japanese families.

JAPAN'S EXPRESS TRAIN

Business travelers to Japan this spring can take the New Express Train, or NEX, non-stop from the New Tokyo International (Narita) Airport terminal to Tokyo Station in 53 minutes.

East Japan Railways Co., JR East, claims it will have the fastest service to central Tokyo by eliminating the 25-minute bus transfer from the airport terminal to JR Narita Station.

JR East expects up to 8,000 passengers daily on the new service which will leave from the airport terminal's new lower level station. Plans call for the NEX trains to operate seven days a week, on the hour, with 6:30 a.m. to 8:01 p.m. departures from Tokyo Station and 7:48 a.m. to 9:45 p.m. departures from Narita Airport.

From Tokyo Station, passengers can reach Yokohama Station or Ikebukuro Station in 90 minutes and Shinjuku Station in 80 minutes.

Seating will be reserved on NEX trains and all cars will be non-smoking except for one smoking compartment. The new cars offer local and international telephone service, large baggage areas, restrooms with wheelchair access and public address announcements in Japanese and English.

NEW AIR ROUTES

New service will be launched from various American cities to Japan this year because of agreements reached between the U.S. and Japanese governments. Fifteen new air routes were authorized in 1990. Service is scheduled to begin this year.

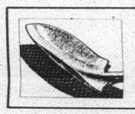
The agreements will affect American and Japanese air carriers. After new routes are launched, several American cities and territories will have non-stop service to Japan. Detroit already has had non-stop service daily to Tokyo.

AIRPORT EXPANSION

A five-year expansion project is under consideration for Japanese airports due to congestion at Narita Airport in Tokyo, which accounts for almost all international arrivals in Japan.

The expansion would affect both Narita and the Tokyo International Airport at Haneda. Kansai International Airport will also open in Osaka in 1993.

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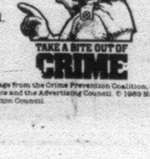
They went to the police for help.

Soon a substation was established where folks could readily report crime. Weekly meetings began. Community watches started. Things started getting fixed up. Vacant lots were cleaned up and fenced off. Abandoned cars were towed away. Painting and repairing programs began.

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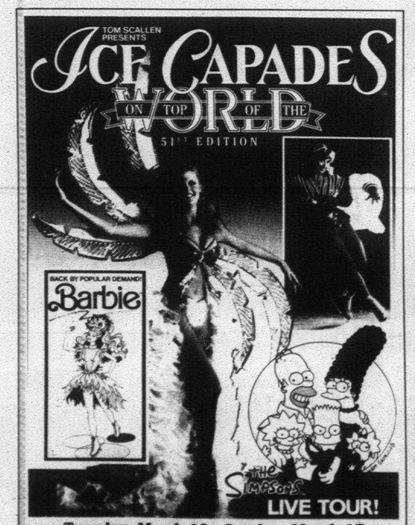
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● FISH FRY

A fish fry is held 5-8:30 p.m. every Friday at the Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Post No. 6695, Veterans of Foreign Wars, 1426 S. Mill, Plymouth. The weekly dinners resumed Feb. 1. Price is $5 for fish (all you can eat). Frog legs, shrimp and chicken are also available. Proceeds are used for VFW service/community projects. The dinners are open to post and auxiliary members and their guests. For more information, call 459-6700.

● CANTON MUSEUM

The Canton Historical Museum, at Canton Center and Proctor, will be closed during February due to long-term projects. The Canton Historical Society operates the museum. Group leaders don't plan to produce a Canton Historical Society calendar this year.

● THEATRE GUILD

The Plymouth Theatre Guild will present the play "Crimes of the Heart" by Beth Henley. Remaining performances will be held 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Feb. 8-9 and 15-16, in the Water Tower Theatre, on the campus of Northville Regional Hospital, 41001 W. Seven Mile, Northville Township. The campus is between Haggerty and Northville roads and is west of I-275.

The play tells the story of three Mississippi sisters who must deal with a family crisis. Ticket price is $6 for adults, $5 for seniors and students. Group rates are available. Tickets will be sold at the door. For ticket information, call 349-7974.

● TRAVEL CLUB

The Western Wayne County Travel Club will meet 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 7, at the Canton Public Library, 1200 S. Canton Center. A slide presentation of the trip to Palm Springs, Calif., and videos of an Alaskan cruise and BearCreek Farms will be featured. There will be door prizes. Refreshments will be served.

Travel club members have planned a Thursday, Feb. 14, trip to Windsor's Top Hat to see The Gaylords. Price is $37 for transportation, dinner and the show. For more information, call Len Bloch, 459-5508.

● ATTENTION DEFICIT

The Attention Deficit Disorder Association will meet 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 7, at the Livonia Civic Center Library, on Five Mile east of Farmington Road. The meeting will include a panel discussion on the disorder in adults. Registration will begin 7 p.m. Donation is $5 for non-members. For more information, call 464-8233.

● MOMS TO MEET

M.O.M. (Meet Other Mothers) will meet 9:30-11:30 a.m. Friday, Feb. 8, at the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 Church. There will be a speaker from First Step, a domestic violence shelter in Wayne County. M.O.M. is a support group for mothers. Low-cost child care is provided during meetings. For more information, call 459-7465 or 453-6134.

● VOYAGERS SINGLES

Voyagers Singles will meet 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile, Livonia. The "Clowning Around" program will feature Nick Simos, a comic entertainer who will present jokes, magic, songs and dance. The group is for singles age 45 and older. The public may attend. Price is $2.50 for members, $3.50 for guests. Group meetings are held the second and fourth Friday of the month. For more information, call 591-1350.

● MARDI GRAS DANCE

Bethany will hold a Mardi Gras dance 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Feb. 8, at the Our Lady of Sorrows social hall, 23615 Power, Farmington. Price is $6.

Bethany is a Catholic group open to people of all faiths. It will offer support group meetings for recently divorced, separated or widowed people. Upcoming meetings are scheduled for Sunday, Feb. 10 and Feb. 24. For more information, call 471-2708 or 478-0533.

● WESTSIDE SINGLES

Westside Singles will hold a dance/party 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Friday, Feb. 8, at Roma's of Livonia, on Schoolcraft west of Inkster. The dance/party is for singles age 21 and older. Dressy attire should be worn (no jeans). There will be snacks and a budget bar. For more information, call the hot line, 562-3160.

● DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS

A group for advanced Dungeons and Dragons players meets Friday nights in Plymouth. The group is for adult players. For more information, call 454-0134.

● JAYCEES

The Plymouth-Canton Jaycees meet 8 p.m. the fourth Thursday of each month at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. The non-profit organization is dedicated to community service and individual development. For more information, call Cam Miller, 453-1915, or Ronnita Kreiling, 455-8676.

● BOWLATHON

The annual "Bowlathon for Charity" will be 11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, at Plaza Lanes, 42001 E. Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth Township. The event is sponsored by the Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Ladies Auxiliary No. 6695 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Bowlers and pledges are needed, and VFW membership isn't required to participate. Proceeds will be donated to the Make-A-Wish Foundation and to Special Olympics. For more information, call Alice Fisher, chairwoman, 728-7619, or Jim Dray, co-chairman, 420-3095.

● LUNCHEON OUT

The Canton Newcomers Club will sponsor a "Luncheon Out for Ladies" noon Tuesday, Feb. 12, at Holly's By Golly, on Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth. For more information, call 459-3375.

● SATURDAY NIGHT

Saturday Night Singles/Westside will hold a dance/party 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, at Roma's of Garden City, on Cherry Hill east of Venoy. The dance/party is for singles age 21 and older. Dressy attire should be worn (no jeans). There will be snacks and a budget bar. For more information, call the hot line, 562-3160.

● TRI-COUNTY SINGLES

Tri-County Singles will hold a dance/party 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, at the Airport Hilton Inn, I-94 and Merriman in Romulus. The dance/party is for singles over age 21. Price is $2 for women, $4 for men. For more information, call the hot line, 842-7422.

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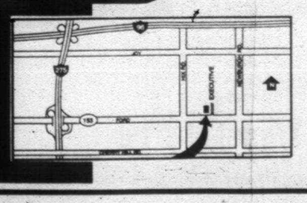


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2. 25% of the newsprint we print on is recycled and we're increasing this amount by another 25% this year.

3. Our employees have begun to routinely put officer paper (memos, computer paper, waste copy paper) in recycle bins instead of waste baskets.

Of course, we still deliver thousands of newspapers twice each week. It's our business to bring you news of your local government, schools, sports scene and community events; the news you need to know.

And when you're finished reading your hometown newspaper there are places that will recycle them.

We've listed a few for you on this page because we think recycling is *Good News.*

THE Observer & Eccentric NEWSPAPERS

Here is a list of recycling centers in or near The Observer & Eccentric circulation area. Please call the center nearest you for guidance in preparing your recyclables

LIVONIA
LIVONIA RECYCLING CENTER
After Sept. 14-Livonia Residents Only
Tuesday through Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Glendale, East of Farmington Road
South of the Jefferies Freeway
522-1620
Newspapers, glass (clear, green and brown), window glass, tin cans, aluminum, batteries (vehicle only), anti-freeze, motor oil, plastics (coded '1' or '2'), white bond office paper and computer paper.

CANTON
CANTON RECYCLING
10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m Fridays
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Saturdays
42020 Van Born between Haggerty and Lilley
397-5801
Newspapers, glass (clear, green and brown), all metals including large appliances, batteries (automotive only), cardboard, motor oil, paint, (only from Canton Township residents), grass clippings (only from Canton Township residents), concrete, bricks, dirt sod (fee may be charged).

WASTE MANAGEMENT WOODLAND MEADOWS
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday - Friday
8:00 a.m. - Noon on Saturday
39900 Van Born between Haggerty and Hannan
326-0993
Newspapers, corrugated cardboard, glass (clear, green and brown, aluminum, tin, plastic (high density i.e. milk jugs and laundry bottles), large appliances.

PLYMOUTH
CITY OF PLYMOUTH—RESIDENTS ONLY
4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m Tuesday and Thursday
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Saturday
201 South Main
(next to Fire Department behind City Hall)
453-1234
Newspapers, glass (clear,green,brown), tin, aluminum, household batteries.

CITY OF NORTHVILLE
RESIDENTS ONLY—PROOF REQUIRED
NORTHVILLE DPW
Wednesday 3:00—7:00 p.m.
Saturday 11:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.
650 Doheny, North of 7 Mile
349-1300
Newspapers, glass (clear, green and brown) tin cans, aluminum,automotive and household batteries, motor oil, plastic milk jugs

BIRMINGHAM
BIRMINGHAM RECYCLING CENTER
Open 24 hours, seven days a week, with assistance between 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m on Saturdays
Holland Street off Eton (south of Maple)
642-6888
Newspapers, glass (clear, green and brown), tin, aluminum, batteries, plastic (half-gallon or larger or smaller coded '1' to '2'), batteries, (automotive and household), cordless appliances

FARMINGTON
CITY OF FARMINGTON
FARMINGTON AND FARMINGTON HILLS RESIDENTS ONLY
7:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Monday through Friday
9:00 a.m. - Noon Saturday and Sunday
(West of Farmington Road)
473-7250
Newspapers, glass (clear, green, and brown), batteries, (automotive and household), motor oil, plastic (high density, i.e. milk jugs and laundry bottles)

FARMINGTON HILLS
CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS DPW
FARMINGTON HILLS RESIDENTS ONLY
27245 Halsted Road, South of 12 Mile
553-8580
Seven days a week, dawn to dusk
Newspapers, glass (clear, green and brown), batteries, (automotive and household), motor oil, plastic (coded 1 and 2)

LATHRUP VILLAGE
First Saturday of every month 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
19101 Twelve Mile
(in front of Southfield-Lathrup High School)
591-0001
Newspapers, frosted type plastic, motor oil, household and automotive batteries.

REDFORD TOWNSHIP
REDFORD TOWNSHIP RECYCLING CENTER
9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Saturdays only
Inkster Road between Jeffries Freeway and Plymouth Rd.
BFI Transfer station *(blue building behind Trico Bandag Bldg.)*
531-3110
Newspapers (tied, with glossy inserts removed), glass (clear, green and brown), tin cans (rinsed with labels removed), and plastic (coded '1' or '2')

GARDEN CITY
Garden City Park (Pool parking lot)
2nd Saturday of every month
9 a.m. - 12 noon
Ford Rd. at Cherry Hill
525-8830
Newspapers, glass (clear and colored), tin, aluminum, computer paper, white office paper with black ink only, motor oil and vehicle batteries. No plastic.

WESTLAND RECYCLING CENTER
37137 Marquette
1st and 3rd Saturday of each month
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
728-1770
Newspapers (glossy inserts removed), glass (no ceramic, pyrex or plate glass), aluminum, tin, plastics coded '1' and '2'.

SOUTHFIELD
CITY OF SOUTHFIELD RECYCLING CENTER
Open dawn until dusk
26000 Evergreen
(behind the Civic Center Ice Arena)
354-9180
Newspapers, glass (clear, brown, and green), tin, aluminum, plastic (HDPE only, coded '2'), household batteries only.

TROY
CITY OF TROY PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY
Seven days a week, 24 hours
4693 Rochester Road, (south of Long Lake)
524-3399
Newspapers, glass (clear, green and brown, motor oil, automotive and household batteries, plastic (frosted and clear).
•Six drop off locations for newspapers: Civic Center, Fire Station #3 and #6, Police Station, Suburban Ambulance, Boys and Girls Club on John R and Long Lake Road.

CITY OF NOVI
24-hour drop-off center
45175 W. 10 Mile Road (by City Hall)
347-0460
Newspapers, glass (clear, green and brown) tin cans, aluminum, opaque plastic, large appliances accepted 8 a.m - 3 p.m daily and third Saturday of the month 8 a.m. - noon. Appliances accepted at 26300 Delval.

WATERFORD TOWNSHIP
Monday through Saturday
9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m
Southeast corner of M-59 and Crescent Lake Road
674-3111
Newspapers, glass,tin cans, aluminum, automotive batteries, motor oil, plastics (coded '1' and '2').

WEST BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP
Saturday 10:00 a.m —3:00 p.m.
2400 Haggerty
(South of Pontiac Trail)
682-1200
Newspapers, glass , office paper, tin and aluminum cans, plastics (coded '1' or '2')

NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP
RESIDENTS ONLY
24 hours a day, unmanned station by Fire Station
16155 Sheldon Road North of 5 Mile
348-5800
Newspapers, glass (clear, green and brown) tin cans, aluminum,automotive and household batteries, motor oil, plastic milk jugs

PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP
PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP RECYCLING STATION (Residents Only)
Dawn 'til Dusk
46555 Port St., Dept. Public Service Bldg
453-8131
Newspapers, glass (clear, green, brown), tin, household batteries plastics coded '1' and '2'.

Note-We have made every effort to verify this information. If you have any additions or deletions, please call our Promotions Department, 591-2300, extension 441.

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● SINGLETONS
The US Singletons will hold a dinner social 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at the Italian Cucina, 39500 E. Ann Arbor Road, east of I-275 in Plymouth. The group is for singles age 45 and older. For more information, write to the group at: P.O. Box 2175, Fort Dearborn Station, Dearborn, Mich. 48123.

● COUNCIL ON AGING
The Plymouth Community Council on Aging will meet 2 p.m. Monday, Feb. 11, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. John Stewart, a Plymouth attorney, will present a program on U.S. Presidents George Washington, Thomas Jefferson and Abraham Lincoln. Stewart bases his presentations on his extensive research and his longtime interest in Colonial Williamsburg. Light refreshments will be served.

● CRUMPETS, CRINOLINES
A "Crumpets and Crinolines" program will be held 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 16, at the Plymouth Historical Museum, 155 S. Main. The afternoon will include an historical fashion show presented by the Sand Hill Questers. Tea sandwiches, scones, tarts and sweets will be served.
Reservations will be limited to the first 100 people. Price is $10. To make reservations, call 455-8940. A museum tour, featuring the "Tea Time" exhibit, will be included. The museum in Plymouth will be closed to the public Saturday, Feb. 16, for the event.

● VIETNAM VETERANS
The Plymouth-Canton Chapter No. 528, Vietnam Veterans of America, will meet 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 11, at the Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Veterans of Foreign Wars Post, 1426 S. Mill, Plymouth. Area Vietnam-era veterans may attend the general membership meeting. For more information, call Greg Huddas, president, 453-5020, Joe Agius, membership director, 453-8180, or Mike Schlott, 455-9381.

● PARENT DISCUSSION
A parent discussion night will be 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12, at New Morning School, 14501 Haggerty, Plymouth Township. There will be a 7 p.m. school tour and a 7:30 p.m. group presentation followed by classroom discussions. New Morning is a parent cooperative school for preschoolers through eighth graders.
Those attending will meet teachers, other parents and students. Staffers will begin accepting applications for fall enrollment at the meeting. Those on the school waiting list should plan to attend. Middle school students (sixth through eighth grades in the fall) are encouraged to attend with their parents. To register or for more information, call 420-3331.

● EMBROIDERY GUILD
The Livonia chapter of Embroiderers' Guild of America meets 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month at St. Andrew Episcopal Church, on Hubbard between Five Mile and Six Mile, Livonia. For more information, call 422-5986.

● DIVORCE SUPPORT
The Divorce Support Group will meet 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12, in the conference room of the Lower Waterman Campus Center of Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty, between Six Mile and Seven Mile in Livonia. The group, for people who are separated, divorced or considering divorce, is sponsored by the Women's Resource Center at the college. There will be a group discussion. For more information, call 462-4443.

● DAR CHAPTER
The Sarah Ann Cochrane chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet noon Monday, Feb. 18, for a lunch at the Plymouth Historical Museum, 155 S. Main. A slide presentation will be shown on "The Wide White Ribbon." For more information on the Daughters of the American Revolution, call 453-4425 or 348-2198.

● BRIDGE FUN
A singles-bridge group meets 7:30 p.m. Mondays at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville. Lessons are available. For more information, call 349-9104 (evenings).

● BUSINESS WOMEN
The American Business Women's Association, MAIA chapter, will meet Tuesday, Feb. 19, at the Ann Arbor Regent Hotel, on Plymouth Road. There will be 5:30 p.m. networking, 6:30 p.m. dinner and the 7:30 p.m. program and business meeting. Speaker Sheila Feigelson, Ph.D., will present a program on "Laughing Matters for Serious Business — Especially in Times of Stress." Guests may attend. For reservations or more information, call Linda Biskupski, 761-3912.

● RETIRED PERSONS
The American Association of Retired Persons, Livonia Chapter No. 1109, will meet 11 a.m. Friday, Feb. 22, at St. Matthew's United Methodist Church, 30900 Six Mile, Livonia. Members and guests should bring sandwiches. Coffee and tea will be served. The speaker will discuss Medicare.

● PLAY GROUPS
The Canton Newcomers Club sponsors play groups. Groups meet Thursdays and Fridays. For more information, call 981-9197 or 397-2703.

● CATHOLIC SINGLES
The Catholic Alumni Club will meet 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 20, at the Livonia Civic Center Library, Five Mile east of Farmington Road. The group is for practicing Catholics age 21 and older who have a bachelor's degree and are free to marry in the Catholic church. The speaker will be Frank Alongi, coach of the Wolverine Pacers Athletic Club. For more information, call 981-8197 or 644-1328.

● DIVORCE GROUP
The Divorce Support Group will meet 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 26, in the conference room of the Lower Waterman Campus Center of Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty, between Six Mile and Seven Mile in Livonia. Speaker Betty Younger, a therapist, will discuss recovery from co-dependency. Time will be provided for questions. The group, sponsored by the Women's Resource Center at the college, is for people who are separated, divorced or considering divorce. For more information, call 462-4443.

● CRAFT GALLERY
A folk art/Victorian craft show will be held 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, March 3, at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill, between Merriman and Venoy. Country folk art, Victorian crafts and early Americana designs will be featured. Admission price is $2. Lunches and refreshments will be available. Those attending shouldn't bring cameras or strollers. For show information, call 274-7076 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays. Deb Jordan and Val Davis are among local residents who will participate in the show.

● CIVITAN CLUB
The Plymouth-Canton Civitan Club is a community service organization for men and women. It meets 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of the month for a business meeting at the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce office. The club meets at 6:30 p.m. the third Thursday of the month at the Italian Cucina, 39500 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth Township, for a dinner meeting and program. For more information, call 464-1129 or 455-9720.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP
PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR USE SUBJECT TO SPECIAL CONDITIONS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Planning Commission has received a request from Michigan Bell Telephone Company to approve the Use Subject to Special Conditions for a Public Utilities Structure to House Telephone Equipment in an AG, Agricultural District, pursuant to Zoning Ordinance No. 83. The subject property is located at 9259 Ridge Road. Tax I.D. No. 78-048-99-0014-000. Application No. 1134.
The Planning Commission seeks input to determine if approval of the Use Subject to Special Conditions should be issued under Section 5.2 of Zoning Ordinance No. 83. The land is currently zoned AG, Agricultural District.
Questions regarding the request may be directed to the Community Development Department during regular business hours, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The Planning Commission will consider the request at its regular meeting on February 20, 1991, commencing at 7:30 p.m. Written comments concerning the request will be received prior to the meeting. The meeting, application review and address for written comment is: Plymouth Charter Township, Community Development Department, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170. Telephone Number 453-3840, Ext. 209.

GREGORY WILLIAMS, Secretary
Planning Commission

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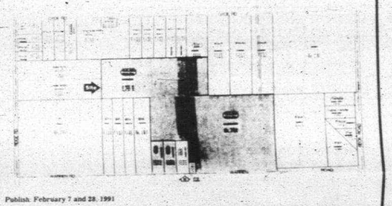
CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, March 4, 1991, at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:00 p.m. on the following proposed amendments to the Zoning Ordinance.

CONSIDER THE REQUEST TO REZONE PARCEL NO's 19-99-0015-002, 19-99-0021-002, 19-99-0021-003 AND PART OF 20-99-0003-000 FROM RR RURAL RESIDENTIAL TO R-2 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL LOCATED NORTH OF WARREN ROAD BETWEEN BECK AND RIDGE ROADS.

Planning Commission
JOHN BURDZIAK, Chairman



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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

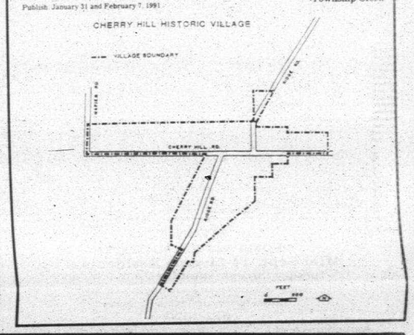
Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Tuesday, February 12, 1991, at 7:00 p.m. at 1150 S. Canton Center Road by the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton to consider a request for the designation of the following as a local historic district pursuant to Section V. of the Historic District Ordinance No. 117, Charter Township of Canton.

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IS YOUR HEALTH COVERAGE TOO expensive? Good group coverage now available at affordable rates. Call Rick Gilber 626-5610

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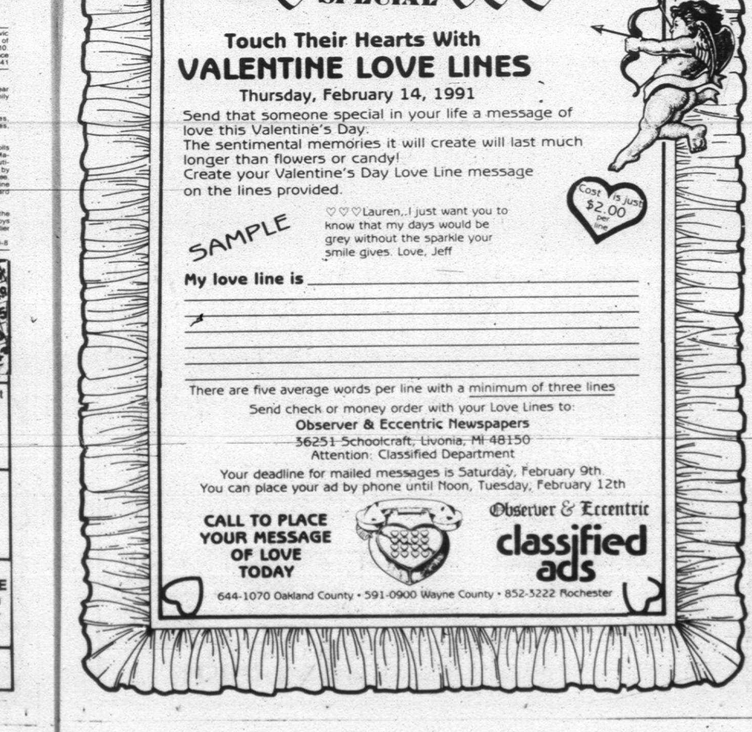
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MUST SELL: 2 round trip tickets to Denver, Feb.-15.thru Feb. 25. $413 for both tickets. 682-0040

700 Auction Sales

FORT KNOX SELF-STORAGE at 10 Mile & Haggerty Rd. Auction Sale again, will hold a sale on Sat. Feb. 16, 1991, to satisfy liens on units in the following tenants unless th lien is satisfied before: Charles A. Stephenson, Unit 538 Kasuel L. Springer, Unit 431 Terrance Siwicki, Unit 369 Jeffrey Lee Hall, Unit 347 Jess Aultin, Unit 326 Pamela Swindle, Unit 301 Lawrence Doyle: Unit 297 Clarence Ford, Unit 195 David Kall, Unit 134 Douglas Tauchen, Unit 129 Timothy Pallons, Unit 125 Arnitt Ross, Unit 119 John Peterson, Unit 075 Thomas Raths, Unit 056 Barbara Frank, Unit 016 Lisa McDaniel, Unit 006 Contents in all units is misc. household goods.

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Sat., Feb. 9th - 11am

Preview Feb. 7th - 11am-8pm

16135 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe

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Circa 1920 french armoire w/inlay, Circa 1890 Victorian 6 piece bedroom/suite and tables w/inlay, 6 piece dining room suite, 2 oak bookcase, beautiful mahogany carved china cabinet, Circa 1840 mahogany breakfront 6 ft. wide, victorian mahogany server, 12" Weller vase, 15" Roseville vase, 23" Satsuma vase, Frederick Remmington Mountain Man reproduction, 3 walnut beds and 2 mahogany bookcases, mahogany Chippendale curio cabinet, many American Flyer train engine, mahogany tilt-top card table, french coffee table w/inlay, 2 art deco curio cabinets, 2 oak china cabinets, bedroom set, paintings, etchings, oriental rugs and much more!

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SPRING SAMPLE SALE

Save 40% and more on new, spring & summer, one of a kind samples. A sample clothing for women, children & more.

Sat. Feb 9th - 10am-5pm

Sun. Feb 10th - 11am-5pm

West Maple Middle School - Gym

Inkster Rd. - 1 blk N. of Maple Rd. Ample parking.

CANADIAN full length, blond beaver fur coat, size 12-14, like new, best offer. 855-1900

ORIGINAL Blanchi wedding dress, size 8, ivory satin & lace, worn 10 hr. Ask for Andrea 851-1665 after 6pm. 552-1000

RESALE

Half off all clothes.

Paying cash for Ladies' fashionable used clothing. 29479 Ford Rd. W of Middlebelt. 421-7272

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WEDDING DRESS - size 8, removable train, $400. 421-4029

FINGERTIP MINK - Tourmaline $275. Dumpy light gray, full length $40. Both like new & size 8-10. 737-3647

WANTED: HIGH SCHOOL Varsity jackets, any condition, male & female. Top dollar. 656-0300

SIZE 7 SHOES

Bring your "patient" and visit the wonderland of unusual dolls & toys The Doll Hospital & Toy Soldier Shop, on 12 Mile Rd. in Berkley. 543-3115 Mon.-Sat., 10-5, Fri., 10-8

705 Wearing Apparel

WEDDING DRESS: Size 11/12. New white, open back, long sleeves, $300. Call evenings. 261-5783

706 Garage Sales: Oakland

MILFORD: MOVING SALE! Feb. 8th, 10 to 4pm. 3283 E. Ravenwood Dr. Dishes, glassware, books, electronics, odds & ends.

707 Garage Sales: Wayne

DETROIT-Shop, household & baby items. Misc., etc. Feb. 9-10. 10am-5pm. 17061 E. Rich, turn N. on 8 or Southfield Freeway.

WESTLAND - Fri & Sat. 9 till ?. 28932 Marshfield, London Townhouses. Estate odds & ends sale.

708 Household Goods Oakland County

ALMOND LACQUER entertainment center 1990. Coffee table $75. Art work $20-$100. 344-8581

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DECORATIVE ANTIQUES

SAT., FEB. 9 - 10-4

SAT. 8-4, SUN. 10-4 (St. #'s ok).

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Antique & Modern Doll & Teddybear restoration in our 40th year of furnishing.

Doll appraisels: wigs, shoes, clothes, doll trunks, buggies, strollers, display cases & more.

A large selection of antique dolls plus current & discontinued Madame Alexander dolls. Also beautiful dolls for kids & collectors by Corolle, Gotz, Paulina, Effanbee, Lee Middleton, Zook, Sabine Esch, Annette Himstedt, Hildegard Gunzel & more!

730 Sporting Goods

CAMEL TENT, 9 X 12, sleeps 7 people. $200. 427-2301

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NAUTILUS at Home abdominal machine, $600 new, excellent condition. Best offer. 851-2979

ROSSI, 38 Special, 4" barrel, stainless, adjustable sights - New; $186. Permit required. After 6. 347-3757

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ALBUMS - 45's, Old comics, cards, magazines, models, toys, Motown, Elvis, Beatles items. Eves. 284-1251

BASEBALL, football, hockey, basketball cards. Any sports memorabilia. Top cash. Will travel. 477-2580

MIG, TIG or engine driven welder, acetalene outfit, shop machinery, woodworking tools. 482-2280

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TOY TRAINS WANTED - Lionel & American Flyer, any age, condition & quantity. Also model cars & airplanes.

WANTED-Antlers, horns, also hides (smooth or hair on). Reasonable for student. Weekend area. 375-5221

WANTED: Old fishing lures, decoys & wooden tackle boxes. days 471-7867, after 6pm, 669-9857

738 Household Pets

AKC black miniature poodles, 6 weeks, championship lines, call after 5pm or weekends 427-7879

AKC DACHSHUND pups, mini/longhair, home raised, shots. 673-0336

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DACHSHUNDS or SCHNAUZERS
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Bob Allored 522-9380

AKC registered collie, 1½ years, female, needs a good home. After 6pm 348-2373

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BEAGLE 1½ yr. old female, good rabbit dog, $100. 534-8719

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CAT-Classic long haired Calico, playful 1 year old. Spayed, shots, strictly indoors. Animal Lover League 826-9254

CHOW-CHOW Pups - grand champion line, AKC, 5 weeks, red & black. $350. 532-4474

COCKER SPANIEL male, 1 year, AKC, all shots, housebroken. $125. 420-5073

DASCHUND puppies - miniature, smooth, home-raised. $225 & up. 453-1215

DOBERMAN PUPS, AKC, black & rust, 7 weeks, tails & dew claws. 326-0960

DOGS (2) to a good home. Great Dane/Shepherd mix, neutered male, 4 yrs old. Spitz mix, spayed female, 8 yrs old. Good with kids. 478-2802

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FISH TANKS (2), 50 & 60 gallons. Call 356-6336

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GOLDEN RETRIEVER puppies - AKC/CH'A champion bloodlines, 6 weeks old, $450. 348-1546

GOLDEN RETRIEVER mix, 3 yrs. old, neutered male, needs a good loving home. 647-7816

GOLDEN RETRIEVER Puppies - AKC registered, OFA certified, champion bred, shots & wormed, a must see! 661-2313

GOLDEN RETRIEVER pups, AKC, champion blood lines, shots & wormed. Guaranteed. 629-8100

GRAY & WHITE cat, male, 8 mos. old. All shots and wonderful personality. 855-4136

AKC YELLOW/Chocolate Labs; Dew claws, shots, wormed. Born 1/1/91. $250 - $325. 781-2629

LAB PUPS - AKC/UKC Black, shots, dew claws, $160/$190. Visit both parents, 7 weeks. 356-8195

LABRADORS - AKC, chocolate, black, yellow, champion bloodline, first shots, wormed, Vet checked. Available after Feb 14th. 421-0603

LESLIE, Tone Cabinet, model #145, Elks portable organ, double keyboard, bass pedals, new condition. $1200. 949-5060

LOVEBIRDS: Hand fed, Dutch Blue, 4 mos. old, $85 each. 453-9473
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MINATURE LONG haired Dachshund, 1 yr. old, neutered & housebroken needs good home. 348-5571

MINIATURE PINSCHER, 1 yr. old, neutered, housebroken, needs a good home, Northville 348-3557

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MIXED BREED-Lhasa Apso, 8 weeks old, males & females, $75 each. 525-0638

NEWFOUNDLAND females, AKC, black, needs fenced yard & lots, 7064 $500 797-5312

NEW FOUNDLAND, female, 8 months old, AKC, very intelligent, housebroken. Owner's illness forces sale. $375 or best. 344-4624

ROTTWEILER PUPPIES
9 weeks, AKC, Champion bloodline & stud service. 842-8117

SEALPOINT SIAMESE Applehead kittens, 2 females left, $150. Eves. & weekends 853-0120

SHAR PEI puppies, 6 male, 1 female, 6 weeks old, fawn and table. 278-8519

SHEPARD BEAGLE Mix - 15 lbs. 4 month old male. Housebroken, bad checked & all shots. 478-8318

SHIH TSU PUPS, male 3 months 1/2 pounds, female 6 months 3½ pounds. Pics of litters. $300. 517-423-1248

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SIBERIAN HUSKY puppies, AKC, gray, white, tan type toys. Guaranteed. Shots. All colors. 453-6939 or 453-3671

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DODGE 1979 Ram Charger, $750, over $600 in new parts. For more info 459-9812
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FORD F150 XLT 1986 Automatic, cruise, custom cab, one owner, extras, $7995
Hines Park Lincoln-Mercury
453-2424 ext.400

FORD F150, 1989 Club Cab - V8 over-drive, automatic, stereo, trailer package, 6½ ft. box & camper shell, 35,000 mi., excellent condition. 422-9396

FORD F250 1974 - Colorado truck, 460 automatic, new tires, runs good, $2500/best. 547-8417

FORD RANGER, 1984 - With cap, 4 cyl., low mileage, $2400 or best offer. Call after 6pm. 422-5766

FORD Ranger, 1990 XLT - 5 speed, air, AM/FM cassette, aluminum wheels, less than 5,000 mi. $7900. Days 559-8800, eves. 981-3872

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FORD, 1988 F250, real good condition, nice tires, chrome wheels, extra tires & rims, 4 new wheels, 7-48" tires, chrome. $3800. 383-3977

FORD 1984 - F150, 351 V8, no rust, Texas truck, looks sharp, excellent condition. $4950. 255-1991

FORD 1984 F250, 460 V8, automatic, excellent condition, $4000. 533-1127

FORD 1985 Ranger 4x4, V6 with 5 speed, long bed with bedliner, Ziebert, new tires, stereo. Priced Excellent condition. Best offer over $4,000. Eves. 332-2628

FORD 1977, F-350, 8 cylinder- 5 speed 12 ft. aluminum box, newer motor, transmission, etc. Very good condition. $3250 477-3432

FORD 1985 F150, 6 cylinder, 3 speed overdrive, cap, excellent condition $4,100 698-8554

FORD 1985 F150 - 6 cylinder, xlcn, 89,000 miles in excellent mechanical shape, very little rust. $3,500 or best. 887-5187

FORD 1987 Bronco II, XLT 4x4, 50,000 miles, excellent condition, no rust, new tires. $9000. 455-9309

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FORD 1987 Ranger, 2 wheel drive, 5 speed, $5,000 or best offer. Warranty included. After 7pm 464-3151

FORD 1988 F150, damaged front-end, $4000 or best offer. Leave message 455-4985

FORD, 1990, F150 SUPERCAB, loaded, 5 speed, $12,900. 348-4917

FORD, 1990 F250 Heavy duty, 4x4, custom, 351, automatic, bedliner, new condition, $14,700. 732-2596

GLASSTITE truck cap, 1 year old, full size, black. $500. 537-8045

GMC 1978 PICKUP: Heavy ½ ton, 3 speed, 6 cylinder, runs good $550 or best. After 5pm 722-7735

GMC, 1987 S-15, extended cab, 2.8 V-6, 5 speed, power locks, pickup pkg., rally wheels, gage pkg., sliding rear window, cap, Goodyear tires, super pkg., tilt, 29,600 miles, $7,500. 474-0521

GMC 1987 3500 series, V-8, automatic, dually. $6,500
VILLAGE FORD
LOT 2 278-8700

GMC 1988 S15 Jimmy, 4x4, 5.7/automatic, 30000 miles, $9100 or best. Call days, 478-2400, evenings 478-2400

MAZDA 1986 B2000 pickup, 5 speed, red with matching cab, bedliner, excellent condition. $3,100 Call after 5pm 739-0563

NISSAN, 1989, pick up truck, power steering & brakes, AM/FM cassette, stereo, Farmington Hills $8,100 or best offer. 764-8921

NISSAN, 1990 - Hard body 4x2 - 5 speed, air, extras, $8900. Call after 5pm 363-6621

RANGER 1985 XLT pickup, like new, new tires, $3,475. Phone: 348-1069
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RANGER 1988 - runs good, body OK, 40,000 miles, $3300. Ask for Mitch. 255-4200

RANGER, 1989, STX, 4 X 4, club cab, loaded, $15,000. Call after 4 PM. 522-8631

SILVERADO, 1989, ½ ton. Like new. Must sell. Will deal. 624-1129

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TOYOTA 1988 SR5 4x4 Pickup, 5 speed, 22R-E, 4 cylinder, air, AM/FM cassette, 4 wheel drive, automatic, air, cassette, engine rebuilt, excellent condition. $3300. 420-4082

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822 Vans

AEROSTAR XLT 1989 Extra loaded, auto/trans O/D transmission, rear air, 19,900 miles, original stick, $18,645. Sale $10,444.

LOU LaRICHE CHEVY/SUBARU
Plymouth Rd. - Just West of I-275
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AEROSTAR 1986 XLT, 60,000 miles, excellent condition, loaded, new tires, $6,750. 464-9607

AEROSTAR- 1987 XLT. New tires, 58,000 miles, excellent condition, warranty. $6,000. 569-5273

AEROSTAR 1987, Excellent condition, 1 owner, air, am fm, $5900. 932-3798

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AEROSTAR 1989 XL - 7 passenger, $9995
Hines Park Lincoln-Mercury
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1988
3 To choose from, fully equipped, priced to sell.

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ASTRO, 1986, Loaded, 65,000 miles, $45,500. Excellent condition. 522-8511

ASTRO, 1989 - 8 passenger, lots of extras. $10,500. 851-9078 669-2800

ASTRO 1990 Conversion Van. Loaded. Black/gray with burgundy interior. 4 captains chairs, 1 bench seat, custom wheels, running boards, Vortec 4.3L motor, V-6, automatic, only 9000 miles. Mechanic's special for 453-4600 ext. 4256 313-981-4737

CHEVY FULL SIZE VAN 1986 Conversion. Loaded, real clean, priced to sell.

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CHEVY 1984 conversion van. Full power, dual air conditioning & heat. Runs good, new tires & brakes. Local Ex-m & out. Low mileage, must sell. $5700. 537-0890

823 Vans

CARAVAN, 1985, LE, 7 passenger, luggage rack, loaded, new tires/luggage rack, loaded, new tires/brakes, phone. Mint $6500 351-1657

CLUBWAGON 1987 XLT loaded, $6,995
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DODGE B200, 1980 - 6 cylinder automatic. Good condition. $900. 476-1087

DODGE CARAVAN 1986 LE Mini Van. Loaded! 7 passenger, 5 door, 69,000 miles. $4,995. 553-2252

DODGE, 1979 Maxi Van. Runs Good! New parts. Tires 80%. Extras! $800. 422-4082

DODGE 1985 - van, 250, 318 engine, runs good, excellent work van. $1800. After 4pm 261-5561

DODGE, 1987, Caravan SE, 5 passenger, excellent condition, Lots of options $6,750. After 5pm, 255-5422

FORD AEROSTAR 1989 - excellent, 1 owner, clean, inked to move, less than 64,000 miles, $10,500/best. 348-1418

FORD, 1977 Cube Van, dual wheels in rear, runs great, automatic, V-8, $850/best. 388-7999

FORD, 1981 6 cylinder automatic, runs and drives excellent. $800 or best offer 453-2445 eves. 477-7889

FORD 1985 XLT Club Wagon, 7 passenger, 351 c.i., automatic, dual-air, loaded, clean, excellent condition! 37,000 miles, $6495. 459-2929

FORD-1986, Get-A-Way van, sleeps 4, stove, refrigerator, sink, fully outfitted, $12,500/offer. 427-8261

FORD-1987, XLT Club Wagon, Blue/white. Excellent condition. Loaded. New tires. $6,700. 641-9205

FORD 1989 E250, V8, air, cruise, windows/locks, 100,000 miles, warranty. $7500. 348-3403

FORD 1989 E250 cargo, v8, automatic overdrive, power steering/brakes, stereo, 18,400 mi., excellent $10,500/best offer. 453-0883

GMC SAFARI, 1990, SLE. Full power, air, cruise, tilt, loaded. $17,000. 471-0742

GMC 1990 SAFARI 1988 SE. 7 passenger, V-8, air. Very Clean! $7,995. 395-2477

PLYMOUTH 1987 Voyager LE, loaded, mint condition, $8,300 or best offer. Call after 5pm 478-7025

VOYAGER 1985 LE mini van, automatic, V-6, air, power locks & windows, cruise, tilt, AM/FM cassette, 7 passenger, 105,000 mi., 1 owner, $4,500. 476-5164 after 5pm

VOYAGER 1985 LE, low mileage, excellent condition, must sell, $6,900 or best offer. 474-5614

VOYAGER 1987 LE, loaded, like new, 47,000 miles, must see, only $7,500. 476-1148

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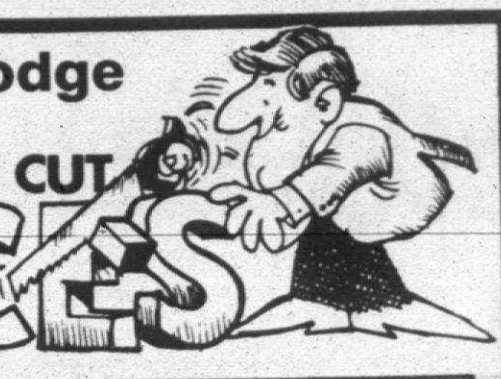
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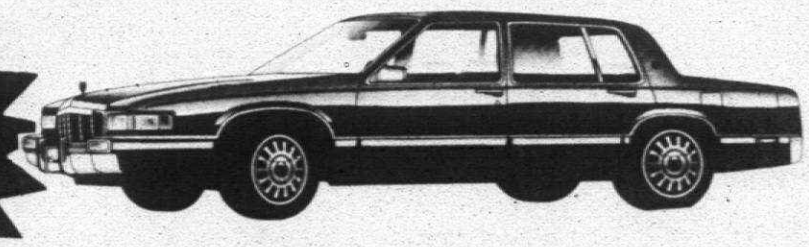
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Rocks accomplish 3- peat in WLAA

By Dan O'Meara
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This was supposed to be the year any number of teams had a chance to win the Western Lakes Activities Association wrestling championship, but the 1991 results look a lot like those of previous years.

The WLAA had a familiar winner Saturday when Plymouth Salem won its third consecutive title and eighth in the last nine years, easily taking first place in the annual tournament at Westland John Glenn.

"They've been the power in the league, and they still are the power in the league," Franklin coach Ken Meinschein said.

The Rocks, with three individual champions, three runners-up and four others who placed among the top six at their weights, racked up 192½ points. The defending champs were expected to be challenged by a handful of teams, but the closest was Walled Lake Western with 126 points.

Livonia Franklin (114) and Walled Lake Central (109) provided a pair of surprises, finishing third and fourth, respectively. The first division included Farmington (105) and Northville (98).

"OUR KIDS just went through it and came out where they were supposed to, and the rest of the teams took turns beating each other up," Salem coach Ron Krueger said, refering to how well his wrestlers held or improved upon their seed positions.

The successful tournament was the culmination of a heretofore disrupted season in which the Rocks had to deal with an assortment of injuries. Everything came together for Salem at the right time, however.

"We were without half our team for three quarters of the year," Krueger said. "Then we started to get one back, two back, three back. We knew how many points we were missing at every tournament and how much it was hurting us. All we could do was wait for everyone to get back.

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"There was only one we didn't get back, but Phil (Haynes at 160 pounds) stepped in and did a real good job. I don't think he could beat Phil, so I think we're as strong as we could be."

Krueger also was eager to give much of the credit for Salem's success to assistant coaches Larry Fidge, Dave Dameron, Greg Wolchuk and Larry Phillips.

"They're the guys who made it happen," he said. "A lot of times we were frustrated, because we didn't think we were going anywhere (with the injuries). But in the last two weeks everything started to happen for us."

THE ROCKS scored well in the lower weights where they had three winners. Scott Martin won his second straight league championship at 112, and Dan Bonnett claimed the 119 title.

Both upheld their status as No. 1 seeds and won decisions in the finals over longtime rivals Matt Allison of Northville and David Prusinski of Farmington Hills Harrison.

Salem's third champion was 135-pound Jeff Shumate, who made Krueger his No. 1 fan by winning the title after entering the tournament as the No. 3 seed. He defeated second-seeded Chris Brown of Churchill 8-5 in the semifinals and overcame Northville's Brandon Mardossian, the top seed, in the final when the latter had to withdraw during the match because of an injury.

"If Mardossian hadn't gotten hurt, I think Shumate would have pinned him," Krueger said. " He went out after him right away and didn't shut down."

Shumate wrestled the way Krueger has been hoping he would wrestle for some time.

"There's a kid who's gone through more hard times and had the Wrath of Ron on him more than anybody," Krueger said, "and to see him go out there and win the league championship was really nice.

"I'VE BEEN on that boy for two years now, but that's because of the potential I saw in him. Some days he'd go out and beat the best kid around, and other days he'd lose to the worst kid around. But there comes a day when you make the transition and realize what you can do, and I think that has happened to Shumate."

Western also had three champions: Andy Fritz (103), Travis Ilacqua (145) and Todd Hoffmeyer (160). Franklin had one winner in heavyweight Bob Johnson, who pinned Salem's Ken Coker in the final.

"He wrestled the best I've ever seen him wrestle," Meinschein said.

The Patriots were helped by six others who placed. They had a pair of runners-up in Derek Rowland (103) and Eric Holmes (140) and a consolation winner in Brian Whetstone (189). Pat Poisson (145) and Ben Leece (152) were fourth and Brian Poisson (171) fifth.

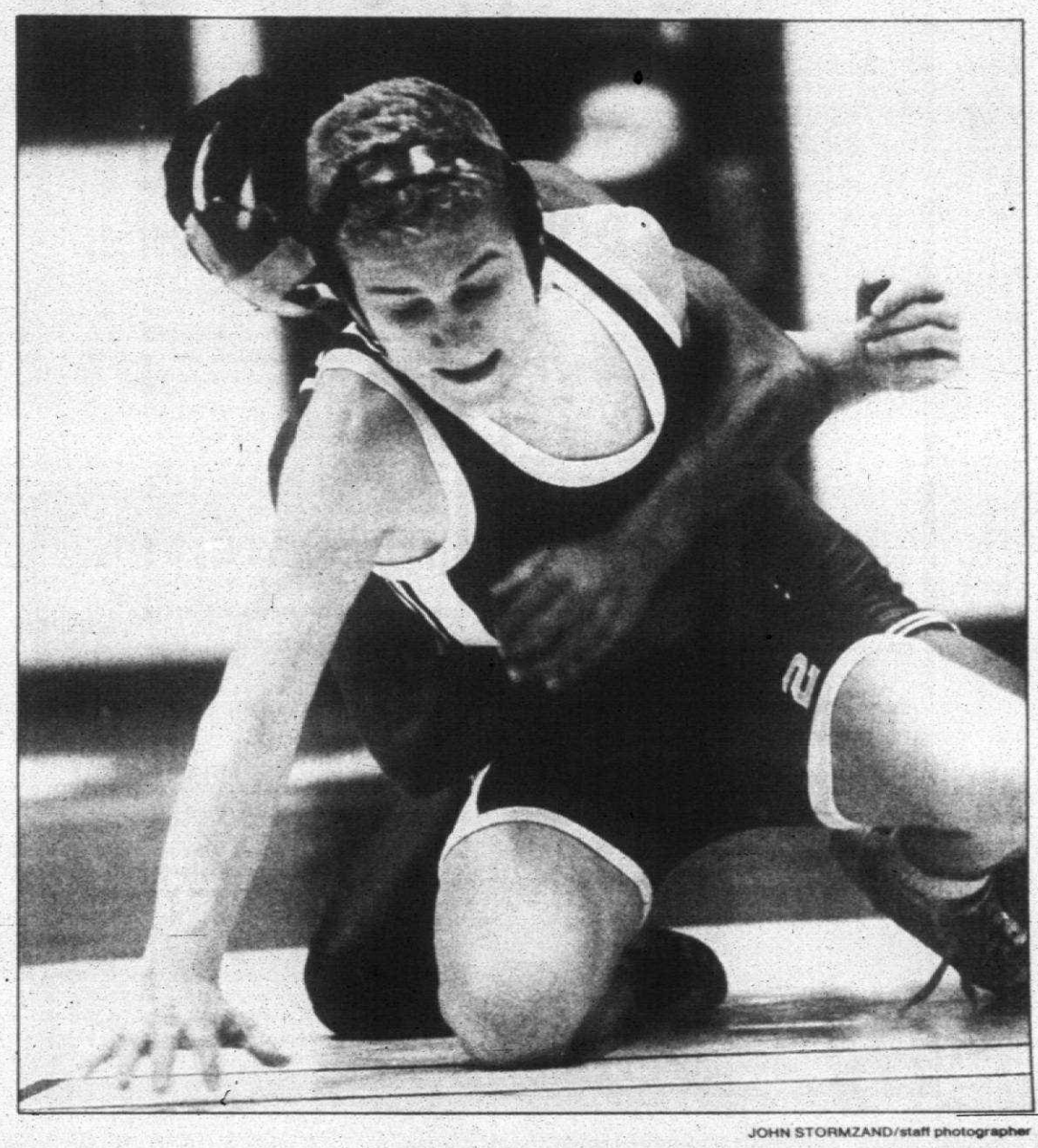
"I'm not really surprised, but it was a pleasant experience," Meinschein said. "They really came on like gangbusters. Many of them are third-year wrestlers, and a lot of them are overachieving. If we do nothing else the rest of the year, I'll be real happy (with what the team already has done)."

Harrison had its best leauge-meet showing and captured two individual championships. Gary Devine (140) edged Holmes 4-3 in the final, and Todd Lytwyniuk (189) won decisions all the way through, including a 6-3 win over Salem's Wade Langdon to finish the tournament.

SCHOOLS WITH single winners were Stevenson, Ryan Carriere, 125; Sean Rock, Central, 130; Mike Reeves, Glenn, 152; and George Young, Canton, 171.

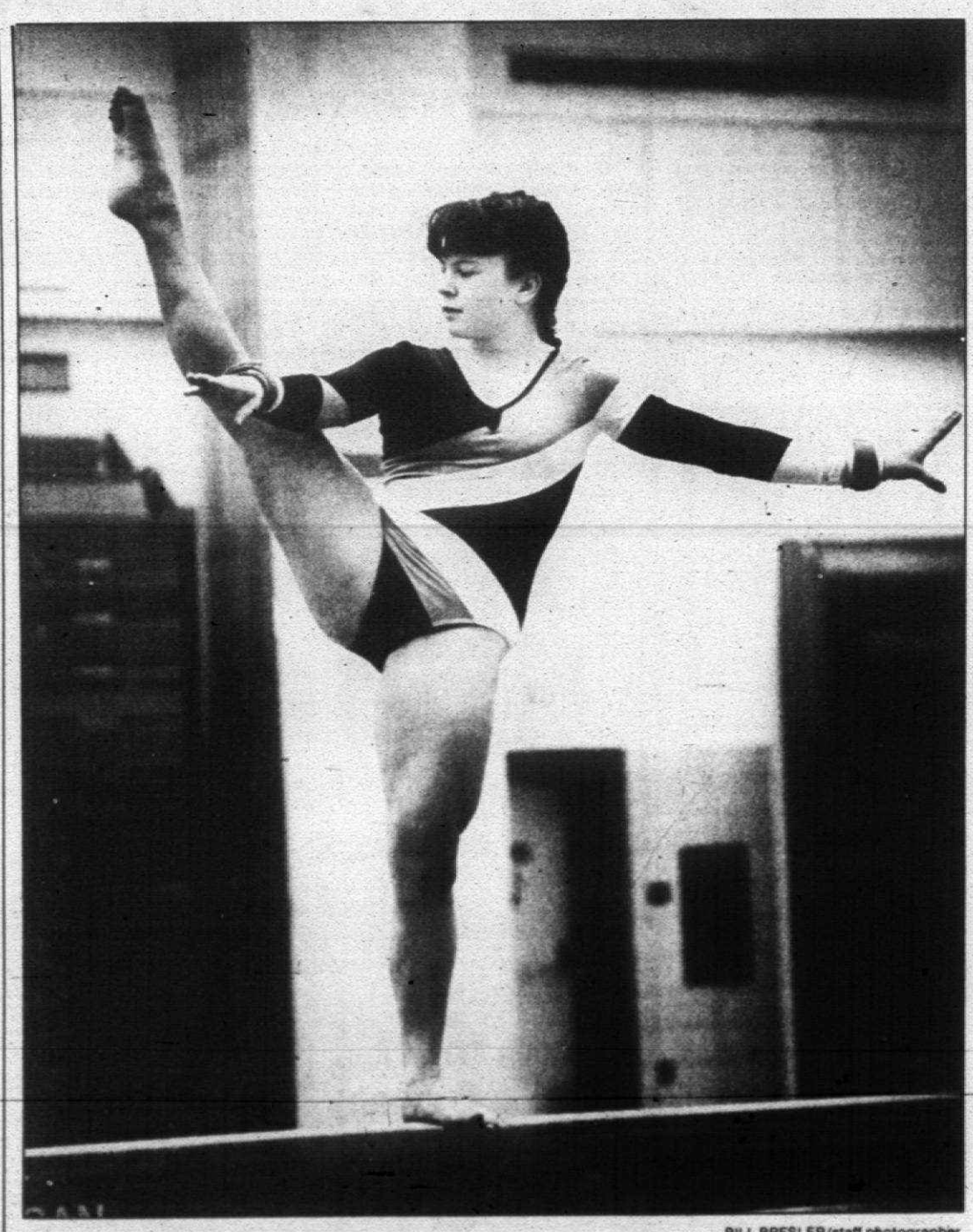
In addition to Coker and Langdon, Salem's Charlie Apigian was second at 171. John Moran (103) finished

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Scott Martin of Salem won his second WLAA wrestling title, finishing first in the 112-pound division and helping the Rocks win a third straight championship.

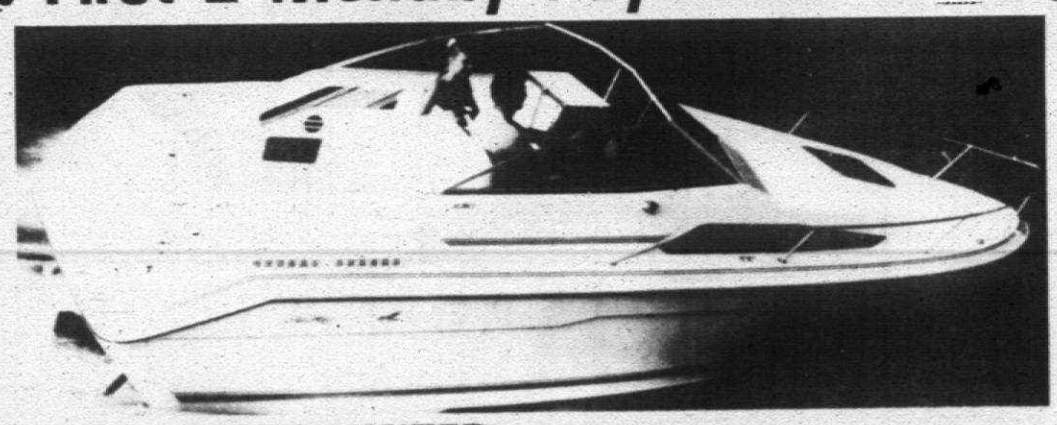


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Salem success

Sophomore Kim Miller won the all-around championship Saturday to lead her Plymouth Salem gymnastics team to the championship of the annual Plymouth Invitational. Miller had an overall score of 36.75. Plymouth Canton was the runner-up team. See story on Page 2D.

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Salem, Canton top teams at invite

By Dan O'Meara
staff writer

In winning the Plymouth Invitational, the Plymouth Salem gymnasts couldn't help thinking ahead one month to the state championships.

The Rocks won't see No. 1-rated Muskegon Mona Shores again until that meet, but their impressiver showing Saturday offered some encouragement as they anticipate a rematch.

Salem, ranked No. 2 in the state, won the invitational by a substantial margin over runner-up Plymouth Canton when it scored a school record 144.60, just .20 under the state-record 144.80 Mona Shores achieved three weeks ago in the Midland Invitational.

"If they'd been there, who knows what would have happened," said Salem coach Kathi Kinsella of the Sailors. "This proves to (the Salem girls) they can psyche themselves up to beat a team like Mona Shores.

"But we're only going to see them once and that's when it counts. It's all going to come down to the state meet. We're looking good and I don't think we've peaked yet."

WESTERN LAKES Activities Association teams made a solid showing with Plymouth Canton finishing second and North Farmington third. The No. 3-rated Chiefs scored 138.95, and the (ninth-ranked) Raiders had their best performance of the season with a 133.65.

"When you're second out of 18 teams — seven of them ranked — how can you complain," Canton coach John Cunningham said. "Considering the condition we came into the meet, we actually did better than I expected.

"Performance wise I can't fault the mistakes we made because they were trying so hard. Some of my kids were sick, but I think the adrenaline overtook all the illness."

North, historically the WLAA power, has labored in the shadow of Salem and Canton this year, but coach Jeff Dwyer was pleased with his team's high finish.

"Our goal was to get in the top five," he said. "It was our best score of the year, and it was in a big meet where there was a lot more pressure. I thought it was good to see that, and we are very happy with the outcome."

The Salem-Canton point differential is reflected by what the teams did on the uneven bars and in floor exercise. In winning those events, the Rocks outscored Canton 36.70-34.05 on bars and 37.20-34.80 on floor.

"THOSE TWO events were the difference between winning and losing," Cunningham said. "They had a good meet and we had a good met. If that happens, I'm going to lose."

Salem performed first on beam and scored 33.75, but the Chiefs later compiled a winning total of 34.10. Stacey Kamar of ninth-place Troy Athens won the event (8.9), but Canton had four in the top 10. Heather Murphy was fifth, Dawn Clifford sixth, Johanna Anderson eighth and Kim Rennolds 10th. Salem's Kim Miller was fourth.

"We're improving all the time and still showing room for improvement," Cunningham said. "Even though they had a nice beam and they hit, they're going to get better."

"Going first on beam was a bummer, but then everyone felt free and was glad to get it out of the way," Kinsella said. "Like the boss says, sometimes you have to turn a disadvantage into an advantage."

The Rocks were less than a point ahead of Canton (36.95-36.00) after vault, but Salem had an overwhelming performance on bars, surpassing what the Chiefs did on beam.

Salem's Alysia Sofios (9.60), Courtney Gonyea (9.20) and Miller (9.05) captured the top three places, helping the Rocks gain 2.65 points on Canton. Salem had eight in top seven with Sarah Makins scoring 8.85.

"WE HAVE good bars and they were far ahead of us," Cunningham said. "They were that good. Kim (Miller) had a fall and still had a 9.05. Laura Anderson (of Canton) was 15th at 8.65, and that is a good bars score."

Canton edged the Rocks for first place on beam, but Salem was just as dominant on floor as it was on bars, putting five gymnasts in the top 10. Miller was first (9.5), Gonyea second (9.4), Sofios third (9.3), Autumn Bunch seventh (9.0) and Makins 10th (8.9). Rennolds was sixth for Canton (9.05).

"My girls love floor," Kinsella said. "They can go out there and sell it. We're working on not being shy. When they know they're doing well, they can jam. They feel good about themselves and what they're doing."

"I would have expected it to be closer on floor," Cunningham said. "I have six good floors, three with falls. They should beat us but not by that much.

"Their second event was floor, which may have meant they were a little stronger, but they started on beam which is a disadvantage and overcame that like it was nothing."

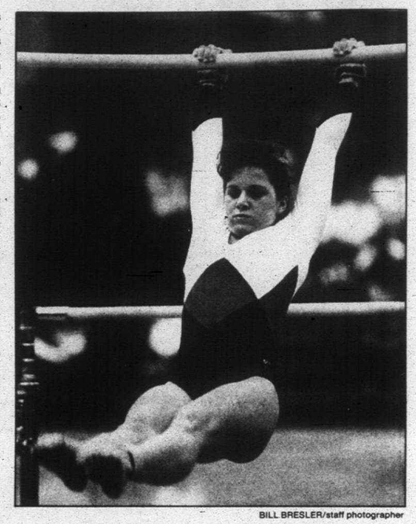
Miller was the all-around champion with a 36.75 score. She also took second on vault and fourth on beam. Her bars routine included a new trick in which she does a front flip to recatch the same bar.

"SHE HAD A bad (dual) meet against North (Farmington) but came in with her head in the right place and was ready to jam," Kinsella said.

"Kim was not pleased about missing her new routine on bars, but the thing is she threw it and now it's going to get better. Perhaps her performance would have been better if we had bars first and she had thrown her new trick and gotten it out of the way."

Sofios, a freshman, was second and one 10th behind in the all-around scoring at 36.65, and North's Heather Kahn capped an outstanding meet by placing third in the all-around at 36.45. Gonyea was fourth (36.20), Rennolds, who set a school record with her 9.4 on vault, fifth (35.40) and Kamar sixth (34.95).

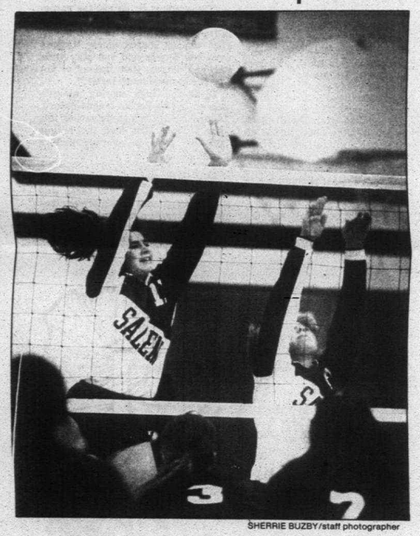
"Alysia thrives on the big competition," Kinsella said. "I don't know if it's the crowd, the equipment or the other gymnasts, but she thrives on it. She never lets her nerves get out of hand. She calms herself down, and that's rare in a young gymnast."



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Johanna Anderson of Canton was eighth in all-around competition with a 34.60 total in the Plymouth Invitational. Teammate Kim Rennolds was fifth.

Canton dumps Patriots in volleyball



SHERRIE BUZBY/staff photographer

Shelby Carey of Salem (left) attempts to block a Farmington spike. The Rocks lost the match in five games.

Plymouth Canton demonstrated its resiliency on the volleyball court Monday, coming from behind twice to defeat visiting Livonia Franklin in four games.

The Chiefs were immediately on the defensive upon losing the first game 14-16. They won the next one 15-7 but faced a 3-12 deficit in the third game. Canton regrouped to win that contest 15-13, however, and the following one 15-5.

"I think we had a little trouble keeping our intensity throughout the match," Canton coach Jacqueline Getz said.

Nonetheless, the Chiefs received fine play from a number of individuals to improve to 3-3 in the Western Lakes Activities Association and 3-5 overall.

"Jori Welchans came in and was a real sparkplug," Getz said. "She had some real nice digs and also played a nice front row.

"Lorena Sanford was real consistent in the back row as usual, and we had good net play, which forced them to roll, tip or offspeed the ball instead of spiking."

Stephanie Gray slammed six kills and made five blocks for Canton. Heidi Klaes, who has been on the varsity for two weeks after beginning the year on the JV team, added three kills and three blocks.

Jenny Davis, playing with an injured ankle, started the match playing all positions in the first two games but concentrated on the front row, giving way to Renee Dory in the back row for the last two. Davis had two kills.

"Renee is a good back-row player," Getz said. "She talks a lot and helps the other players, reminding them to cover their hitters. She's a real good communicator, and that's what we need out there."

Cindy Granger served 19 points, including four aces, for the Chiefs. Alison Phillips added two aces, and Sanford also did a nice job serving, Getz said.

"Now we're making our serves a little tougher to return," she said. "At the start of the year, we were being real conservative and just getting the ball over. Now we're serving floaters, balls with top spin that just drop."

PLYMOUTH SALEM endured another difficult defeat Monday. The Rocks have experienced their share of heartbreak in five-game matches lately, and Farmington handed them another such setback.

The Falcons won the second, third and fifth games, 15-13; 15-10 and 15-11, Salem the first and fourth, 16-14 and 15-11.

The Rocks are 2-4 in the Lakes Division, 4-4 in the WLAA and 6-8-3 overall.

Salem made 21 serving errors and was 70 percent effective on attack reception. Andrea Welling had 18 kills, Amy Krajewski 16, Shelby Carey and Julie Thomas 11 apiece. Thomas also was 23-of-23 on serve reception.

"Besides that, we didn't play well," Salem co-coach Allie Suffety said. "We weren't anticipating well and weren't moving well on defense. We were making all the errors on our side of the net instead of allowing Farmington to play the ball."

Rennolds paces Chiefs to victory

gymnastics

Kim Rennolds won three events Tuesday as Plymouth Canton increased its unbeaten record to 6-0 in gymnastics dual meets.

The Chiefs scored 133.75 at Canton and visiting Farmington 104.60.

Rennolds achieved scores of 9.2 on vault, 8.3 on balance beam and 9.2 on floor exercise. She was runner-up on bars to teammate Laura Anderson, who scored 8.6 and Rennolds 8.25.

Rennolds had the best all-around score at 34.95, and teammate Johanna Anderson was next at 33.70. Anderson placed second on vault (9.0), fourth on bars (8.05), third on beam (8.05) and second on floor (8.6).

"We used it as a qualifying meet," Canton coach John Cunningham said, adding the Chiefs have at least six gymnasts qualified for the regional in every event. "At this stage, I'm very pleased with where we stand.

"IN TERMS of team score, I think we can do a lot better, but I thought the performances were good. The judges were fair but low. The judges helped us with some problems we have with scores, so we're going to be even better."

Canton's Jenny Tedesco was third on bars (8.10) and floor (8.25) and fifth on vault (8.25). Heather Murphy placed third on vault (8.4) and fifth on bars (7.60).

Also finishing in the top five on beam for Canton were Cara Stillings, second (8.20); Adrienne Brenner, fourth (7.45); and Danielle Mirto, fifth (7.40). In addition to those performances, Kathy Tiffin was fifth on floor (7.85).

Farmington's Nicole Gerwatowski scored 29.40 in all-around competition and teammate Sheri Ylitalo 28.85. Gerwatowski was fourth on floor (7.95) and sixth on bars (7.35). Ylitalo's best performance was on vault where she was fourth (8.35).

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Southgate gets best of CC again

By Ray Setlock
staff writer

hockey

Southgate Anderson was supposed to be the doormat of the Michigan Metro Hockey League.

With the graduation of nine seniors, coach Al Bevill said all he could hope for was a good effort from his players.

The effort paid off Tuesday. The Titans handed visiting Redford Catholic Central a 5-2 loss at the Southgate Civic Arena.

"A lot of people were picking us to be last in the league," Bevill said. "I guess we're playing better than most people thought we would."

Anderson improves to 12-3-1 overall and 8-1-1 in the league. The Shamrocks are 10-5-1 overall and 5-3-1 in the league. It was their second loss to the Titans this season; CC lost to them in Redford Ice Arena Jan. 12.

CC scored the only goal of the first period when junior forward Paul Schloss slid the puck past Anderson goalie Phil Toth. Senior forward Jesse Hubenschmidt and sophomore forward Bill Baaki drew assists.

THE TITANS had several chances to score in the opening period, but CC goalie Mike Brusseau was impenetrable, stopping eight shots.

"Mike was tough in that first period," CC coach John Gumbleton said. "He was sharp when he had to be. Many of their shots were great scoring chances."

Anderson shifted its gears to offense in the second period, tallying three goals.

Junior forward Shawn Page took advantage of a power play and tied the game at the 5:21 mark, junior forward Vic Filiecia got loose for a short-handed goal at the 10:54 mark and senior forward Scott Wright scored the eventual game-winner at the 12:32 mark.

"They were everywhere," Brusseau said. "Our defense did everything they could. Southgate just played real good hockey."

One of CC's downfalls was not being able to get the puck out of its own zone.

"WE WERE all bottled up in our own end," CC forward Tom Vaquera said. "If you do that long enough, they are going to score."

Anderson took a 4-1 lead early in the period when junior forward Jay Prato scored a short-handed goal.

CC cut the margin to 4-2 midway through the final period on a slapshot by sophomore defenseman Mike Kasper.

Filiecia scored his second goal of the night with just under two minutes remaining to secure the win for the Titans.

"I don't think we played with the kind of intensity that we needed," Gumbleton said. "Their goalie played well and that really helped them."

CC outshot the Titans 31-27.

ON SATURDAY, Brusseau made 23 saves en route to 4-0 CC shutout victory over Ann Arbor Pioneer in a game played at the Redford Ice Arena.

After a scoreless first period, Hubenschmidt broke the ice at 2:38 on an unassisted effort. Baaki then scored from Hubenschmidt and Schloss at 4:58 to make it 2-0.

In the third period, Schloss scored from Baaki at 9:23 and Vaquera tallied CC's final goal at 13:28 from Mark Lorelli.

"We played three good, hard periods and that was the difference," CC assistant coach Ron Repicky said. "We had three penalties to their seven, but they had six before we got our first one. When you can keep everyone on the ice, it makes a big difference.

CC matmen win title

Redford Catholic Central claimed the Catholic League wrestling title Saturday at Harper Woods Notre Dame.

The Shamrocks scored 206.5 points in the meet to extend their streak to 11 titles in the last 13 seasons.

Birmingham Brother Rice finished second with 141.5 points. Southgate Aquinas was third with 121, followed by Dearborn Divine Child (118), Orchard Lake St. Mary's (68), Ann Arbor Gabriel Richard (57), Harper Woods Notre Dame (53.5), Madison Heights Bishop Foley (26), Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes (25) and Pontiac Oakland Catholic (16).

CC's Rusty Fowler, who won the 119-pound division, received the best pins award by pinning all of his opponents in a total of 141 seconds. He won his weight division title with a pin in 1:19.

Other CC champions were Rob Sylvester, who defeated Kevin Heidisch of OLSM in the heavyweight division by injury default; Mario Sciciuna, in the 103-pound division; and Stephen Sucher, who won the 135 division on a 6-4 decision in overtime.

The Shamrocks' Dan Reiple (145) lost in the finals by an 11-5 count; Jason Krueger (160) was beaten 16-6 in the championship match; Dan Kelly (171) fell to Rice's Brian Alessi 6-4 in the final; and Dan Suhajea (189) was pinned by Rice's John McGuire in 3:36 of his title match.

OLSM's Shane Cousineau won the 125-pound division with a 9-6 decision.

Rocks 3-peat in WLAA

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third, Jeff Coleman (140) fourth and Haynes (160) and Chad Wilson (125) fifth.

Langdon was seeded seventh and finished second, beating the Nos. 2 and 3 seeds and giving top-seeded Lytwyniuk a tussle in the final.

"All year he's been getting beat by a lot of these kids, and he turned around and beat them Saturday," Krueger said. "Wade was a total surprise, probably the biggest surprise of the day."

Krueger flip-flopped Apigian and Haynes, moving the veteran Apigian up to 171 and Haynes down to 160. Haynes was seeded No. 8 and placed fifth, and Apigian held his seed.

"I figured it would be better for both," Krueger said. "As it worked out, it was. We got a lot more points that way."

Salem began the season with a young team but is fast becoming a seasoned squad, which has Krueger thinking positively about next season.

Sarcevich accepts Hawaii offer

By Steve Kowalski
staff writer

football

AREA GRID SIGNINGS

University of Michigan: Jason Carr, quarterback, Redford Catholic Central.
Northwestern University: Todd Pawlowski, linebacker/tight end, North Farmington; Anthony Hood, running back, Redford Bishop Borgess.
Central Michigan University: Mike Grimes, tight end, Redford Catholic Central.
Eastern Michigan University: Brian Chaney, defensive end, Redford Catholic Central.
Hawaii: Blazo Sarcevich, linebacker, Farmington Hills Harrison.
Northwood Institute: Gary Gurgold, lineman, Redford Catholic Central.
Ferris State: Mike Brooks, running back/defensive back, Livonia Churchill.
Grand Valley State: Jeff Kubik, linebacker, Walled Lake Western.

Instead of saying good bye, Blazo Sarcevich might as well say "aloha," later on this summer when he heads for college.

Sarcevich, Farmington Hills Harrison's all-time leading tackler, signed a national letter of intent Wednesday with the University of Hawaii.

Sarcevich chose Hawaii after making an official visit to the islands over the weekend. The 6-foot-3, 235-pound inside linebacker turned down a scholarship offer to Central Michigan and also considered the University of Arizona.

Arizona had asked Sarcevich to visit last weekend, without the guarantee of a scholarship.

"ON MY WAY (to Hawaii) I decided that if I liked the visit I was going to pick Hawaii," Sarcevich said. "I liked pretty much everything I saw. I know I'm going to miss all my friends but I figured if I go somewhere else, I'm only going to be home over the holidays and during the summer, anyways."

Hawaii, which plays in the Western Athletic Conference, finished the 1990 season at 7-5. The Rainbows play highly regarded Brigham Young every year in the WAC and next year will travel Sept. 7 to the University of Iowa and host Notre Dame in the final game of the year.

That's a bonus, according to Sarcevich, and so is the weather.

"It was 65 degrees in the morning and all the natives were wearing jackets, but I was in my tank top," said Sarcevich. "Other than that it was 85 and sunny every day."

In other recruiting news, Redford Catholic Central quarterback Jason Carr signed with the University of Michigan. Carr's father, Lloyd, is the Wolverines' defensive coordinator.

CARR ALSO visited Hillsdale and canceled a trip to Vanderbilt University. Academic problems have kept CC defensive back/tailback Mike Thomas from signing with the University of Michigan, Michigan State or CMU.

CC defensive end Brian Chaney signed with Eastern Michigan and the Shamrocks tight end Mike Grimes signed with CMU. CC back Arshon Stewart has drawn interest from Ferris State and Bowling Green, but still has to pass his ACT test.

CC linebacker Karl Kowalyk will attend Yale and lineman Gary Gurgold signed with Northwood Institute.

Redford Bishop Borgess tailback Anthony Hood signed with Northwestern, joining North Farmington lineman Todd Pawlowski.

Livonia Churchill back Mike Brooks signed with Ferris State.

ROB SYLVESTER, a CC lineman, will wait until after wrestling season to decide between Yale, Harvard or Hillsdale.

The recruiting season hasn't been the happiest for CC fullback Jon Barbara. The 6-2, 215-pounder visited Bowling Green, Western and Hillsdale, but each school offered scholarships to other players ahead of Barbara. He visited Ferris State Wednesday and will visit St. Joseph's (Ind.) Saturday before making a decision Monday.

"I know I can play Division I," Barbara said Tuesday. "I just didn't get the opportunity. I'll make the best of what is going to happen and play right away. It's just something I've got to get through."

Redford Thurston linebacker Steve Koss has not passed his ACT test and will walk on at either Central, Eastern or Saginaw Valley. Livonia Clarenceville wide receiver Kendrick Harrington will end up at either Saginaw Valley or Northwood Institute, but is taking his ACT test again Saturday.

Sinelli injured but not idle for Turbos

By Steve Kowalski
staff writer



Jeff Sinelli
ready to return

Jeff Sinelli, who nowadays could pass for a tight end, remembers when he considered himself too small to play football at Redford Catholic Central.

"Then one day I picked up lacrosse with my friends and I couldn't put it down," said Sinelli, a 1986 CC graduate.

Wise move.

He has since grown to 6-foot-5, 230 pounds and plays forward for the Detroit Turbos, one of six franchises in the Major Indoor Lacrosse League. Sinelli, who played three years of lacrosse for CC and three more at Michigan State University, is in his second year with the Turbos.

One of the youngest Turbos at age 22, Sinelli has missed all five of Detroit's regular-season games because of a foot injury but plans on returning soon to the Turbos lineup. In the meantime, Sinelli is finding other ways to contribute.

He's been easy to spot on the Turbos bench at Joe Louis Arena, wearing a suit and tie and holding a pen and clipboard while keeping some of the team's statistics. Detroit, which plays Sunday at Philadelphia, is in first place in the National Division with a 4-1 record.

The Turbos have taken an about-face from last year when they were 1-7 overall.

"IT IS AN antsy situation for me," said Sinelli, who as a rookie scored three goals and two assists and played in three of the Turbos eight games last year. "I've built up five games worth of energy and I almost feel like grabbing a stick and playing in my coat and tie.

"But like my coach (Medo Martinello) says, it takes 24 guys to win a championship and right now my job is taking stats. Nothing is assured, but I feel my chances are real good of making an impact once I do get back."

Though considered a professional in his sport, Sinelli still is able to work 40 hours as a manager of Mr. Sports Bar in Redford. Sinelli, who lives in Farmington Hills, is one of only three Turbos who hail from Michigan. Games and practices are held on the weekends, making it easy for the players to commute to and from their hometowns.

Players hold jobs on the side, with one, for example, being a postal worker in Canada, and another an assembler at Ford Motor Co. Sinelli, a recent graduate of MSU, is content for the time at Mr. Sports — before heading back to graduate school, probably next fall.

"I really like it," Sinelli said. "There are flexible hours and it allows me to give a full weekend to playing lacrosse. It's a perfect job."

Lacrosse is North America's oldest sport with origins dating back to the 1400s. Initially labeled the national sport of Canada, the MILL (originally called the Eagle League) was formed in 1987 with teams in Baltimore, New Jersey, Washington, D.C. and Philadelphia.

IN '89, DETROIT and New York joined as expansion teams. Sinelli, who played outdoor lacrosse at both CC and MSU, is still getting used to the indoor game.

He remembers scoring his first goal last year, which came in front of about 14,000 fans at the JLA.

"It was such an emotional high," said Sinelli, who commuted last year to and from the MSU campus to play. "All I could hear was the twine snap from the net and the siren go on. I almost blacked out.

"The game is set up like the game of hockey on artificial turf. I'm still in the learning stage. The ball never goes out of bounds unless it goes over the boards and you play with half the players (five instead of 10) and the game is much faster."

It also is high scoring, as evidenced by the Turbos league-record, 26-goal output in a game earlier this year. The Turbos lead the league with 100 goals, an average of 20 a game.

The nets were widened by six inches this year (to 4½ feet), and that makes Sinelli even more excited about returning to the lineup.

"Three inches on either side is a ball length and that makes it a heck of a lot easier to score," he said.

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Franklin cagers edge Stevenson

By Brad Emons
staff writer

Fresh from its 59-58 basketball upset Friday of state-ranked Plymouth Salem, Livonia Stevenson was brought back down to earth Tuesday.

City rival Franklin walked into the Spartans' gym and came away with a 64-63 triumph.

The Patriots (9-5), however, were fortunate to come away with the win.

Stevenson's Matt Grodzicki, the hero with 19 points in Friday's win over Salem, missed a pair of jump shots in the final three seconds, including a final attempt off an out-of-bounds play at the buzzer.

That occurred after Patriots took a pair of ill-advised shots in the final 1:20, trying to protect a one-point lead while milking the clock.

Ironically, Dave Roman's free throw with 2:32 remaining provided the final margin of victory.

"We lost a tough game to Northville (61-60) on Friday so it was good to be successful this time," Franklin coach Rod Hanna said. "We made some mental mistakes with the ball three times in a row that could have cost us the game. We took some questionable shots. We have to be more disciplined."

FRANKLIN did make free throws for a change — 14 of 19. During the final six minutes the Patriots hit five of seven.

"We've lost four or five games this season because of free throws," Hanna said. "If we could hit 60 percent . . . Tonight was by far our best this year from the line."

Junior point-guard Keith Roberts led the winners with 22 points, while senior center Steve McCool contributed 16. Roman, a senior guard, added 11 and senior forward Steve Stasevich came off the bench to score nine.

Franklin got out quickly in the opening quarter, grabbing a 17-12 lead. The Patriots led 35-29 at intermission after both Roberts and Phil Woods traded two free throws apiece with 1:25 remaining.

"Emotionally we were a little flat, but you can't take anything away from Franklin," Stevenson coach Jim McIntyre said, whose team is 7-6 overall. "They (Franklin) played well, but it was natural for us to have a little letdown.

"The first quarter was not typical of the way we've been playing. We were definitely flat. We were a *half-step* away from the traps and passing lanes."

THE SPARTANS, however, hung tough through the third and fourth quarters.

They tied it three different times in the third, but still trailed 53-50 entering the fourth.

Roberts connected on five straight points to give Franklin a 59-54 advantage with 6:33 to go, but Stevenson came right back, taking its first lead (61-60) since early in the first quarter on basket by Dan Gibbons.

Roman's free throw with 3:44 to go pulled Franklin even at 61-all. Tony Stojov put the Spartans up again at 63-61, converting a pair of his own with 3:22 to play.

McCool's two free throws with 3:11 remaining knotted the count at 63, but then Roman hit his first of his two with 2:32 to play.

Stevenson, going cold down the stretch, squandered a chance to forge ahead, missing the front-end of a one-and-one with just under the one minute-mark.

But Franklin was just as charitable, flipping up a pair of bizarre attempts, including one with 37 ticks left.

Grodzicki launched a shot that went in-and-out with four seconds to play, but Franklin could not corral the rebound as the ball flew out of bounds, giving McIntyre the chance to call another timeout to set up a final-ditch attempt.

"WE WERE LOOKING for Gibbons inside, but it (the ball) went out on the wing," the Stevenson coach said. "We got the shot off. It was there.

"We had more opportunities than we deserved to win it at the end."

Hanna, meanwhile, called a pair of timeouts down the stretch to see what kind of strategy Stevenson was trying to set up.

"We switched our defenses," said the Franklin coach. "We knew we had to take care of Grodzicki because we have respect for him. And then we wanted to make sure and box-out the other four players. We knew he (Grodzicki) was their shooter and their money man."

Grodzicki took the ball near the free throw line on a pass from Stockton, inbounds man.

The 5-foot-11 Grodzicki, despite being sandwiched by a pair of Patriots defenders, got the shot off, only to have it bounce off the rim.

"We gave our kids an ultimatum, 'Don't let them get the ball inside,'" Hanna said. "We were fortunate it worked out"

Stockton paced the Stevenson scoring attack with 15 points. Three others netted double figures including Gibbons (14), Phil Woods (12) and Grodzicki (10).

THE SPARTANS shot only 37 percent from the floor (24 of 64), while Franklin made 23 of 52 (44 percent).

"The shooting was an indicator," McIntyre said. "We've been shooting fairly well, but this is our worst overall as a ballclub. We had golden opportunities in the paint (the key) and we didn't can them."

Chiefs, Rocks rebound with wins

basketball

After a rough week in which Plymouth Canton lost basketball games to two league opponents, the Chiefs rebounded Tuesday with a 70-61 victory over host North Farmington.

All of the Plymouth-Canton teams fared well as Salem routed visiting Livonia Churchill 82-67 and Plymouth Christian Academy got the best of Bloomfield Hills Roeper 61-58.

The Chiefs, 7-2 in the Western Lakes Activities Association and 9-6 overall, rallied from a ~~39-38~~ halftime deficit, outscoring North 18-8 in the third quarter to lead 56-47 entering the fourth quarter.

"We played good man-to-man defense in the second half," Canton coach Dave Van Wagoner said. "Our first-half defense was awful. It was a nice win, coming off a tough week."

The Chiefs, who lost to Salem and Farmington Hills Harrison last week, were stunned by the accurate shooting of North's Chris White in the first half.

White scored 18 points before injuring an ankle in the second quarter and sitting out the second half. He made his first six shots, all from three-point distance.

Canton was led by senior forward Brett Howell, who had 21 points and 10 rebounds. Kevin Holmes, another senior forward, scored 14 points, and sophomore guards Mike Stafford and Derrick McDonald chipped in 13 and 10, respectively. McDonald also had 10 assists.

The Raiders, 3-4 in the league and 4-9 overall, got 16 points from junior guard Jon Sturtz and 13 from senior center Bill Chwalik.

THE ROCKS scored 20 points or more in each quarter as they routed Churchill.

Salem, coming off a loss to Livonia Stevenson, are 7-1 in the league and 12-2 overall. The Chargers dipped to 7-7 for the season.

Senior forward Keith McCants pumped in 15 points to lead PCA, senior forward Rob Askew 13 and junior guard Matt Cronan 10.

The Eagles are 4-1 in the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference and 8-6 overall. Roeper is 2-3 and 6-7.

FARMINGTON HILLS Harrison survived a late, three-point shooting demonstration by host Walled Lake Central to earn a Western Lakes Activities Association basketball victory Tuesday, 74-72.

The Hawks are 6-1 in the league and 11-2 overall. Central is 2-6 and 5-9.

Harrison was ahead by 17 points with six minutes to play when the Vikings began hitting triples. Christian Emert made seven treys and scored a game-high 27 points for Central.

"In the third quarter, we made a lot of good trips down the floor," Harrison coach Mike Teachman said, "and we made a lot of defensive stops."

The Hawks led 55-46 entering the fourth quarter.

"Then the three-point show began. It was a "W" on the road, survival of the fittest."

The Vikings got within 74-71 with four seconds to play. Central missed a free throw opportunity, but Harrison fouled on the rebound.

Chris McFarlane made the front end of the ensuing one-and-one but missed the second on purpose. The Hawks were fouled and also missed their free throw but held on as time expired.

Senior forward Andrew Smith scored 24 points to lead Harrison. Junior guards Dan Hight added 12 points, including six in the fourth quarter, and Joe Sharpe and Ryan Dowd added 15 points apiece for the Vikings.

Vitti makes gains as college player

By Steve Kowalski
staff writer

Bill Vitti spent part of his summer playing basketball at St. Cecilia's gym in Detroit, a place where Magic Johnson and other superstars have been known to congregate.

Vitti didn't face Magic, but he had his hands full with the University of Missouri's 6-foot-10 star Doug Smith.

"He was kind of intimidating, but it was a good experience," said Vitti, a 6-6, 225-pound graduate of Redford Catholic Central, who plays center for Saginaw Valley State University. "I know I'm short for a center, but not too much smaller than most (in the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Conference). The 6-9 guys in our conference are usually not great athletes."

Vitti continues to show improvement as a junior for the Cardinals. Before Thursday's 73-53 loss at Oakland University, he was averaging 11.7 points and leading the team with 10.1 rebounds per game.

ALTHOUGH HE'S still struggling at the free throw line (only 43 percent on 36-84 shooting), Vitti is making a team-high 63 percent (93-148) of his field goal tries.

Vitti has been a hit ever since stepping foot on the SVSU campus two years ago. Named two straight years to the GLIAC's All-Defensive team, Vitti two years ago was the league's "Freshman of the Year."

Vitti, who averaged 10.1 points and 8.5 rebounds per game his first two years with 123 blocked shots, thought about transferring to a Division I school but remains happy with his status at SVSU.

"I thought about it," Vitti said. "But it's such a hassle to start all over again. I fit in real well here."

This is a rebuilding year for Saginaw Valley, which lost a strong senior class, including its second-leading all-time scorer, Herb Schoepke, to graduation.

Thursday's loss was Saginaw Valley's fifth-straight and dropped the Cardinals to 11-11 overall and 4-6 in the GLIAC. With six games left, including two trips to the Upper Peninsula for games with Michigan Tech and Northern Michigan, the Cardinals are trying to make the four-team GLIAC post-season playoffs. Last year, the Cardinals were 15-13 overall and 6-10 in the league.

"I'M HOPING FOR a little better record, but hopefully it will come," Vitti said. "It's a big change from last year, but coach (Robert) Pratt has done a good job, he's trying real hard."

basketball standings

PLYMOUTH-CANTON JUNIOR BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION STANDINGS
(as of Saturday, Feb. 2)

GIRLS A LEAGUE

Lakers	9-2
Pistons	7-4
Celtics	7-4
Sonics	6-5
Pacers	3-8
Kings	1-10

GIRLS B LEAGUE

Suns	7-1
Rockets	7-1
Pistons	6-2
Celtics	6-2
Pacers	4-4
Kings	3-5
Sonics	3-5
Lakers	1-7

Results: Kings 30, Lakers 20; Celtics 28, Pacers 21; Rockets 41, Sonics 26; Pistons 32, Suns 29.

BOYS A LEAGUE

National Division

Hawks	11-2
Bucks	8-5
Spurs	7-6
76ers	6-7
Celtics	5-8
Pistons	4-9
Sonics	4-9
Pacers	3-10

American Division

Kings	13-0
Rockets	11-2
Suns	10-3
Knicks	6-7
Jazz	6-7
Nets	5-8
Lakers	4-9
Bulls	1-12

The Kings won the post-season tournament.

BOYS B LEAGUE

American Division

Pistons	7-1
Jazz	7-1
Bucks	6-2
Knicks	6-2
Suns	3-5
Bulls	3-5
Hawks	2-6
Kings	2-6

National Division

Spurs	7-1
Rockets	5-3
Pacers	4-4
76ers	4-4
Lakers	4-4
Celtics	3-5
Nets	1-7
Sonics	0-8

Results: Jazz 68, Rockets 36; Pistons 54, Spurs 38; Lakers 65, Suns 52; Bulls 53, Nets 47; Knicks 55, 76ers 52; Bucks 74, Pacers 43; Kings 68, Sonics 58; Celtics 70, Knicks 68.

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gymnastics

VAULT

Kim Miller (Salem)	9.50
Heather Kahn (N. Farmington)	9.50
Kim Rennolds (Canton)	9.40
Johanna Anderson (Canton)	9.35
Autumn Bunch (Salem)	9.35
Jameelah Gater (N. Farmington)	9.30
Alysia Sofios (Salem)	9.20
Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	9.15
Cara Stillings (Canton)	9.10
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Kim Miller (Salem)	9.60
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Heather Kahn (N. Farmington)	9.00
Sarah Makins (Salem)	8.85
Kyna Morgan (John Glenn)	8.85
Autumn Bunch (Salem)	8.75
Aimee Wong (Salem)	8.75
Jenny Tedesco (Canton)	8.70
Laura Anderson (Canton)	8.70

BALANCE BEAM

Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	9.25
Kim Miller (Salem)	9.20
Chris Prough (John Glenn)	9.20
Alysia Sofios (Salem)	9.10
Melissa Maybouer (John Glenn)	9.10
Heather Kahn (N)=Farmington)	9.05
Jenny Tedesco (Canton)	8.90
Dawn Clifford (Canton)	8.75
Autumn Bunch (Salem)	8.70
Kim Rennolds (Salem)	8.55

FLOOR EXERCISE

Kim Miller (Salem)	9.50
Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	9.40
Alysia Sofios (Salem)	9.30
Kim Rennolds (Canton)	9.25
Heather Kahn (N. Farmington)	9.15
Susie Muzbeck (Walled Lake Western)	9.15
Danielle Mirto (Canton)	9.05
Autumn Bunch (Salem)	9.05
Johanna Anderson (Canton)	9.00
Sarah Makins (Salem)	8.90

ALL-AROUND

Kim Miller (Salem)	36.75
Alysia Sofios (Salem)	36.65
Heather Kahn (N. Farmington)	36.45
Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	36.20
Kim Rennolds (Canton)	35.70
Autumn Bunch (Salem)	34.85
Johanna Anderson (Canton)	34.60
Kyna Morgan (John Glenn)	34.50
Chris Prough (John Glenn)	34.45
Jenny Tedesco (Canton)	34.05

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INDIVIDUAL RESULTS
VAULT: 1. Heather Kahn (North) and Kim Miller (Salem), 9.5; 3. Kim Rennolds (Canton), 9.4; 4. Jameelah Gater (North) and Alyssa Berant (Fraser), 9.3; 6. Sara Kolb (Northville), 9.25; 7. Alysia Sofios (Salem) and Johanna Anderson (Canton), 9.2; 9. Courtney Gonyea (Salem), 9.15; 10. Autumn Bunch (Salem), Vicki Epple (Athens) and Jessica Repa (Seaholm), 9.1; 13. Christine Prough (Glenn), Amy Watson (Fraser) and Jill Councell (Freeland), 9.0.

BARS: 1. Alysia Sofios (Salem), 9.6; 2. Courtney Gonyea (Salem), 9.2; 3. Kim Miller (Salem), 9.05; 4. Heather Kahn (North), 9.0; 5. Stacey Kamar (Athens), 8.95; 6. Alyssa Berant (Fraser), 8.9; 7. Sarah Makins (Salem) and Kyna Morgan (Glenn), 8.85; 9. Mia Dehart (Northville) and Heather Mroz (Fraser), 8.8; 11. Aimee Wong (Salem), 8.75; 12. Sara Kolb (Northville), Becky Smekar (Freeland) and Steffanie Lentz (Adrian), 8.7.

BEAM: 1. Stacey Kamar (Athens), 8.9; 2. Heather Kahn (North), 8.8; 3. Alex Hendrich (Kimball), 8.75; 4. Kim Miller (Salem), 8.7; 5. Heather Murphy (Canton), 8.65; 6. Dawn Clifford (Canton), 8.6; 7. Alysia Sofios (Salem), 8.55; 8. Johanna Anderson (Canton) and Courtney Gonyea (Salem), 8.45; 10. Sandy Watanabe (Midland) and Kim Rennolds (Canton), 8.4; 12. Kelly Jacobs (Wayne) and Christine Prough (Glenny), 8.3; 14. Mia Dehart (Northville) and Heather Mroz (Fraser), 8.2.

FLOOR: 1. Kim Miller (Salem), 9.5; 2. Courtney Gonyea (Salem) and Vicki Epple (Athens), 9.4; 4. Alysia Sofios (Salem), 9.3; 5. Heather Kahn (North), 9.15; 6. Kim Rennolds (Canton), 9.05; 7. Mia Dehart (Northville) and Autumn Bunch (Salem), 9.0; 9. Heather Mroz (Fraser), 8.95; 10. Sarah Makins (Salem) and Monika Bagchi (Seaholm), 8.9; 12. Jameelah Gater (North), Amy Schlicklin (Midland) and Johanna Anderson (Canton), 8.85; 15. Traci Surdu (Northville), Sandy Watanabe (Midland), Alex Hendrich (Kimball) and Theresa Thimm (Seaholm), 8.8.

ALL-AROUND: 1. Kim Miller (Salem), 36.75; 2. Alysia Sofios (Salem), 36.65; 3. Heather Kahn (North), 36.45; 4. Courtney Gonyea (Salem), 36.20; 5. Kim Rennolds (Canton), 35.40; 6. Stacey Kamar (Athens), 34.95; 7. Alex Hendrich (Kimball), 34.90; 8. Johanna Anderson (Canton), 34.60; 9. Mia Dehart (Northville), 34.50; 10. Alyssa Berant (Fraser) and Vicki Epple (Athens), 34.40; 12. Theresa Thimm (Seaholm), 34.25; 13. Heather Mroz (Fraser), 34.20; 14. Becky Smekar (Freeland), 33.85; 15. Jameelah Gater (North), 33.75.

the week ahead

BOYS BASKETBALL
Friday, Feb. 8

Clarenceville at Hamtramck, 7 p.m.
Liv. Churchill at Farm. Harrison, 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Carlton at Liv. Franklin, 7:30 p.m.
Liv. Stevenson at Westland Glenn, 7:30 p.m.
W. L. Central at N. Farmington, 7:30 p.m.
Northville at W.L. Western, 7:30 p.m.
Farmington at Ply. Salem, 7:30 p.m.
Woodhaven at Garden City, 7:30 p.m.
Dbn. Edsel Ford at Redford Union, 7:30 p.m.
Melvindale at Red. Thurston, 7:30 p.m.
Belleville at Wayne Memorial, 7:30 p.m.
Bishop Borgess at Birm. Bro. Rice, 7:30 p.m.
Redford CC at Warren DeLaSalle, 7:30 p.m.
St. Agatha at Immac. Conception, 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Christian vs. Wsld.' Huron Valley at Lowel Middle School, 7:30 p.m.

PREP HOCKEY
Thursday, Feb. 7
Liv. Stevenson vs. Bloomfield Lahser at Bloomfield Hills Skating Club, 8:30 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 8
Liv. Stevenson vs. Bloomfield Andover at Livonia's Ice Arena, 6 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 9
Liv. Churchill at G.P. Liggett, 6 p.m.
Redford CC vs. Cleveland St.'Edwards at Redford Ice Arena, 8 p.m.

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Saturday, Feb. 9
Oakland CC at Alpena CC, 7:30 p.m.
Schoolcraft at St. Clair CC, 7:30 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Saturday, Feb. 9
Schoolcraft at St. Clair CC, 8 p.m.

hockey standings

SUBURBAN HIGH SCHOOL HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS
(as of Feb. 5)

	W	L	T	P	GF	GA
Liv. Churchill	11	1	0	22	89	25
B.H. Andover	11	1	0	22	60	28
Liv. Stevenson	6	2	2	14	57	28
Wyandotte	4	5	2	10	56	59
S.C.S. Lakeview	3	7	2	8	53	82
S'field-Lathrup	3	8	1	7	45	70
B.H. Lahser	3	6*	1	7	27	48
Liv. Franklin	0	11	0	0	12	62

AREA OVERALL RECORDS

1. Livonia Churchill	15-0-1
2. Redford Catholic Central	10-4-1
3. Livonia Stevenson	8-6-2
4. Livonia Franklin	3-14-0

TOP LEAGUE SCORERS

Player	G	A	Pts.
Jeff King (Churchill)	8	23	31
Aaron True (Lathrup)	14	16	30
Chad Parr (Lakeview)	20	9	29
Jamie Allen (Churchill)	14	14	28
Matt Berke (Lathrup)	12	15	27
Tony Dyjkowski (Churchill)	12	14	26
Mike Somerset (Wyan.)	13	12	25
Yea Yea Martinez (Wyan.)	12	12	24
Chris Rennie (Steve.)	7	16	23
Colin Gallagher (Churchill)	5	17	22
John Michealson (Andover)	8	13	21
Tim Staples (Andover)	11	9	20
Jamie Leonard (Wyan.)	10	10	20
Scott Johnson (Steve.)	10	9	19
Keith Gardner (Lakeview)	8	10	18
Mark Siwinski (Lakeview)	5	12	17
Ed Kmit. (Lahser)	6	10	16
Trevor Piku (Lakeview)	9	6	15
Adam Boyd (Lahser)	8	7	15
Mike Brewer (Lahser)	7	8	15
Ryan Zemmin (Lahser)	9.67	44	4.55
Joe Huber (Franklin)	10.5	41	4.82
Kevin Street (Wyan.)	4.43	24	5.42
Alan Stern (Lathrup)	12.0	69	5.75
Lance Stepanian (Wyan.)	4.00	24	6.00
Joe Sowerby (Lakeview)	12.0	82	6.83

MICHIGAN METRO STANDINGS
West Division

	W	L	T	P	GF	GA
Trenton	8	1	1	17	52	20
Brother Rice	6	3	0	12	32	23
Redford CC	5	3	1	11	36	26
A.A. Huron	5	4	0	10	36	30
A.A. Pioneer	1	7	2	4	20	55

East Division

	W	L	T	P	GF	GA
Southgate	8	1	0	16	39	21
G.P. South	5	3	1	11	33	30
Riv. Richard	3	6	0	9	37	28
A.P. Cabrini	0	5	3	3	25	38
G.P. North	1	7	1	3	25	52

TOP 10 LEAGUE SCORERS

Player	G	A	Pts.
Jesse Huberschmidt (CC)	5	15	19
Bill Baker (CC)	5	11	16
Matt Albers (Huron)	5	11	16
Chris Freeman (Rice)	9	7	16
Keith Stuwe (Richard)	6	10	16
J. Chappelle (Trenton)	5	10	15
Brian Gawe (South)	8	7	15
Scott Wright (S'gate)	7	8	15
Nick Calloway (Huron)	7	7	14
John Ferguson (North)	8	6	14
G. Obrycki (Trenton)	6	8	14
Sean Slater (Trenton)	6	7	13
Brian Quinn (North)	2	10	12

LEADING GOALIES
(goals against average)

Dave Spurr (Trenton)	1.50
Jeff Blackledge (Trenton)	2.00
Derek Bills (Rice)	2.14
Phil Toth (S'gate)	2.20
Chris Paul (South)	2.86
Mike Brusseau (Redford CC)	3.10
M. Racette (Richard)	3.21
Pat Saunders (Rice)	3.27

basketball standings

BOYS BASKETBALL STANDINGS
(as of Wednesday)

WESTERN LAKES LAKES DIVISION

	W	L	W	L
Liv. Stevenson	3	0	7	6
Ply. Salem	2	1	12	2
N. Farmington	2	1	4	9
W.L. Central	2	1	5	9
Westland Glenn	0	3	2	11
Farmington	0	3	1	12

WESTERN DIVISION

	W	L	W	L
Farm. Harrison	3	0	11	2
Northville	2	1	9	5
Ply. Canton	2	1	9	6
Liv. Churchill	2	1	7	6
Liv. Franklin	0	2	9	5
W.L. Western	0	3	6	8

NORTHWEST SUBURBAN

	W	L	W	L
Dearborn	5	0	12	1
Edsel Ford	3	2	9	4
Redford Union	2	3	5	8
Woodhaven	2	3	5	10
Garden City	0	4	3	12

WOLVERINE A LEAGUE

	W	L	W	L
Belleville	10	0	14	1
Wayne	9	1	10	5
Dbn. Fordson	7	3	9	4
Trenton	5	4	8	5
Monroe	4	5	4	9
Wyandotte	2	8	4	10
Southgate	2	8	3	11
Lincoln Park	0	10	1	13

TRI-RIVER LEAGUE

	W	L	W	L
Red. Thurston	10	1	12	3
Taylor Truman	9	2	9	6
Taylor Kennedy	7	4	8	7
Taylor Center	6	5	7	6
Melvindale	6	5	8	7
D.H. Annapolis	3	8	6	8
Allen Park	3	8	4	9
D.H. Crestwood	0	11	0	13

METRO CONFERENCE

	W	L	W	L
Hamtramck	8	1	13	2
Avondale	7	2	11	4
Lutheran East	6	2	12	2
Cranbrook	4	3	6	4
Lutheran North	4	5	7	7
Clarenceville	2	5	5	8
Lutheran West	1	7	1	12
Harper Woods	1	8	2	12

CATHOLIC LEAGUE
Central Division

	W	L	W	L
Warren DeLaSalle	9	0	12	2
H.W. Notre Dame	5	4	8	6
U-D Jesuit	5	3	8	5
Redford CC	4	5	6	8
Bishop Borgess	2	7	4	10
Birm. Bro. Rice	1	8	2	12

C-D Section

	W	L	W	L
Our Lady of Lakes	8	0	11	2
Immac. Conception	4	4	7	6
St. Agatha	4	4	4	8
Ham. St. Florian	4	4	7	7
M.C. Mooney	4	4	7	7
Wyan. Mt. Carmel	0	8	2	11

MICHIGAN INDEPENDENT
American Division

	W	L	W	L
Ply. Christian	4	1	8	6
Huron Valley	3	1	7	5
B.H. Roeper	2	3	6	7
Warren Bethesda	2	2	3	10
Macomb Christian	0	4	0	12

National Division

	W	L	W	L
G.P. Liggett	3	0	7	5
Oak. Christian	2	1	11	1
S'field Christian	2	1	5	7
Luth. Westland	2	3	4	10
Lutheran N'west	0	4	4	9

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These unscientific Observerland area rankings are compiled each week by members of the sports department. Schools eligible to be ranked must come from the following areas: Livonia, Westland, Garden City, Redford, Plymouth-Canton, Farmington and Walled Lake.

rankings

BOYS BASKETBALL
1. Plymouth Salem.
2. Redford Thurston.
3. Farmington Harrison.
4. Plymouth Canton.
5. Wayne Memorial.

WRESTLING
1. Plymouth Salem.
2. Redford Catholic

In language of Inuits all snow is not alike



nature

Timothy Nowicki

Words that compose a language are reflective of the needs of the people who use that language and will change when the need arises. For instance, if my grandfather was asked to define the word "crack' when he was a boy, he would have said it was a separation in a material. Today, the old definition stands, but a new definition has been added.

Language and its accompanying words also are developed through necessity. In Michigan, we use the word sleet to mean a wet falling snow, or slush to mean melting snow on the ground. But there are few other words which define the varying state of snow.

We do not have many words to describe snow in its various states. However, Inuits of the far north have many names to describe snow in varying conditions. When you live in it for eight or nine months of the year, you learn that all snow is not alike.

In the language of the Inuits, annui is the fresh falling snow crystals before they hit the ground. When they are on the ground and accumulating they are called api.

Just as we recognize about 80 different snow crystals that can form, Inuits recognize that snow on the ground has different qualities. Snow that has been packed by the wind, and is much more dense than freshly fallen snow, is known as upsik. Fresh falling snow that is caught in a swirling wind or drift is known as siqoq.

Some snow conditions may be beneficial for travel, while others are hazardous. Avalanches are always a potential threat. Leaning to recognize pukak snow can be beneficial to one's health. A snow drift, or kimoagruk, may be a good place to build a snow shelter if it is wind packed.

One of the most difficult snow conditions to traverse is ice crusted snow. Breaking through thin ice on top of a layer of snow can be very exhausting. It can also result in injuries. There have been many times when my shins became bruised on that layer of ice.

Inuits call ice-crused snow siqoqtoaq, or the snow that cuts the caribou's legs. This is also the kind of snow that causes narrow hoofed animals to become easy prey for predators. Wolves or coyotes can walk on top of the ice, but many deer and caribou puncture throught the ice, become injured or exhausted and fall prey to the predator. Domestic dogs allowed to run wild have been known to do the same thing to deer in Michigan.

Annui may be beautiful, but api has to be shoveled and siqoqtoaq can be injurious.

Tim Nowick is a naturalist at Independence-Oaks County Park in Oakland County. He lives in Livonia.

AARP offers cost-saving programs



on aging

Renee Mahler

Q. I would like to join the American Association of Retired Persons. Have you information on membership?

A. Membership in the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) is open to anyone 50 years of age or older. The dues for one year are $5; three years, $12.50; 10 years, $35. Membership, when applicable, includes your spouse. You will receive the magazine "Modern Maurity" and an "AARP Bulletin" monthly. In addition, your membership entitles you to AARPs Home Delivery Pharmacy Service, eligibility for group health insurance, worldwide travel service, investment programs, travel discounts, auto and homeowners insurance and various other cost saving programs. Supporting AARP, through your membership dues, also means having legislative representation for issues concerning older adults. If you have worked in the field of education AARP has a National Retired Teachers Association Division that sends members publications and programs of special interest to mature educators.

To join AARP send your request for membership with your check or money order to AARP, Membership Processing Center, P.O. Box 199, Long Beach, Calif. 90801-9989. It will take approximately six weeks to receive your membership kit. Please note that AARP dues are not deductible for income tax purposes.

New Federal Standards For Medicare Supplemental Insurance

Medigap consumers have long complained about the difficulty of understanding and comparing policies, high premium increases and questionable sales tactics. New Federal Legislation, for 1991, will give new protection to older adults buying Medigap policies. The new requirements are enforced with civil penalties of up to $25,000.

New major provisions include standardized language and format for easier comparison with other policies and with Medicare benefits. There will be standardized benefits. All policies must include one core group of benefits and all insurers must offer the core group as a stand alone policy. No Medigap policy may be sold in a state which has not adopted these standards unless that policy has been certified by the Secretary of Health and Human Services to meet these standards. Policies that duplicate Medicare or other Medigap policies and policies sold to Medicaid recipients are prohibited. Loss ratios have been changed. Companies must return at least 65 cents of every premium dollar in benefits for individual policies and 75 cents of every premium dollar for group policies. Refunds or credits to beneficiaries are required if these loss ratios are not met. Companies must sell Medigap policies to all seniors who seek them within six months of becoming eligible for Medicare. Insurers cannot refuse to sell a policy or charge a higher premium, based on the individual's health condition, if the policy is purchased within six months of Medicare eligibility. Policies must also be guaranteed to be renewable. In addition, all states must establish a process for approving proposed Medigap premium increases and a policy for holding public hearings prior to that approval.

Renee Mahler is a gerontologist and the director of communications and admissions at a Rochester Hills nursing facility. Send your questions to her at Observer & Eccentric, 805 East Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009.

Grant helps county expand anti-drug program

Wayne County officials announced this week they were expanding Campaign PUSH-OFF, an anti-drug program in operation since October.

The program is a sting operation that enforces the state forfeiture law against those who buy illegal drugs. PUSH-OFF is an acronym for when drug Purchasers Use Our Streets and Highways, they Opt For Forfeiture.

Those who buy illegal drugs on Wayne County roadways can have their cars confiscated and must pay a fee to have them returned.

The program uses the resources of the county prosecutor's and sheriff's departments.

"Demand for the product is essential for the narcotic trade to be profitable," Sheriff Robert Ficano said. "Campaign PUSH-OFF shows that drug buying carries risks."

The program is financed, in part, by a $250,000 federal grant. The program will be publicized through bumper stickers and a billboard campaign.







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Budget wrangling leaves local arts in limbo

By Linda Ann Chomin
special writer

Gov. John Engler's proposed budget cuts, rejected by the state House appropriations committee, could devastate the budgets, programs and services offered by community arts groups if they're introduced again and passed.

Among the local groups that could be affected are the Plymouth Community Arts Council and the Livonia Symphony Orchestra.

The Farmington Area Arts Commission won't directly be affected. Farmington and Farmington Hills cover FAAC's $9,000 budget. But FAAC vice chairman Robert Benjamin, who taught art in Farmington Public Schools for 36 years, hoped that school art programs statewide wouldn't suffer from the budget-cutting ax. "Without art, you're not completely educated."

The governor, the House and the Senate continue to wrestle with ways to prevent a $1.1-billion state budget deficit. Engler recommended drastically cutting the state's $49-million equity package for cultural organizations and institutions.

Meanwhile, an executive order in January freezing $4.3 million of the Michigan Council for the Arts' budgeted $9.1 million in grants for 1990-91 continues to wreak havoc with the budgets of cultural groups as well as individual artists, writers and musicians.

The executive order proposes eliminating all MCA grants beginning in October and cuting the MCA staff budget by half.

Two weeks ago, the Michigan Council for the Arts informed the Plymouth Community Arts Council all art support grants have been suspended, including its current $7,000 grant. That will severely curtail art programs and services, as well as diminish the ability to bring them to the schools.

"In Livonia, a $9,900 grant to the Livonia Symphony (10 percent of the symphony budget) will not be forthcoming," said Lee Alanskas, who serves on the Livonia Arts Commission and is a Livonia Symphony Society member.

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> *— Marilyn Wheaton*
> *Concerned Citizens for the Arts*

ACCORDING TO state Sen. Jack Faxon, D-Farmington Hills, "Under executive order, the governor intends to immediately stop payment of current grants owed to certain recipients and to eliminate all grants to cultural organizations beginning Oct. 1."

"If the proposed budget cuts are put into effect, a part of our society would be void of any culture," said Therese Jaye, who serves on the Livonia Arts Commission.

The Livonia Symphony Orchestra is funded in part by the Livonia Arts Commission, the Michigan Council for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Arts, local businesses, corporations and private contributors. NEA funding is in part tied to state arts council funding.

With the current freeze on grants, Livonia Symphony performances would definitely, if not severely, be curtailed for the rest of the season.

"It (the proposed budget cuts) does not affect us directly," Jaye said, "because the arts commission is funded by the City of Livonia, but indirectly, it would limit our access to such fine programs put on by organizations such as the Michigan Opera Theater and the Livonia Symphony Orchestra."

A SOLD-OUT Jan. 18 performance of the Michigan Opera Theater musical revue, "Broadway Babies and Phantoms," presented by the Livonia Arts Commission, would never have taken place without grant assistance through MOT's Department of Community Services.

In Plymouth, the $7,000 state grant represents 10 percent of the arts council budget.

The freeze on state grants may affect Music in the Park, the Art Rental Gallery and bringing performers into the schools. It also may delay converting the historic Wilcox Mill into a community arts center, said Kathryn Savitskie, Plymouth Community Arts Council executive director.

"If the governor gets his way, I think that the arts and culture are going to be devastated in the State of Michigan," said Marilyn Wheaton, executive director of Concerned Citizens for the Arts in Michigan/Michigan Advocates for the Arts, an advocacy and lobbying group for the arts.

"Arts organizations were prepared to take cuts across the board like everyone else," Wheaton said. "What no one was ready for was that dollars alread contracted for would be frozen."

"The most devastating effect will be on educational programs, where they actually take music into the schools," Wheaton said. "The Michigan Opera Theater programs will be among the first to go."

If the proposed budget cuts are eventually voted into place, "the domino effect is incredible," Wheaton said.

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Couple's barn proud symbol of Americana

By Janice Tigar-Kramer
special writer

> ***'I slammed the car door and heard the 'whoosh' sound of a pheasant taking flight. I knew we had to live here.'***
>
> *— Joe Derek*
> *Farmington Hills*

WHEN JOE and Judy Derek told their Realtor they wanted a house on two acres with a barn, a creek, a rock garden and city water, all in Farmington Hills, they were surprised to hear from their agent just one week later. A house with all of their requirements had just been listed.

Interested to see the property they had only dreamed of finding in the city, Joe, a lab technician at Sinai Hospital of Detroit, and Judy, office manager of the hospital's engineering department, both left work early to take a look. Joe was sold on the place before stepping inside the house.

"I slammed the car door and heard the 'whoosh' sound of a pheasant taking flight. I knew we had to live here," said Joe, 42, a naturalist and environmental lecturer whose love of wildlife and the outdoors began as a boy growing up in Detroit.

Besides the 1.9 acres, the creek and a yard filled with wild flowers and bushes, the lot was just one of a few in Farmington Hills with an old barn.

The couple moved into the 45-year-old ranch house in February 1987, and spent most of their free time exploring the land, peering into the creek and examining the condition of the 900-square-foot barn, at the bottom of a hill behind the house.

AFTER FINISHING some necessary home repairs, the Dereks began making plans to restore the two-story, hip roof barn, which stands proudly in a neighborhood of new homes north of 10 Mile.

"A few people wanted to buy the barn, but we never considered selling it," Joe said. "The barn represents the last of what used to be, and we had no plans to get rid of it."

To gather ideas for the restoration, the couple drove through Michigan and southern Indiana to look at the color and design of other barns. They even stopped to talk to farmers along the way.

BUT THE history of their own barn was revealed, almost by accident, just last summer.

One afternoon, the couple noticed two elderly women with a video camera in the street behind their property.

Since it's not uncommon for people to look at the old barn, the Dereks were used to the attention. But they were curious about the use of video equipment.

The visitors, Mary Yost of Wisconsin and her sister, Sally Sellers of Howell, grew up in the barn in the 1940s and just stopped by to reminisce.

Now in their 60s, the sisters moved into the barn with their parents shortly before World War II and lived there until the family's house (now owned by the Dereks) was built in 1946.

Their father, Lambert Sellers, originally built the barn for ponies, then planned to build the ranch house. But when war began, lumber was scarce and he couldn't find enough material to continue building.

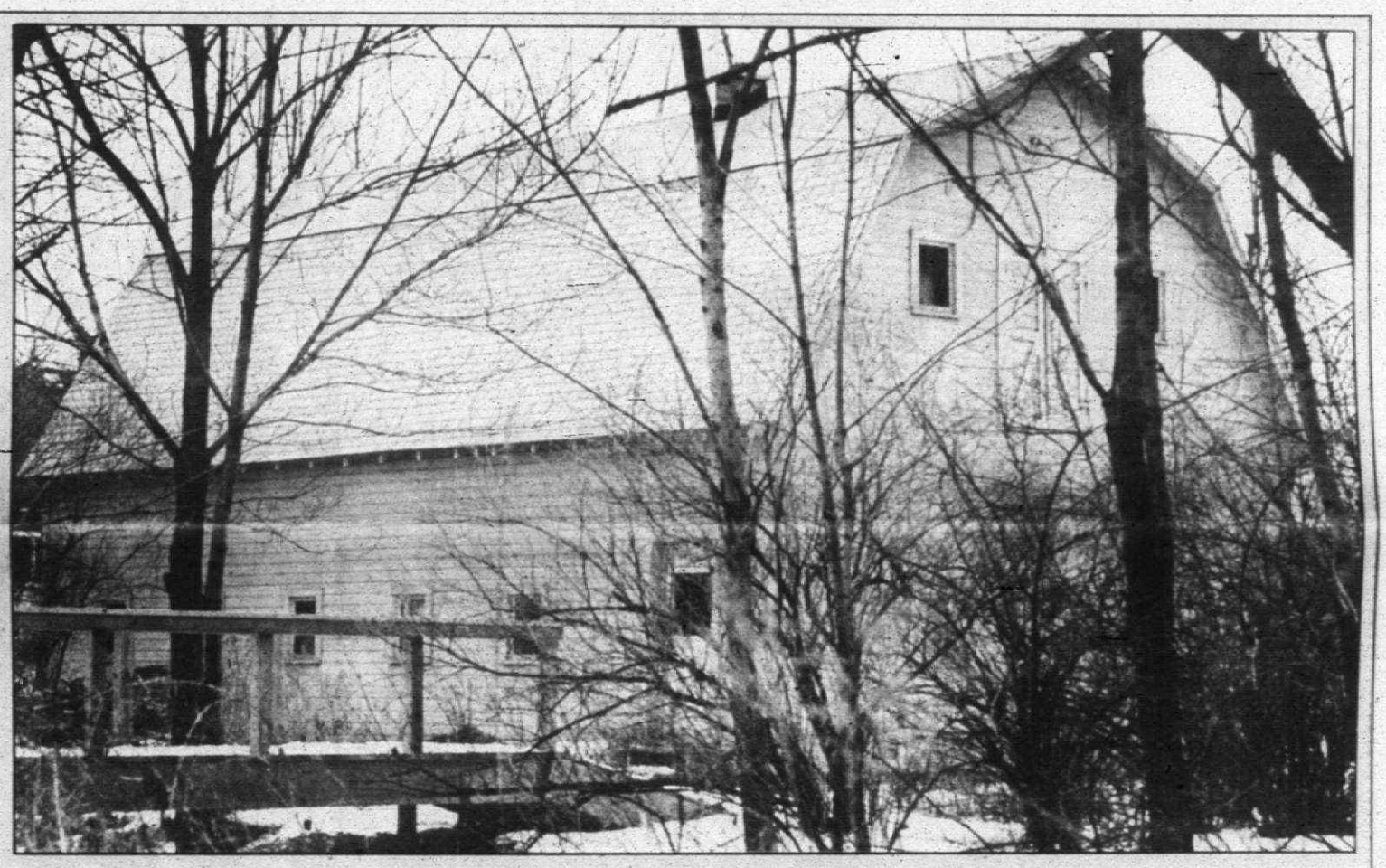
TO MAKE the barn comfortable for the family, Sellers installed a wood floor, an oil burning stove, a small porch and regular house doors. An open, ladder-type staircase was used to reach the second level.

Sellers even painted the barn white to make it look more like a residence.

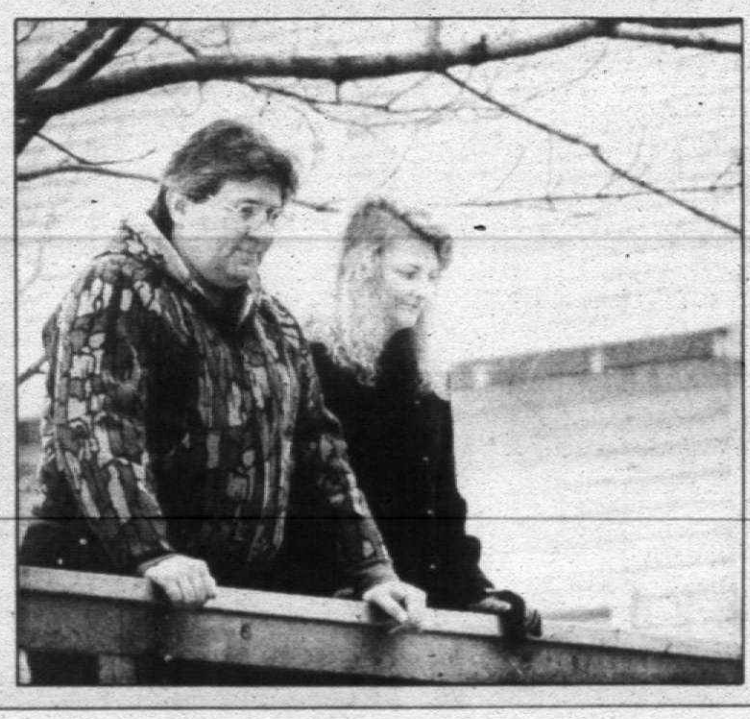
"The sisters were amazed that the barn was still here. They visit Detroit and our place every few years to see if things are the same," Joe said.

LAST SUMMER, the Dereks found a local contractor willing to scale the 30-foot barn to remove the original roof, install off-white shingles and build a new chimney. Joe also built a bridge over the creek leading to the barn.

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The Dereks' barn, built in the 1940s, once was home to a Farmington Hills family during World War II. The couple plans to repaint the structure this summer and do minor repairs inside.



Left: Joe and Judy Derek watch the creek that runs in front of their 30-foot-high, hip roof barn. The barn is one of only a few left in Farmington Hills.

Staff photos by Sharon LeMieux

Botsford Inn — It's an enduring beacon of history

"And the innkeeper speaks to all of us, in the accents of today, over the decades of our past."
— Jean Fox, Botsford Inn historian



Bob Sklar

ALLEN AND Orrin Weston built it as Orrin's home in 1836, when Andrew Jackson was president and Michigan was the west.

Today, the Botsford Inn, a legendary gateway to Farmington Hills at Grand River and Eight Mile, is one of the oldest hostelries in the state.

The national historic site may be tattered around the edges. But it retains much of its rustic charm. It's richly symbolic of our community's hospitality and heritage.

In 1841, Stephen Jennings converted the inn to a tavern.

"Known as the Sixteen Mile House (it was 16 miles out from the heart of Detroit), it was the stagecoach stop here in Clarenceville on the Grand River plank road, which followed an Indian trail that went on to Lake Michigan," a state historic marker in the front courtyard tells us.

Milton Botsford, from a Farmington Township pioneer family, bought it in 1860, after a succession of owners, including John Claugherty, who the town of Clarenceville, which survives today as a school district, was named after.

After Botsford acquired it, the inn soon became a popular meeting place for drovers, farmers and travelers to and from Detroit.

AUTO PIONEER Henry Ford I, who met his wife, Clara, at a square dance there, bought the Botsford Inn in 1924 as a romantic gesture and to save it from demolition during Grand River's widening.

Innkeeper John Anhut's father, John Nicholson Anhut, bought the landmark from the Ford estate in 1951. The lodging market and the Farmington area have changed dramatically since then.

But Anhut, pledged to making the inn "a human establishment serving people and not solely a money-making operation," has never gone hog-wild with modern lures.

Lack of feelers from historically sensitive buyers recently prompted Anhut to take the inn off the market. Instead, he hired a general manager to run day-to-day operations.

The inn remains an oasis for travelers hooked on the ambience of an earlier time.

Personally, I can't envision the inn without Anhut, who more than anyone understands its distinguished place in local history, at the helm.

ANHUT, EVER the entrepreneur, has made several major building additions to the original structure. But he has never slighted the inn's role as an mini museum of living history.

For example, touches of Americana, wood floors and five wood-burning fireplaces spice the guest areas. And much of the furniture came from Henry Ford's Fair Lane mansion in Dearborn.

Ford once said "history is more or less bunk," but the old man's love for the inn was undying.

"With Henry's drive and enthusiasm as a spur, the family decided it was more important to find people, like the Anhuts, who would keep the inn in the spirit of my great-grandfather," William Clay Ford Jr. once told me.

Chances are, the Weston brothers would beam with pride at what the state Legislature proclaimed during the inn's sesquicentennial in 1986:

"It stands as a beautiful window to a bygone age, with changes and improvements unable to obscure the feeling of history."

Bob Sklar is assistant managing editor for special projects.

Author sells sophisticated tales of terror

Kathe Koja doesn't look or act like somebody who would spend her time horrifying people.

But that's exactly what the amiable, attractive author from Oak Park does. And she's very good at it. Just pick up a copy of the little paperback "The Cipher," recently out from Dell. It's her first book (she's spent the last couple of years writing short fiction), and it's something you'll definitely want to read with all the lights on.

The book has been chosen to introduce Dell's new horror line, 'Abyss, which, according to Dell editor Jeanne Cavelos, will feature "a sophisticated, psychological element, with a presentation different to much of the horror fiction that's out now.

"There's so much formula fiction in which you'll see the same story line repeated again and again, until it's no longer scary," Cavelos said.

"What we want are vivid characters, dealing with the fear and horror of everyday life. We're not at all interested in seeing the same old monsters."

Koja says she has no idea why she happens to write horror. She's not particularly attracted, as a reader, to horror fiction, (preferring instead the works of Flannery O'Connor or Michigan's Jim Harrison). She's never experienced anything particularly frightening or bizarre, she says.

According to her, her tales of terror are something that just sort of — happen. "I pretty much just sit down and write what I feel like writing," she said. "I don't especially have 'horror' in mind when I start. I don't even have a sense of the beginning, the middle, or the end of a story at first. I just start to write, and see what happens. And something always happens."



book break
Victoria Diaz

WHAT HAPPENS in "The Cipher" is this: An aimless young man named Nicholas and his eccentric girlfriend, Nakota, discover a strange hole in the floor of a storeroom in the building where he lives (maybe "exists" would be a better word). As time passes, the two find themselves inexplicably drawn to the hole, strongly attracted to its aura of evil, fascinated by the unknown possibilities of its depths. Eventually, to satisfy her curiosity, Nakota ties a mouse to a string and lowers it into the hole; the mouse comes back, shall we say, altered. Other unfortunate objects fare no better. Then, one day, Nicholas slips and falls part way into the hole himself.

Let's just say that what happens next is not a pretty story. "When I read Kathe's book, I was blown away by how great it was," Cavelos said. "I was reminded of Clive Barker, but she has her own unique tone and point of view of a dark world and its jaded characters. It's different, really, to any horror story I've ever read."

Publishers Weekly has called the book "a powerful first novel (that) is as thought-provoking as it is horrifying."

Very few people see Koja's work before it's published. She doesn't hang out with other writers and she doesn't submit anything to writers' workshops these days. She's never attended college, never signed up for any college-level "creative writing" classes ("Going to college really doesn't have anything to do with it. A friend of mine says writing courses taught her nothing but bad habits.")

NOW 31, what she does do is write — a lot. (In the past, in addition to her short stories, she's also written a healthy number of other novels besides "The Cipher," which remain unpublished.) When she gets her 6-year-old son, Aaron, off to school each day, she turns to her desk and gets down to the business of creating two more novels she's contracted to write for Dell. The first, as yet untitled, will be out early next year.

In the meantime, if bone-chilling, blood-curdling horror is your thing, look into "The Cipher" and join Nicholas and Nakota at what they like to call The Funhole. As much as you might want to, you may never forget these two.

Pleasant dreams.



Kathe Koja
horror writer

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Concert's theme: musical adventure

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He has appeared as soloist with major orchestras worldwide, including the Tokyo, Hong Kong and Seoul philharmonic orchestras, Rochester Philharmonic and Toronto, Vancouver, Louisville and American symphony orchestras. He has taught at the Juilliard School of Music and the Manhattan School of Music.

Fujiwara is a professor of violin at the University of Michigan School of Music.

Joining Fujiwara is pianist Katsurako Mikami, a winner of the national competition in Toyko and the Marguerite Long International Piano Competition in Paris. She is a graduate of Toho School of Music, Paris Conservatory of Music and the Julliard School of Music. She records for Columbia and Musica Magna Records.

Internationally acclaimed flutist Ginka Gerova-Ortega will join in the performance. Performing on four continents, this Bulgarian-born flutist has been making musical news since her 1983 Carnegie Hall debut.

The concert will take place at 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 22, in the Smith Theatre on the Orchard Ridge Campus of Oakland Community College, I-696 and Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills.

Tickets are $15 for general audience and $10 for students and seniors. Tickets include a free afterglow. Contact the 24-hour hotline at 471-7700.

What to insure inherited chair for

antique or junque
James G. McCollam

Q: We inherited this chair recently; it was upholstered about 10 years ago. I would appreciate any information you can provide as to what it should be insured for.

A: This is a Victorian French Revival armchair made in the third quarter of the 19th century. It would probably sell for $650-$750.

Q: This mark is on the bottom of a tea set consisting of teapot, sugar and creamer. Each piece is decorated with pink and purple pansies and a lot of gold trim. Please give me your opinion as to the source and value of this set.

A: Your set was made by the Royal Rudolstadt works in Thuringia, Germany, about 1900. It would probably sell for $125-$135.

Q: Please provide vintage and value of my pitcher and bowl set marked "Mason's Patent Ironstone, Est. 1768." It is decorated with a red and blue Oriental design. The pitcher is 14 inches tall and the bowl is 18 inches in diameter.

A: Your toilet set was made in Lane Delph, England, by G.M. & C.J. Mason during the mid-19th century. It would probably sell for $500-$600 in good condition.

Q: Can you identify the maker of a beer stein marked "R.H."? It holds over three quarts and is decorated with a scene of men drinking in a tavern. I would also like to know its value.

A: Your 3-liter stein was made in Hohr-Grenzhausen, Germany, by the Reinhold Hanke company. It was made about 1900 and would probably sell for $125-$135.

Q: I have a Parker Big Red Duofold Senior fountain pen in the original box complete with guarantee and instructions. It was given to my grandfather about 70 years ago when he graduated from college. I would like to know if this has any special value.

A: It certainly does. The pen you describe is a highly desirable collectible that would probably sell for $165-$185.

BOOK REVIEW

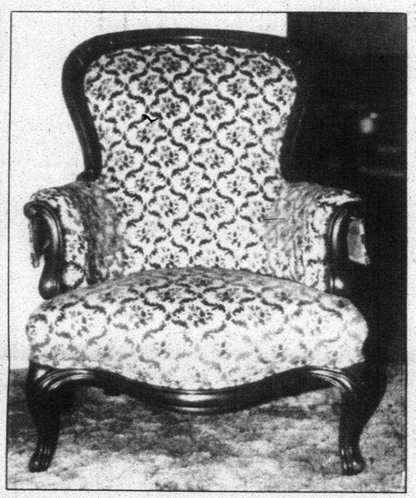
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McCollam is a member of the Antique Appraisers Association of America.



This Victorian French Revival armchair would sell for up $750.

Arts groups scramble

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"Let's say the Detroit Symphony Orchestra would go out of business because of these major and drastic overnight reductions. The musicians would immediately leave the state to seek work," Wheaton said. "The community orchestras with DSO players would lose them."

"Orchestra hall would be vacated for all intents and purposes. The people coming to Orchestra Hall won't visit area restaurants and businesses. Their business would be lost and tourism in general would suffer."

"Additionally, the state grants stimulate local government giving and matching gifts made by corporations and individuals. All that money aiding the arts would essentially dry up. The governor would be turning his back on what the people of Michigan want and what the people of Michigan need."

Said Therese Jaye of the Livonia Arts Commission: "It haunts me to think that we would (in effect) lose our civilization."

clarification

The wrong photo accompanied a Jan. 31 caption about the Livonia Garden Club's bronze ribbon in the wreath division during the Festival of Trees benefit for Children's Hospital of Michigan at Detroit's Cobo Center.

The ribbon winner was titled "Holiday Home for Christmas."

Also wrong was the spelling of the club president's name, Winifred Boni.

Barn undergoes boost

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This year, the couple plans to paint the barn a traditional, rustic red with white shutters and trim.

Most of the wood is in good condition, but Joe will replace some rotted window sills and remove spray painted slogans left inside the barn by vandals. After repairs are finished, the couple may install a heating system.

Since a family of raccoons entered the barn, ate a butterfly collection and damaged other items stored inside, the building will be empty until the restoration is complete.

Judy hopes to use the barn for a retreat where she can quietly read or do craft work. The couple also plans to decorate the barn with old farm implements and other collectibles. This fall, the Dereks even may host a Halloween party or harvest dance there.

JOE AND Judy, both members of Friends of the Rouge, Michigan United Conservation Clubs, National Wildlife Federation, Michigan Wildlife Habitat Foundation and a number of other environmental groups, believe the barn is a symbol of Americana.

"We have to preserve this small part of our history," Joe said. "You could say we owe it to the barn, to ourselves and to the community."

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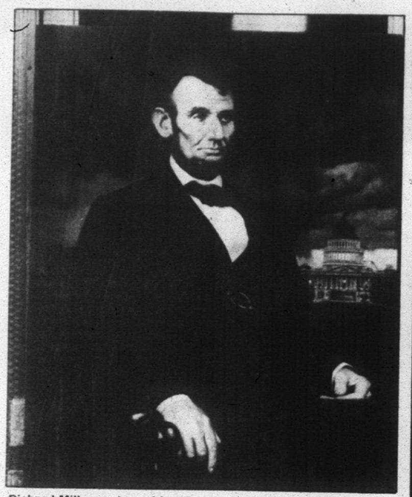
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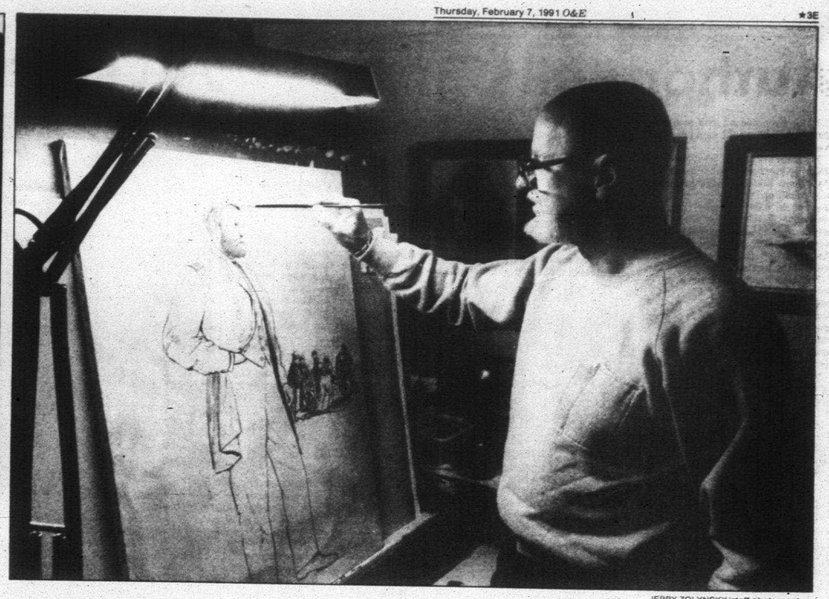
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Richard Miller portrays Lincoln, with the just-completed Capitol dome in the background, as a man of strength, vision and anguish.



JERRY ZOLYNSKY/staff photographer
Richard Miller's painting of General U.S. Grant is still in the early stages, but it illustrates his substantial drawing skills.

Paintings show troubled times

By Corinne Abatt
staff writer

It seems completely in keeping with Richard D. Miller's lifestyle that he was born in Canada (1931) on the birthday of the United States. Even though his life began in Canada, it has a Yankee Doodle Dandy quality to it.

He's lived in the United States permanently since 1982 and right now is dividing his time between Bloomfield Township and the area in and around Savannah, Ga. Miller has been a professional artist since he joined a commercial studio at 15.

Now, some four decades later, and with successful forays into other careers such as classical guitarist, antique dealer, radio show host, art gallery owner and published novelist, he's determined to put all of his considerable energies into painting in the fine arts tradition.

Certainly, he's been working what most people would consider full time, as a non-commercial artist for a long time. But, things are really flying since he focused ever more tightly on two favorite areas — portraits and the Civil War.

"Art has always been my main career. . . I got interested in the American Civil War while living in Canada — it becomes a very fascinating subject for everyone. I just enjoy it — and you never can absorb it all," he said.

SEVEN OF his Civil War paintings, including the portraits of Abraham Lincoln and Robert E. Lee, are on display in the lobby of the main office of First Federal of Michigan, Woodward at Michigan, downtown Detroit through the month. The portraits are oils, the scenes are watercolors, all are on loan from private collections.

Although he has done hundreds of commissioned portraits of illustrious people such as Queen Elizabeth, Prince Philip and the Queen Mother (for the Queen's Plate Stakes in Toronto), Henry Ford II (Ford Hospital) and other members of the Ford family, CEO's and lots of sports figures, he takes particular satisfaction in doing portraits of the leading figures of the Civil War.

He had color photographs of his Lincoln and Lee portraits in his hand as he spoke.

He has depicted Lincoln as dignified and thoughtful. His cheeks are hollow, his gaze is on a distant horizon. The president wears a black suit, the sky behind him is filled with storm clouds, the only patch of light is around the dome of the Capitol in the background.

"You know there was no painting of Lincoln done during the Civil War. I've studied the pictures and photographs of him and in five years, he aged 40 years . . . He didn't even look like the same person . . . and he was not very popular either."

Still speaking of his Lincoln portrait, he said, "I'm happy with it because of the sensitivity of the eyes. There's a lot of symbolism in it. The Capitol dome was completed on the day of his second inauguration, March 5, 1865 and of course, he died shortly after (April 14, 1865)."

IN HIS portrait of Robert E. Lee, Miller portrays the great Southern general in full uniform, hat in one hand and sword in a handsome scabbard at his side in the other. He stands on a grassy ridge in the mountains of his beloved Virginia with his horse, Traveler, unsaddled, grazing in the background. Miller has just has just started on a full length portrait of General Grant.

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gardener's book nook

Marty Figley

Two books will be of interest to those who wish quick and accurate identification of many plants.

Although the title of "Ornamental Shrubs for Use in the Western Landscape" by Ernie L. Labadie ($13.95 paper, $17.95 cloth) may sound as though it can only be used in the West, many of the plants can be grown in Michigan, although some may be annuals.

All the plant characteristics are given on a page opposite the very fine line drawings. Listed in alphabetical order by the botanical name, the common ones are also given.

The second, "Ground Covers in the Landscape" ($14.95 paper, $19.95 cloth), will take the guesswork out of choosing such a plant. It is the same format as the shrub book, with descriptions of plant parts that are lessons in botany.

To order, write: Sierra City Press, 2690 Las Aromas, Oakland, Calif. 94766. Add $3 per book for postage and handling.

THE BEGINNING paragraphs of the first chapter of "A Harrowsmith Gardener's Guide to Water Gardens," edited by David Archibald and Mary Patton (Camden House, $9.95 paper), will grab you and set the creative juices flowing.

Then it continues with the considerations one must make when planning water gardens, pools and fountains. Subsequent chapters deal with the how-tos of construction and maintenance, even suggesting that a small container makes a receptacle for a plant or two.

The final chapter details plants and their requirements. All in all, this is a well-written, factual book.

"FOLIAGE, PLANNING and Planting" by Anna Pavord (Harper Collins, $16.95) is another in the Classic English Gardening Guides series.

Gardeners will learn about textures, shapes, colors and where and how certain plants can be used to the best advantage. Descriptions are complete. A chapter is devoted exclusively to ferns, bamboos and grasses, which become more popular each season.

"An Illustrated Guide to Attracting Birds" is the newest offering from Sunset ($7.95) and does a good job with the many photographs and descriptions.

The chapter "Birdscaping Your Yard" will make you anxious for gardening weather. Plans for feeders, houses and baths and where to put them are included. Sunset books are often sold in hardware stores and garden centers.

THE PHOTOGRAPHS of the many English gardens in "Creating a Cottage Garden" by Sue Phillips (Grove Weidenfeld, $29.95) clearly show the many varieties of plants that can be grown in such a garden.

In addition, the text describes some of the processes used to obtain such planted naturalness.

Early cottage flower gardens began in the front of the house and wandered around to the back, sharing space with animals, herbs and vegetables. Phillips shows how a garden using old plants as well as recent cultivators can be used effectively to achieve this look.

You may want to have a plant dictionary at hand, since in the text the author uses botanical names. The section devoted to traditional plants lists both the botanical and common names.

"THE COTTAGE Garden" by Christopher Lloyd, with Richard Bird, (Prentice Hall, $29.95) explains the history of such gardens and tells how to create one.

Explicit plans leave no room for error, as the novice and experienced gardener can be successful, using herbs, flowering and foliage plants as well as vegetables.

When I first leafed through this book, I was caught by the vivid photos and details, such as favorites for particular times of the year. The chapter "Tending the Garden" is a bonus, as are the recipes for using the harvest. Great!

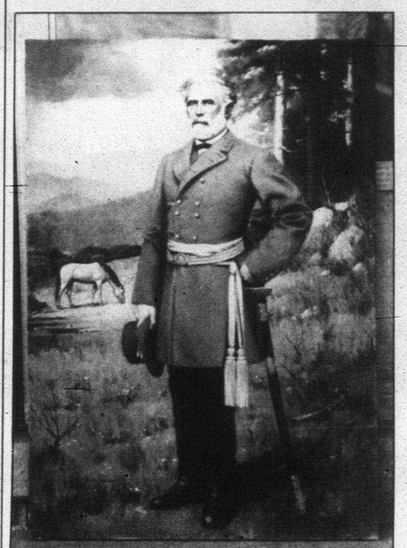
"BOTANY FOR Gardeners" by Brian Capon (Timber Press, $29.95) contains an explanation in layman's terms of the plant kingdom, while it makes the subject come alive for the average reader. If one could learn to understand plants, perhaps their care wouldn't be such a mystery!

"The reader is invited into the realm of cells to better understand what goes on inside roots, stems and leaves when they grow," Capon said.

Thus the exciting processes that occur from the time a seed is planted until the plant reaches maturity are explained. All of us could learn from such information.

Marty Figley is a master gardener based in Birmingham.

Art recreates history



In his painting of General Robert E. Lee, Richard Miller gives the southern military leader a commanding presence and a strong physical tie to the land he chose to defend.

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This artist is an avid researcher. He has an extensive reference library, a film library of 1,500 movies, many historical documentaries, and the equipment to make prints from films.

As he spoke about doing portraits of live subjects, he said, "I like to do a photo session — mostly candids. Then, the ideal situation is to set up a second session and have them sit live. I like to see the subject again before the painting is finished." It is then that he likes to check colors and expressions one more time before the work is completed."I've always considered myself, and studied very hard to be, a colorist. "

He also works in a variety of media, depending on the subject and often, his mood — oil, transparent watercolor, oil and acrylic wash, and conte crayon which he grinds and dissolves himself.

He has done about 75 paintings on the Civil War and says the subjects are almost endless, some are the portraits, many others are scenes — a troupe of soldiers waving from the train as they pass through a small town early in the war, small groups of soldiers riding together, a messenger at fast gallop, a little girl handing a bouquet of flowers to an amputee walking along a country lane, and the crowds lined up to watch the opening battle of the Civil War as if they were going on a picnic.

Miller also does landscapes and wilderness scenes.

Miller's work is available through 454 Gallerie of Grosse Pointe Park which is opening a branch at 176 S. Woodward, Birmingham as of March 1.

Vocal music award auditions set

Winners of two vocal awards will be selected in March.

Auditions for the Elizabeth Gardner $300 award, through the Michigan Federation of Music Clubs, will be 2-5:30 p.m. Sunday, March 3, at First Baptist Church of Birmingham. Application deadline is Feb. 22. Applicants must be 17-23 years old by March 3.

Applicants will be required to sing a selection from each of the categories: opera or oratorio — aria with recitative; old Italian; romantic — French or German; and 20th century — English language. A letter from the voice teacher is required.

BIRMINGHAM MUSICALE will have auditions for the $400 Charlotte Ruppel Memorial Voice Scholarship 1:30-5:30 p.m. Sunday, March 10, at First Baptist Church of Birmingham. Application deadline is March 2.

Applicants should prepare one aria — opera or oratorio, one foreign language art song and one contemporary American/British art song in English. Performance time should not exceed 10 minutes. Applicants must provide their own accompanist.

For application forms for either award, call Birmingham Musicale, 375-9534.

2 recitals slated

Schoolcraft College will host free recitals by mezzo soprano Judith Zorn and pianist Anne Koscielny.

Zorn will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, and Koscielny at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, in the Livonia college's Liberal Arts Theatre, 18600 Haggerty, south of Seven Mile.

Zorn is a member of the newly formed Schoolcraft College Chamber Players, a group of professional, classically trained musicians coached by Eugene Bossart, the college's Artist in Residence.

She has an established career in both classical choral and operatic singing and in musical comedy. She's a soloist Detroit Symphony Chorale and a member of the Detroit Bach Festival.

Koscielny's performance is sponsored by the college's Music Club. She'll perform the music of Bach, Beethoven, Chopin and Ravel.

On the piano faculty at the University of Maryland, she has performed as a soloist, chamber musician and with orchestras since age 10.

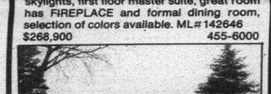
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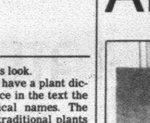


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Hilltop model overlooks trees and lovely Mirror Lake offering serenity and tranquility for the busy executive. Neutral decor throughout with great room plus library, originally purchased for corporate use only. Move-in condition. $308,900
H-179077

HANNETT, INC.
REALTORS
646-6200

NEW LISTINGS
EXECUTIVES DREAM! Perfect for entertaining. Large great room with fireplace and wet bar; dining room, 4 bedrooms, 2 full and 2 half baths, finished basement. $254,900.
851-6900

TRANSFEREE READY! Lovely newer Tudor home with 4 bedrooms, family room with cathedral ceiling, family kitchen area and large master bedroom. $195,000. 647-7100.

BEAUTIFUL CONTEMPORARY in a prime W. Bloomfield location. Neutral decor, living room with studio ceiling and fireplace. Glamorous lot with wood deck. $150,000.
851-6900

DESIRABLE CHAMBORD! Exceptional, immaculate and neutral decor combined with an excellent floor plan. Spacious rooms with custom built-ins. $485,000. 851-6900.

RALPH MANUEL
Real Estate One

OPEN SAT. 2-5
7446 Ann Or.
N. of 14 Mile, W. of Drake
West Bloomfield
STOP LOOKING! The way to best this perfect W. Bloomfield ranch. 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, basement & more. $168,000
MAM 626-4000

MAX BROOCK, INC 626-4000

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
6572 NORTH SHORE COURT
WEST BLOOMFIELD
ONE OF A KIND! Custom-built lower 4 bedroom, 4 full baths, 3 fireplaces, in-law suite. Over 3/4 acre private lot with electric garage generator. Lake privileges! $289,900.

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
2856 IVANHOE
WEST BLOOMFIELD
OUTSTANDING VALUE. Immaculate Sylvan Manor ranch. All appliances, 3 bedroom plus den, updated baths, freshly painted, central air, fenced yard, 2 car garage. $87,000.

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
3196 WINDWOOD DRIVE
WEST BLOOMFIELD
PREMIUM TREED LOT. New elegant contemporary with traditional touch from gracious 2 story foyer to huge master suite. Cathedral ceiling. LEASE - BUY. ALL OFFERS CONSIDERED!

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
5480 POSSUM LANE
WEST BLOOMFIELD
ORCHARD LAKE SCHOOLS. 5 bedroom, 3½ bath contemporary estate on 1.45 manicured acres. Large deck, Florida room, courtyard entry, 2 fireplaces, finished basement. $272,500.

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
5257 POND BLUFF
WEST BLOOMFIELD
NEW AND UNIQUE! Cobblestone colonial - creek running through property. 4 bedroom, 2½ bath. Must see! $285,000. (PND)

REAL ESTATE ONE
681-5700

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
4253 SOMERVILLE. Walk-out brick/aluminum, central air, deck, attractive price! 4 bedroom

CROSSWORD PUZZLER

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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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304 Farmington — Farmington Hills

¡Newest Listing!
You found it! Exciting find! Vinyl sided ranch w/over 1000 sq.ft. hardwood floors, 3 bedrooms, 1½ bath, fresh paint, lovely tree lined street. $79,900.

"...Try a Little Tenderness"
Walk to downtown Farmington. Quality built brick ranch needs your flair for decorating. 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, lovely lot. Priced to move. $112,900.

NETWORK
REAL ESTATE
476-1600

OPEN SUN. 1-4: 27494 Hystone Dr. 3 bedroom colonial on ¼ acre corner lot. Central air, great room/fireplace, deck, sprinkler system, open floor plan. $138,500. 474-4041

OPEN SUN 1-5/BY OWNER
28428 The Hunt/Kendallwoods Sub, N. of 12, W. of Farmington. 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, finished basement with many extras, hardwood floors, carpeting, all updated throughout, large wooded lot, private redwood deck, trees swim & tennis club membership. $129,900. 553-0127 #7140

REDUCED $9,000
For quick sale, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial. Enjoy the privacy of this split-level deck or walk-out basement. Rec room with fireplace & wet bar, hook and 1st floor laundry too! Asking $139,900. 476-0322

CALL CHRIS COURTNEY

Remerica
HOMETOWN REALTORS
420-3400

ROLLING OAKS Stunning Tudor nestled among the woods, free form kitchen, marble fireplace, family room, lib rary, wood deck. $259,900.
MOV
MAX BROCCK 626-400

ROLLING OAKS, 4 bedroom contemporary, updated, all amenities including hot tub, move-in condition. $215,000. 661-1042

"Standing Ovation!
"A' Real Show Stopper" Gorgeous 3 bedroom brick ranch in one of the heart of downtown Farmington. Hartlet Meadows. Priced to sell. Low central air. Florida room, 2 car attached garage. $139,900.

OPEN SUN. 1-4PM
PLENTY OF ELBOW ROOM! - 3 Bedroom Brick ranch in convenient location. Full walk-out basement. 2 car garage. Andersen windows, stainmaster carpet, situated on 2½ acres. Professionally landscaping. $189,900. Ask for

Al Thomas

NETWORK
REAL ESTATE
476-1600

TOO GOOD TO LAST
Immaculate, 3 bedroom, 1½ bath brick home, large custom kitchen & privately fenced yard. Open Sun., 1-4. Call for details. $Priced at 109,900.

ERA ACCENT
421-7040

ULTRA MODERN COLONIAL, Brookview Estates, finished basement, inground pool. $160,000.
HELP-U-SELL REAL ESTATE
454-9535

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(Off 7 Mile, West of Gill)

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304 Farmington — Farmington Hills

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ERA ACCENT
421-7040

$ DESIRABLE $
This brick beauty offers 3 bedrooms, modern kitchen, family room, fireplace, finished basement, 2½ garage with opener. Priced right at $103,900.

CENTURY 21
Hartford South
261-4200

305 Brighton-Hartland Howell

BRIGHTON AREA/Hartland Schools Cozy, comfortable living in this 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick ranch home. Large basement, lake privileges. Immediate occupancy. $126,500, priced for quick sale. 477-0711 632-6261 #7140

BRIGHTON, beautiful custom home, lake access, excellent commuter location, 3 bedrooms, family room, 1½ bath, 3 bedrooms, fireplace, must see! $139,900. 313-632-7542

BRIGHTON: Unique 3 level contemporary on Winans Lake. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, family room, lakefront deck. $169,900 (ALH6591)

NEW HUDSON: Priced to sell. Beautiful 3 bedroom mobile home. Just right for first time buyers. $13,300 (MH6590).

COLDWELL BANKER
BRIGHTON TOWN & COUNTRY
227-1111

BRIGHTON - 3 bedroom, 2 bath colonial with family sub, central air, fireplace in family room, large deck overlooking pool, ready to move in to. Open Sunday Feb. 10 2-5pm. 878 Alpine Dr. $122,900. 227-6334

PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP - Immaculate 3 bedroom 2 bath ranch with beautiful custom kitchen, fireplace in family room, large deck off dining area, central air, finished basement. Privileges on Dunham Lake with membership. Must see to appreciate. $139,900. Ask for...

Jean Liggett
REAL ESTATE ONE
348-6430 476-8513

OPEN SUN. 1-5. Southfield, Beacon Sq., 27505 Arlington Ct. Contemporary 4 bedroom, 2½ bath, 1st floor laundry, alarm. $129,900. 354-0724

OPEN SUN. 2-5pm
29 Mile & Gratiot, Southfield
S. of 9 Mile, E. of Inkster
Two story, 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, full basement, detached garage, on a corner lot with FHA terms available. $63,500. Ask for

Frank Stulock
REAL ESTATE ONE
477-1111 476-8155

SERENE and WHOLESOME
A country setting is the sight of this 3 bedroom brick ranch with family room, natural fireplace, park-like setting with approximately ½ acre. $139,900.

MOVE RIGHT IN! Charming 4 bedroom Colonial in excellent condition. Hardwood floors, fireplace in cozy family room, doorwall to deck. Lovely fenced-in yard. $99,500.

COMPLETELY UPDATED CONTEMPORARY - Country living, 3 bedroom, 2 full bath in soft neutral tones. Large family room plus library could be 4th bedroom. Florida room & loaded with extras. $164,900. -

CENTURY 21 TODAY
855-2000

$ 1ST OFFERING $
Beautiful 3 bedroom Colonial in Village has bathed walkout to patio & garden. 3 bedrooms, Country Kitchen, 3 baths, family room plus fireplace. A dream home for only $139,900.

CENTURY 21
Hartford South
261-4200

306 Southfield-Lathrup

OWNER TRANSFERRED
Excellent 3 bedroom colonial in move in condition. New windows and doorwall. Finished basement, fireplace. $109,900.

CENTURY 21
PREMIERE Real Estate Co.
626-8800

SOUTHFIELD - OPEN SUN 1-5
17391 Roxbury, N. of 8 Mi., E. of Southfield. 3 bedroom Cape Cod, 1 full & 2 half bath, hardwood floors, finished rec. room. $77,900. 569-3973

307 South Lyon Milford-Highland

AMERICAN
as apple pie. Colonial with 4-5 bedrooms, 2 fireplaces, dining room, basement, attached garage & deep lot. Walk to South Lyon.

Century 21
Home Center 476-7000

CUSTOM
QUALITY COLONIAL
4.6 wooded acres. 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths. Built in 1990. 3800 sq. ft.; 2 story walk-out. Enter on the second floor, fireplace between master bedroom and master bath. Private deck off main hall area and much, much more. $299,900. Open every Sunday 1-5pm. 1640 Hickory Ridge Trail. Call today and ask for Jeff Hoover.

347-3050
COLDWELL BANKER
Schweitzer Real Estate

Green Oak Twp.

JUST LISTED
Lake privileges offered with this 4 bedroom Colonial sitting on over 1 acre, this home features a large kitchen and family room, opening to a deck with built-in BBQ, first floor laundry, and finished basement. Asking $139,900.

CALL CHRIS COURTNEY

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HOME TOWN REALTORS
420-3400

MILFORD/Carmen Construction Co. New Homes – 3,100 sq.ft. on 1½ acre lots, private road, natural gas, underground utilities. Starting at $239,900. More lots available to build to suit. 563-5272

MILFORD PINE MEADOWS - only 6 sites left including stunning pine treed corner site adjacent to Kensington Metro Park. Call 362-4150 or 685-5807.

MILFORD/WHITE LAKE - New contemporary on 2 acre wooded lot, basement, 1 acre lot, private paved subdivision, approx. 1,800 sq.ft. plus, home $176,900. Negotiable. 360-4810

SHARP COLONIAL
Near schools & shopping. 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, dining room, 1st floor laundry, hard wood floors! terms possible. Fast occupancy. Contact Century 21 Hartford South-West & ask for Linda Roberts.

CENTURY 21
Hartford South-West
477-4111 Home: 437-1546

SOUTH LYON - brick ranch, 2 car attached garage, 3 bedrooms, finished basement, storage shed, lots of new items. $111,900. 437-4654

SOUTH LYON – Country Lane Estates. 2,200 sq.ft. contemporary, 2 story, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, large great room, first floor laundry, hall acre lots. $160,400. Open House Sat. & Sun. 1-5. Or call 12-5pm or shown by appointment. 1½ miles W. of Pontiac Tr. off of 10 Mile Rd., enter on Ponderosa through Oakwood Manor.

A.J. VAN OYEN BUILDERS
229-2080 684-1226

South Lyon
ENERGY EFFICIENT: 3 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial with walkout basement (1800 sq.ft.), central air, gas fireplace in great room, 2½ car attached garage. $156,500

SOUTH LYON: Immaculate 3 bed rooms, family room with fireplace, large kitchen with many options. Professionally landscaped. Exterior deck-patio. $129,900. 437-2151

RE/MAX Countryside
486-5000

S. LYON
New construction – ranches from $113,000. Colonials from $104,900. Basements, fireplaces & up to the best deals around!
EAGLE RIDGE/ERA 437-3800

S. LYON STEAL!
A sensational buy on a newly built ranch ready to move into. 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, fireplace, 2 full baths, dining room, 1st floor laundry, hardwood floors, family room, 2 car attached garage. Only $114,900.

Call Diane Braykovich
RE/MAX 100 INC.
348-3000

S. LYON TOWNSHIP
Cheapest in Oakland County! Many 3 bedroom colonial boasting large kitchens, family rooms, ceilings & corner fireplace; full basement, attached garage w/door opener, 1st floor laundry, central air, all on manicured lots. Only $117,900. Ask for Steve Stockton.

RE/MAX 100 INC.
348-3000

TREED MINI ESTATE
5 plus acres, privated road, beautiful Spacious Colonial, 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, lower level walk-out, near new roof, like new in condition. $199,999.

459-6000
COLDWELL BANKER
Schweitzer Real Estate

308 Rochester-Troy

'A RETREAT AWAY'
Colonial in Rochester Hills on gorgeous cul-de-sac, bath off master bedroom. $124,900. (29MOH)

PRESTIGIOUS
ROCHESTER HILLS RANCH
Great room brick ranch, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 2 car garage, cul-de-sac. Deck, fireplace, central air, many extras! $157,000. (41PAR)

CENTURY 21 EAST
299-6200

IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY! 4 yr. old Troy Colonial w/Birmingham schools. Features 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, library, breakfast nook, family room w/fireplace, 1st floor laundry, in neutrals, great family neighborhood. Priced for quick buyers! Asking $245,000!

HEPPARD
478-2000

EXECUTIVE CONTEMPORARY
Newer 4 bedroom, deck, gazebo, professionally landscaped to rear of High School. $239,000.
Realty World - McIntyre Assoc. Inc.
642-7747

OPEN SUN. 1-4PM
1953 Lake Dr.
S. of Long Lake, E. of Coolidge
Custom built Southfield Oak Ridge Home. Dramatic 2 story foyer with hardwood floors, formal dining room, vaulted family room, full bath bedroom on first floor, family room. $349,900.

CALL GIGI DEBBRECHT
THE PRUDENTIAL
GREAT LAKES REALTY
646-6000 or 646-9033

OPEN SUN. 1-4
• 1791 LARK
S. of Long Lake, W. of Coolidge
4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 3½ car garage, central air, library. $214,000

689-3300
COLDWELL BANKER
Schweitzer Real Estate

308 Rochester-Troy

NEW LISTING
DREAM HOUSE! Wonderful 4 bedroom home offers a perfect decor, formal library/den, dining room, family room with fireplace, gourmet kitchen and deck. $162,500. 647-7100

RALPH MANUEL

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
1982 WESTMORE (S. Of Dutton, W. of Adams). Rochester dream home! 4,000 sq. ft. of luxury living. Great room colonial with 2 story bay window, 3 fireplaces, 4 bedrooms, walk-out basement, custom oak & ceramic. (H987)

THE PRUDENTIAL
CHERO REALTY
739-8200

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
5405 WESTMORE. Brick/aluminum quad-level, soft contemporary, 1st floor laundry, 2 baths, 4 rooms, $179,900

Call HMS 353-7170

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
2044 JOANNE Fenced brick two-story colonial on deep lot, wet bar, beamed ceilings, patio, 4 bedrooms, $169,000

Call HMS 353-7170

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5

ROCHESTER HILLS. Spectacular wooded lot; newer colonial offering a beautiful 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, walkout, central air, sprinklers, cedar deck and more. $209,900.

1397 Sandy Ridge Drive
N. off Tienken, E. of Brewster

Mary Jo Flett, (651-3500)
WEIR, MANUEL, SNYDER, RANKE

OPEN SUN. 2-5PM
1820 SOUTH BLVD.
E. of Crooks in Rochester. Construction complete. 1600 sq. ft., 3 bedrooms, basement, garage. $134,900.

ORCHARD LAKE ASSOCIATES
855-8600 or 855-0936

N. ROCHESTER HILLS - Clean 3 bedroom, 2 bath home, basement & 2 car garage. Owner has new job, 241 Lexington. $139,900. 852-6643

ROCHESTER HILLS, 2 bedrooms, completely remodeled, finished basement, all appliances, new furnace, air, new furnace, new kitchen, $69,900. Ask for Carolyn, Century 21 Oak. 739-6900 or 254-9696

TROY-BY OWNER. Contemporary 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 car, 1st floor laundry, study, fireplace, central air. $108,900. 689-6923

TROY OPEN SUN.
OPEN 1-4PM
6847 HIGHLAND
S. of South Blvd., E of Crooks
Absolutely a condo! 5 year old beautiful ranch with Great Room, Stone Fireplace, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, full basement, deep, side entrance garage on cul-de-sac lot. Deck, air conditioning. This is a tremendous value. Won't last long. $165,800.

OPEN 1-4PM
789 DREW
N. of Square Lake, E. of Crooks
Cul-de-Sac lot offers total privacy, backing to beautiful mature spruce trees. This tudor has 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 1st floor laundry, 2 car side entrance garage, central air, clean-air, security system, deck, sprinklers. Built 1986. $193,800.

THE PRUDENTIAL
GREAT LAKES REALTY
689-8900

309 Royal Oak-Oak Park Huntington Woods

BERKLEY - Charming Ranch. Double lot. Many extras. Must see! $79,900. Open Sun. 1-5. 1277 Larkmoor Blvd. 547-6018

GOOD FAMILY NEIGHBORHOOD
Nice 3 bedroom ranch in a quiet community with family room and finished basement. Many updates. $46,900 (S3ISUS)

647-1900
COLDWELL BANKER
Schweitzer Real Estate

NEW LISTING
ROYAL OAK FAMILY NEIGHBORHOOD! Quiet single bungalow with fireplace in family room open to updated kitchen with dining, bedroom up-stairs and circular drive on side of house. $84,900. 647-7100

RALPH MANUEL

Oak Park/Royal Oak
ASSUMABLE
LAND CONTRACT
Investors/1st time buyers! Very handy-man special. Exterior almost complete. $56,600.

QUIET NEIGHBORHOOD
Fantastic 3 bedroom ranch close to schools and shopping. New kitchen. $59,900

WITHIN YOUR MEANS
Well maintained 3 bedroom bungalow in great family area. Updated kitchen with eating area. Basement ceiling in living room. $66,900

CENTURY 21
PREMIERE Real Estate Co.
626-8800

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
2962 DONNA
S. of 13 Mile, W. of Crooks
ROYAL OAK - Ranch with finished home w/1,780 sq.ft., b asement, & 2 car attached garage, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath. $149,900.

MAX BROCCK 626-4000

OPEN SUN. 12-2:30
3139 11 MILE
S./11 Mile, W./Scotia
3 or 4 bedroom brick bungalow. Hardwood floors, wood stove, basement & 2 car garage. Owner has new job, 241 Lexington. $139,900. 852-6643

ROCHESTER HILLS
2 bedrooms, 2 full baths, Cape Cod w/finished basement, 2½ car garage, excellent condition. $134,900.

Randy Russell
RE/MAX 100 INC.
348-3000, 320-5810

311 Homes — Oakland County

CHARM AND STYLE ABOUND in this exceptional 4 bedroom country colonial. Nearly 3000 square feet on 3 acres in Clarkston. Oak trim, crown moldings and beautiful bow window are just a few of the outstanding features in this lovely designed area over the 3 car garage - and additional bedrooms or in-law quarters. $259,900.

The Prudential
Proctor, Inc.
REALTORS
625-5700 363-5700

OPEN SUN. 1-5
Clawson 3 bedroom bungalow with living room fireplace, formal dining, newer kitchen with island, 1½ baths, finished basement with fireplace, 2 car garage. $91,900. 502 S. Garganus, S. of I-75 and Crooks.

GWEN SCHULTZ
RALPH MANUEL
625-4600

KEEGO HARBOR - New construction, 3 bedroom, ranch, W. Bloomfield schools. Boat docking. $79,999. 681-0237

NEW LISTING
CHARMING 3 bedroom, 1½ bath ranch, 2 bath 1987 colonial backto-back fireplaces, family room, fireplace & study, 1½ bath basement. $143,000. 851-6600.

RALPH MANUEL

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
26614 LENORE - Brick and aluminum; ceramic tile baths, modern kitchen, ceiling fans. $63,900.
Call HMS 353-7170

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
1398 PICCADILLY - Nicely great family area, 1½ baths, a real find — don't wait!
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SUGDEN LAKE - all sports. 40 feet. Immaculate. Cedar Cabin. Carpeting, 2 bedrooms, $99,000
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SYLVAN LAKE PRIVILEGES
Well maintained 3 bedroom family room with fireplace; partially finished basement, ceramic, entry, hardwood and much, much more. Super Buy! $86,850 (W-368SUL)

737-9000
COLDWELL BANKER
Schweitzer Real Estate

312 Livonia

Alluring Homes
ELDON ROOM
Beautiful 4 bedroom colonial this charming 3 bedroom plus family room, fireplace, 2½ baths, finished den and attached garage. Nice area. $89,900.

YOUR HOME
Spacious brick Colonial on a gorgeous ¼ acre lot includes a huge country kitchen with island, formal dining, natural fireplace, 2½ baths, 4 bedrooms, finished basement & 2 attached 2 car garage. $124,500.

OFFERS SO MUCH
Beautiful 4 bedroom, 2½ bath brick Colonial offers large family room with natural fireplace, 1st floor laundry, dining room, finished basement & 2 tiered yard plus attached 2 car garage. Great location. $144,500.

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1986, 87, 88, 89 & 90

A PERFECT FAMILY HOME
Large brick ranch tucked in a cul-de-sac. Deck, fireplace, central air, security system, deck, sprinklers. Built 1986. $193,800.

THE PRUDENTIAL
GREAT LAKES REALTY
689-8900

310 Wixom-Commerce Lakes Area

COMMERCE VILLAGE
204 Farr St. Off Carroll Lake Rd. Remodeled 2 bedroom/1-room basement, attached garage, large lot, also 2 bedroom. $48,500.
Homeowners Concept 348-5977

CONTEMPORARY beach front condo with lake views. Large balcony with doorwall off living room. Swimming pool, all sports lake. Slips available, garage & many amenities. $84,700. Ryan Days 544-6636. Eves 624-0706

MARRIAGE CONSOLIDATION causes sale of home. Very sharp 3 bedroom Ranch, 1 bath, finished basement, 2½ car attached garage, large lot, lake access. Open Sun. 12-5pm. 9526 Garden Terrace, Union Lake. 1 blk. S. of Commerce, W. of Newton. Asking $67,900.

310 Wixom-Commerce Lakes Area

COMMERCE - Building custom homes. 1,800-3,600 sq.ft. $179,900 up. Exclusive, quiet sub. 14 large wooded lots. Paved private roads, underground utilities. 2 models open 1-5pm daily except Thurs. Rocky Top Ct. S. of Commerce Rd. 1 mile W. of Glengary Rd.
Welch Construction 685-0248

COMMERCE - OVER AN ACRE
Brick ranch featuring park like setting. Oak floors, family room with cathedral ceiling & natural fireplace, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, finished 34x18 above ground pool and much more. $172,000.

THE MICHIGAN GROUP
REALTORS 360-6300

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
2345 CHELTINGHAM, Sylvan Lake
EXCELLENT VALUE! Three bedroom ranch with all the extras, two car attached garage, central air, 1,900 sq.ft. of living space situated on a gorgeous ½ acre lot in Bloomfield Schools overlooking inground pool. A delightful home, tastefully decorated and in neutral tones. Call on this one right away, you won't be disappointed. $229,900.

This One Has It All
including a perfect cul-de-sac location, 2½ baths, 4 bedrooms, 2 fireplaces, 2 car attached garage, deck and fenced yard. Protection, $102,900. Call Tom Reed for details. N-150LC.

ERA COUNTRY RIDGE
464-7111

WALLED LAKE - 3 bedroom, brick ranch, on cul-de-sac. Approx 1600 sq. ft. 2 full baths, family room, carpeting throughout, all appliances, 2 car garage, open floor plan, air, wooded lot. $117,900. 624-1275

WIXOM'S BEST BUY
3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, Cape Cod w/finished basement, 2½ car garage, excellent condition. $134,900.

Randy Russell
RE/MAX 100 INC.
348-3000, 320-5810

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SUGDEN LAKE - all sports. 40 feet. Immaculate. Cedar Cabin. Carpeting, 2 bedrooms, $99,000
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SYLVAN LAKE PRIVILEGES
Well maintained 3 bedroom family room with fireplace; partially finished basement, ceramic, entry, hardwood and much, much more. Super Buy! $86,850 (W-368SUL)

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Alluring Homes
ELDON ROOM
Beautiful 4 bedroom colonial this charming 3 bedroom plus family room, fireplace, 2½ baths, finished den and attached garage. Nice area. $89,900.

YOUR HOME
Spacious brick Colonial on a gorgeous ¼ acre lot includes a huge country kitchen with island, formal dining, natural 2-way fireplace plus a family room, 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, finished & attached 2 car garage. $124,500.

OFFERS SO MUCH
Beautiful 4 bedroom, 2½ bath brick Colonial offers large family room with natural fireplace, 1st floor laundry, dining room, finished basement & 2 tiered yard plus attached 2 car garage. Great location. $144,500.

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A PERFECT FAMILY HOME
Large brick ranch tucked in a cul-de-sac. Deck, fireplace, central air, security system, deck, sprinklers. Built 1986. $193,800.

THE PRUDENTIAL
GREAT LAKES REALTY
689-8900

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DREAMS START HERE!
Take a country size corner lot in Livonia & add a 3 bedroom bath & vinyl ranch with 2½ garage and full basement already prepared for that bath. Include hardwood floors throughout, a kitchen with pantry, ceiling fan and even a 1 year home warranty and what have you got? A real dream come true at only $81,500

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J. Scott, Inc.
522-3200

EXQUISITELY DECORATED 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch. Finished basement, 2 car garage, professionally landscaped. Call for appointment. $94,900. (L14Fon). Call 462-2950

DEFINITELY NOT A DRIVE BY! 4 bedroom, 2½ bath raised ranch. Exciting amenities! Totally updated in 1988 with gourmet kitchen, family room with fireplace. Rolling parklike setting. Immediate occupancy. $183,500. (L78Sta). Call 462-2950

A very special COVENTRY WOODS home features over 2,100 sq.ft. of outstanding floor plan situated on over ¼ acre country lot. Subdivision has its own private wonderful family neighborhood. (L44Gou) $144,900. Call 462-2950.

Quality
REAL ESTATE
Better Homes & Gardens

GORGEOUS 1½ acre secluded ravine lot - mint condition - 3 bedroom, ranch home, huge garage, decks, unfinished attic. $126,900. CALL LYNNE JACOBS
Jim Christie Real Estate
565-1000

GREAT INVESTMENT
This completely updated duplex is a super investment. Rent one out or both, either way you win. Call for more information. $92,500 (P24Lam)

RAMBLING RANCH
In beautiful Summer Creek Sub. has 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, large great room with fireplace, 1st floor professional landscaped lot that is cleverly treed, 2 car garage. Just add into bloom this spring. $219,000 (P61Nel)

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LIVONIA
OPEN SUN. 1-5
THE ULTIMATE IN QUALITY
36714 Lexington, W. of Levan, E. of Levan. If you demand the best, consider this approximate 1300 sq. ft. quadlevel, with everything upgraded throughout. Professionally landscaped. All new windows throughout, 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 2 fireplaces, 2 car garage. Absolutely no drive by! Come see us! Only $129,900.

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LIVONIA RANCH
CALL JIM WILBANKS
Sharp 3 bedroom brick family room fireplace, central air, rec room, 2 car attached garage. Realty Professionals
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Spacious charming updated farmhouse, 3 bedrooms, huge dining & living room, formal dining room, garage and extra workshop. $74,900.

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RE/MAX WEST 522-8040

LIVONIA
2 NEW SUBS
Cape Cods, Ranches, Colonials
427-3295

LIVONIA - 3 bedroom prime ranch, newly decorated completely, earth tones, 2 car garage, treed lot. $79,900 and Levan area. $143,900. 464-2109

LOTS OF room in this spacious colonial that includes a family room with fireplace, 2½ baths, 4 bedrooms with extra bedroom and a formal living room with fireplace. Recently been redecorated and even includes many extra updates. $129,900

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
EVERYTHING AND MORE is included in this oversized brick ranch with 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, family room, extremely large kitchen with built-in-desk, formal dining room, finished basement, and large fenced yard. $105,900.

The Prudential
Harry S. Wolfe,
REALTORS
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Independently Owned and Operated

MERRIMAN & 7 Mile - 3 bedroom brick ranch, 1½ bath, finished basement, 2 car garage, professionally landscaped. Must see! $89,900. 277-6084

OPEN SUNDAY 1-5
Great family room with fireplace, 3 bedroom brick ranch in excellent location. Florida Room, oversized garage. $79,900.

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Need large bedrooms? This 4 bedroom, 2½ bath Cape Cod is for you! Florida Room. Formal dining room, huge garage, decks, unfinished attic. $126,900. CALL LYNNE JACOBS
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Magnificent Colonial
(Open Sunday, 1-4). Northwest Livonia's Own Pinecreek Sub is the place to live. 2,000 sq.ft. square ft. 4 bedroom, 2½ bath. Full finished basement, dining room, eat-in kitchen, and 1st floor laundry. $195,900.

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BURTON HOLLOW ESTATES
Neutral decor, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, remodeled kitchen, walk out basement, 2 fireplaces, 2 car attached garage, deck. $174,900.

HEPPARD
855-6570

BY OWNER - custom built 4 bedroom, 2½ bath, Farmington Schools, home offers complete landscaped yard with deck, sprinkler system, professionally decorated with 2 fireplaces, 2 bay windows, central air, finished 2 car garage with many more upgrades. Impressive 2,500 sq.ft. home located in Livonia's N.W. Subdivision - Deer Creek Estates. $269,000 476-5808

BY OWNER Near schools, 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch, finished basement, fenced yard, 31442 Alabama, and condition. $114,900. 261-0644

CENTRALLY located in Livonia's Woodcreek Farm Sub., in a wooded courtyard setting, this 4,000 sq.ft. 3 bedroom, 2½ bath, brick ranch with many custom features, 2 car attached garage including air conditioning, sprinkler system. $159,900. Call for private showing. 421-3534

A prime Colonial, treed lot, desirable location, 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths. $129,900, terms. Home warranty. 615 NINTH ST. 645-0028

$65,000

Charming Downtown 2 story, 2 bedroom, dining room with French doors to deck, fenced-in yard on good sized kitchen & beautiful hardwood floors. Owner after 6pm 547-4944. SALES CONNECTION - 258-0852

310 Wixom-Commerce Lakes Area

COMMERCE VILLAGE
204 Farr St. Off Carroll Lake Rd. Remodeled 2 bedroom/1-room basement, attached garage, large lot, also 2 bedroom. $48,500.
Homeowners Concept 348-5977

CONTEMPORARY beach front condo with lake views. Large balcony with doorwall off living room. Swimming pool, all sports lake. Slips available, garage & many amenities. $84,700. Ryan Days 544-6636. Eves 624-0706

MARRIAGE CONSOLIDATION causes sale of home. Very sharp 3 bedroom Ranch, 1 bath, finished basement, 2½ car attached garage, large lot, lake access. Open Sun. 12-5pm. 9526 Garden Terrace, Union Lake. 1 blk. S. of Commerce, W. of Newton. Asking $67,900.

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OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY 1-4
15506 NORTHLAWN - Mint & W of Newburgh. THINK SPRING!! Blue-Grass Farms ranch, 3 bedrooms, 1¼ baths, family room, fireplace, large country kitchen, basement, attached garage. $129,900.

OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY 2-5
36373 Jamison, S. of 5 Mile & E. of Levan. JUST LISTED!! Sharp 3 bedroom, 1½ bath ranch with family room & attached garage 112,500

RED CARPET KEIM
SUBURBAN
261-1

326 Condos

BLOOMFIELD HILLS - Don't miss this beautiful Adams Woods Condo. Immediate occupancy in 2 bedroom, 2 bath townhouse with rec room & ½ bath in finished basement. Move-in condition, neutral decor, 2 car garage. All for $149,900.
Call 642-0703.
Thompson-Brown

CANTON - CLASSY CONDO! Neutrally decorated 2 bedroom, 1½ bath townhouse. Great location! Private entry and yard. Exceptional value. $74,900.

PLYMOUTH - Land Contract Available! 3 bedroom, 2½ bath, central air, basement, garage, quick occupancy, and buyer protection plan. End unit for privacy. $139,900.
CENTURY 21
SUBURBAN
455-5880 464-0205

CANTON N.- 1 bedroom loft, vaulted ceilings, finished basement, lots of storage space, window treatments, all appliances, central air, private entrance. $54,500. 454-4601

CASS LAKE Condo, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, garage, dock. Appliances; washer, dryer, microwave & dish washer. Priced to sell! 683-5222

CROSSWINDS, FARMINGTON HILLS. Immediate occupancy, 3 bedroom, 2½ bath ranch, finished basement, $113,900. 661-8696

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DOWNTOWN FARMINGTON
Gorgeous! Ready to move into condo. Fully carpeted, cathedral ceiling, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, full basement, central air, private courtyard. $159,900 and $169,900.
HEPPARD
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FARMINGTON HILLS
Woodland Pines, must sell. Built 2-90, 3 bedrooms up, full basement, attached garage with opener, 2½ baths with tile, tile foyer, Stainmaster carpet, stove, dishwasher, refrigerator, mini and vertical blinds, fireplace, wooded view. By owner or rent with option to buy. $127,900. Eves. 352-5089. Days 522-1155

FARMINGTON HILLS-Wow! Great view of pool & courts. Never lived in. 2 bedroom, 2 bath. Fireplace. By owner. Reduced $115,800. 624-4797

FARMINGTON Hills - OPEN HOUSE Sun. 1-4pm. 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, 1100sqft. Ask for Jeff Isetts. Century 21, Dynamic. 562-5000

FARMINGTON HILLS - Currently leased, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, pool, tennis, microwave oven, appliances & drapes, $69,000. 626-7129

FARMINGTON HILLS, must sell fast, sharp Village Green, only $44,900. Convenient location. In-ground pool, appliances. 851-6309

FARMINGTON HILLS-Beautiful 2 bedroom, 1½ bath townhouse, skylights, fireplace, custom finished basement, deck, neutral colors, pool & tennis courts. $98,900. Call after 5pm, 788-0429

Farmington Hills
38849 Country Circle
Designer-decorated, brick and wood townhome, tennis court, 2 bedroom $97,000
353-7170
Call HMS 353-7170

Farmington Hills
29890 West 12 Mile
Open Sunday 2-5, 2 bedroom, close to all amenities, tennis court. Modern kitchen. $66,900
535-7170
Call HMS 353-7170

FARMINGTON HILLS
Immaculate 2 bedroom, 1½ bath home features all appliances, central air, vaulted ceilings with 2 skylights. Many builder upgrades. Includes 1 year home warranty. Immediate occupancy. $89,747. (C311)
Century 21 West 349-6800

FARMINGTON HILLS
Walkout ranch & townhouse at 12 Mile & Middlebelt. Cathedral ceilings, a lot of land, 2 full baths, ceramic tiled foyer, full basement, central air, 2 car attached garage. $147,900.
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Farmington Hills
BEST CONDO BUY!
Almost 1,500 sq. ft. condo. 2 large bedrooms, formal dining room, 2 full baths, covered porch, & much more. Asking only $73,900 (N35ECH)
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Farmington Hills
NO FUSS - If you're always on the run you'll appreciate this hassle free 2 bedroom, 2 bath condo with 1,300 square feet of well planned, living area. Central air, upgraded carpet, light fixtures and cabinets, 2 car garage and full basement. 9 Mile & Drake area for $162,900.
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FARMINGTON HILLS
Better than new 3 bedrooms, 3 bath ranch style contemporary condo located on a private in soft, neutral gray tones, stained woodwork, ceramic, foyer, kitchen and laundry room. Finished lower walk-out basement is perfect for entertaining or out of town guests. $174,900

NOVI
OPEN SUNDAY 1-4 View of the pond in this super quiet location. Many upgrades include mirrors, skylights, faucets, cupboards, carpeting and linoleum. Tastefully decorated in neutral gray decor, private patio with deck, full basement and garage. One showing will sell this 2 bedroom, 1½ bath condo in popular Crosswinds West. $96,900
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KNOLLWOOD PTE.
BLOOMFIELD TWP.
N. Of Maple, E. of Inkster
A beauty! Contemporary luxury upper end unit. Huge great room has doorwall to balcony, champagne formica kitchen has top of line appliances, large master bedroom suite has dressing area and walk-in closets, walk-out lower level, immediate possession. Motivated owner. Asking $169,900.
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THE MICHIGAN GROUP REALTORS
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LIVONIA LAUREL WOODS by owner, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, garage, pool, great location. Must sell getting married. $106,900 464-6234

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FARMINGTON HILLS
BEAUTIFUL ECHO VALLEY. Three units available, one bedroom and two two bedrooms. Neutrtal decor, new carpeting. Club house, nicely landscaped grounds. Immediate occupancy! Won't last long. Call Now. $74,900
RED CARPET KEIM MAPLE, INC.
553-5888

FARMINGTON HILLS - WHY PAY RENT? - Secure upper location with deck. Super sharp condo offering newer carpeting & window treatments. Mirrored closet doors. All appliances stay. Including washer and dryer. Convenient to shopping and all transportation. Great investment opportunity.
$54,800. WIW-30C

BEST BUY AND LOCATION - In Bloomfield Hills! Mint condition, neutral decor, huge private basement and laundry area, large master with loads of closets. 1 story with private balcony off dining room. Inground pool. Bloomfield Schools. Close to shopping. Home Warranty. Motivated Seller.
$81,500. WO-28C.

WEST BLOOMFIELD - 2 bedroom ranch with 2 baths, full basement, attached garage, huge master suite with huge walk-in closet. Neutral decor. Bring all offers. ONLY $82,500. WO-20C.

OPEN SUN. 1-4PM
Pilots Crove Condo's - No Sign
N. of 12 Mile, E. of Inkster
26902 Twelve Mile West
20 UNIT CONDO COMPLEX - Low maintenance fee townhouse with 2 bedrooms, attached garage. Freshly painted, newer carpetirg and kitchen floor. Private entrance thru a lovely private landscaped courtyard. Deck. Walking distance to shopping, banks, restaurants. Owner Transferred. $81,900. WIW-26C

LOVE A SPECTACULAR VIEW? - Providence Towers stunning 2 bedroom 2 bath ranch with 30 ft. of balcony facing the city from the 11th floor hi-rise building. In unit laundry, all appliances, window treatments, neutral decor, plush interior. $86,900. PR-15C

BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP - Immediate possession available on this condo close to shopping & transportation. 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, updated kitchen, hardwood floors. All appliances included. Bloomfield Schools, pool, basement. Lowest price at $96,000. Lease/option considered. TR-13C.

EXCITING CONTEMPORARY TOWNHOUSE - In West Bloomfield features 2 spacious bedrooms, 2½ baths, white formica kitchen, ceramic, skylights, mirrors, attached 2 car garage. Must be seen! $111,900. DA-72C.

MOVE RIGHT INTO - This beautiful Bloomfield Hills condo offering 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, new kitchen, screened porch, nice size rooms, formal dining room, living room with hutch overlooking a scenic setting. $133,500. TI-17C.

WEST BLOOMFIELD CONTEMPORARY - Enter into the marble foyer and find skylights and plush floor covering. 3 bedrooms, 3 full baths. Wonderful walk-out basement with its own fireplace. 2 car attached garage, 4 door walls. Euro Cabinetry thru-out. Wooded ravine view. Priced to sell quickly.
$174,900. DA-72C.

EVER STEAL A CONDO ? Price slashed on this dream condo. Owner needs fast sale. 3 bedrooms, 2nd floor utility room. State of the art kitchen. Overlooks Fox Lake, Bloomfield Hills Schools. Hurry on this one! Opportunities are seldom labelled. $199,000. Terms. BO-20C.

GRACIOUS CONDO LIVING IS YOURS - In prestigious gatehouse community on Gilbert Lake. Immaculate ranch features huge foyer, living room with cathedral ceiling, track lighting, mirrored wet bar, dining room, family room, large bedrooms, 1st floor laundry, finished lower level. 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, spacious kitchen and nook. $229,900. WO-51C

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Northville
IS YOUR LIFE HUMDRUM?
Does your morale need a boost? Try moving to this luxurious end unit condo. First class all the way. Marble entry, skylights, garden room, great room, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, huge deck, attached 2 car garage. $149,900.
Betty Mills
RE/MAX 100, Inc.
348-3000

NEW LISTINGS
SUPER SHARP CONDO! Wonderful end unit with 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, great room with cathedral ceiling, private deck off dining area. $105,900. 647-7100.

PERSONALIZE this ranch new construction! Study, 2 bedrooms, high ceilings, many windows, full basement and convenient W. Bloomfield location. $178,900. 851-6900.

FAIRWAY. ON THE LAKES! Former model ranch end unit. Bold white open contemporaray, with vaulted ceilings, deck, full basement, security system and more. $200,000. 851-6900.

WABEEK CONDO overlooking golf course and lake. Built with all the finest amenities and professionally decorated. Your dream home awaites you. $418,000. 647-7100.
RALPH MANUEL

NORTHVILLE - Open House Sat. and Sun. 12-5, 18269 Blue Heron. * RESALE * Compare and save $50,000.

PLYMOUTH - 2 Bedroom, Atruim entry, Anderson wood windows. Built in 1988, $68,300.
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454-9535

NOVI - COUNTRY PLACE! Spacious, Airy one level condo with direct access garage. Park like front yard. 2 bedroom unit is priced to sell. $87,900.

NOVI - Much sought after Applegate ranch, 2 bedroom; 2 bath with many upgrades. Great location! 2 year old unit. $94,900.

ELK RAPIDS
Excellent rental investment! Condo on E. Grand Traverse Bay. Mins. to Grand Traverse Resort & Close to deep water marina, private beach & heated pool. Turn key operation. $109,500.

NOVI - ABSOLUTE PERFECTION!! Stunning 2 bedroom, 2½ bath ranch condo with courtyard setting. Professionally finished basement, fireplace and so much more. $124,900.
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Large master suite, Florida room, custom blinds, neutral tones, lovely use of mirrors. Close to expressways, banks, Jacobsons. Upgraded carpeting and ceramic baths, private entrance and pool. $104,900. Call:
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348-3000

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IMMACULATE, open floor plan, original owners, 3 bedrooms, basement, central air, fireplace in living room, clubhouse & inground pool, many extras. A steal at $74,900!
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MUST SELL
Beacon Hollow Condo. Unique floor plan, 2 massive master suites with full baths, living room offers fireplace and a picturesque view, huge kitchen, 1st floor laundry, computer room, basement, 2 car attached garage plus many extras. $149,850.
LETS DEAL
CALL JEAN BRANNAN.
RE/MAX WEST 261-1400
BEEPER 5992095

PLYMOUTH
OPEN SAT. 2-5
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ERA RYMAL SYMES

PLYMOUTH - PINEWOOD VILLAGE 2 bedroom, 1 bath, lower unit, carport, atrium, central air, Anderson Windows. $64,900. 459-1227

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2 Bedrooms, 1½ baths, near downtown. Finished basement, kitchen appliances, adults heat and water. Call Pat Stokes.
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500 S. Main St., Plymouth
455-6000

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Spacious bright 1st floor end unit, 1 bedroom, large living room; formal dining room, private foyer entrance. New windows, pool, and club room plus carport. $35,000.
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1988 prices, 3100 sq. ft. of carefree living. 19x17 master bedroom with large bath, 3 plus 2 plus 2, 17x14 living room, 2 fireplaces, dining room, 17x11 kitchen, oak cabinets, plush neutral decor, 1st floor laundry, finished walk-out, 2 golf courses, must sell $179,000. 656-6872

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● PIPELESS ORGAN

Classic Claviers of Farmington has announced that the Detroit Symphony Orchestra has selected the Galanti Praeludium III "pipeless" organ to use for its upcoming concert.

The orchestra, under Neeme Jarvi's direction, will perform the Camille Saint-Saens Symphony No. 3.

Performances are scheduled for 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 7, 10:45 a.m. Friday, Feb. 8, and 8:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, in Orchestra Hall, Detroit.

Organist will be Marilyn Mason, University of Michigan School of Music Organ Department chair.

Also on the program is the Violin Concerto No. 1 by Shostakovich and the world premiere of the Rapchak Sinfonia Antiqua. Nadja Salerno-Sonnenberg will be violin soloist.

For tickets, call 833-3700.

● DANCE TROUPE

The University of Michigan's University Dance Company will present "Trailblazers and Troubadours: Forty Years of Modern Dance" as part of the Power Series 90/91.

This program of lyric dances by influential choreographers plays today through Sunday at the Power Center for the Performing Arts, Ann Arbor.

It features two classics of modern dance repertory: Jose Limon's 1956 masterpiece "There Is A Time" and Lucas Hoving's 1964 "Icarus."

The dance troupe also will present three new works by U-M's dance faculty members Jessica Fogel, Peter Sparling and Vera Embree.

The program theme refers to both the founders of the modern dance movement and the new, younger choreographers finding their own voices by working from traditions established for them in the past.

Curtain time is 8 p.m. Feb. 7-9 and 2 p.m. Feb. 10. For tickets: 764-0450.

● OPERA FOR KIDS

For the second year, the University Musical Society of the University of Michigan is presenting two opera performances for fourth grade schoolchildren.

In collaboration with the New York City Opera National Company, 2,800 children and their chaperones will see specially constructed and adapted performances of Mozart's "The Marriage of Figaro" at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 14, in the Power Center for the Peforming Arts.

For most of these children, this Youth Opera Program marks their first exposure to opera. For "The Marriage of Figaro," children will be coming from such communities as Canton and Plymouth.

To prepare students for this experience, education materials are sent to participating teachers so that children are ready to listen to the performers, watch the set changes and perhaps even sing with the performers or participate onstage in one of the scenes.

● ARCHITECTURE LECTURES

A series of monthly lectures on Detroit-area architecture given by noted architecture and history professionals will begin Sunday, Feb. 17, at the Scarab Club in the New Center area in Detroit.

The first lecture will be "From Peacocks to Sunflowers: The Queen Anne Aesthetic Style," and will be given by Dorothy Kostuch, associate professor of art history at the Center for Creative Studies in Detoit.

Registration for each program begins at 3 p.m., with lectures starting at 3:15. Sponsored by Preservation Wayne, the Scarab Club and the Center for Creative Studies, the series will cover both residential and commercial structures and interior and exterior ornamentation, with local noteworthy examples.

Cost for each lecture is $5 for members of Preservation Wayne, Scarab Club and the Detroit Area Art Deco Society and for students and faculty of the Center for Creative Studies. General admission is $7.

Call 577-3559.

● YOUTH SYMPHONY

The Metropolitan Youth Symphony, consisting of 250 young people in three orchestras led by prominent music educators, will present its winter concert at 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 24, at Orchestra Hall, Detroit.

The hardworking musicians, ranging from fifth through 12th grades, come from 50 communities.

The string orchestra will be conducted by Jackqueline Coleman, Detroit Country Day School middle school music program department head and director.

Her group will perform selections from Hopak by Moussorgsky/A lshin, Hungarian Dance No. 5 by Brahms/Isaac, "Send in the Clowns" from "A Little Night Music" by Sondheim/Forsblad and Allegro in C major from Quartet No. 4 by Mozart/Isaac.

Richard Piippo, concert orchestra condcutor, is a cellist and teacher/conductor at Wayne State Univeristy. His musicians will play Symphony No. 8 in G major, opus 88 by Dvorak from the original score.

Alan McNair is concertmaster and assistant conductor of the Rochester Symphony and orchestra director at Troy High. His symphony orchestra, selected as this year's Orchestra of the Year for the Michigan Youth Arts Festival, will play Symphony No. 5 in E minor by Tchaikovsky.

Tickets are $15 box seats, $10 main floor, $8 lower balcony. Call 644-8105 for more information about the volunteer youth symphony. The symphony raises money for facilities rental and other expenses.

● SILENT AUCTION

The Detroit Area Art Deco Society, a Michigan non-profit group, in cooperation with Detroit's Historic Scarab Club, will host its first silent auction at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 25, at the Scarab Club, 217 Farnsworth.

Tickets are available in advance at Duke Gallery, Birmingham, and Deco Doug's, Royal Oak, or at the door. Vintage attire is encouraged. There will be a cash bar and hors d'ouevres.

The auction will feature an array of art deco objects, collectibles and gift certificates ranging in value from $25 to $500.

"The art deco society uses these funds to promote and preserve the buildings and art of the early 20th century," said committee chair Tom Rusinow.

"Detroit was one of the truly great cities of the world in the 1920s and '30s and preserving and educating people of its beauty is a big job. We use this once-a-year event to help cover the equipment and expenses that we incur in all of the programs that we sponsor throughout the year."

● MISSION FURNITURE

Bruce Szopo of Birmingham will discuss the origin, concepts and people involved in "Mission Furniture: The Arts and Crafts Movement in Amercia," 7-10 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 27, at Henry Ford Museum, Dearborn. Call 271-1620 to register.

Discussion will focus on young Frank Lloyd Wright, William Morris and Gustav Stickley. Through slides and examples, special attention will be given to identifying makers, understanding the market and finding pieces of your own.

● CRAFT SHOW

Five Observerland residents will take part in the Craft Gallery Spring Show Sunday, March 3, at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hil, between Merriman and Venoy.

- Livonia — Rose Stebbins, country dried flowers, Victrian silk floral arrangements.
- Westlnd — Marci Zyck, children's clothing; Jeanne Schidt, soft sculpture.
- Garden City — Barbara Gentile, clay miniatures.
- Plymuth — Val Davis, Debbie Jorday, country painted wood and cloth dolls.

Sixty dislays will feature country folk art, Victorian crafts and early Americana.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is $2; children younger than 12, free. Lunches and refreshments will be available. No strollers are allowed.

● STUDENT EXHIBIT

Visual arts students at the Creative and Performing Arts in Livonia will display their paintings, drawings and prints March 14-23 on the second floor of Jacobson's at Laurel Park Place in Livonia. Store hours are 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday and 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday and Friday. Call 523-8841.

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Houseplants

Soil and fertilizer are basics



down to earth

Marty Figley

Our final topic on caring for houseplants concerns soil and fertilizers.

Soil holds roots firmly and supports the plants. It also holds water and nutrients so that they can be absorbed by the plants through the tiny root hairs, which keep the plant healthy and growing.

Fertilizers are best used with descretion for most houseplants. When growth is slow and when light levels are low, they should be used very seldom, then used with restraint when new growth appears.

If plants are not growing well or have stunted growth, wilt, and/or are plagued with stem and root rot, perhaps new soil is all that is necessary to give the plants a boost. Soil that provides good support and drainage, one that is light and porous enough to allow good air circulation, and one that is sterile, is ideal.

Specific plants have various needs, i.e., cacti need coarse well-drained soil, such as coarse sand.

Others, such as ferns, prefer one with more organic matter, while most grow well in a commercial mixture which includes perlite, sand or other coarse materials. A top grade mix will give the best results.

Some of the newer ones contain watering agents (such as Hyponex) and hold more moisture in the soil eliminating frequent watering.

SALT CAN build up in the soil when hard water is used to water, and if frequent shallow waterings are applied.

I fill a gallon container and let it "air" for several days before watering to let it settle, and then I also know it is the proper temperature. Overfertilization also can cause salt buildup. Too much salt causes plants to dry out and the feeder roots to become burned.

Beware if your plants have brown tips and margins on many leaves, bud and flower drop and stunted growth. Either re-pot or at least water thoroughly to leach out those salts. When watering, allow it to run out the drainage hole and then pour out the excess after about 10 minutes.

Remove any diseased parts of the plant before re-potting; divide if necessary. Choose the next larger size pot.

Put some gravel or shards in the bottom of the new container, add a shallow layer of oil, then, after you have carefully removed the pant from its original container, and being carefuhot to injure the tiny feeder roots, set that continer into the larger pot and fill the space with soil

WHEN THE smaller pot is removed, here will be ample room to position the plant i the new container. Pour soil around and over the roots and gently firm it with your fingers. Water ell.

Plants need three basic nutrients for good growth: nitrogen (N), phosphorus (P) and potassium (K). These are the main ingredientsn fertilizers, along with traces of other nutrients. Nitrogen encourages good leaf growth. If the gren leaves turn pale or yellow between the veis, plants could be suffering from this deficiency.

Those low in phosphorus, necessary fr root and flower production, may have stunted gowth and a reddish-purplish color in seedlings and older leaves, especially along the edges an between the veins.

Leaf scorch and yellowing of the tips and edges of the lower leaves and then those above, is caused by potassium deficiency, whicl gives the plants vigor, strengthens the stems a helps in flower production.

I am going to add ½ cup of Kricket Rap (a 100 percent organic fertilizer) to my 20-pond bag of potting soil when I re-pot my plants. Then fertilization will be done for awhile.

The company recommends using a small amount each month for continuous nutents when plants are in a growth period or flowering. To receive their catalog, send $1 refundble with your order, to Bricker's Organic Farm, Inc., 824 Sandbar Ferry Rd., Augusta, GA 30901

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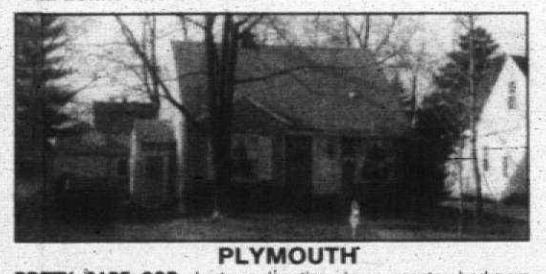
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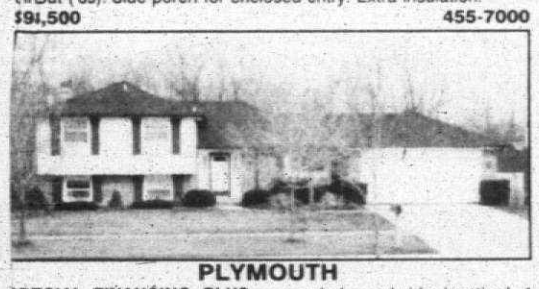
PLYMOUTH

PRITTY CAPE COD. In town location, large master bedroom upsairs, remodeled tounge & grove cedar ('89). New beige carpet throut ('89). Side porch for enclosed entry. Extra insulation.
$91,500 455-7000



WESTLAND

1988 CEDAR RANCH. Home features cathedral ceilings, beautiful natural fireplace, central air, master bath, oak kitchen cabinets, custom deck.
$79,900 326-2000



PLYMOUTH

SPECIAL FINANCING PLUS a wooded creekside location! 4 bedrooms, 3 baths. New floor coverings & neutral decor. 22x20 family room, fireplace, walk-out to patio. Central air, Florida room.
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NOVI

STEP UP TO ULTIMATE IN Contemporary yet neutral for any decor. Total upgrades. 2-story entry. Andersen windows. 1st floor master bedroom, spacious kitchen with Jennair. Special financing!
$259,900 348-6430



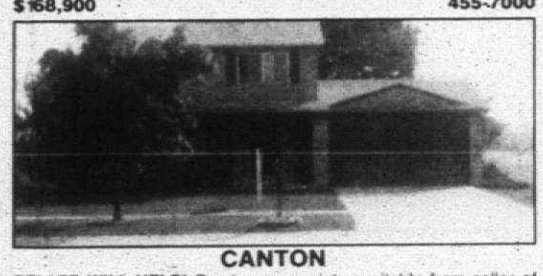
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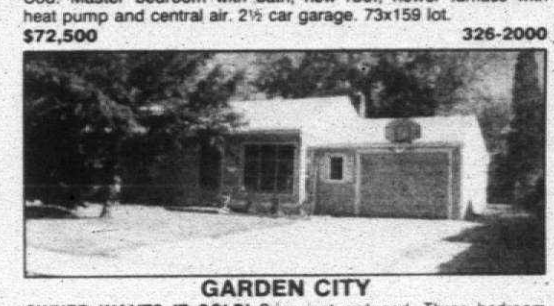
GARDEN CITY

ALL YOU NEED AND MORE in this aluminum 3 bedroom Cape Cod. Master bedroom with bath, new roof, newer furnace with heat pump and central air. 2½ car garage. 73x159 lot.
$72,500 326-2000



CANTON

SELLER WILL HELP! Buydown or points available from seller of this immaculate Colonial. 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, oversized 2 car garage, basement, central air, private backyard with deck.
$104,500 455-7000



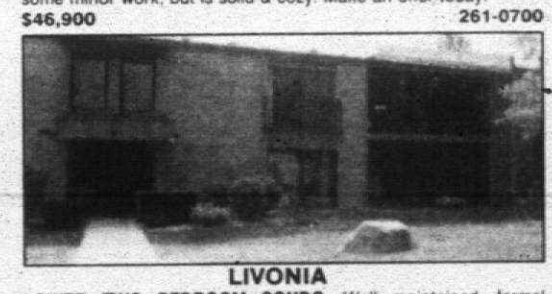
GARDEN CITY

OWNER WANTS IT SOLD! Price just reduced. Three bedroom home on very deep lot. Newer furnace, roof, etc. House needs some minor work, but is solid & cozy. Make an offer today!
$46,900 261-0700



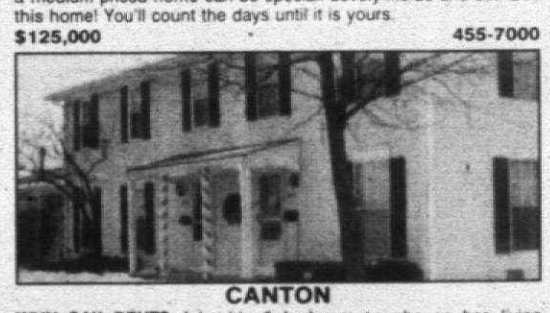
CANTON

A RANCH WITH CLASS is this 3 bedroom all brick home, proves a medium priced home can be special. Lovely inside and out. See this home! You'll count the days until it is yours.
$125,000 455-7000



LIVONIA

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WHY PAY RENT? Adorable 2 bedroom townhouse has living room with built-in cabinet. Cozy dining area. Kitchen with all appliancs. Custom storms & mini blinds. Central air.
$55,900 455-7000



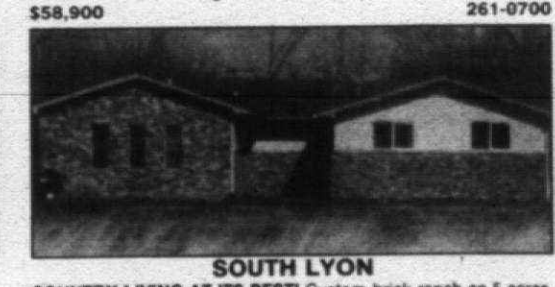
LIVONIA

MAINTENANCE FREE RANCH. 3 bedrooms, bright kitchen with new flooring, 1st floor laundry, 2 car garage, roof is 3 years old. Motivated seller, moving out of state.
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LIVONIA

OPEN SUN. 2-5. 29120 St. Martin - Immediate occupancy! Three bedrom brick ranch on beautiful, large lot. Many recent updates. Two car attached garage with good storage.
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SOUTH LYON

COUNTRY LIVING AT ITS BEST! Custom brick ranch on 5 acres, 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 1st floor laundry, huge kitchen, all appliances, fireplace in great room, neutral, unfinished walk-out.
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APARTMENTS

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366 Ofc.-Bus. Space Sale/Lease

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367 Bus.-Prof. Bldgs. Sale/Lease

GARDEN CITY - Middlebelt/Ford Rd. Medical Bldg. near St. Library. For lease. Will decorate, 3 exam rooms, private office, lab, waiting room with reception area, plus storage. $875 mo. or will SELL 51.5% of building. Approx 21,000 sq.ft. plus lower level, nice location. 562-7040

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368 Commercial/ Retail

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369 Indust./Warehouse Sale/Lease

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NORTHVILLE - Charming brick French Tudor, on natural ravine lot. Lovely in-town location. Currently 2 units; ideal residence or investment opportunity. Many updates. Priced to sell. $154,000. (T-760)
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371 Industrial Vacant Property

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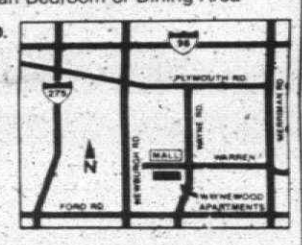
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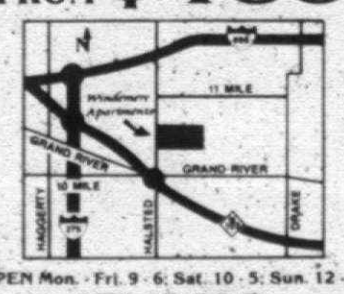
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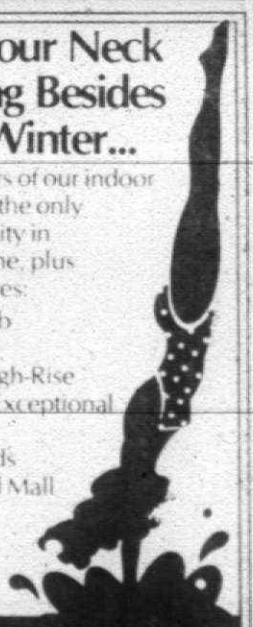
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FROM $460



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Be Up To Your Neck In Something Besides Snow This Winter...
Like the warm waters of our indoor heated pool! We're the only apartment community in Westland to have one, plus these exciting features:
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Just $100 Security!
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APARTMENTS

400 Apts. For Rent

SOUTHFIELD
FROM $645
• 1 & 2 Bedrooms
• Lovely Residential Area
• Covered Parking
• Poll & Clubhouse
• Intrusion Alarm
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FROM $540
• Large 1 & 2 Bedroom
• Walk-in closets
• Free Heat
• Covered Parking
• Laundry Each Floor
12 Mile & Lahser
TWYCKINGHAM VALLEY
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SOUTHFIELD
MUST BE OVER 50 YEARS OF AGE
FROM $655
Elegant 1000 to 1200 sq.ft. of luxury 1 & 2 bedrooms, walk-in closets, elevators, covered parking, attended gatehouse, monitored alarm, pool & Social Director
11 Mile & Lahser
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SOUTHFIELD
VALENTINE SPECIAL
NO SECURITY DEPOSIT
ONE BEDROOM $450
• FREE HEAT
• Walk-in closet
• Intrusion Alarm
WELLINGTON PLACE
Lahser near 8½ Mile
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SOUTHFIELD
1, 2 & 3 Bedroom Apartments From $565 Heat Included
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SOUTHFIELD
12 Mile
1 Block E. of Telegraph
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From $755 Heat Included
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Full Size Washers & Dryers In Your Apartment
• FREE HEAT
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East on 9 Mile Rd. between Lahser and Telegraph, (opposite Plum Hollow Golf Course).

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Pontrail Apartments
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400 Apts. For Rent

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TROY
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• Fireplaces & Oak Floors
• Covered Parking
• Pet? Ask!
• Heat Included!
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Heart Of Troy
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IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY
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LARGEST, DELUXE APARTMENTS IN TROY
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• FREE H.B.O. & Carport
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• Large walk-in closets
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561 KIRTS
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1 MONTH FREE RENT
$200 SECURITY DEPOSIT
(With approved credit)
Large 1 & 2 bedrooms
Includes heat & water
Near Twelve Oaks Mall
Sr. Discount
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Hoover Rds. between 11 & 12 Mile
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• Owner paid heat
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• Balconies or patios
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• Close to shopping & expressway
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From $495 monthly
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Country Living in the City
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$200 DEPOSIT
(with approved credit)
Westland Estates
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(Walk to Hudson's)
1 bedroom from $430
2 bedroom from $505
INCLUDES HEAT - CARPET - SWIMMING POOL.
Cable available.
No pets.
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$300 DEPOSIT
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WESTLAND PARK APARTMENTS
Across from City Park
(Cherry Hill)
(between Middlebelt & Merriman)
1 & 2 bedrooms, 1½ baths
Pool, Vertical Blinds
Secured Locked Hallways
FROM $445
HEAT INCLUDED
Monthly or Lease
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One Bedroom Special!
$100 FIRST MONTH'S RENT
• Free Central Heat
• Central Air Conditioning
• Beautiful Park Setting
• Storage
• Cable Available
• Pool
• Spacious & Elegant
• Dishwasher
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On Ann Arbor Trail, Just West of Inkster Road
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$500 Cash Back
Just sign a 12 month lease and move-in
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• Free Heat
• One Bedroom $410
• Two Bedroom $465
Ask about our Senior Program
On Pontiac Trail • In South Lyon
Between 10 and 11 Mile Rds.
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1 & 2 Bedroom Apartments from $425
Heat Included
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WESTLAND
on Newburgh between Warren & Joy Rds.
• From $525
• 1 & 2 bedrooms
• Larger 2 bedroom, 2 bath
• Private entrances
• Walk-in closets
• Balconys & patios
• Individual laundry room with washer & dryer.
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1 & 2 BEDROOM APTS.
Starting at $415
(1 bedroom apts. 760-940 sq. ft.; 2 bedroom apts. over 1000 sq. ft. plus large walk-in storage room)
Balconies - Carports
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1 MONTH FREE RENT ON 1 BEDROOM APTS.
Limited time only
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Club House, Patio, Pets Allowed, Air, Carpet.
FREE HEAT & HOT WATER
1 BEDROOM - $450
2 BEDROOM - $495
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A quaint & quiet apartment community in Livonia, close to great shopping, restaurants, I-96 access & Metro Airport.
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Attractive 1 and 2 Bedroom Apartments
from ~~$505~~ $430*
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Heat & Water Paid
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WAYNE/FORD RD. AREA
Spacious 1 & 2 bedroom apts.
Amenities include:
• Carpeting
• Park-like setting
• Close to shopping
• Owner paid heat
COUNTRY COURT APTS
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2 BEDROOM FROM $475
$200 SECURITY DEPOSIT
2 bedroom, 1 bath with plush carpeting, walk-in master closet & storage. Blinds, dishwasher, security hall doors with intercom, balcony or patio, pool & play areas.
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STUDIO - $395
1 BEDROOM - $445
2 BEDROOM - $460
Includes heat & water. Senior Discount. Pool & air. Close to Westland Shopping Center.
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Westland
FORD/WAYNE RD. AREA
Spacious 1 & 2 bedroom apts.
Amenities include:
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• Dishwasher
• Park-like setting
• Close to shopping
• Owner paid heat
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FREE HEAT
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1 & 2 Bedroom · 1½ Baths · Central Air
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Model Open 9-5 Daily
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Diamond Forest
From $640 and up
One Month Free Rent
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Sound good? For more information please call Ms. Davis between 10am - 1pm or 6pm - 9pm at: 462-9208

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Supply outpaces market demand

By Doug Funke
staff writer

The suburban Detroit office market, with the exception of a few sub-markets, remains quite soft but is getting better, according to Joel Feldman, a West Bloomfield real estate consultant.

Efforts taken by building owners last year — putting the brakes on new construction and renovating older buildings to keep existing tenants — started to make inroads in the glut of office space, Feldman's report indicated.

But vigilance is still the watchword.

"I do believe, from a practical standpoint, we're still a year or two from the light at the end of the tunnel — a genuine need and an all-pervasive need for new office space to come on line," he said.

Specifically, Feldman's study, issued last month, found that:

- Calendar year 1990 was again a tenant's market, but with the tightening up of available space, landlords may have to offer fewer concessions this year.
- Traffic congestion continued to hurt all three office corridors in Farmington Hills — Northwestern Highway, Orchard Lake Road and 12 Mile Road.
- While Birmingham remained an upscale market, enlightened landlords in the central business district will be flexible and aware of reasonable rates due to competition from Troy and Bloomfield Hills.
- The Northfield sub-market of Troy is one of the few places in the entire metro area that could support additional speculative office facilities now. The reasons — natural physical features of land, freeway access and reasonable rents.
- Leasings increased dramatically last year in the north end of Southfield due to the opening of I-696 and in the central/south ends due to refurbishing of buildings. But the vacancy rate remains fairly high in the latter sub-market.
- Tenants in West Bloomfield basically are professionals or users who don't require a lot of space. Many live nearby.
- Office space in western Livonia along the I-275 corridor continued to lease at an adequate rate and appears to be a good mix of new and renovated product.

TIME AND TIME again Feldman's report emphasized the need for restraint in new construction and the need to maintain existing buildings to bring balance to the local office market.

"Significant attention must still continue to be addressed to the leasing up of existing product with the introduction of new office projects on only a limited, judicious and highly-selective basis," the report said.

Overbuilding during the 1980s, not economic news or war in the Persian Gulf, is the reason for the oversupply now, Feldman said.

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SEVERAL FACTORS contributed to the overbuilding, Feldman said.

"For many, many years, our market was so well baanced we had no-brainers out there. Developers cold put in a building and not lose sleep in the beter areas of town. The day of the no-brainer ended.The prime parcels were taken and people started getting burned.

"Lenders had a lot to do with it," Feldman continued. "They made bad loans. Developers are then to give birth. You give a developer money and he's going forward. It goes with the psyche.

"I (overbuilding) was a getting on the bandwagon type of idea. Four years of unprecedented construction. Everyone said there's nothing to worry about because they always had been successful in the past. They went ahead with projects and there was no demand for it," Feldman said.

RICHARD ROESER, president of a Birmingham development company and president of the Building Owners and Managers Association, agreed with Feldman's major conclusion.

"I do not think it's time to build now," Roeser said. "I think we do have more inventory than necessary at the moment."

But he expects a quicker recovery.

"I feel more optimistic about the coming year," Roeser said. "From what I've seen and talking to other landords, the market is tightening a lot more than he indicates."

Peter Burton, president of Burton-Share-Katzman of Birmingham, also echoed Feldman's general theme.

"It's not that demand has quit. Supply has outpaced demand," Burton said. "It will take a little while to correct. My guess is within a year things will likely be back on an even keel. Hopefully, people (builders) will hold their horses longer than that."

Very broadly speaking — "and in a normally balanced supply and demand market" — profitability requires an occupancy rate of 85-90 percent, Roeser said.

"You were X percent leased, so what?" he said. "The real question is are you getting cash flow? Different buildings have different (break-even) levels depending on debt service."

And Roeser's personal position on a satisfactory occupancy level? "If it's not 100 percent, I worry."



ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Even though a soft suburban office market showed signs of solidifying last year, developers must resist the urge to launch a building boom in the immediate future, said Joel Feldman, a real estate consultant.

Seven Mile Crossing in Livonia, pictured here, is 91 percent occupied in Phase I and 62 percent occupied in Phase II, Feldman's report said.

Builders cancel Homearama

By Gerald Fawley
staff writer

The best lid plans of mice and men — and builders sometimes . . . Even the smallest of details can derail the most ambitious projects.

Example:a Homearama scheduled for the Clarkston area by the BuildersAssociation of Southeastern Michigan.

The buildrs association was forced to cancel the first of two scheduled hme showcases for this year, not because of a worsening econom — as some might expect — but because of logistical problems and a lack of parking.

"It's not the economy — that would be the reverse of the situation," Homarama committee member Dennis Dickstein said. "The worsehe economy, the more important the show is."

Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan president James Bondeo said putting together a Homearama requires many thing to come together — not the least of which is parking. On aveage, more than 100,000 people attend each Homearama.

Bonadeo admitted there are other complications with holding a Homearama at the Clarkston site but wouldn't elaborate. But he said none of the other complications couldn't be overcome if the parking problem was resolved.

BONADEO ADDED that he remains hopeful a Clarkston Homearama can still be pulled off, but it will take more time. "We're looking at the fall."

Developer William Gilbert of the Rochester development firm Gilbert & Vennettilli said he believes parking problems could have been overcome, but there simply wasn't enough time to put together a Homearama.

Sheringham Place in Independence Township, Gilbert's site, has 74 lots — only 12 of which would have been used for Homearama — and he has additional property adjacent to the development. Two other nearby developments could have also served as parking, he said.

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Area office rates, vacancies listed

Office occupancy and rental rates vary not only from community to community, but within a community as well. Location, age of the building and amenities all play roles.

Following are selected figures from the 1991 Feldman Report on the Greater Detroit Office Market.

Feldman emphasized that the numbers, derived from sources believed to be reliable, are representative of office buildings in the area and not all inclusive. ~~Quoted rates~~, don't necessarily end up as effective rates, he added.

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Bingham Office Center — Telegraph south of 13 Mile; built in 1980; 528,000 square feet; 93 percent occupancy; rental rate of $13.50/square foot.

Rock Financial Building — Telegraph south of 13 Mile; built in 1988; 16,000 square feet; 71 percent occupancy; rental rate of $17/square foot.

Hunter Medical Building — 390 Park; built in 1986; 30,500 square feet; 85 percent occupancy; rental rate of $23.50/square foot plus electric.

Bingham Park, Phase III — 30300 Telegraph; built in 1979; 172,000 square feet; occupancy rate not available; rental rate of $16/square foot.

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Ross Roy Building — 100 Bloomfield Hills Parkway; built in 1987; 225,000 square feet; 98 percent occupancy; rental rate of $22.50/square foot plus electric.

Ternes Building — 1625 N. Woodward; built in 1982; 22,500 square feet; 100 percent occupancy; rental rate of $17/square foot.

Bloomfield Centre, South — southwest corner of Woodward and Long Lake; built in 1990; 136,000 square feet; 83 percent occupancy; rental rate of $23.50/square foot plus electric.

Bloomfield Office Pavilion — 2550 Telegraph; built in 1975; 65,935 square feet; 25 percent occupancy; rental rate of $16.50 plus electric.

FARMINGTON HILLS

TriAtria — Northwestern Highway between Middlebelt and 14 Mile; built in 1987; 243,000 square feet; 100 percent occupancy; rental rate of $19.50/square foot.

Selective Building — 27655 Middlebelt; built in 1987; 15,000 square feet; 91 percent occupancy; rental rate of $17.50/square foot.

Northwestern Financial Center — Northwestern Highway south of 13 Mile; built in 1984; 96,000 square feet; 95 percent occupancy; rental rate of $19.50/square foot.

Hills Office Park — 31313 Northwestern Highway; built in 1974; 42,000 square feet; 93 percent occupancy; rental rate of $14.75/square foot.

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CBS Video Fox — 39000 Seven Mile; built in 1985; 290,000 square feet; 93 percent occupancy; rental rate of $15.50/square foot.

Cambridge Center West — Six Mile and Haggerty; built in 1988; 47,364 square feet; 78 percent occupancy; rental rate of $17.50/square foot.

Seven Mile Crossing, Phase II — Seven Mile west of I-275; built in 1989; 135,065 square feet; 62 percent occupancy; rental rate of $17.50/square foot.

Powerscourt — I-275 north of Six Mile; built in 1988; 123,400 square feet; 72 percent occupancy; rental rate of $14.75/square foot plus electric.

SOUTHFIELD

American Center — 27777 Franklin; built in 1975; 565,370 square feet; 92 percent occupancy; rental rate of $17.50/square foot plus electric.

Kulish Development — Northwestern Highway and Rosemond; built in 1985; 20,000 square feet; 92 percent occupancy; rental rate of $17/square foot plus electric.

Victor Center — 27400 Northwestern Highway; built in 1985; 125,000 square feet; 84 percent occupancy; rental rate of $19.50/square foot.

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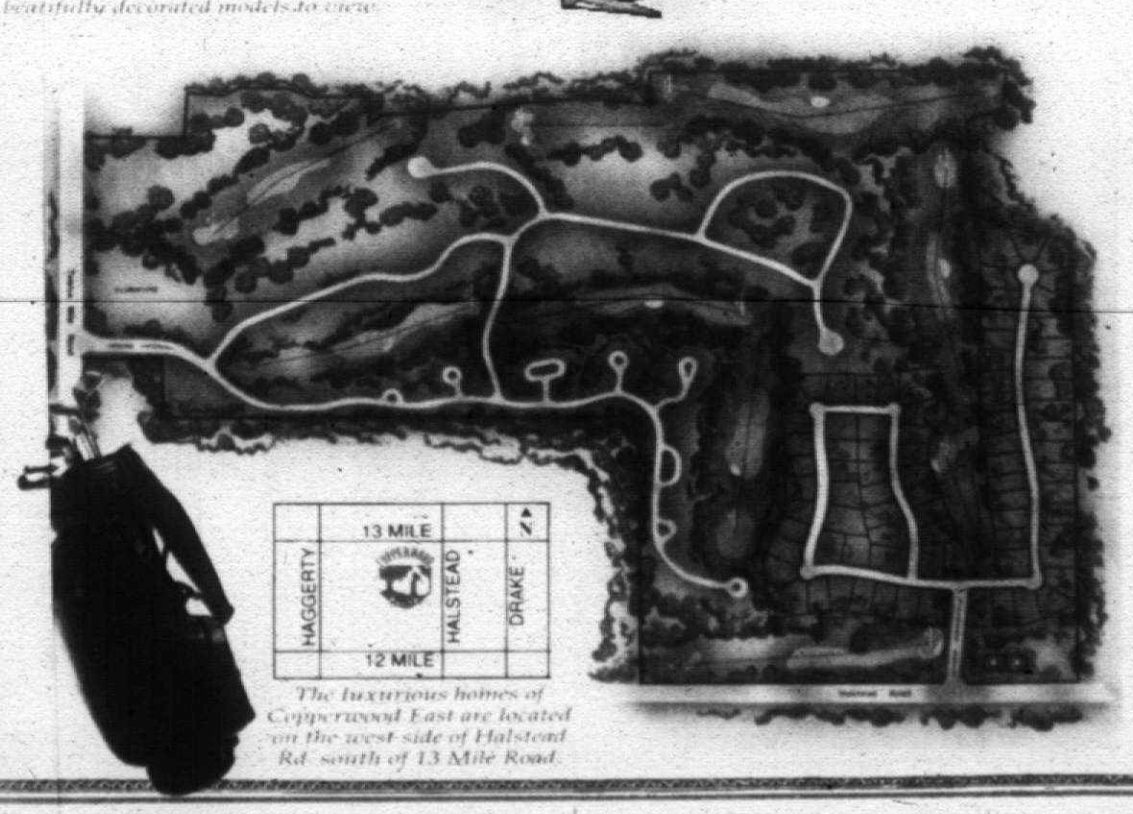
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"Parking could have been resolved, but the timing, that would have been a problem," he said. Gilbert said site development took longer than he expected.

"We didn't want to start something on paper that we couldn't do," he said. "There's no way we could get 12 builder homes done with all the landscaping and furnishing and have a first-rate development."

Delaying the Homearama until summer — typically one of the slowest times of the year for builders — was also not a desirable option, he said.

HOMEARAMA committee member Dickstein said the committee has discussed another Clarkston area Homearama site, but unless an agreement and an arrangement for parking is made within the next 30 days, the builders association may have to pass on northern Oakland County until fall or next year.

"We'd still love to do something in the Clarkston area," Dickstein said. "The problem with some of our sites is they're so nice — rolling hills, trees, water — that we can't always accommodate on-site parking."

Developer Gilbert said the Clarkston area is an ideal location for single family housing. Several big name builders — including the Selective Group and Holtzman and Silverman, both in Farmington Hills, are taking a serious look at the area.

Office rentals, vacancies listed

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Troy Place (several Buildings) — 2855-3331 W. Big Beaver; built in 1971; 825,000 square feet; 84 percent occupancy; rental rate of $16.50/square foot.

Heritage Square — Big Beaver west of Crooks; built in 1982; 20,254 square feet; 78 percent occupancy; rental rate of $18/square foot plus utilities.

Standard Federal Building — Big Beaver east of Crooks; built in 1989; 450,000 square feet; 96 percent occupancy; rental rate of $25/square foot.

Robbins Executive Park West (800 Bldg.) — 800 Stephenson; built in 1980; 48,200 square feet; 100 percent occupancy; rental rate of $14/square foot plus electric.



Furniture designers said the selection of fabrics "is all so subjective. We have to make an educated guess and go from here."

Fabric trends are undecided

(AP) — Furniture manufacturers are making major decisions about the fabrics they will use this season.

The Mississippi Naonal Furniture Market has almost 30 fabric mills represented in the permanent fabric showrooms. More than 20 other fabric mills set up temporary showrooms for the Water Tupelo Fabric Show that ended last week, said Ann Taylor, fabric show coordinator.

A salesman with a North Carolina-based fabric company said there was not enough business right now in the furniture industry for here to be trends.

He said the distinction between styles has gotten muddled through the years because manufacturers are creating less expensive versions of the more popular, higher-priced items to please all budgets.

Furniture manufacturers meeting with the various fabric companies agreed that there is a slump in the industry and they are searching for good values and new looks.

Ray Priest, with Hrizon Furniture Industry of Athens, Tenn., said the highlight of the Tupelo fabric show is the promotional prices the fabric companies are offering.

"There are some very up-style fabrics, but the companies are giving them at a good price," Priest said. "And that allows us to pass the savings on to the customers."

Mike Caneer, with Hiline Manufacturers of Booneville, agreed that he was looking for good values, as well.

"With the economy the way it is," Caneer said. "The better value we can get, the better value the customer will get."

Jackie Groban, executive vice president with Shaw Manufacturers in Okolona, said he was looking for fabric that will sell to retailers and then to consumers.

"We will use whoever has the look," Groban said. "Don't ask me what the look is. I want the styles that zap me when I see them, so I know they will zap the retailers, too."

GROBAN SAID he had seen several fabrics that caught his attention during the first day of the fabric show. He said nylon velvet, or flock.

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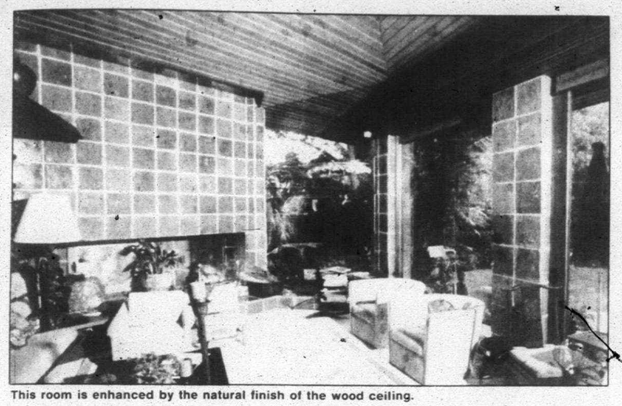
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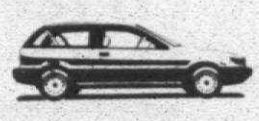
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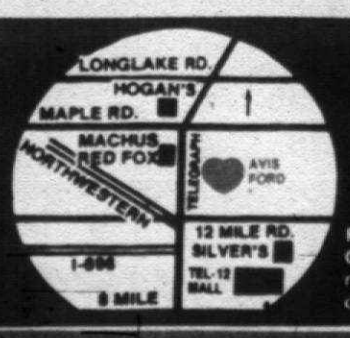
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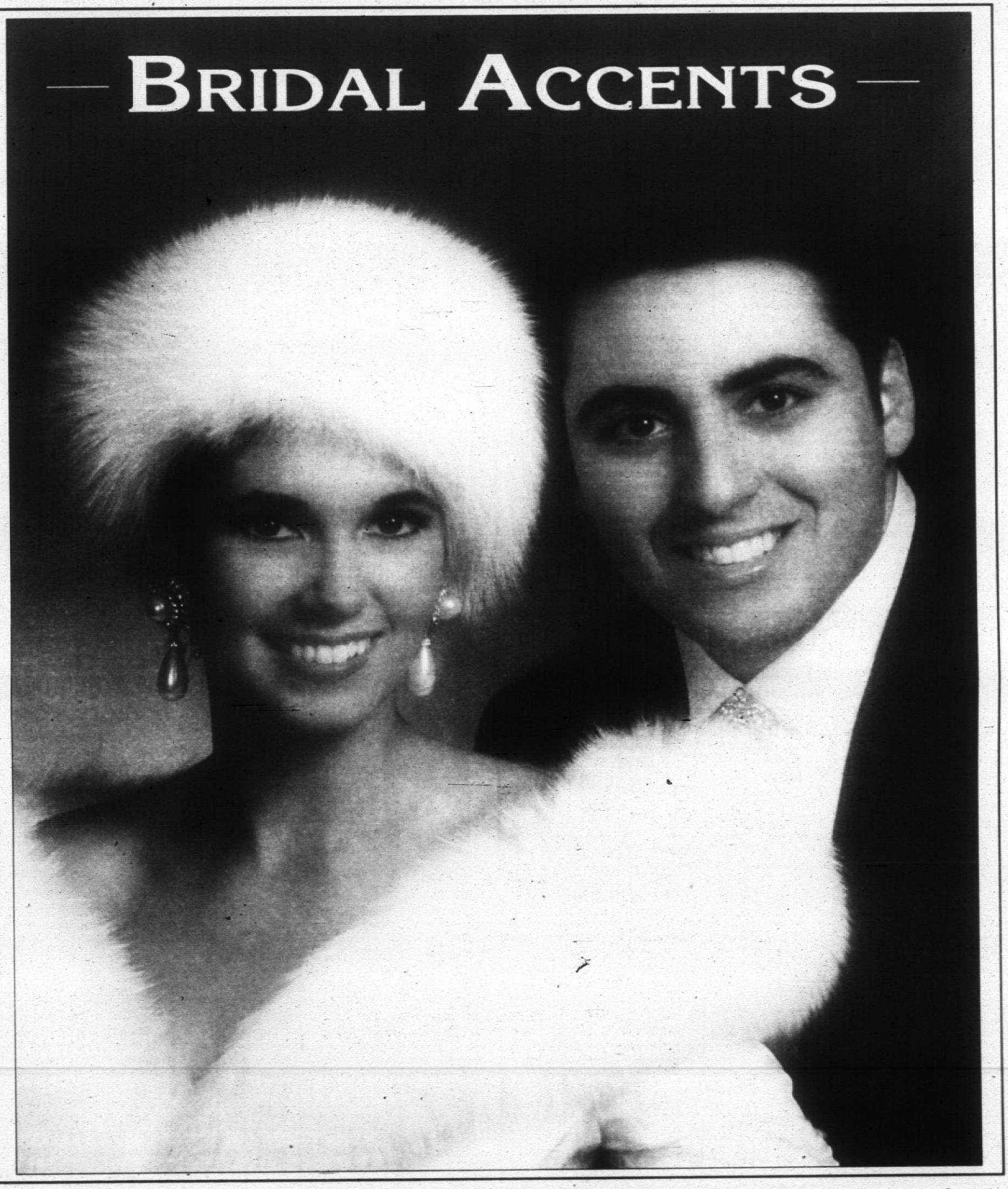
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START OF a new year often means making plans for your wedding day.

Picking a wedding style can seem complicated. The basic wedding can range from very formal, where money is no object, to informal, with a small reception.

To help you shape your plans, the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers today presents this special winter bridal section.

The section's theme? The same as before: what helps make the big day so special.

— Bob Sklar
assistant managing editor

On the cover: A formal portrait of Monica Masalkoski and Luciano Del Signore of Livonia, who were married in Detroit in 1990. They honeymooned in Hawaii. Their parents are Corinne and Conrad Masalkoski of Muskegan and Lina and John Del Signore of Livonia. Luciano is master chef at Fonte d' Amore in Livonia. Monica is a professional model. The bride's Italian silk satin gown features white fox fur on the neckline and sleeves and beaded Alencon lace on the front. The gown comes with a matching headpiece. At Lina's Bridal, Plymouth. The portrait is by The Ultimate Image, Livonia.

Bob Sklar coordinated this special section. Randy Borst, graphics editor, designed the cover. Advertising coordinators were Joan Hines and Lisa Becker. Direct queries to Bob Sklar, 591-2300, Ext. 313.

BRIDAL FACTS

Looking for a bridal shower theme? Try these.

A shower theme determines the types of gifts the guests will bring.

Miscellaneous shower
Traditional shower, with any types of gifts acceptable.

Gift basket shower
Each guest fills a basket with gifts for a different room or activity.

Lingerie and honeymoon shower

Kitchen and recipe shower
Gifts for the kitchen with guests' favorite recipes.

Linen, entertainment, gourmet and hobby showers

SOURCE: *Showers* by Beverly Clark

Copley News Service

Thank attendants with a special gift

By Debbie Wallis Landau
special writer

ENGAGED COUPLES are so often on the receiving end of others' generosity. Parties and showers are hosted for them, newspaper photos are taken and congratulations rain down from every quarter.

In all but the smallest, most private ceremonies, however, no one's friendship, loyalty and patience can be tested as thoroughly as one's wedding attendants. Compromise is usually a given. Personal convenience is sacrificed for the needs or wishes of the bridal couple.

It can, and should, be a pleasure, therefore, for brides and grooms to thank their attendants with some token of appreciation.

How conventional or unusual, how lavish or modest the gift becomes is really guided by the couple's budget, the size of the bridal party and perhaps even their collective personalities.

Some ideas presented by area merchants offer widespread appeal and options for the most discriminating and indecisive shopper.

CECI'S, ON the Boardwalk on Orchard Lake Road in West Bloomfield, is known for its fashion forward jewelry and accessories and lovely gift items. Loyal patrons recently followed Ceci Orman Stone from her smaller store on West 14 Mile, a scant two miles away.

The new location accommodates not only a more extensive offering of jewelry, but select clothing items, artfully decorated evening bags, jewelry boxes, hair ornaments, and

'Since so many brides care about a uniform look, they often want to select the same earrings or barrette for all attendants. We very frequently custom make earrings for a bride and a complementing earring to be worn by each of her bridesmaids.'

— Joanne Cohen
Ceci's manager

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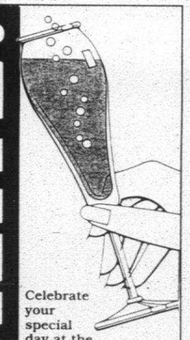
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Gift ideas for bridal party members include a cosmetic makeup brush set ($32), a leather and acrylic note pad ($32), a leather and acrylic address book ($28) and a pearl and jeweled perfume bottle ($138). At Ceci's on The Boardwalk, Orchard Lake Road in West Bloomfield.

Thank attendants thoughtfully

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unusual gift possibilities. Many are, or will be, collector's pieces.

Joanne Cohen, store manager, says the nice thing about Ceci's is that bride's attendants can be given gifts that they wear during the ceremony and keep thereafter.

"Since so many brides care about a uniform look, they often want to select the same earrings or barrette for all attendants," she said. "We very frequently custom make earrings for a bride and a complementing earring to be worn by each of her bridesmaids."

Cohen points out fresh water pearls that are often fashioned into a contemporary looking spray. "It's beautiful but not overpowering. We can use some of the same pearls for a design for her attendants."

"Deco," "Victorian" or "Contemporary," brides can all be accommodated at Ceci's, says Cohen, because the choice of the materials to work with is generous.

"We have black and clear crystal, onyx, rhinestones, just to mention some stones," she said. "A lot of brides and grooms are coordinating all black and white weddings and the crystals and rhinestones are great accents for them."

If a non-jewelry item is preferred, Ceci's has choices in all price ranges. There are feminine boudoir accessories, as well as fabric-covered jewelry and music boxes. Hand-held, purse-sized mirrors crafted from mother of pearl, lacquer and silver are available, as are notepads and an address book with deco acrylic covers.

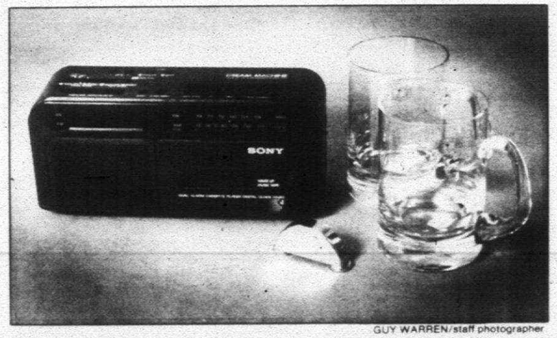
"The cosmetic brush sets are popular," Cohen said. "They come in a velour pouch, perfect for travel."

Also on hand are a selection of perfume bottles, in a variety of media, such as frosted glass or beaded chrome.

BY TRADITION, groomsmen don't seem to have the same fuss made over them, but that isn't so when it comes to being remembered for participating in one's weddings.

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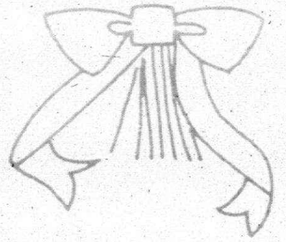
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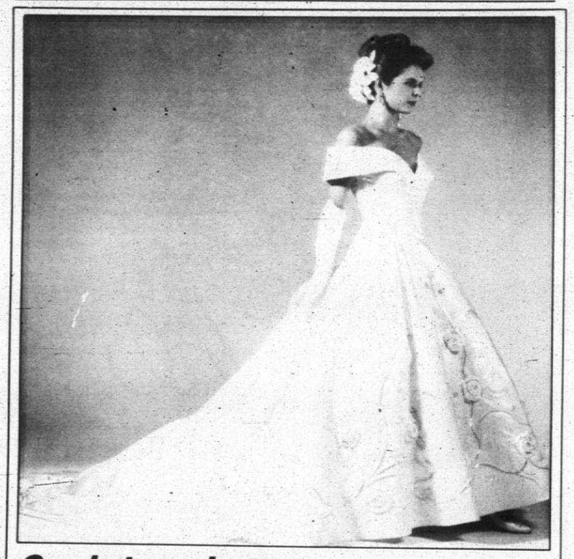
Gift ideas for members of the groom's party include a Sony Dream Machine ($49.99), a Howard Miller brass clock ($60) and Toscany crystal beer mugs ($7.99 each). At Hudson's. Locations include Southfield, Westland, Troy, Novi.

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Bridal fashions unveiled

Hudson's Northland introduced bridal fashions to customers Sunday with the addition of a 2,000-square-foot Bridal Salon, on the store's third level.

A dropped ceiling and marble-accented floor covering create an atmosphere to welcome customers into the spacious round reception area. Professional consultants will be on hand to help with selections and fittings in one of the six fitting rooms.

The salon will open with a number of bridal gowns, including styles from Carolina Herrara, Richard Glasgow, The Diamond Collection, John Bradley and others.

Bridesmaid collections from Watters & Watters, Dessy Creative, Jim Hjelm and Bill Levkoff also will be among the fashions offered. Hats and veils will be available to coordinate with the many style selections.

The inclusion of the Bridal Salon makes Hudson's Northland a one-stop wedding planning facility, from shower invitations to honeymoon planning to starting a new home.

Already established are a gift registry, stationery, travel, florist and beauty services and a FYI Wardrobe Planning and Shopping Service.

After the honeymoon, FYI consultants can provide home and business needs, from shower curtains to computers.

Thanking your attendants

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wedding party. Whether the gentlemen in question are sports enthusiasts, businessmen needing wake-up calls or simply guys who enjoy finely crafted items, you won't walk away dissatisfied.

M.J. Byrnes, fashion office manager for Hudson's, likes to point patrons to Sony Dream Machines, several varieties of compact radio/alarm clock/cassette player combinations. The different models are priced from $40-$60.

Four sturdy, but elegant crystal beer mugs by Tuscany retail for $32 and would appeal to even the teetotaler on your list, because they're an ideal size for cold beverages.

From one of the finest manufacturers of clocks come the 3- by 4-inch brass clocks by Howard Miller. They sell for about $60 and, according to Byrnes, are one of the chain's most popular gift items. She also recommends stadium blankets and Waterford shot glasses as good gifts for attendants.

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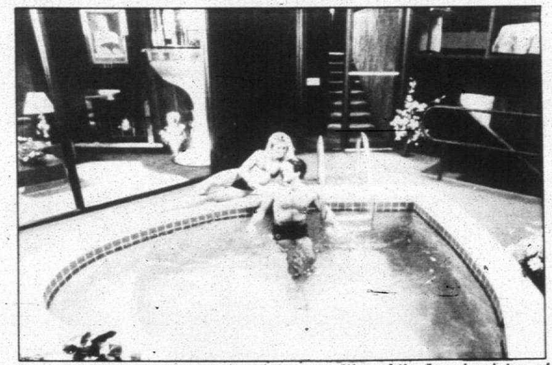
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Honeymoon: trip of a lifetime

By Joan Boram
special writer



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ACCORDING TO a recent survey made by Bride's magazine, 98 percent of the publication's readers took a honeymoon trip, and 18.7 percent took their honeymoon in the traditional month of June. That should settle the question of whether romance is alive and well in the 1990s!

Everyone has a different idea of the perfect magical place for a getaway, but it's certain that every bride wants "her" honeymoon to be the trip of a lifetime, even if she was well-traveled before the marriage ceremony.

Troy resident Pam Nikitas has been planning honeymoons at Joan Anderson Travel Service since 1966.

"The basic premise has never changed," she said. "A romantic spot is everyone's dream honeymoon. Of course, ideas differ as to what's romantic, and there are usually budget restrictions. Recently, I arranged a honeymoon trip to Bali and Hong Kong for 10 days — that's the most exotic trip I've ever booked. But how many couples can afford a trip like that?"

"What is different these days is that couples are older, say in their late 20s or early 30s, and there are more second marriages. These couples often have more money than younger couples. Also, everyone has traveled more in the '80s than in the '60s. A European trip is almost commonplace, and Hawaii is not an uncommon destination, either."

WHAT ARE the most popular destinations for these traditional, non-traditional couples? According to Bride's survey, 65 percent of readers travel outside the United States on their honeymoon. Most frequently, they go to Hawaii, the Virgin Islands, the Bahamas, Mexico or Caribbean destinations. Very often, they go on cruises.

"The popularity of these destinations is easy to understand," said Mary Connor of Plymouth Travel Consultants. "For one thing, they are often available as part of a package tour. Honeymooners like to know exactly how much they are going to spend. On an all-inclusive package tour, everything is included: food, drinks, entertainment, sporting activities, such as swimming, tennis, scuba diving.

"Another advantage of a package tour is that everything is taken care of for you. Honeymooners want to concentrate on one another; after all, that's the whole point of the trip. They don't want to have to worry about booking rooms, and making travel arrangements."

"There's a growing trend toward actually getting married at the honeymoon location," said Sally Trowbridge, Bride's travel editor. "Many countries, especially those in the Caribbean, are changing residency requirements to accmomodate those who want the simplicity of elopement combined with a traditional ceremony. Jamaica, for example, has recently established a 24-hour residency requirement."

RANDY BALTA, of Joan Anderson Travel Service, has arranged several such ceremonies. "A client came in and said, 'I just want to get married; arrange it for me.'

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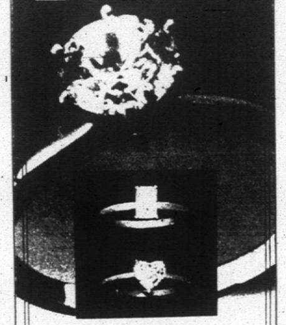


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Weddings showcase flowers

By Debbie Wallis Landau
special writer

YESTERDAY'S WEDDINGS often had predictable floral arrangements. In the reception halls, rounded groupings of carnations might be flanked by votive candles. Or simpler yet, a single blossom in a bud vase would be in the center.

The bride would be carrying a more elaborate bouquet of carnations with baby's breath, or a richer yet traditional arrangement of stephanotis, ivy and white roses.

Those scenarios haven't totally disappeared. But they are diminished by an explosion of creativity, not just in the availability of exotic blossoms and greens used to decorate weddings but new trends in color and the innovative touches of modern designers.

Colors are more often bold, not muted. And whether the bride's choice is romantic, nostalgic Victorian, or clean, crisp contemporary style, today's florists are pulling out all the stops to give brides what they want.

"MOST OF our clientele hire us because of our style," said Laura Enzor, bridal consultant for Premier Designs in Livonia. "Our interpretation of traditional is a bit different from other designers. For one thing, we never dye flowers. If a color is unavailable, we would use ribbons to run an accent color through a bouquet or arrangement."



JIM JAGDFELD/staff photographer

This Holland tied bouquet, for bridesmaids, includes stock, freesia, mixed greens, beargrass, astor monte casino and miniature calla lillies. At Premier Designs, Livonia.

In her business, the trend toward contemporary weddings has translated into uses of brilliant flowers like Birds of Paradise. Traditionally unheard of color combinations of orange, pink or purple are often used.

"Calla lilies, one of the most popular modern flowers for the bride's bouquet in the 1980s, are now often replaced by Casablanca Lilies," Enzor said, "because the latter doesn't have as thick a stem and is easier to hold."

Premier Designs specializes in what Enzor calls the finishing touches to a wedding: facets that may not be considered essential to a complete wedding but add a touch of elegance and thoughtfulness to the overall decorating theme.

"I like to sprinkle rose petals and netting over the card table which holds guests' seating arrangements," she said. "In a powder room which is mirrored, we attach a suction cup with a spray of flowers off to one side of a mirror."

ENZOR HAS been challenged with unusual structural limitations.

"We've done weddings, for example, in the Mary Martha Chapel in Greenfield Village. There is no electricity in the chapel and we used candles in all the windows. Rather than using vases, we cascaded flowers out of crates placed in various parts of the room. It was a very romantic, airy look in a place that could have seemed austere."

Amy Wojtylo, manager of Flowers on the Main in Royal Oak, has witnessed a growing trend toward lavish floral arrangements in the hall or reception area, and less decorating of church and synagogue areas.

"There seems to be two trends occurring," she said. "One is that many brides are bringing in printed restrictions from churches requesting no pew bows and/or allowing only one centerpiece for the altar. Also, other than Catholic wedding ceremonies, which tend to be longer, families decide not to invest as much for the flowers during the service and they go all out for the party."

Wojtylo often contrasts table decor by alternating high-pedestal floral arrangements with low ones. She also is enthusiastic about the use of beautiful greenery.

"I do push contemporary arrangements because we can get dramatic, very beautiful designs for less money if budget is important," she said. "The greens and fillers available today are gorgeous, airy and distinctive."

WOJTYLO DOESN'T maintain price books in the store because she creates individually for each bride.

"I tell them to pick something they like and I will work within their price range."

At a private home she was hired to decorate for a wedding. Wojtyla draped garlands of springeri or asparagus fer, with curling ribbon around a staircase. It was just one way to achieve a romantic look without a major floral expenditure.

"Whenever possible, I also like to advise brides to choose a wedding cake with just white icing," she said. "We can develop a very personal design using fresh flowers on the cake to tie in with the overall wedding theme."

IN PLYMOUTH, Wesley Berry Flowers owner Lynn Denhardt gets requests to complement black and white weddings.

"Over the past year, it seems about six to every 10 brides had attendants outfitted in black, tea length gowns. And instead of traditional bouquets, they wanted to carry a dozen red roses.

"In most cases, the mothers of the bride and groom still wore a corsage, but often they will be handed one rose

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Wedding night

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Floral designs draw on creativity

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instead," she said.

Like Wojtyla, Denhardt is using more high-pedestal arrangements for parties instead of the traditional mounded look.

Donna Schroeter, owner of Schroeter's Flowers in Farmington Hills, coordinates "at least 200 weddings a year." She echoes Denhardt's comment about black and white weddings.

"We often incorporate another trendy color, teal, into those weddings with ribbon," she said. "Our brides are asking for lilies, freesia and orchids. But we find our clientele is very mixed; we do have a lot of requests for traditional weddings here, too."

ARLENE CHERRIN, owner of Silk Florist in Birmingham and Southfield, provides a service that's becoming increasingly attractive to bridal parties. She travels all over North America for silk flowers and greens of high quality and is proud of the abundance of so many good American products.

"The choices in silk designs today are endless," she said. "There are many aspects of a wedding where silk can be used interchangably, and more effectively, than fresh flowers."

Cherrin specializes in creating lovely, lasting hairpieces, boutonnieres and bouquets for the bride and groom, as well as their attendants and special family members.

"SILK HAIRPIECES are so much easier to maintain. Roses and baby's breath and pearls have always been popularly requested, but using fresh flowers on short or unswept hair is very difficult. We enjoy creating halos for children, using stephanotis in a circle and dangling ribbons from the circlet," Cherrin said.

With so many people marrying for a second time, children are very much part of today's wedding ceremonies. Grandmothers also love to have a wrist corsage for a memento, and bouquets tossed to a female relative will last forever, Cherrin said.

She has observed an increase in all-white wedding parties, with flowers used to bring in the color.

"This fresh look we're seeing is very brilliant, very intense. Blooms like laetris, freesia, all varieties of lilies and orchids are the rage now. There are also many Victorian-style weddings, with purples, pinks and whites. Instead of the upright flowers held by many contemporary brides, a Victorian bride might opt for a more traditional nosegay. We fashion all of these."

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● Why are diamonds considered the ultimate symbol of love?

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● Why does a bride wear a veil?

Originally, the bride's veil symbolized her youth and virginity. Early Christian brides wore white indicating purity and celebration or blue, symbolizing the Virgin Mary's purity.

It is said that Nellie Curtis, Martha Washington's granddaughter, set the fashion for the lacy white veil of today, when she chose to wear a long scarf to her wedding. Her decision stemmed from the flattering comment her fiance made after glimpsing her through a lace curtain at an open window.

● Why does the bride wear white?

White has been a symbol of celebration since Roman times. In Victorian times, it was also a sign of affluence, but by the turn of the century, the idea of white as a sign of purity took precedence.

● Why does the bride carry a handkerchief?

It is a symbol of luck. According to folklore, farmers thought a bride's wedding day tears were lucky and brought rain for their crops. Later, a crying bride meant that she would never shed another tear as a result of her marriage.

● Why a wedding cake?

Cake has been a part of wedding celebrations since Roman times, when a thin loaf of bread was broken over the bride's head at the close of the ceremony. The wheat from which it was made symbolized fertility; the crumbs were eagerly sought by the guests as good luck charms.

Contemporary wedding customs adapted from "The Bride's Book of Etiquette" from the editors of "Bride's" magazine.

Helping plan your honeymoon

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honeymoon began!"

"In Fiji," Trowbridge said, "a couple can be married in a native ceremony, the bride and groom wrapped together in a ceremonial cloth."

After Florida (14.8 percent), Pennsylvania (6.2 percent) is the most popular honeymoon destination within the United States for Bride's readers. "The Poconos have made a big comeback," Nikitas said.

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