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Master plan spurs big crowd, complaints

A full-house crowd showed Monday at Canton Township Hall to air its opinmostly negative - about Canton's proposed Master Plan.

About 150 people - mostly from the northwest section of the township who oppose smaller residential lots and development along Ford Road - packed the meeting hall to standing room only for the public hearing.

The Canton Planning Commission will hold another public hearing on the master plan at 7.30 p.m. Monday Feb. 10. at Canton Township Hall.

The commission is expected to vote on the Master Plan after the hearing. said Dr Richard Kirchgatter, chairman of the planning commission.

Another public hearing was held in October, in which residents, again mostly from the west section of the township, told the commission why they are against the proposed plan.

THIS WEEK the public hearing lasted from 8 to 11 p.m. and included a slide show of proposed development.

"We are not going to drag this out forever and ever," Kirchgatter said. We have reviewed this for two years and quite honestly we are getting tired Our overall goal would be to adopt a Master Plan that is reasonable and as fair as it can be to all the citizens of the township

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ubdivision has been against the plan. Vachher said he doesn't want to see the planning mistakes that were made in the eastern end repeated in the west.

In the western half we have developed the type of place where decisionmakers will live, and we need that because they will move their companies to this area too," said Vachher referring to multi-acre residential lots.

Presently, portions of areas west of Canton Center porth of Ford are zoned for five-acre minimum residential lots and some are zoned 40-acre minimum lots, said Loren Bennett, member of the commission and of the Canton Township Board of Trustees

CONDOMINIUMS AND one-or-two story apartments would be allowed east of Napier, west of Ridge and about 1,000 feet north of Ford Road

The plan, often referred to as a snapshot for Canton's development in a decade or two, calls for dividing lots into minimum sizes of one to three buildings per acre.

"I think we need some diversity in the township," Vachher said. "All of it shouldn't be developed in the same

Commercial development on Ford west of Canton Center would be permitted under the plan. Industrial and commercial growth will bolster the tax

base for the community, the plan says.

In the area west of Beck Road the

commercial development is listed as a Planned Development District (PDD). The Master Plan targets the PDD as a place to spur creative site design, avoid strip development and may include residential office and commercial

Describing the tone of the meeting Planning Commissioner Ed Portschell The audience really seemed to be afraid of the plan. They think they are immediately going to look out the window and see an apartment complex. They think if this plan is adopted that in five years the place is going to be filled with people, buildings and

PORTSCHELL SAID he was open to

for a Master Plan that targets pieces of the township, waits to see how the community is affected by the change, and

moves on. 'At some point in the future, maybe 30 years, development will go all the way down Ford Road to Washtenaw County," said Portschell.

Terry Filas, who lives on Hanford west of Ridge, said the commission should take more time before commit-ting to a Master Plan.

We have nothing against Canton coming up with a Master Plan that meets environmental requirements but just don't slap something together that has to go into effect Feb. 1." Filas said. 'If it takes another year of planning then take another year.

CANTON RESIDENTS "can't stop

We understand that Ford Road is going to get developed but how it gets developed is the point.

I pay good money to live out in the country and now I'm going to lose my country." Filas said. "I may have my five acres but there's going to be concrete buildings all around. Pretty soon I'll just have to move. I guarantee you there will be people moving out. It won't happen in one or two years but in three they will and property values will go down.

Bennett stressed that planning commission members aren't trying to "ram anything through

We're trying to absorb public concern but we must base our decision on the community as a whole," Bennett Other proposals listed in the plan include designating south of Michigan Avenue a general industrial district; the north Haggerty corridor will encompass the research, office and light industrial district; and the I-275 corridor would continue to be used for industrial research uses.

Each side of Ford between Sheldon and Lilley has been set aside as a Downtown Development District to provide focus for pedestrians and shopping activities

The present Master Plan was adopted in 1976 and limited most of the western part of the township to either argricultural or large-lot residential. It promoted an extensive farmland preservation program twice voted down by

Grant designated for historic school

By Diane Gale

A \$99,500 grant has been awarded to Canton Township for renovation of the Cherry Hill school at Cherry Hill and Ridge

The grant will be supplemented by a \$1,050 allocation from local funds. according to Gov. Blanchard.

Canton will be unable to use the grant unless Plymouth-Canton Community Schools gives or leases the school to Canton, Supervisor James Poole stressed. Previous attempts by Canton in this direction have been rejected by the school district, Poole added

But the grant is a tremendous feather in our cap, and I think it will be wonderful for all of the people in western Wayne County," Poole said.

ONCE REHABILITATED, school - in a one mile radius often referred to as the Cherry Hill Historical District - will be used by citizen groups and township-sponsored organizations as a township meeting

State Rep. Jim Kosteva, D-Canton, and Kim Scherschligt, Canton's community and economic development research associate who wrote the grant application, praised each for helping gain the grant

Kosteva also lauded the hard work on behalf of the renovation by Canton's Historical Commission and Soci

The renovation actually serves two purposes," said David Nicholson, township director of community and economic development. "Not only will an important landmark be reserved but the structure will be returned to a useful state so it can re-turn to the citizens. We have received tremendous citizen support for this

The architectural style of the school, built in 1876, is Italianate.

It served as a one-room school house until Henry Ford donated funds for an addition making it a two-room school house. Ford then added the school in 1945 to the Greenfield Village Edison School System, Scherschligt said.

The Cherry Hill school remained a part of this system until Henry Ford's death in 1947 at which time it was returned to the Plymouth School Dis-

'Renovation of the school will provide increased awareness of the historical roots and should create incentive for further preservation efforts, Scherschligt said. "Canton does have an identity problem and this could realy be something that the citizens could focus on.



Historic Cherry Hill School could be put to use if Plymouth-Can ton Community Schools agrees to lease or sell it to Canton. Grant funds would finance the restoration.

THE GRANT was one of seven in

Wayne County totaling \$850,570. The money is allocated from the Michigan Equity Fund, which is part of a statewide program designed to support regional and cultural activi-

About 330 units of government applied for grants this year and 635 projects were reviewed by the Department of Commerce. The total requests from these cities, townships and villages totaled \$29.5 million.

"The grant is a timely continuation of Canton's efforts to promote the historical community," Kosteva said. "With these funds, we can restore one of Canton's most prized historic sites and turn it into a valuable community meeting place."

Coordinators make life interesting for area seniors

By Maurie Walker

activities for senior citizens were practically unheard of. This has changed senior citizens

drastically today, thanks to the untiring efforts of many dedicated people. Canton has two such dedicated per-

SPECIAL SECTION

IN TODAY'S ISSUE

It wasn't too many years ago when sons who devote their efforts to making life interesting for the township's many

Dianne Neihengen, 38, is coordinator of senior citizen activities, assisted by Louise Spigarelli, 26, also of Canton They are headquartered at the Canton Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Avenue at Sheldon, where five days a

week there are activities available to residents age 55 and older. Dianne has been coordinator since

September 1982. Prior to taking this position, she was a member of the Canton Planning Commission and on the farm preservation committee. She is a 1969 graduate of Dayton

University in Ohio where she majored in social work and theology. She and her husband, Bill, have two children, Amy, 14, and Matthew, 111/2

BORN AND RAISED in Detroit and Grosse Pointe, Dianne said she grew up with her grandparents who lived with the family. "So it's very natural for me to be with older people.

people

"I spent so much time with my grandparents and their friends, half of my time was with older people.

Louise is a 1980 graduate of Eastern Michigan University. She was born in Detroit and reared in Northville. She and husband, Keith, live in Canton.

In addition to assisting Dianne in the planning and supervising of events at the recreation center. Louise oversees senior citizen sports program

which includes volleyball, bowling, softball, pool tournaments and the senior olympics.

AS COORDINATOR, Dianne is responsible for about 500 Canton senior citizens who take advantage of the services offered.

She and Louise work with four clubs, the Pioneers, Royals, Zesters and the men's club. The Canton Senior Kitchen Band also is under their supervision.

They collaborate with the Wayne-Westland Community Education De-partment in offering a variety of class-

es that include woodcarving, American Please turn to Page 6

Jury chosen for murder trial

By Diane Gale staff writer

A jury has been selected for the first degree murder trial of Dr. Charles Ray Fisher, charged with suffocating his wife by wrapping duct tape around her nose and mouth in their Canton Township home.

Ten women and four men were chosen Tuesday after a day and a half of interviewing prospective Jurors in Wayne Circuit Judge Claudia House Morcom's courtroom.

Burress, Fisher's attorney, and Doug Baker, prosecutor — were expected Wednesday morning.

Fisher, free on a \$250,000 bond or 10 percent surety, appeared in good spirits in court.

BAKER ANNOUNCED that his case is based on "entirely circumstantial" evidence and it was "important for me

to at least have the jurors instructed" on the legal term.

With circumstantial evidence it is

not necessary or possible that facts be proven by evidence or witnesses' statements." Morcom said. However, circumstantial evidence

can show guilt or innocence, she added. Burress also questioned prospective jurors if they have seen the movies 'Jagged Edge' and "Fatal Vision," popular movies dealing with brutal murders.

Morcom said she expected the trial to last between seven and eight weeks with a two-week recess from Dec. 20

through Jan 6. FISHER IS accused of killing his

wife and staging a robbery July 15, 1984. He said he was kicked in the knee and knocked unconscious by intruders in their Thornwood home.

When he regained consciousness

help his wife, Ella Marie Mercado-Fisher. Fisher called Canton Police and rescue units to their home. Mercado-Fisher had suffered severe

lack of oxygen to the brain when she arrived at Oakwood Hospital Canton Center. Mercado-Fisher had remains of duct tape on her face and hair, according to hospital workers, who testified during the preliminary examination in 35th District Court.

Mercado-Fisher died five days after the attack at St. Joseph Hospital in Yp-

silanti During the preliminary examination Burress argued that many homes in the Thornwood area had been broken into around the time of the Mercado-Fisher attack. He questioned why police hadn't linked this possibility to the murder.

The prosecution revealed testimony implying that Fisher was jealous about an apparent romantic relationship be-tween Mercado-Fisher and her cousin,

Javier Hortato.

Couise Spigarelli (left) and Dianne Neihengen keep senior citizens on the move

Fisher said, he freed himself, removed duct tape around his face and tried to

obituaries

57, of Canton Township were held re-cently in Schrader Funeral Home. Plymouth, with burial at Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth Officiating was the Rev. Philip Rodgers Magee. Memorial contributions may be made to the

Mrs. Mettetal, who died Dec. 6 in Canton, was born in Meaford, Ontario, Canada, and moved to Canton in 1954 from Dearborn. She was a homemaker Survivors include: daughters, Debora Kerkau of Canton, Jacquelyn Kravick of Yokon, Okla., son, Richard of Milford; and three grandchildren.

IVAN D. CAMPBELL

A memorial service for Mr. Campbell, 60, of Plymouth was held this week in Schrader Funeral Home with Pastor Leonard J. Koeninger officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Heart Association, to the Michigan Cancer Foundation, or to the charity of the donor's

Mr. Campbell, who died Dec. 8 in Livonia, was born in Canton and lived his entire life in the Plymouth-Canton area. He was a supervisor with Ford Transmission in Livonia, was a member of St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church in Plymouth, was a volunteer outh community, was a member of the ating was the Rev. Kenneth Gruebel. Howell Elks, was past commander of and operated a dairy farm in Canton

ughters, Claire Roberts of Plymouth, Beth D'Angelo of Plymouth, Lynn Bock of Massachusetts, Loraine Burnett of Indiana, Pamela Campbell of Westland, and Jill Campbell of Florida; sons, Joel of Georgia, Leslie of Texas, Jerald of Colorado, Gregg of Florida, Michael Hatke of Florida, Mark Hatke of Indiana, and Chris Hatke of Wiscon Michigan Cancer Foundation. sin, sister, Irene Smith of Gaylord; and

Funeral services for Mrs. Kruklitis, 76, of Plymouth were held recently in Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home in Plymouth with burial at Riverside

Cemetery, Plymouth Officiating was the Rev. Valters Liventals. Mrs. Kruklitis, who died Dec. 3 in St. Mary Hospital, Livonia, was born in Riga, Latvia. A homemaker, she was a member of St. Paul Latvian Ev. Lu-

theran Church, Detroit. Survivors include: husband, Karlis, son, Juris of Plymouth and Andreis of Clinton, N.J., daughters, Elga Leone of Houston and Baiba Bomis of Ann Arbor, seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild

DAN J. BENNETT

Funeral services for Mr. Bennett, 47. Harrison were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home with burial a firefighter for many years in the Plym- Greenwood Township Cemetery Offici Mr. Bennett, who died Dec. 7 in Ann the Passage-Gayde American Legion Arbor, was born in Canton Township. Post in Plymouth, and in 1950 owned Born on the family farm in Canton

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Livonia mayor to run for county post

by other candidates," she said. McNamara, 59, considered to be an

seeking support for governor.

his strong suburban showing.

in a previous bid for the county spot

against then-Sheriff William Lucas.

The post was filled for the first time

Lucas switched to the Republican

ALTHOUGH HE led in the suburbs,

McNamara failed to overcome Lucas'

overwhelming strength in Detroit and

run this race before." Duggan said.

"We made some mistakes and learned

a lot. And we're gonna work smarter

"We have a leg up because he has

Livonia Mayor Edward McNamara has rented Roma Hall for a major political gathering Sunday, when he is eparing to announce his candidacy for Wayne County executive in 1986. In an invitation to the "Holiday Reception," McNamara wrote that he "wishes to share this announcement with my friends and supporters" be-



ering entering this race. The support and encouragement I have received the critical factor in my decision," he

McNamara, a Democrat and Livonia's mayor for the past 15 years, has been spending this week attending the National League of Cities Conference

"As you know, for the last few

from my friends and supporters was

HIS PLANS Sunday will propel him o his second bid for the job of Wayne County's chief executive officer and make him the first major

Aides said he is announcing earl the Democratic primary isn't until next August — to begin lining up sup ort from government leaders and financial contributions. The race is exected to cost some \$400,000.

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ed to know his intentions. Everyone is

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Duggan said much of the campaign organization won't be in place until Said a chief political supporter probably January, including the namloan Duggan, also his mayoral adninistrative assistant: "I think a lot of people pushed him to do this (an-

looking around (for supporters) at the personnel director Edith Davis is moment, and many of his friends have been put on the spot, approached reasurer of his organization, labeled "McNamara's Band."

The 1986 county election, which will occur along with the statewide able public administrator who works at gaining "consensus" solutions, lost governor's race, will be held with a partisan primary sometime in August and followed by a general election in November 1986. With the county voting about-two-thirds Democratic, the Democratic nominee in August is al-Party last May and is now actively most assured victory in November.

Others with name recognition considering the county race include County Commission Chairman John Hertel of Harper Woods; Sheriff Robert Ficano, another long-time Livonian; and assistant county executive Frank Wilkerson, a Southfield resi dent who said he would move back to the city of Detroit if he decided to

In Livonia, McNamara was reelected to a sixth mayoral term in November 1983. That term doesn't expire until 1987.

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The volunteers manning the phones included these two members



entertaining at the telethon were Iva Folts (left) and Merle Hutchinson. The volunteer emcees (above) included Sandy Preblich (left) of The Sandy Show and J.P. McCarthy of Single Touch. In the photo



Local talent did many of the videos which

were pre-taped and shown during the telethon.

added Holmes. Girl Scout troops from Canton

The chairman of the 1985 Baskets Filled With

and Plymouth also lent their support.

at right Isbister Elementary School student Tommy Mesner gets to sit on Santa's lap in return for Isbister's donation of 800 canned good items.

Baskets were filled with love, lotsa food

collected last Saturday for needy the "Baskets Filled With Love" telethon food drive conducted by Omnicom Cablevision and the Plymouth Salvation Army

Maria Holmes, acting program director for Omnicom, said Monday she expects 40,000 to 50,000 canned good items will be collected when the campaign ends. Last year, she said, some 30 000 canned goods were collected.

Besides the 21,000 canned good items turned in from noon to 5 p.m. Saturday, about \$1,000 cash was donated during the telethon. About 100

Motor Company, K mart, and by classes in Lilley Road at Ford in Canton. Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. Also par-Among the celebrities participating were ticipating were senior citizen groups in Canton Gary Cubberly of Channel 2 and Wayne County and Plymouth and the famed Canton Kitchen Executive William Lucas. In addition, Kathy Adams did a special promo tape which was

were officers in the Salvation Army Corps. Local celebrities who volunteered as master of ceremonies all day long were Sandy Preblich of the Sandy Show and social columnist for the Canton Observer, and J.P. McCarthy of the Sin-

played during the telethon explaining what i was like being raised the child of parents who

> Love was Pete Smith, associate producer of Omnicom. The co-chairmen were Holmes and Lt. Larry Manzella, commanding officer of the

brevities

BREVITIES

DEADLINES Announcements for Brevities should be submitted by noon Monday for the Thursday issue and by noon Thursday for the Monday issue. Bring in or mail announcements to the Observ-

RUMMAGE SALE

Thursday, Dec. 12 - Community Education Department of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools will sponsor a rummage sale from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Starkweather Center, 550 N. Holbrook, Plymouth. Proceeds from the sale of donated items will be given to the Community Literacy Council which trains Laubach tutors to assist adults with reading difficulties. The center is one block north of Plymouth Road and two blocks east of Mill in Old Vil-

SANTA VISITS C&O Saturday, Dec. 14 - The C&O Railroad will feature an engine and caboose with Santa and refreshments on the tracks at Main Street and Theodore

 CEP HOLIDAY BALL Saturday, Dec. 14 — The Centennial Educational Park (CEP) Ball will be 8-11 p.m.in Plymouth Canton High School. Tickets are \$5 a couple or \$3 sin-

• CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTIES Saturday, Dec. 14 - Canton Parks and Recreation is sponsoring its annual Children's Christmas

Parties for ages 3-12. The children will enjoy movies, games, refreshments and a special visit with Santa Claus in person. Times are 9:30-10:30 a.m. for ages 3-7 and 10:45-11:45 a.m. for ages 8 up to 12. It is necessary to register in advance by calling 397-1000 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Fri-

 POLISH CAROLS Sunday, Dec. 15 - Madonna College will present Polonaise Chorale, a concert of Polish Christmas Carols, beginning at 4 p.m. in the Activities Center of the campus at I-96 and Levan, Livonia. Featured

ee reception will follow the concert. Admission is HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE Tuesday, Dec. 17 - Smith Elementary School PFO will sponsor a Christmas Holiday Open House at the school beginning at 7 p.m. There will be caroling around the Christmas tree in front of the school and refreshments in the gym afterward. All

rooms will be decorated and open to the public.

will be traditional Polish and English carols and

poetry and an audience sing-along. A cake and cof-

• GUARANTEED WHITE CHRISTMAS Thursday, Dec. 19 - The Canton Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring its "Guaranteed nes" contest for Canton residents. The contest winner will have his yard covered with snow on Friday, Dec. 20, and receive a copy of Bing Crosby's "White Christmas" album. Entry forms are available at the parks and recreation department or by senidng your name, address and telephone number to: Canton Parks and Recreation, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, Mich. 48188 The deadline to receive entries is 5 p.m. Dec. 18. The winner will be picked Thursday, Dec. 19.

 BLOOD DONATIONS Saturday, Dec. 21 - The American Red Cross

Bloodmobile will be at Jeannotte Pontiac, 14949 Sheldon, Plymouth, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The visit is sponsored by the CNP Girl Scouts. For an appointment, call Verna George at 981-4890.

Saturday, Dec. 28 - A special family field trip to ee "The Muppets on Tour" stage show will leave Canton Township Administation Building at 9:30 a.m. for Cobo Arena Mini-Theatre. The charge is \$7 per person for admittance ticket and transportation. Canton Parks and Recreation is sponsoring the trip to see Jim Henson's famous muppets, all bigger than life. Space is limited, so sign up early by calling 397-1000 between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

WSDP / 88.1

(WSDP-FM 88 I is the student-operated re dio station at Plymouth Centennial Educational Park (CEP).)

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

THURSDAY (Dec. 12) . This Day in History - Students from Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem high schools report on historical events. . Family Health - What happens

when a person has a stroke? 6 p.m. . . . News File at Six - Julie Struck with the news and a special feature.

FRIDAY (Dec. 13)

. This Day in History. 4:05 p.m. . Family Health - Christmas safety 5:05 p.m. . CEP Sports Weekly - Dan John-6:10 p.m.

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MONDAY (Dec. 16) 4:05 p.m. . This Day in History. Family Health - Kidney stones 5:05 p.m.

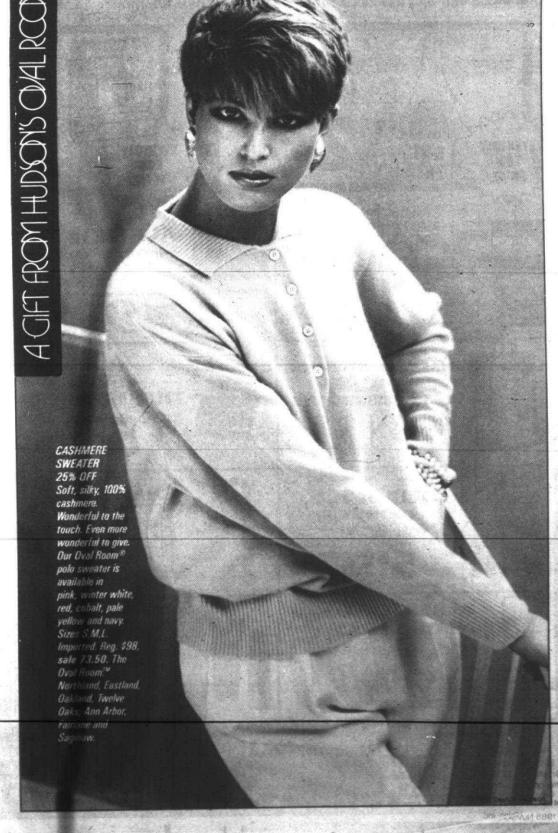
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6:10 p.m. . . . Family Report - Adoption, Part V. WEDNESDAY (Dec. 18) 4:05 p.m. . This Day in History . Family Health — How brain effects 5:05 p.m. .

THURSDAY (Dec. 19) . This Day in History. Family Health - types of contac 5:05 p.m. CEP Sports Weekly - Dan John-

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obituaries

employment with Ford. He was a where his mother still resides, he was a member of Cherry Hill United Methodforeman for Ford Motor Co. at the Wixist Church. om Assembly Plant. He was employed with Ford for 28 years. Mr. Bernett brothers, Carl of Kentucky, Robert of Kentucky, Charles of Indiana; and sevmoved to Harrison in 1984

Survivors include wife, Diana, sons, Scott of Belleville, Rick Jones of Ann Arbor and Steven Jones of Harrison; daughters, Shannon Smith of Florida and Suzette Jones of Harrison; mother, Hazel Bennett of Canton; brother Ronald of South Lyon; and sister, Gladys Lock of Canton.

Funéral services for Mr. Thompson, had been a grinder for Ford Motor Co. 87, of Texas (formerly of Plymouth) He was a member of Prayer Baptist were held recently in Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home with burial at Riverside Cemetery. Officiating was Dr. William Stahl Mr. Thompson, who died Dec. 2 in Debra Pastor; brother, Ed; sister, Ruth

Pharr, Texas, had been a building con-Daw; and six grandchildren. tractor and real estate broker. Survivors include a sister-in-law and many .

FLOYD W. MANGUN

Funeral services for Mr. Mangun, 80, burial at United Memorial Gardens in of Canton Township were held yesterday at Schrader Funeral Home with burial at Cherry Hill Cemetery, Can- butions may be made to the Diabetes ton. Officiating was the Rev. Bert Hosking. Memorial contributions may be made to the charity of the donor's Arbor, was a retired deliveryman for

low Run Village He retired from Ford six great-grandchildren.

Sears. He came to Westland in 1963 Arbor, was born in South Bend, Ind., wife, Sarah; daughter, Doris Ramage and moved to Canton in 1950 from Wil- of Plymouth; three grandchildren and Career planning test offered On Jan. 11 and 18, both Saturdays, Results of the assessment program the Centennial Educational Park (CEP)

Motor Co. in June 1968 after 10 years

ALOYSIUS (AI) J. KONCZAL

of Westland were held recently in Lam-

bert-Vermeulen Funeral Home with

burial at Glen Eden Cemetery. Offici-

Survivors include: wife, Rosetta;

sons, Bruce and Mark; daughters,

Sharon Ebejer of Columbia, Md., and

HOLBERT WILSON

Funeral services for Mr. Wilson, 83,

of Westland were held recently at the

Plymouth Church of the Nazarene with

Superior Township. Officiating was the

Rev. J. Mark Barnes. Memorial contri-

Mr. Wilson, who died Oct. 7 in Ann

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ating was Pastor Larry L. Bartlett. Mr. Konczal, who died Dec. 2 in Met ropolitan Hospital-West in Westland,

Funeral services for Mr. Konczal, 70,

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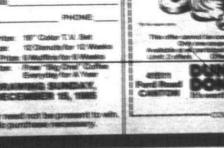
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Chuhran retracts drunk driving statement tion" to Chuhran's statement that that because the board addressed this Township cars assigned to the superwrote in a memo dated Dec. 3. vehicle "during the time frame of the

By Diane Gale

statement alleging Canton officials ed have driven township assigned vehicles while intoxicated.

What I know is no different from anyone else sitting on this board," huhran said at a Canton Township Roard of Trustee meeting Tuesday Supervisor James Poole had denanded Chuhran cite names of offincidents. Poole said that the remark flected poorly on all employees, and

POOLE WAS absent from the meet- road at the time of incident.

I would say that the statement was misunderstanding, and in the interest f moving on with other business, I that it was a misunderstanding," Chuhran said.

oard chairman in Poole's absence, aid: "Does that mean that you have no rst-hand knowledge'

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Chuhran said: "I would say Yes."

by Poole's mention of driving incidents the treasurer's and clerk's township asinvolving Chuhran's township car at a signed vehicles with a \$200 a month meeting last month.

A Union Lake woman wrote a letter saying a woman with a man and two children in the car was driving erratiials in response to a comment she cally on Haggerty near Pontiac Trailnade at a board meeting alleging such on a Saturday afternoon in September

The woman said the driver made an obscene gesture as she copied the lihat individuals should be cited or an cense number, which was later found to township vehicles. apology made to township employees be Chuhran's township assigned car. CHUHRAN DENIED being on the

However, the woman said she ater of the vehicle involved in her com- how the plan would be implemented. would withdraw the statement saying plaint," according to a copy of a Canton Police Department report dated Nov. 30, which was provided to the Trustee Stephen Larson, acting as press in an envelope from Poole's off-

ice Tuesday night. The woman "indicated that she was neither invited or requested to attend the meeting by anyone, and that she

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board members know of officials drivincident, it should also review situavisor, police chief, fire chief and De-Clerk Linda Chuhran has withdrawn ing township vehicles while intoxfcat- tions where township officials were intoxicated while driving township cars. In a separate action Tuesday night,

officials to the illegal act was spurred Bennett made a resolution substituting car allowance.

"The reason I have placed this on the

agenda is an attempt to eliminate some of the liability that the township faces," Bennett said.

and treasurer would not have access to ting a pothole. Also, when officials fail to work a 30-

day period the allowance would not be The resolution was tabled for a fu-

tended a board meeting Nov. 26 and ture board meeting pending Padget's "recognized Linda Chuhran as the driv-request for more information about "I think the concept of reimbursing people to use vehicles is, in fact, a good

> "Also, when a vehicle is owned by an person it is more likely to be better cared for.'

Chuhran asked Bennett why he ex-Trustees Robert Padget and Loren just decided to attend," the report said. cluded the supervisor's car from the lower control arm located on the under

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partment of Public Works were exclud-Bennett said, because these officials are on call 24 hours a day and their cars have special radio equip-

"It's unreasonable for anyone to carry out responsibilities of the office without their vehicles," Bennett said.

AT LAST month's meeting Poole also asked Chuhran about a broken frame on her township assigned car, THE RESOLUTION said the clerk which the clerk said was caused by hit-

> After receiving her car back following repairs, Chuhran filed a police report requesting an investigation of possible tampering.

Chuhran said her husband, Terry, checked the car and found the "frame was not properly tightened . . . Under normal driving conditions the car was possible the wheel could collapse," Chuhran wrote in a memo to Canton way to do business," Padget said. Police Chief John Santomauro.

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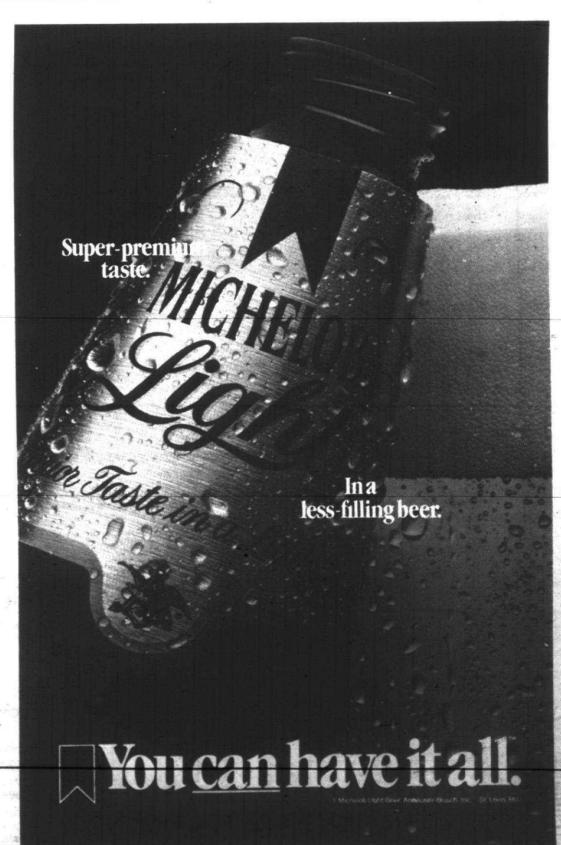




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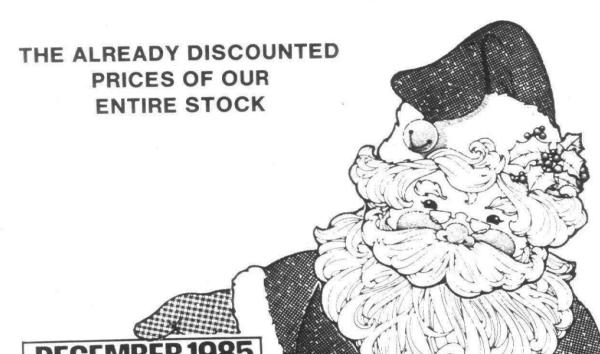


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> A cadre of volunteers offers help in Besides support, she said she benefitvice for some discretionary funds. But child-care and transportation.

to offer help to a teenager is immediately after she delivers the baby. That SINCE IT was started last year, the is when most drop-outs occur, she said.

counseling/education program has PAM OSTROWSKI, 18, who gave trowski of its impact on her relation-helped girls from 100 families in birth to a daughter, Andrea, nine weeks ship with Andrea's father: "It was a lit-A teenage parenting program that has helped nearly 100 girls in western wayne County deal with unexpected

A teenage parenting program director, Toni wayne County deal with unexpected wayne County deal with unexpected with unexpected when state funds ago, said the program gave her what the rocky at first. But we're beginning westland, Garden City, Wayne, Inkster, Plymouth, Canton, Livonia and Red-program as pregnancy as an unmarried recent high helped a lot."

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Baptist Church. Classes cover such top-through. It helped a whole lot to know lem we're having is where do we refer grams for teenage parents in this area "There are public health nurses who

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Jobless rate falls in most markets

but three of Michigan's 12 major labormarket areas between June and September, according to Richard Simmons Jr., director of the Michigan Employment Security Commission (MESC)

Most of the state's labor markets folduring the third calendar quarter of

areas, however, reported minor increases in their jobless rates from June tion of the new school year. to September while unemployment in the Upper Peninsula remained un-

to 9.8 percent in September. The num-

levels also dropped. By September, the labor force had fallen by 54,000 to 43 million and the number of workers with jobs fell by 30,000 to 3.9 million. Simmons explained that the fluctua

tion in Michigan's work force during lowed the statewide labor force trend the quarter was largely seasonal. Job seekers began entering the labor force during the summer, but by September Both the Saginaw and Battle Creek many of them had either left their jobs or stopped looking for work in anticipa

AMONG THE NINE areas reporting drops in their jobless rates, the Flin MICHIGAN'S unadjusted jobless and Jackson areas had the largest dec rate declined from 10.2 percent in June lines. The jobless rates in both area fell by 1.1 percentage points. By Sep ber of unemployed workers in the state tember, the Flint rate had fallen to 12 fell by 25,000 to 425,000 during the percent and the Jackson area rate

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will anyway." All night spot owners are planning theme decorations and appropriate live entertainment. Among the new or remodeled places are the Mill Street Inn, the Pike Street Company the Menage, Griff's Grill, Bobbie McGee's, Ralph's and the newest one. One Lafavette.

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Friday night parade on Cherry Stree Saginaw Street). It will be followed y a bonfire and pep rally, featuring the bands of both universities, on to of Phoenix Center. In addition, there will be roving

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tions on how to protect joints from injury and how to modify daily tasks so they can be done more easily. The pres ntations are at 1, 2, 3 and 4 p.m.

Saturday, Conti will discuss "Caring for Your Back." She will present techniques to reduce back stress including the correct way to lift, sit, stand, push and pull. The sessions are at 1, 2, 3 and Amicare Home Health Resources

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6:30 p.m. . . Bowling USA. 7 p.m. . . Miles to Go - A special on the problems of the handicapped.

7:30 p.m. . . . Yeshua Christmas Special — A documentary on the real Christmas site. 8 p.m. . . Quiz Bowl.

... Game of Week - 1985 NABF 8:30 p.m. World Series, rerun by request. Mickey Mantle World Series held in Northville in August 1985

FRIDAY (Dec. 13)

American Atheist News Forum - A program challenging religious viewpoints. 12:30 p.m. . . . Lifestyles — Talk show hosted by

Diane Martina. 1 p.m. . . . Issues for a Nuclear Age — Deals with nuclear arms race.

1:30 p.m. . . . Wayne County: A New Perspective — A report on activities in Wayne County.

2 p.m. . . . Health Talks — Hospital medical show covering general interest topics. 2:30 p.m. . . . TNT True Adventure Trails - Uncle Ernie spins his own brand of patriotism and

religion accompanied by home movies. 3 p.m. . . Divine Plan - A continuing religious 3:30 p.m. . . . This is the Life — Presentations on

modern-day problems and how to deal with them from the Lutheran Church. 4 p.m. . . Yugoslavia Variety Hour - Ethnic

music and dancing. 5 p.m. . . . Focus on South Africa - Speaker Son-Venkatratham, ex-political prisoner, talks with students at Centennial Educational Park

. . Apartheid Debate - Dr. Leonard 5:45 p.m. Siranski and a professor debate about the causes and effects of apartheid, the racial discrimination and segregation policies of South Africa toward native Africans.

6:30 p.m. . . . Ice Spectacular '85 - Ice skating extravaganza from Plymouth Ice Arena. Special guests are Maria Lako and Mike Blicharski, the 1985 senior pair bronze medalist in

Czecholovakia 8 p.m. . . On Our Own - A program produced by Handicap Media, Inc., explaining and exoloring every day life from the viewpoint of

handicapped persons. 8:30 p.m. . . . Community Upbeat - Focus on

30 p.m. . . Family Living — A series by Lu-theran TV. This week, "Respectfully Yours," a

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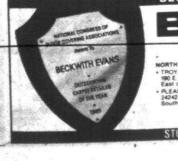
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Area Dems back curbs on clothing imports

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IMPORT LIMITS: By a vote of 255 to 164, the House passed and sent to the White House a bill limiting imports of textiles, clothing and shoes.

The bill's strictest provisions cut textile and apparel imports from Taiwan. Korea and Hong Kong by as much as 30 percent. It limits shoe imports to 60 percent of the U.S. market, and directs the administration to seek to reduce

Threatening to veto the bill, President Reagan said he opposes any protectionist legislation that diminishes competition abroad or here in the Unit-

Supporter Marilyn Llyod, D-Tenn., protectionist legislation, because we must stand tall in this body and pro-

ect our national economy. Opponent Ed Zschau, R-Calif, said, 1991. This bill will cost us jobs, not save los. It will increase the cost of apparel fand) make the United States an outlaw Levin and Broomfield.

Members voting yes and supporting CUT: By a vote of 127-289 against.

Sander Levin, D-Southfield. Voting no were Carl Pursell, R-Plymouth, and William Broomfield, Rrollcall report

STUDENT AID: The House passed 350 to 67, and sent to the Senate a bill the House rejected an amendment to that extends the Higher Education Act — cut about \$750 million from the Higher through 1991 and authorizes \$10.6 bil- Education Act's 1987 pricetag of \$10.6 lion to implement the law in fiscal

The cut was aimed not at loans and The majority of the money is eargrants to students but at institutiona marked for student aid. outlays such as aid to campus libraries To prevent well-off students from reand black colleges. Defeat of the ceiving federally subsidized education amendment left about \$1 billion for inloans, the bill requires a means test of stitutions intact on the bill. all applicants for a Guaranteed Student

Sponsor Steve Bartlett, R-Texas. Loan. Presently, only students from called the education bill "the largest families with annual incomes over budget-buster that this House has seen The other major form of federal help

Opponent Augustus Hawkins, Dsaid. "I am very proud this is called to college students, Pell Grants to the Calif., termed the amendment "an atpoor, is liberalized by a provision in the tack on American education" that the bill raising the maximum annual grant House should repel

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would help the FCS regain investor confidence, they say Members voting yes favored the cut

in aid to higher education. Voting no were Pursell, Ford, Hertel Levin and Broomfield.

BAILOUT: By a vote of 57-34, the Senate passed and sent to the House a bill making possible a federal bailout of the Farm Credit System (FCS). which is federally-supervised farmer owned network of some 700 local lend-

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the FCS for the first time will be able FCS officials say they may need a to draw on assets of strong banks

federal rescue because too many bad As a last resort, the bill entitles the loans - \$10 million or more - are FCS to an unspecified line of credit with the Treasury Department draining its assets. Federal backing

Senators voting yes, including Michigan Democrat Donald Riegle, support-This bill (S 1884) authorized several ed the legislation. Democrat Corl Levin management changes the system will make in hopes of averting a request for did not vote.

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Board apologizes to mother

By Sue McDenald

The Wayne-Westland Board of Education has publicly apologized to the mother of a Stevenson Junior High School student, whose unlisted telephone number was released to the Funding Effective Schools Committee, which is working to get voters approval for an upcoming millage renewel.

Board President Kathleen Chorbagian told Darlene Miller, mother of the student the district apparently "became overzealous" and "was wrong because we wanted your opinion. That's important to us."

Miller went before the school board this week to complain about the release of her telephone number to the committee, which used it to conduct a survey of parents about the upcoming millage election. Miller was critical of the district's policy.

which requires a written request to prevent information, such as a telephone number from being released by the school district. She said she had been under the impression that by checking the box for an unlisted telephone number on her daughter's school information card, the district would honor the confidentiality of the number.

on," Miller told the Observer. "To me it is a

Deputy School Superintendent Thomas ritkovich defended the release of the unlisted telephone number to the campaign workers when contacted by the Observer He said it was an appropriate action be-

cause students' names, addresses and telephone numbers are available under the law Svitkovich equated the action to releasing irectories of graduating seniors to an elected official interested in sending out congratulatory letters, or to a college that "They were doing a simple survey, maybe

10 questions, to see if information about the millage has gotten out to the people," he said. "It's just to try and see what the awareness level is "I could see her concern, if we were giv

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The release of the numbers is similar to what was done last year when the district conducted its Project Outreach survey to garner residents' opinions about the distriand its programming. Few, if any, com-plaints were raised about that release then,

MILLER has been a resident of the district for more than 18 years and said she was unaware of the in-writing requirement. Svitkovich pointed out that the policy has been in effect since 1960 and has been reviewed by the school board five times since then, including this year. He added that the schools have sent out reminders of the poli-"I'M QUITE surprised that this is going cy in school-time announcements and dis-

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shone number may be given out "haphazardly." She said she is worried that committee members may not be screened by the police before starting the survey.

"I pay Michigan Bell extra money not to give out my number, but you did," she told the board. "I'll give my opinion when I come to the school. I don't want you giving out my number.

According to Svitkovich, the campaign telephone callers are mostly parents of lo-

"This school district has a good record of protecting confidential information," he stressed. "For those persons who ask that that information not be released, we don't release it."

school Superintendent Dr. Dennis O'Neill that the information has been removed from the school directory and that she will be informed in writing that that has been

"I guess we have to apologize to you, Chorbagian said. "Yours was the only com plaint we received. We want you to know that your number wasn't given out random-



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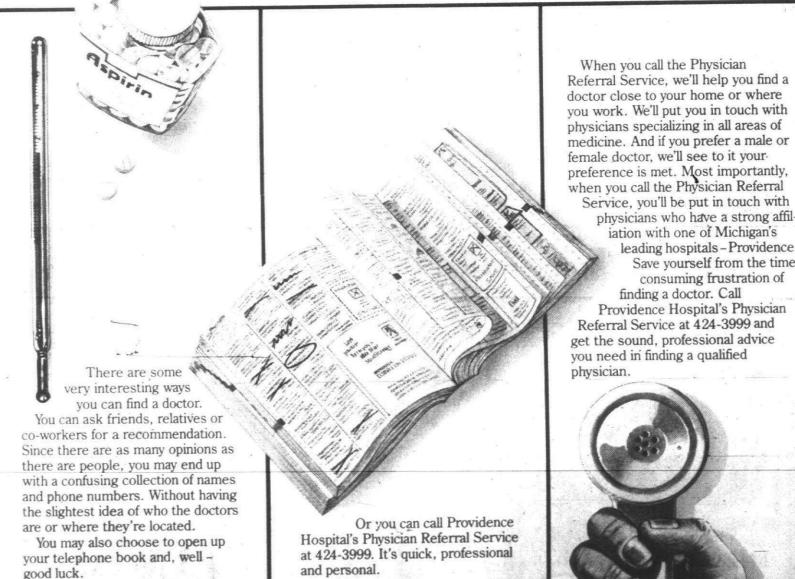


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mas is to make it a "safe" Christmas, says Al Matthews, acting fire chief for the City of

Matthews this week released safety tips from the Plymouth City Fire Department and the office of health promotion of Cathe-

ine McAuley Health Center Suggestions made for persons buying natural trees for Christmas include:

· Before buying a cut tree, check it for reshness. A fresh tree is less likely to dry out and become a serious fire hazard.

Check for brittle branches and shedding of needles as a sign of dryness. · At home, cut the end of the tree diago-

nally one or two inches above the original cut to allow the tree to absorb more water. · Place the tree in a sturdy, stable holder

· Keep the tree away from heat sources

such as fireplaces, heaters, and heat ducts.

• Water the tree daily. (Evaporation can be slowed by adding beer to the water).

• Dispose of the tree within 10 days after

Suggestions made for buyers andr owners

of artificial trees include: · Look for trees labeled "Fire Resistant." (This does not mean the tree will not burn.

but only that it will not catch fire easily). · Never attach Christmas lights to a metflects colors onto the tree.

· As with natural trees, keep away from For yule lighting and decorations the fol-

lowing suggestions are made:

• Use only Underwriter Laboratory (UL) approved lighting. Check lighting each year for visible defect such as frayed wires, loose connections, broken or cracked sockets, and spots where bare wire is exposed.

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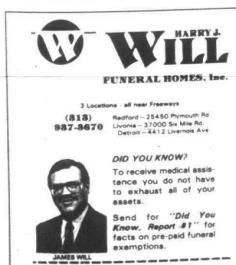
· Keep curtains and other flammable materials away from light bulbs. Candles never should be used on or near a Christmas tree. When leaving the house or retiring for the night, be sure all lights are turned off by

unplugging them from the wall outlet. Finally, if you don't have a smoke detector, says Matthews, purchase one this holiday season. If you already have one, make sure it works. And include smoke detectors on you

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With the advent of the Japanese cars during the past years there was a slump in the sale of American cars and things didn't look bright for 1986.

gurated a 7.7 percent interest plan with the hope of selling the last year's models. They weren't moving as well as was expect-

To get rid of the models the manufacturers and dealers inau-

Now, with the price of the foreign cars raised and the lack of So it looks like a good year.

One of the chief spokemen is Lou LaRiche, the Chevrolet dealer who is now looking forward to a good year in 1986. "It

may not be as good as we would have expected, but it will be a offered to help get rid of the current models, it was thought will buy American-built cars. that the dealers were selling their future.

iche smiled a broad smile.

'That will help us in the new year, and we will be able to sell our American-built cars at a better rate."

Then he added, "After all, we Chevrolet dealers are selling

"Our economy is good. The unemployment ranks are thinning, and people are buying homes or having them built with the Japanese rasing their cars, it means that people back here "Sure, we have some locations where the people are needy ut, on the whole, we are in good shape. And we are getting

"The next year is going to be a boomer."

"You can bet that our people will prefer American-built cars and our sales will go up. At least that's the way it looks at this

"Talk about a gift, that raise in Japanese prices could no



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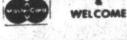


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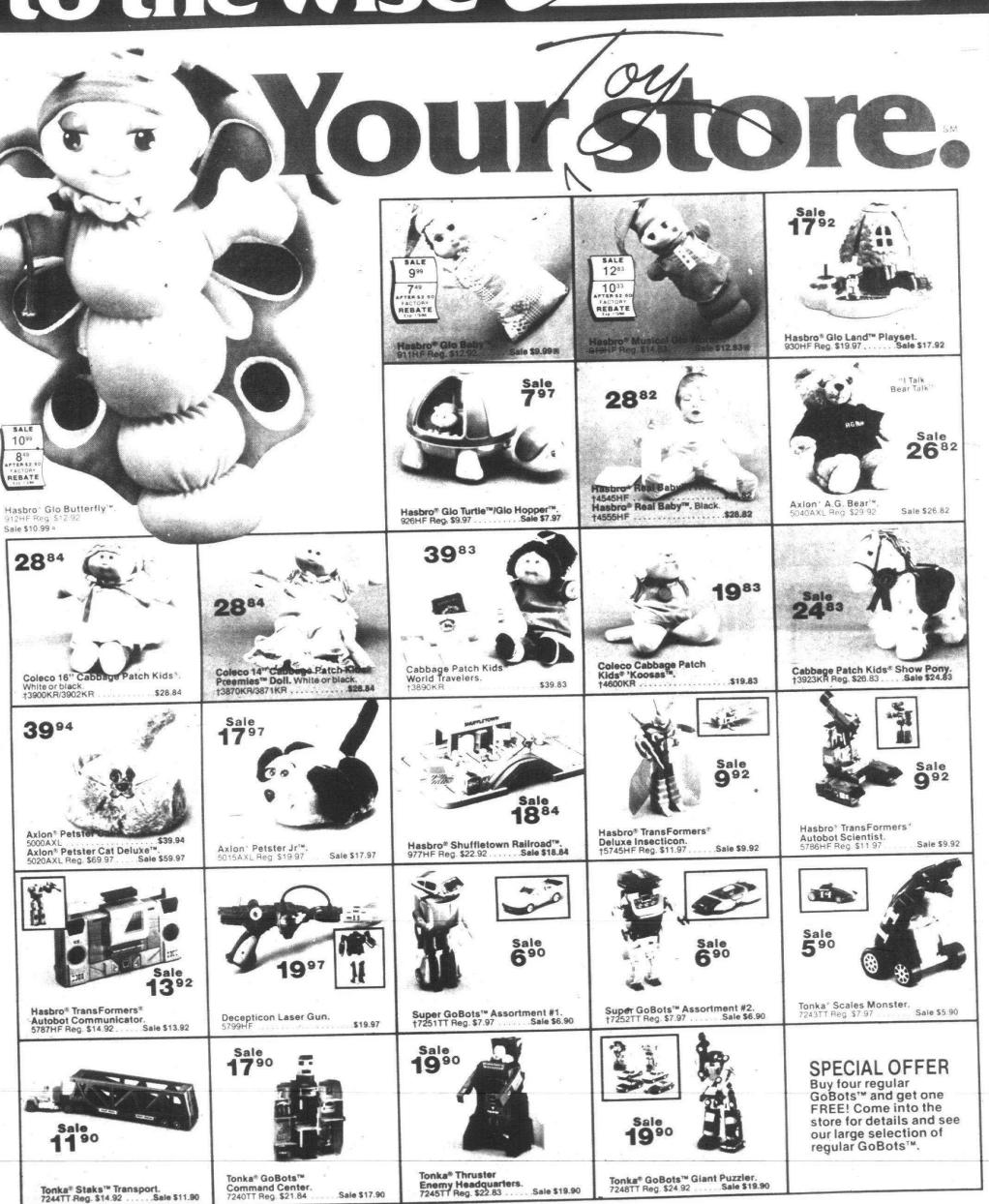
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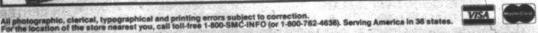
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By Tim Richard

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This will make it more difficult to ow out evidence on technical violaof procedures," said Sen. Doug uce, R-Troy, sponsor of Senate Bill

As high as 7 percent of drug defendts get off because of the liberal attiide of courts on search-and-seizure ases. That's too high. These are ses offenses.

THE SENATE last week passed uce's bill 25-7 and sent it to the use. Supporting it were Republicans ruce, Robert Geake of Northville and udy Nichols of Waterford. Other ackers were the State Police Departnent and the Prosecuting Attorneys ssociation of Michigan. Opposed were Democrats Jack Fax-

of Farmington Hills and Patrick McCollough of Dearborn. So was the ate Appellate Defenders Office. Absent were William Faust, D-Westnd, and Richard Fessler, R-West

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police state. Evidence should be gathered legally. Nothing prevents a police found one or more of these defects: officer from seizing evidence with a

• The magistrate issuing the search

den City. "We don't want to encourage gard of the truth). The false informatles. You (supporters) want anybody to for issuance of the search warrant. be able to give any judge any reason r going into a home (to search). warrant under circumstances such that You're making a big mistake."

REPLIED NICHOLS: "I'm surprised at the way some have become conde- an affidavit so lacking in probable scending experts . . . Stop being self- cause that belief in it was entirely unrighteous in a way that protects the rights of defendants.

man Alan Cropsey, R-DeWitt, said law enforcement officials still must apply to a magistrate for a search warrant 'The judiciary of this state is account . Sooner or later the judiciary faces the wrath of the voters," he said. Cropsey summed up the bill's intent: "The (search) warrant is OK unless law enforcement people or the magistrate

CRUCE'S BILL provides that otherwise admissible evidence, obtained

runs afoul of certain things . . . Are there safeguards? Very definitely."

Faxon said in the debate, "we'd have a with a search warrant, couldn't be supcers couldn't presume the warrant was later proves defective. These advocates bill was based on the high court's lan-

the Michigan Senate passed a bill search warrant obtained from a magis- warrant was misled by information analysis, both U.S. and Michigan constiwhich the law enforcement officer Added McCollough, whose district knew was false (or should have known spreads from western Detroit to Gar- was false except for his reckless disre- warrant from a magistrate or judge. fishing expeditions into people's castion must have been the probable cause be searched and the things to be seized.

> The magistrate issued the search any reasonably well-trained official these rights may not be admitted as evaldn't rely on the warrant.

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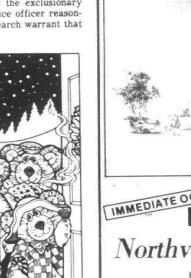
Senate Judiciary Committee Chair- ly deficient that law enforcement offi- ably relies upon a search warrant that

• The search warrant was based on

ACCORDING TO a Senate staff on technicalities. tutions require an official to have "probable cause" to obtain a search The official must describe the place to

Under U.S. Supreme Court decisions, evidence that is seized in violation of idence in a trial. This is known as the "exclusionary rule."

Advocates of tougher law enforcement contend there should be "good faith" exceptions to the exclusionary • The search warrant was so facial- rule - where a police officer reason-



say the truth-finding process is in- guage. terfered with by a court's over-reliance

OPPONENTS ARGUED that "government should not profit by its own Cropsey and Cruce point to a 1984 wrongdoing," citing dissenting lan-Supreme Court decision in the so-called guage in Leon case. Leon case. The court limited the exclu-

They also say the high court's Leon sionary rule to cases where the magis- decision sets a "bottom line" below trate was reckless in issuing the war- which state courts may not go in setrant, or the warrant was facially deficient in failing to spell out the things to Michigan to hold to a higher standard be seized. The senators said the Cruce in the issuance of search warrants.

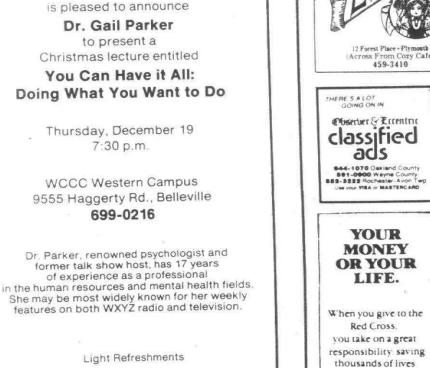


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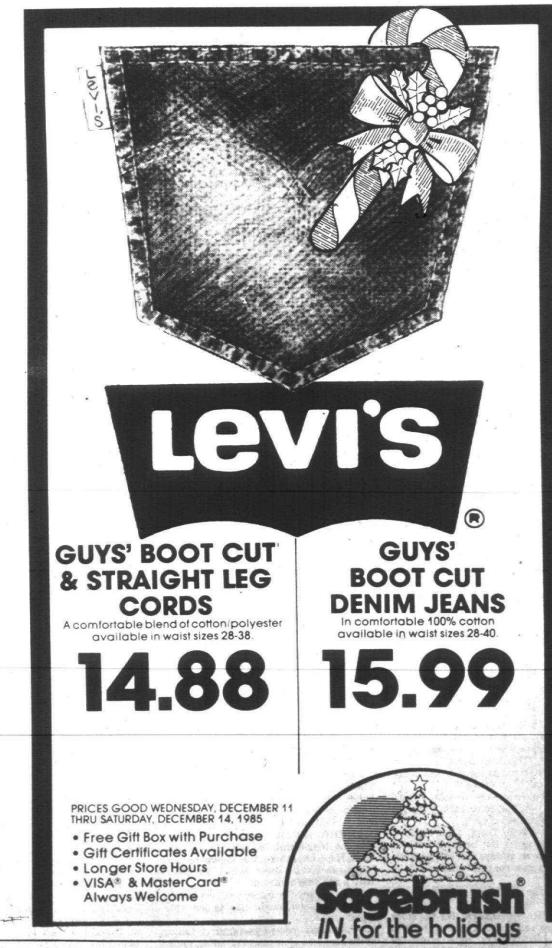
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Promises Weekend trade-off accomplishes little

In exchange for a few precious Saturday morning hours attending a seminar, I was promised all the power I needed to skyrocket my career, bump me into a higher income bracket, and transform every negative thought into a positive happening.

What more could anyone ask for, right? It sounded like a pretty good trade-off I'd forfeit my one free day a week to become perfect

Friday after a late night deadline, I began psyching myself up for the gathering. sponsored by a women's group. I needed the motivation to pull myself out of bed Saturday morning. I shelled out my 10 bucks with anticipation of the new person I was about to become.

TWO SESSIONS were offered simultaneously. My first choice was between how to manage my time and tips from a financial analyst.

I opted for the money-making ideas.

Michigan 150 years old

GEN. GEORGE A. Custer, Civil War hero and loser of a famous 1876 Indian battle, spent part of his youth in Monroe, Mich. The Little Big Horn Association, founded in 1967 and committed to the study of Custer, has designated the Monroe County Library as official depository for its papers. The association produces a quarterly Research and Review. The public may view the Custer collection by appointment by calling the library at 241

played my (credit) cards right.

in the Fortune 500 quickly fizzled after

Sponsored by a major clothier, an immaculately dressed woman talked for a half-hour about the bare bones wardrobe that cost a minimum \$500. Dressing for success was not going to be small pota-

After spending about six hours of prime time normally used to clear away the chores that have been accumulating all week and some that were postponed from the weeks before, I realized I really wasn't doing all that badly with my own

EVEN THOUGH I'm not rich, or working at the New York Times, at least I have a positive attitude. For instance, I'm positive that neither one of those is likely to

The time and money spent for the semi nar wasn't wasted. I came to the conclusion that rather than pursue those superficial pie in the sky ideals - that aren't guarantees of happiness anyway - I would start volunteering my time for peo-

an organization I've respected for the work it does for less fortunate people. I'm to begin working with the group at the beginning of the year.

No doubt, after waking early on Saturday mornings, I'll feel I've accomplished something. And that's a promise.

He wouldn't stand for contract battles

WHEN THE daily prints are filled these days with the battles between club owners and baseball stars, accompanied by their business agents, a fellow who knew him well can't help wishing that Frank Navin was back here as head man of the Detroit

If he were, there would be no battles.

early decades of this century, believed in doing business with the players in person. If that wasn't satisfactory, the player could move along. There would be no Kirk Gibsons battling for more than \$1 million a year and long-term contracts. Navin wouldn't even have listened to him.

ONE OF THESE cases comes to mind. It was the year that Paul "Dizzy" Trout thought he was worth more money and a long contract. To help him make his demand, Dizzy took an agent with him.

When they arrived in Navin's office, Dizzy was asked who his guest was. Dizzy proudly said, "This is my agent." Navin just stared at them and then or-

dered them out of his office. "When you are ready to talk alone," Navin said, "you can come back. But right

That was the way Navin worked.

ANOTHER FAVORITE Navin story

concerns his refusal of a raise to his two

outstanding outfielders right after the 1909 World Series, which the Tigers won.

He met them - Davey Jones and Sam

Crawford - and talked them out of mak-

ing any demands. He simply pointed out that the Tigers had small attendances and

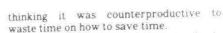
now, get the hell out of here." That was Navin. Trout, a bit amazed, left with his agent. But he came back alone — in several days and had no trouble getting a new contract with a raise in

than a one-year contract.

and manager, never had to put up a

took on a different view at the ball park, especially at contract signing. If Kirk Gibson, who turned down \$3.6 million for three years, had Navin to deal

with, things would be a lot different. And there would be more fun.



The financial tips boiled down to a basic adage I've known for years - you need money to make money. But as I left the room, I still harbored a faint hope that I could add a few zeros at the end of my income tax form next year. That is if I

My fantasies of seeing my name listed

ple who have real problems to deal with. The following Monday I signed on with

He wouldn't stand for them. Navin, who led the Tigers during three

not worth more, but with the help of his buddy they made a great combination. Harry Heilman, who won the American League batting title three times in alternate years during the '20s, never asked for He knew Navin very well. And when

Heilman came east each year for Christmas, he made it a point to call on the Tiger boss. When he did, he always asked if the new contracts were available.

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And he pointed out that each alone was

the stroller

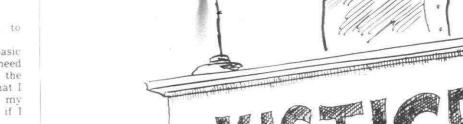
When Navin opened his desk drawer and pulled one out. Heilman, without even reading it, signed it and said, "When you have time, fill in the figures and send it back to me."

And Heilman got a raise each time. There was no battle with an agent as a guide. They did business with Navin and the boss always acted fairly.

THERE NEVER were any salary battles, no long-term contracts in dispute. Even Hank Greenberg, the Tigers' leading home-run hitter, never asked for more

Even Mickey Cochrane, the fiery catch-

When Navin passed away, after falling from his horse after the 1935 series, things



No treatment in prisons

time to try to lock people up who are viewed as a danger to society. Tougher sentencing is a continual refrain. Prosecutors demand impossible bonds and complain when judges don't comply, even though our legal system specifies that the purpose of bond should be only to ensure hat the accused shows up for trial

The prison system in Michigan tries to handle the rising influx of prisoners and can't quite do it. Prisoners are slipped out the back door under early release and prison overcrowding stipulations. New innates are taken in the front door and immediately given time off for expected

good behavior. As part of this incessant demand to lock up and punish, the Legislature several years ago passed a law that allows juries to convict mentally ill people of crimes and then send them to prison

ONE OF the first cases that allowed use of the law involved a retired West Bloomfield school teacher who was convicted of a variety of offenses against two groups of women in one day. At gunpoint, forced two women into a van in a supermarket parking lot and made them undress. Later that day he forced three women into his van, put two out and

molested but did not rape the third. Testimony indicated that the man had institution. mental problems that required treatment



Wisler

But under the provisions of the new law the jury found the man "guilty but mentally ill." The judge sentenced him to 12-30 years, and he was packed off to prison where he has resided since.

In a recent hearing before a Senate commmittee on Safe Streets, chaired by Sen. Alan Cropsey, R-Dewitt, a member of the Public Defender's office, Rolf Berg, testified to what we have long suspected there is no treatment for prisoners found "guilty but mentally ill." Convicts sent to prison under this provision are treated no differently from other prison-

THE LAW was passed with some good intention to forestall guileful pleas of temporary insanity and to enourage treatment for persons who are mentally ill and who have committed crimes. The alternative was to find someone not guilty by reason of insanity, temporary or otherwise, and place him or her in a mental

But since the prison system has no good

it could be argued that even the state mental health system has no good system - those found guilty but mentally ill are packed off to prison for the duration of their sentences and will emerge undoubtedly worse off than when they entered.

What the guilty but mentally ill verdict does do, however, is to allow juries to find someone guilty of a crime without worrying about what happens to them once they are convicted. Juries are not told that persons found guilty under this provision will receive no appreciable treatment in prison. The very tone of the verdict indicates that, indeed, something will be done.

THE JURY can, in effect, wash its hands of the case after reaching the verdict. The law also allows judges to do their duty without worrying about the consequences since it isn't their responsibility to provide treatment either.

The fact is, one judge said, the guilty but mentally ill verdict means only that the convict can be sentenced to prison with the rcommendation that he be treated for mental illness. "We have no other place to send them. he said.

The law and its consequences are just one more example of a system that is inadequate to handle the kinds of problems that a society faces in dealing with aber-

mother's inexperience, her boyfriend's

· Somewhere between 40 and 50 per-

cent of those out-of-wedlock pregnancies

will be terminated by abortions. In Michi-

gan and a small number of other states.

nomic road but the teen-ager bearing a

child out of wedlock has it the roughest of

all. Moreover, we are witnessing what a

Detroit paper last summer labelled a

"family tradition" - three generations of

teen mothers, all out of wedlock, all on

SOLUTIONS? Some say it's sex educa-

cation. Some say welfare is an immensely

powerful inducement for girls with poor

economic prospects to get pregnant and

. sterilize . . . make the fa-

keep the babies; others say welfare is only

· Any single mother has a rough eco-

carelessness or insobriety - those chil-

dren are more likely to be abused.

he taxpayers will get the bill.

Let's face illegitimacy issue

lowing the news, that even when the words were in English, the speaker was using a lifferent language?

In the 1970s, a spokesman for the Nixon White House uttered the infamous "that statement is no longer operative" to indicate a previous statement had been a lie. The 1980s version is "teen pregnancy"

as a coverup phrase for illegitimacy. You've read about it before in this colımn. Some months ago I zeroed in on Dr. Agnes Mansour, director of the Michigan Department of Social Services, publicizing her program to combat teen pregnancy. Under questioning, she allowed that, well, reah, the problem really was illegitimacy. was hoping to nip this mealy-mouthed argon about teen pregnancy in the bud.

NO SUCH luck. The jargon seems to be catching on nationwide. Last week's Time magazine cover story was headlined: "Children Having Children:

Teen Pregnancy in America." About 10 inches into the time artic we get to the heart of the matter: "Each year more than a million American teenagers will become pregnant, four out of five of them unmarried. Together they represent a distressing flaw in the social

labric of America." In other words, you have to scrape emotional and educational problems. through a lot of verbiage to get to the

Richard

heart of the matter. In fact, teen pregnancy isn't the problem at all. Talk to the older folks, and many will tell you their mothers and

grandmothers had babies while in their In modern history, 1957 was actually the high point in the teen birth rate, according to the writers at Time. But if you

look through the newspapers and news magazines of 1957, you'll find hardly a tion; others say there's too much sex edumention of teen pregnancy as a social The 1950 teen illegitimate birth rate was 15 percent; today it's more than half

and, in some areas, 90 percent. THE SOCIAL consequences of the illegitimate birth rate in America are appalling. Some examples:

Because young mothers-to-be wait so long to get medical attention, their babies' birth weight and health are apt to • Later in life, those children run into

. make the grandparents pay. Ask a million Americans and you'll get a million solutions.

I say we won't even begin to get solutions until we define the problem correctly, and the problem isn't "teen pregnanSanta's real, but he's low on cash

at a hearing that would rule on his sanity, had just admitted to the New York State Supreme Court that he believed himself to be Santa

The judge coughed. "I believe Mr. Kringle may have misunderstood the question. I'm sure he meant that he played Santa Claus," the judge said, looking at the rotund, white-beardd man on the witness stand.

Kringle's lawyer went on the offensive. "Mr. Kringle is said not to be sane because he believes himself to be Santa Claus. Now, that would be logical if you (the judge) or I or the district attorney here thought we were Santa Claus. But if he is the person he believes himself to be, then he's just as sane as we are."

"Miracle on 34th Street:" No one in his right mind would declare himself to be Santa. The rest of you probably think of Santa with the pseudo-sophistication of young Susan

MOST OF YOU grown-ups out there proba-

hly would agree with the district attorney in

Well, you're all wrong. There really is a Santa Claus and I can prove it.

nice old man with whiskers."

Sandra Armbruster

He calls himself Gene "Santa" Reeves, and he lives in Westland, not the North Pole. This guy really thinks he's Santa, and if you could hear him laugh, you'd think so, too.

Americanstyle

LIKE KRIS Kringle in the movie, this Santa used a sleigh for his traditional Thanksgiving Day parade, 1935-45, for Hudson's in Detroit, then moved on to Grinnell's and Pontiac.

For the last 20 years, Santa's appearances have been strictly for charity. Now, however, he's traded in his sleigh for a white Santamobile, which he decorates with the names of all the elves who help him gather gifts for children and foster grandparents throughout the year.

Santa began his appearances this year with the annual tree lighting in Westland. But his favorite stops include the 3-6-year-olds at Walker, "It's just like my mother said. You're a Dorsey Community Center and the retarded oungsters at Bryant Junior High in Livonia and the Rose Kennedy Respite Center in West-

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full of Kleenex. They sit on my lap and I wipe their faces and their snotty noses," he said, adding a jolly "Ho, ho, ho! That's it. Oh geeze, that's it."

AND IF THAT'S not enough to convince you, I have authoritative proof that Gene really is Santa - the very same proof offered in Miracle on 34th Street.

this year." Santa said he is so far \$1,500 in the,

Donations can be made to Santa's Christmas Fund, 37789 Hixford, Apartment F-12, West-"All you have to do is address it to Gene

You see, Santa depends on donations for his workshop, and things have been a "little slow

"Santa" Reeves, Westland, Michigan and I'll get it. Did you know that, sweetheart?" Well, if no less an agency than the post office the U.S. federal government recognizes Gene as Santa, who are we to doubt?

Susan's mother had some good advice for

"You must believe, you must have faith. Just because things don't turn out the way you want you still have to believe in people."



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VOLUNTEER TRAINING

Growth Works Inc. is conducting volunteer recruitment and training to prepare volunteers for Crisis Phone Intervention and phone line counseling. The training covers communication, empahty listening, building and bonding relationships, brokerage skills, crisis intervention, depression management, loss and grief, alcohol and substance abuse, and problem-solving methods.

Training is open to any interested person, no previous experience is necessary. After the initial train six-month committment to three nights per month. For further information and a training schedule, contact Sue Davis at 455-4902 from 9 a.m. to noon Monday through Friday.

• FREE PRESCHOOL

Are you the parent of a 3- or 4-year-old? Are you in a low-income bracket? Are you a foster parent or do you have a handicapped child? If you can show proof of any of the above, you still have time to enroll for this excellent free program designed for the family. Plymouth-Canton Head Start needs 3-year-olds and your child may qualify for this free preschool experience. For information, call 451-6656.

. LEARN TO SKI

Canton Parks and Recreation is again offering two sessions of the "Learn to Ski" program at Riverview Highlands. The first session will be the weeks of Jan. 6, 13 and the second the weeks of Jan. 20, 27. Each session consists of four lessons over two weeks at 7 p.m. for adults (16 and older) and at 4 p.m. for junior (15 and younger). Each lesson will last 45 minutes for beginners who want to learn the basics of skiing, with free skiing after each lesson. The charge of \$34 per person includes four lift tickets, four lesson, and four equipment rentals. Skiers provide their own transportation to the Riverview Highlands Ski Area. For information, call 397-1000.

MEN'S FLOOR HOCKEY

A men's floor hockey league is being formed by the Salva-

tion Army Community Center on Main south of Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, beginning Jan. 11 and running through May 3 beginning 9 a.m. each Saturday. Teams should form now and call immediately to reserve a position. Teams should be registered by Friday, Dec. 27. To register, call Jeff Beachum at 453-5464.

. SENIOR EXERCISES

"Feeling Good" is the name and the goal of this class from noon to 1 p.m. Mondays at the Plymouth Salvation Army Community Center, Main Street 1½ blocks south of Ann Arbor Road. Instructor Jan Fuller will lead you through a series of exercises and stretches to increase your flexibility. All levels of physical fitness can be accommodated. The charge is \$1 per session. For information, call the Canton Seniors at 397-1000 or the Salvation Army at 453-5464.

SENIOR VOLLEYBALL

Recreational volleyball for senior citizens is offered from 10 a.m. to noon Thursdays at the Salvation Army Community Center, Main 1½-block south of Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth. There is a fee of \$1 per visit. For information, call Jeff Beachum at 453-5464.

OPEN BASKETBALL

Plymouth Salvation Army offers open, informal men's basketball 7-10 p.m. beginning Wednesday, Jan. 8. The charge is \$1.50 per visit. For information, call 453-5464.

• TEEN 3 ON 3 BASKETBALL

A teen 3 on 3 basketball league is being sponsored by the Salvation Army Community Center, Main just south of Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth. The league will begin Jan. 8 and run through March with games being from 3:30 to 7 p.m. Wednesdays. Ages are 13-18 (or high school) only. For more information, call Jeff Beachum at 453-5464.

. LADIES DAY OUT

Plymouth Salvation Army Community Center at 9451 Main south of Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth is offering a six-week women's aerobics/exercise class 9:30-10:30 a.m. You may sign up for one or both classes a week. For information, call Jeff Beachum at 453-5464.

CANTON TOPS

Canton TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) No. 1236 meets each Thursday at Faith Community Church on Warren Road just west of Canton Center Road. Weigh-in is at 6:30 p.m. with the meeting 7-8 p.m. The group is open to teens, men and women. Open enrollment is taking place. Call 455-2656 or 459-5212 evenings.

ISSHINRYU KARATE

Isshinryu Karate classes are 8 to 9:30 p.m. Wednesdays and Thursdays at the Canton Recreation Center on Michigan Avenue at Sheldon for people ages 9-50. Fee is \$35 per person for 10 weeks. Canton Parks and Recreation is sponsoring karate lessons for all levels. Sam Santilli, 5th-degree black belt, will instruct all ages. Register at the recreation center in person before classes on Wednesday or Thursday. Registration is continuous. For more information, call the recreation department at 397-1000, Ext. 212, between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

VOLUNTEERS SOUGHT

Canton Care Council, an affiliate of the Ann Arbor-based Community Councils Association, is seeking volunteers interested in enhancing the quality of life for nursing home residents. Volunteers serve on the council, which meets once a month to plan social, service or educational activities for residents at Canton Care Center. The time commitment is three to six hours per month. For more information, contact Kathy Belisle at 981-2382.

• SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES

Preprimary special education servic es for children 6 and younger are available through Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. If you have a child who may be mentally or emotionally impaired, have a physical or visual disability, or a hearing or speech impairment or learning disability, call the Infant and Preschool Special Education Program at Farrand Elementary School, 451-6610, for information.

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Crystal-ball gazing

Finance

In 1986 the United States will be in its fourth year of economic expansion, and the question is whether the downtown of 1979-82 will repeat itself.

Chares T. Fisher III, chairman and president of National Bank of Detroit, the statewide bank holding company, hints the boom-bust cycle might be broken.

Past recessions in the U.S. have typically been preceded by periods of accelerating inflation," said Fisher, "which ultimately have resulted in tight money policies by the Fed (the Federal Reserve Board), resulting in rising interest rates

We see little reason for the Fed to become restrictive at this time," he told the Economic Club of Detroit's annual business outlook luncheon



Charles T. Fisher III

INTEREST RATES - a key

factor in factory, auto and housing purchases "drift even lower" because of the containment of inflation,

"Recent readings of inflation

indicators, on balance, do not

point to any resurgence of pric-

"The last time we had four consecutive years of inflation averaging under 4 percent was during the late 1960s.

Departing from his prepared text, the NBD chief said that if Congress took strong action to balance the budget and

gained respect in financial circles, "interest rates could He predicted real gross national product growth in 1986 would be 2.5 to 2.75 percent - "not a spectacular perform-

ance, but not too bad, either, for the fourth year of a busi-SOME SPECIFIC predictions for the financial industry: · Consumer debt, though significantly higher than a

year ago, isn't burdensome. But the high level of consumer debt leaves less room for increases in 1986 · There is some apparent weakening in capital spending. He did not elaborate, but his prediction was under scored by speakers from the automotive and construction

While there were some "investor casualties" during 1985, Fisher said that losses could have been prevented "by good, old-fashioned credit analysis and proper underwriting or credit standards.

Forget about 1986 and start addressing the survival of the U.S. automotive industry.

That's the advice of E. Paul Casey, president and chief executive officer of Troy-based Ex-Cell-O Corp. His economic outlook predicted a 9 percent drop in auto sales for 1986 (to 10 million), thanks to slower growth in the general economy, a projected 3-4 percent rise in the cost of cars and the negative impact of buyer incentives that will "run out of gas."

Casey is more pessimistic than other industry seers who are predicting auto sales of 10.3 to 10.5 million. But he reminded his Cobo Hall audience Monday that even the auto companies are predicting a modest dip in sales.

"That hardly ever happens — and when it does, it's a sure sign things are softening," Casey said.

E. Paul Casev

Not only is the predicted death of small-car production by traditional manufacturers happening, but Casey predicts the larger upscale car market represents the battleground on which the survival of the automotive industry will be fought. "If we're going to win that

hattle we must keep hammering on the two issues where importers, particularly the Japanese, have been winning a share of the market.

"THOSE CRITICAL areas are cost and quality.

Automation is credited for much of the gain manufacturers are making in both of those areas, but Casey said the next cost-saving advances will have to come from people by simplifying and reducing the cost of management

The poor quality image of the car industry has begun to turn around, Casey said, because of employee involvement, statistical process control, cooperation between labor and management and automation.

Casey sees auto suppliers as being held more account-

"We are moving to state-of-the-art automated equip-ment, and we are committing to processes such as statisti-cal process control and 'just-in-time' manufacturing.

The result will be better-designed, better-quality, more cost-effective components - delivered efficiently, to the end that the American auto industry becomes world com-

Automotive Construction

Led by suburban commercial building, the construction industry will grow another 10 percent in 1986 but may be reaching the peak of a cycle

"Commercial development continues undaunted," Larry Barton, president of the Association of General Contarctors, told the Economic Club of Detroit's annual business outlook luncheon Monday.

"The large office complexes along Northwestern, Big Beaver, Woodward and Haggerty Road - plus the potential-packed research parks developing in areas such as Rochester Hills and Ann Arbor - are indicative of the overwhelming turnaround southeastern Michigan is realizing."

COMMERCIAL and industrial construction in the first nine months of 1985 rose to \$1 billion, a 10 percent increase, said Barton, a Troy resident whose Barton & Barton Co. is headquartered in Rochester Hills.



Larry Barton

Statewide, he predicted a 24 percent increase in commer cial-industrial construction next year.

One measure of construction's 1985 success is that there are now shortages of skilled tradesmen and an unemploy-ment rate that will dip below 7 percent next year. In contast, the jobless rate was 59 percent in 1983 and 29 percent in '84, said Barton.

ONE CLOUD on the horizon, however, is industrial construction, which isn't keeping up the

pace of 1984-1985, said Barton.

While Mazda is renovating its Flat Rock plant, Nippondenso is building in Southfield and Battle Creek and Chrysler is spending \$160 million on its Sterling Heights plant, there are "no more \$300 million Orion or \$500 million Poletown projects. Saturn selected Tennessee to build its cars, and Mitsubishi chose Indiana," he said.

Barton's prediction was on the same track as that of Ex Cell-O president E. Paul Casey, who looked for a flattening or slight decline in auto sales in 1986.

But Michigan is moving away from its "automotive-ori ented, boom-and-bust" mentality and diversifying. "I can't stress enough," Barton said, "that keeping our service-oriented business sector growing in Michigan is perhaps one of the most important tasks facing all of us today."

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More for less is the credo of retail consumers, who are expected to increase the ringing of state cash registers 2.1 percent in 1986

In all kinds of retail goods, consumers are demanding better quality products with the intention that they should last longer," according to Bernard M. Fauber, chairman and chief executive officer of K Mart Corp.

Delivering his 1986 retail outlook before the Economic Club of Detroit, Fauber said, "At the same time, consumers are now, and all evidence suggests that they will continue, to be very sensitive to price. The one constant is all of this is change. The consumer is demanding more for less at an

Although consumers are expected to have the ability to spend, they will be more reluctant to do so in 1986.

"The tremendous stimulus of tax cuts and other fiscal measures which drove the economy out of recession at the end of 1982 has about run its course.

But the predictions of "flattish" retail sales apparently hasn't dampened retail de-

velopement. "Southeastern Michigan is one of the very largest and also one of the wealthiest consumer

markets in the United States. It also is, on a relative basis, one of the most understored. In the last 12 months, retailers and real estate developers have come to understand this well.

We hear almost daily new rumors about market entry by national retailers into this area . . and many of those rumors will turn out to be true.

Bernard M. Fauber

"The additional retail space will, in my estimation, tend to enlarge the total market rather than simply cut that pie up into smaller pieces."

The annual economic outlook of the Detroit Economic Club and Greater Detroit Chamber of Commerce was reported by Tim Richard (finance and construction) and Marilyn Fitchett (automotive and retail). Photos by Dan Dean.

From high-tech management

High tech has become the business buzzword of the '80s. So it comes as no surprise to see authors jumping on the bandwagon to chronicle management techniques for so-called high-tech busi-

In her book, "Gearing up for the Fast Lane " subtitled "New Tools for Management in a High-Tech World," (Random House) Deborah Bright tries to convince us that traditional management techniques are being replaced with approaches that make old-time managers look like Neanderthals.

The management consultant, a former Farmington Hills resident, based her book on a two-year management survey. She believes that high-tech managers "see themselves as different and better right off the mark" and "set higher expectations for themselves and their work groups. Their view of others seems to derive more from what they have themselves learned from human interactions than from the older, production-oriented management princi-

In her view, "high-tech industries present an environment of continual change. The nature of the change is

business books

such that mere persistence and hard a high-tech manager must do is in the work are not adequate responses; creativity and truly exceptional performance are demanded." High-tech orientation stresses the creation rather than the use of technology. "True highnot required to by market demands for new and improved products or ser-

In such an atmosphere, "people seek the option of being more autonomous, competition is extreme and growing ever more threatening, product life cycles are shorter, risks are greater, new technology is continually introduced and many employees must function without the aid of long-tested standard procedures." These companies also have fewer guidelines, fewer established rules and procedures.

So how does a high-tech manager succeed? Bright says much of the work

area of expectations. He or she must identify the organizations's expectations, make them explicit and then build on them. A good manager provides experiences to learn from, practech firms engage virorously in innova- tices 'letting go," creates the excitetion and creation even when they are ment to achieve, develops and comsharply on what is important. He or she communicates a sense of competitive urgency and targets performance all while remaining cool under fire.

Bright's selling of the high-tech manager combines some of the techniques that worked so well for Waterman and Peters in "In Search of Excellence" survey results interwoven with war stories from high-tech managers, including a sprinkling of local firms and managers.

But unlike many books on management, hers further develops the ideals by offering some concrete how-tos. In one case she suggests the reader think of the worst manager or employee ever encountered and to analyze why that person couldn't get the job done. She defines situations and then offers traditional management counterexamples. Sixteen management actions for "implementing exceptional performance practices" are listed in chart form at the back of the book with room to jot down dxpected outcomes, success ratings and comments.

Bright argues that high-tech manatraditional managers, but good management techniques wear well in any atmosphere. Many of the tecnhiques that Bright lauds in her book Waterman and Peters reported were helping to shape such traditional companies as Dana Corp., Caterpillar Tractor and McDonald's. High-tech companies may be a quantum leap ahead of the firm that manufactured widgets yesterday and is still manufacturing widgets today. But unless the company recognizes some of the changes Bright writes about, it won't be manufacturing widgets tomorrow.



The typical executive is a 47year-old white male with advanced university education employed in a manufacturing buisness. He is the first child born in the East or Midwest to a middle-income family oriented to management professions or sales; a Protestant married once to a wife who often does not work outside the home.

Familiar route to executive suite

A profile of business executives. their backgrounds and their beliefs was drawn from the 15th annual survey of management succession by the University of Michigan.

Statistical means in the 1984-85 data create this composite portrait of the typical executive suite occupant: a 47year-old white male with advanced university education employed in a manufacturing buisness; the first child born in the East or Midwest to a middle-income family oriented to management professions or sales; a Protestant married once to a wife who often does not work outside the home.

The survey reflected the views of nearly 1,100 newly promoted executives, who said the three fastest tracks to top managment lie in the areas of marketing/sales, general management/administration and finance/ac-

Chairmen, presidents and vice presidents promoted in 1984-85 went from a dian salary of \$107,023 to \$129,00 after promotion — a raise of 20.5 per-cent. Other perks obtained by a majority of executives were cash bonuses, stock options, company-leased automo-biles, club memberships and deferred

THE SURVEY, "The Newly Pro-moted Executive: a Study in Corporate Leadership," was written by Professors Herbert W. Hildebrandt, Edwin L.

Miller and Floyd A. Bond of the U-M School of Administration and published by the business school.

They found that slighly more than 3 percent of the new promotions went to women executives. Although this year's study includes no women promoted to chairmanships, women were promoted to presidential jobs. The survey reports the largest percentage of women promoted to vice presidential positions this year since the survey began.

Less than 2 percent of the promotions went to blacks, Hispanics, Orientals or members of other minority

More than half (53.1 percent) of the newly promoted executives mentioned personal challenge, which continues to be the executive's most important reason for changing positions. Importance of job (39.7 percent) and career advancements (37.5 percent) also far outranked monetary considerations (24.2 percent).

tives rank an unbalanced federal budget as today's major economic issue, up from just over 64 percent last year. Low productivity contnues to be a con-cern (50.6 percent) as do high interest rates (48.5 percent), global competition (46.2 perceant), and government intervention (39.9 percent). Less emphasis was given such issues as unemployment, inflation, consumer confidence and employee unrest.

to low-tech humor

You consider "What Color is Your Parachute" your bible, but you're still pounding the pavement looking for meaningful employment. Or your trip 'Up the Organization" landed you back in the mail room.

Well, have you tried listing Henry Fonda or the president of Costa Rica as references?

If you're fresh out of ways to impress a personnel manager or your boss you may want to thumb through B.K. Taylor's and Chato Hill's "Make it Big in Business" (Doubleday/Dolphin), Taylor, a Franklin resident, is a cartoonist and illustrator whose work appears in National Lampoon. Hill of Bloomfield Hille is creative director and n the Southfield advertising firm, De-Leeuw Hill & Associaties.

This spoof of job-hunting and corporate life advancement is strictly for laughs; it had better be — some of their suggestions, complete with drawings, could land you in court or get you committed Consider:

· The interview. "Never chew gum during an interview. Unless you're willing to share." · Business trips. "Avoid sitting next

to people who are dead. They may not plague you with meaningless chatter like other passengers, but they probably won't have many new business leads either. · Sexual harassment. "For the su-

perior who is always pinching you, we suggest some of his own medicine. Except use pliers."

· Physical fitness. Tennis is "excellent executive exercise! Watching that little yellow ball go back and forth stimulates and strengthens the neck muscles, which is of inestimable aid in nodding yes all the time to your boss."

• Dress for success. "It has been said that 'Clothes make the Man." This is especially true in business. (Whereas, 'the man who makes his own clothes' is sometimes looked on askance.)

Get the idea? Taylor and Hill have managed to shatter just about every principle of business etiquette. Sophisticated humor, it's not. But if you're looking for a gag gift for your favorite personnel director or MBA grad, this

Reviews by Marilyn Fitchett



When dining with a male client, don't be intimidated. Be asser-

tive. Of course there are boundaries."

Buying a mutual fund calls for investigation

today's investor

Thomas E. O'Hara

your best estimate of future expectations, would mutual funds provide a reasonably safe investment to provide monthly income for a long term for a retiree? Reference is made to funds that invest mostly in government securities (GNMA-FNMA-FHA etc.)

If you have a list of funds that reflect good performance and management over the past 20 (approximate) years I would appreciate receiving it.

Mutual funds have many good qualities, but I would approach an investment in a mutual fund with the same care that I would an investment in any

this year's near-record pace in 1986

This is the outlook for residential

real estate expressed by Joanne R

Metro MLS and the Western Wayne

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main on the market, she said.

residential dollar volume moving past

metropolitan area.

with interest rates holding close to

vestment philosophies Managements change, and likely re-

sults change with them. If I were putting my retirement money in mutual funds, I would probably want to spread t over 10 , or if the sum were large enough, over 20 funds. I would also tend to put my money in the larger funds with long records of good earn- who has produced a good record at a

IN THESE DAYS, a good number of individual company. There are a very - not be nearly as effective in the next. wouldn't put more than 10 percent of large number of funds, and they oper- Also, we are mortal, and the person my funds in money market types.

of the National Association of Investors Corp.

If I were going to put my retirement funds are operated according to the in- money in mutual funds, I would keep in vestment philosophy of one person. mind that I may be looking as much as That person's philosophy may fit a par- 20 years ahead. We won't know what ticular time period in the market and interest rates will do in that time so I

that invest in a variety of government fund in recent years may no longer be securities. I'd put about 25 percent in mon stock funds and 25 percent in balanced funds (stocks and bonds).

The remaining 30 percent I'd put in

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- Joanne R. Bryngelson 1986 president Metro MLS. Western Wavne

We think that local home values also will continue to increase at better Oakland County Boaro than the rate of inflation to move the average selling price to about \$68,000 during the year," she said. The average price in Detroit this year is around

Realtor predicts

\$62,500 with the median near \$55,000. members compared to only 11 percent NOTING A 15-percent drop in 1985 listings, she said buyers may not have the choice of houses in all locations er joyed earlier. Sellers will find a decline

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in the time the average house will reoffers real housing bargains compared tion," she stated. "But, the 8-percent in-Dating back to 1920, the multiple crease in our average price this year listing service and Realtor board cover a 1.600-square-mile territory including urban, suburban and rural properties.

Their statistics generally reflect an accurate picture of total activity in the "Sales this month should push the annual total by our members past 17,000 said.

a gain of about 23 percent over 1984." Bryngelson said. "With annual \$1 billion for the first time, 1985 will end as second only to 1978 when we

'Our metropolitan area still offers real housing bargains compared to almost every other

across the nation.'

of Realtors , the 23-percent sales increase by her

ware and services with The Arbor Conulting Group Inc. in Plymouth. Luter, a certified systems professional, had "OUR METROPOLITAN area still been a systems consultant with Ciber Inc. In her previous position, Luter was almost every other across the nainstrumental in the design of a large human resources system for a major indicates we are starting to play a little automotive manufacturer.

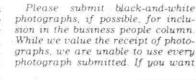
A decline in mortgage interest rates from 13.5 percent earlier in the year to the present 11.5-percent level will help move more buyers into the market, she

ence in the publishing industry with Random House, Where Magazine and eighborhood, or even show a slight decline, a least through the first half of 1986." Bryngelson said. "They should. continue in the 11- to 12-percent range been elected vice president of the Meteven in the third quarter but, with pric-Pointing out a national average es advancing, we wouldn't suggest that house price topping \$93,000, she said buyers wait.



H. Leon Tew

Laurence W. Klann of Livonia has been appointed vice chairman of the Michigan District Export Council by U.S. Secretary of Commerce Malcolm Baldridge for a two-year term, 1985-87. Klann, export manager of Kerr Di-H. Leon Tew has joined Bennett & vision of Sybron Corp., has been a Farron Inc, a marketing and advertismember of the council since 1982. ing company in Plymouth, as an ac-



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The indexing of tax brackets for inflation will lift this figure in 1986 to \$3,600. As a result, it may be more dif- are Social Security benefits.

Reform or no reform, this year you If your deductible expenditures for can take a variety of actions to save on this year don't exceed the standard If your deductible expenditures for axes. In a three-part article, we will amount, try to shift some of next year's highlight some of the steps you should expenses into 1985. That will let you itemize on this year's taxes, and then you can take the standard deduction in

watch the exemptions

If a dependent earns too much, you him or her. For 1985, the exemption is \$1,040, up from \$1,000 because of in-

It will generally be lost if a dependent's income is \$1,040 or more. But taxexempt earnings, such as municipal bond interest, are not included. Neither



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rises to \$1,080 for 1986. One major exception is that there is no limit to what ould lose the exemption you get from your child can earn if he or she is under 19 or is a full-time student at any age

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One proposed reform would tax a If the purchase is financed, only the child's investment earnings above \$2,000 a year at the parent's tax rate if the child is under 14 and the income results from a parent's gift.

Also slated for reform are trusts in porting dependent — such as a working which assets are shifted to a child for a her earnings, while you cover more of time and then revert to one of the parents. Income from such a trust could in the future be taxed at the parent's rate rather than the child's.

"Year-end Financial Planning" is the main topic for a seminar to be conduct ed by the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers and the Coordinated Financial Planning staff. The seminar will be the Baldwin Public Library, 300 W. Merrill, Birmingham. Admission will

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Sid Mittra is director, personal financial planning program at Oakland University and president of Coordinated Financial Planning,

business briefs

· ENROLLED AGENTS

The Detroit Chapter of the National Association of Enrolled Agents will meet at 5 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 12, at the Eagle's Nest in Garden City. For more information, call Beverly J. Polmanteer, 589

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The Michigan Society of Registered Land Survers will meet at 6:30 p.m. at the Holiday Inn West Holidome in Livonia. For more information

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The Western Wayne chapter of the National Association of Accountants will meet at 6 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 12, at the Botsford Inn in Farmington. For more information, call Don Keller, 237-8848

WINDOW & DOOR CENTER

Weathervane Window & Door Center has opened at-28790 Plymouth Road. The hours ar 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Friday and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The tele phone number is 427-1620.

PERSONNEL WOMEN

The International Association for Personnel Women will meet. For more information, call Barbara Spears, 559-5920.

COORS DISTRIBUTOR Wayne Distributing Co. Inc. in Livonia will dis-

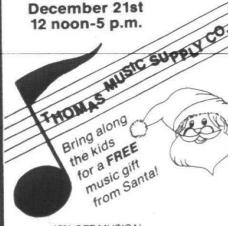
tribute Coors products in the Livonia area beginning next year. Wayne Distributing is one of 28 wholesalers in Michigan who will handle Coors ENROLLED AGENTS

The National Association of Enrolled Agents will meet Tuesday, Jan. 7. For more information, call

Beverly J. Polmanteer, 589-2105. RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT

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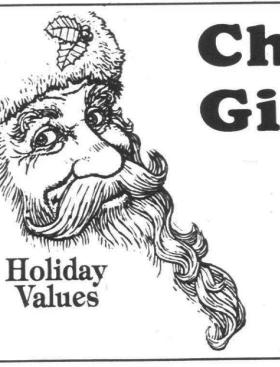
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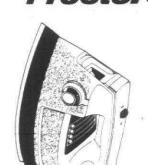




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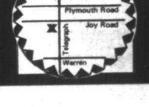












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As in previous years, college graduates who majored in technical fields will find the most job ofers and the highest starting salaries, according to

a national survey of employers The 15th annual Recruiting Trends Survey reports that employers expect to hire 1.4 percent more bachelor's degree graduates in 1986 at starting salaries averaging 1.8 percent more than 1985 The favorable outlook for next year follows on the

heels of the best job market since World War II. The annual study is conduted by John Shingleton director, and L. Patrick Scheetz, assistant director. of Placement Services at Michigan State Universiv. The survey includes responses from 710 employ ers in business, industry, governmental agencies and educational institutions from across the coun-

"Again this year, the largest demand and highest starting salaries are those in the technical fields. Shingleton said. Employers say they will hire 3.9 percnt more electrical engineers, 3.8 percent more computer scientists, 3.4 percent more mechanical ngineers and 3 percent more industrial engineers Highest starting salaries for graduates are going

to those in technical fields as in the past. Electrical engineers are at the top, demanding a starting salary of \$29,187. (See accompanying chart for sala-"ONE OF THE SIGNIFICANT changes is the increased demand for graduates with degrees in ed-

ucation." Scheetz said. "This year for the first time

n a decade education moved into the top 10 of

fields showing the highest percentage of increase The demand is especially good in special education, mathematics and science, and for teachers of

Demand remains high for minorities and women tional institutions (1.7 percent); metals and metal Employment opportunities for minorities are exproducts (1.5 percent); printing, publishing and in formation services (1.4 percent), government a pected to increase 6.4 percent, and for women ministration(1.2 percent) and agribusiness (.6 pe graduates 4.7 percent

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but for all bachelor's degree graduates, the average

starting salary is expected to be \$21,601. Master's

degree candidates will average \$26,010, and those

ALMOST EVERY academic major showed minimal gains, except for agrigulture, which remained

The best job opportunities, according to employ-

ers in the survey, are, in order, the Southwest, Southeast, South Central, Northeast, North Central

and Northwest. This is the same order as the past

Cautious growth can be expected in the number

of salaried employees hired during 1985-86. The

greatest increases will occur in hotels, motels, re-

sorts and recreation facilties (11.4 percent); food

beverage processing and restaurants (10.3 percent)

communication radio, TV and newspapers (10 per-cent). These are followed closely by accounting (9

percent), service and volunteer organizations (8.5

percent), hospitals and health services (5.8 percent),

nerchandising and retail services (5.1 percent).

banking, finance and insurance (4.6 percent); elec-

tronics and instruments (4.4 percent), aerospacae

and components (4.3 percent); tire and rubber prod-

ucts (4 percent), research and consulting services

3.7 percent), construction and building materials

manufacturing (3.4 percent), and military services

Those fields where declines in hiring of salarie personnel are expeced are in public utilities inclu ing transportation (-0.1 percent); glass, paper, pac aging (-0.9 percent); diversified conglomerates (percent), automotive and mechanical equipment 1.9 percent); petroleum and allied products (percent); and electrical machinery and equipme computers (-4.3 percent).

Shingleton and Scheetz said that in recent year grade point averages appear to have become the main measuring stick for employers in selec-

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Plymouth Salem High School auditorium, Joy Road west

Stalin considered the mother-of-

benefit offers a rare evening

Play sculpture

The Carail Holiday Gala, a benefit for the Play Sculpture in Plymouth' Township Park, will be more than just cocktails and a gourmet buffet dinner. Guests of Dick and Linda Stebbins ie and other celebrities. Kughn will have an inside look at the classiest of the world's classic cars nany of them one of a kind. Among the 50 or so automobiles now

in residence at Carail, is the Kughns' latest acquisition, a V-12 Lincoln. It is the only one of its kind in existence, built for the royal visit in 1939 of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth

Later, Elizabeth II and Prince Phillip were passengers in the Lincoln. Classic car collectors gathered at reenfield Village when it was offered

for auction. "It was a terrible day - the Saturday of the University of Michigan-Iowa

State football game — cold and raining, so we left," said Linda Kughn. They did not buy the Lincoln at the auction, but before the top bidder made arrangements to have it shipped to Arizona, "Dick made him an offer he could

BENEFIT GUESTS will see another

The 540K Mercedes Benz was com-

eather upholstery as capitalistic and 4-8 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 12. decadent. As the story goes, he gave it

and smuggled, piece by piece, out of

The Carail collection includes Rolls Royces, three Duesenbergs, Auburns, Cords, plus the personal cars of Dwight Eisenhower, James Cagney, Sonja Her

DICK KUGHN'S interest in old cars dates back to his junior year in high school. He and his buddies haunted junk of a 1923 Ford touring car. They drove it all their senior year and sold it after graduation.

But Kughn has another hobby that

goes back to when he was 7 years old that time, he became enamored of toy trains. His collection of Lionel trains, most of them prewar, number in the thousands. Those who attend the benefit will see a goodly number of these, all in running order

valet parking. The buffet dinner will be prepared by Gourmet House and Carail "Gourmet House is excellent. The

can do everything from a picnic with potato salad and so on, to a \$200 black 1939 model - this one with a historical tie buffet dinner with lobster and caviar," said Linda Kughn. missioned by Adolf Hitler and built to Her interest in helping fund the Pe

his specifications. He presented it to ter Rockwell Play Sculpture reflects Joseph Stalin in the early days of the years she lived in Plymouth and the World War II, as a friendly gesture, years she served as a "picture lady hoping to keep the USSR on good terms for the Plymouth Community Arts Council

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Recipes for all occasions

Carolyn Corwin Ciepluch of Byron Tear cake into 11/2- to 2-inch pieces and

1985, it is off the press.

Suburban Life

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he Northern Ballet Theater. The

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Laurie Bean, 16, daughter of John

and Angel Bean of Plymouth, will

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Kathy Hoffman, 17, daughter of

Township, will be featured as the

erformance. She joined the ballet

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ALBIN J. RENAUER, a

1977 graduate of Plymouth Salem

ompleted requirements for the

He earned a bachelor of arts

egree in political science from the

University of Michigan in 1981. He

served as an editor of Law Review

efore his recent graduation from

He is employed in San Francisco

Rose Bird of the California Supreme

Albin is the son of Joseph and

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JULIE MCISAAC, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Donald McIsaac of

ciety Christmas party tonight, the

nembers decorated the Canton

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Rosalene Renauer of Plymouth.

High School, has successfully

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oe Dewdrop in both productions.

Laurie has been a member of

arol Bodenmiller of Canton

snow Queen in the Sunday

group in 1984.

the dancers directed by Michelle

The Nutcracker," will be presented

at 8 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 21, and at 2

a very professional publication with sprinkling of nutmeg.

menus and recipes for every special occasion and holiday throughout the year. Ciepluch has been blessed with a background in food service and some very good cooks in her family.

Her first job after graduating from ollege was with Stouffer's Restauran in Cleveland. She went on to the company's test

kitchens, developing creative recipes and testing. Later, she was manager of creative services for Stouffer Hotels, designing and planning menus.

WHAT WOULD she recommend for She turned to the Tree Trimmer Sup-

"The Holiday Eggnog Torte is an old Milwaukee recipe from my husband's family, another delicious way to enjoy

eggnog during the holidays. It's light out rich, just like the drink. "Nancy's Spinach Lasagna is another good one. You don't even have to cook the noodles in advance and the colors are perfect for the holidays," she said. She added that it was her sister's re-

cipe, from the owner of a North Carol

HOLIDAY EGGNOG TORTE

thsp. unflavored gelatin 1/4 cup cold water 3/4 cup (11/2 sticks) sweet butter, sof-

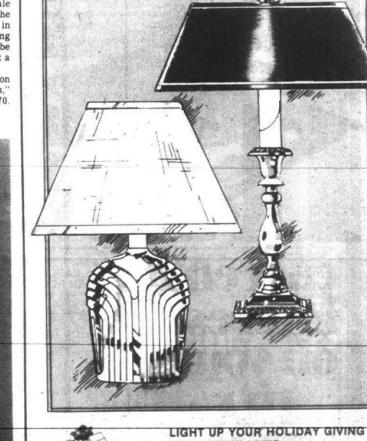
1 cup confectioners sugar 4 large eggs, separated cup chopped salted almonds l cup whipping cream, whipped stiff

Ground nutmeg for garnish In a small bowl, soak gelatin in cold

time, beating after the addition of rate bowl, beat egg whites until stiff

"SEASONAL Celebrations" is on sale Street, Plymouth worked almost two combine gently with filling. Pour into a at Folkways, Little Professor on the Plymouth. Jacobson's also is carrying the cook book and the author will be demonstrating some of her recipes at a

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Etravel independently and with other students. Grenoble, an industrial city at the foot of the Iralian Alps, is home to nine Albion students this fall. While they live with host University of Grenoble's language



angel food cake, purchased or

eter 5 minutes. Place bowl in a small pan of hot water to dissolve gelatin completely and keep it warm. In a large mixing bowl, cream butter and sugar together. Add egg yolks, one at a each. Gradually fold in rum, 1/2 cup almonds and dissolved gelatin. In a sepa-

but not dry. Fold whites into eggnog Carolyn Corwin Ciepluch can recommend every recipe in her new mixture, then fold in whipped cream. cook book. She has made every one of them.

Township buzzing with holiday events

Things are pretty dull around here With everyone out shopping, cleaning and organizing, it seems all the active people in the area are right now too active to give me a call. The rest don't have anything to report.

So how about some updating? Let's see. Hopefully you didn't miss Santa at Cinema Six the day after Thanksgiving. How about breakfast with Santa at McDonalds? Still plenty of time to get in on that Santa will be it Michigan Avenue McDonalds this Saturday, Dec. 14, and at the Ford Road restaurant Dec. 21. Trust good old Bob Card to bring Santa in.

But that wasn't all folks, no indeed. There was the annual Christmas Tree police station lighting ceremony at township hall promised, I was there and as expected. had a wonderful time. We didn't ever

stand out in the cold this year You thought we would never learn, didn't you? Well, we finally figured it out! First, we sang a few carols inside. Then the heartiest of us, which meant almost everyone, zipped outside where Supervisor James Poole, assisted by a large group of good boys and girls, lit then its on to don't-forget-to-dos.

missing a note.

ing, who should appear but the jolly old man himself - Santa! As we enjoyed our hot apple cider, punch and cookies carefully baked and served by township employees and members of the Canton Beautification Committee, Santa began visiting with all those good little boys and girls who braved the cold winter night just to be with him.

IF YOUR HAVEN'T had the opporunity yet, it would be well worth the hall some night. You should see the Santa, the 14th on Michigan Avenue beautiful lights adorning our hall and and the 21st on Ford Road

Sports Equipment Sale sponsored by our recreation department? Ah ves. Actually, I was amazed when I drove that was last weekend. I hope you a white Christmas.

resumed singing. Inspired by all the happy music mak-

Canton chatter Sandy Preblich

NOW FOR what you haven't missed. There is still time to get in the foltrip. I promise, to drive by township lowing the McDonalds Breakfast with

This weekend presents a wonderful Speaking of driving around to look at opportunity for your children to attend he Christmas decorations. Remember, a free Christmas party set up for just this is the time of year that I and my their age group. It starts at 9:30 a.m. Christmas decoration fans will be rid- for ages 3-7 followed immediately by ing around some evenings. So don't get the celebration for ages 8-12 from too worried of you see a carload of peo- 10:45 to 11:45 a.m. This is presented ple looking at your house or driving each year and every year by the Canslowly up and down your street. It's ton Recreation Department. Remember, you must call ahead for reservations at 397-1000. There will be games, Just a couple more did-you-dos and movies, and, naturally, what party would be complete without a visit from

BACK AGAIN is Canton's promise of

the contest for a guaranteed white Christmas. The Canton Recreation De-Did you remember what Christmas once again you can enter your name in partment will cover the winner's yard with real snow Dec. 20. thus ensuring at least one Canton resident the

omised white Christmas. To enter your name, just stop township hall and pick up an entry

alone. We have a wonderful senior citizens program in Canton, as well as other organizations you may join. gram in Canton can help you get to your doctors and back again, as well as meet many of your other needs. The senior program in the township provides a wide variety of things to do, in cluding trips to Florida, or Northville Downs, or perhaps a quick trip to the Detroit Salt Mines.

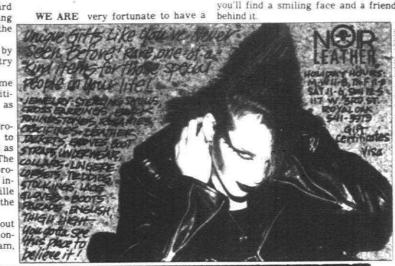
It offers various classes throughout the year, as well as loads of recreational activities. Join their softball team,

the senior center.

Give them a call and let them fill you you and enjoy your company

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n. They'll keep you informed on the Please give them a call and have latest legislation being considered or some fun. There is plenty to do, and passed that directly affects you as well loads of terrific people to do it with, as assist you in finding the correct and that's no rumor either, I know agency or service to help you solve a many of the members personally and I





Girl Scouts holiday project best Christmas gift of all Area Girl Scouts are asking for "A Five Mile, to be the site for the blood immediate surgery or those suffering from kidney disease, hemophilia or

Special Gift for Christmas" - a gift of collection drive. As a community service project, the Girl Scouts who are responsible for

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their son, Bryan William Grandparents are Donald

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nounce the birth of their

daughter, Brooklyn Kay

LIFE.

daughter, Erin, 9, and a ney.

The project is a challenging one for leukemia.

several patients. THE NEED for blood is the greatest

during the holiday season and the sup-The area Red Cross serves 75 hospi- the blood.

TO ADD INITIATIVE to the Girl three years. He has agreed to allow his ry day. The demand doesn't stop for the Scout holiday project, a friendly comlocal troops.

who bring in the most donors, based on troop size. They are competing for a pizza party at Pizza Hut, troop bowling at the Superbowl, both of Canton Town-

of Charnwood, Plymouth Arbor. She has a sister, and Bernardand Elinor announce the birth of Jillian Rose, almost 2. Casmere. While the competition adds excite-

> Township announce the this holiday. THOSE WHO can spare 45 minutes

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petition has been devised among all the There will be prizes for the troops

ship, and for a shopping certificate at Park Street Assembly of God Church, the Rainbow Shop in Plymouth. The Girl Scout who brings in the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Sim-

Joseph Mercy Hospital, of Plymouth and Richard Shellhaas of Canton winner will be those in need of blood

Carl Mark and Nancy weighed 8 pounds, 4 donate blood Dec. 21.

Plymouth announce the pounds, 8 ounces. They nated appointment time makes for ple traveled to Endicott, N.Y. They are birth of their daughter, have an older brother, more efficiency. To make an appointment, call Verna

Grandparents are George, 981-4890; Darlene Severson, Francis and Janice Le 459-3236, or Barb Weir, 453-1459. The Duke of Garden City, and Girl Scouts need community participa-Joe and Maggie Shellhaas tion for their "Special Gift for Christ-

exchanged marriage vows Nov. 23 in Ogdensburg, N.Y. The bride is the most donors will receive a cash prize. mons of Ogdensburg and the bride-Runners-up will receive passes courtesy of Canton-6 Cinema. groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lynch of Fairlawn, N.J. The bride's Joe and Sandy ment, the girls are aware that the true Sue Wells, Linda Marie Simmons and Kathy Morse. Peggy Sue Simmons was

Chuck Laggan of Canton was best Nov. 22 in Garden City of holiday rush time are asked to join man. Groomsmen were Richard Hospital. Jami Lynn other friends of Girl Scouting and Abrams, Kevin Cheetham and Eric Nerenberg. After a wedding reception Freckelton of Hartsough, ounces, and Jodi Marie, 5 Walk-ins are welcome, but a desig- at the Ogdensburg Elks Club, the couiving in Prospect Park, N.J.

The bride is a graduate of Og-densburg Free Academy. She attended Nyack College and is now employed by Howard Johnson's. Her husband is employed by Weiss and Calvacca as an ap-

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Guy Sr. and Pat Bunyea of Powell Road, Plymouth, announce the engage-ment of their daughter, Lynda Marie,

to Robert Stanley Poet, son of Stanley

and Beverly Poet of Manchester. The

bride-elect is a 1981 graduate of Ply

mouth Salem High School. Her fiance is

a graduate of Saline High School. Both

They are planning a September 1986

Emerson and Diane Coates of Amherst Court, Plymouth, formerly of Livonia, announce, the engagement of their daughter, Lori, to Gary Panicaci, son of Nathel and Mary Panicacci of South Lyon. The bride-elect graduated from Plymouth Salem High School in 1977 and from Virginia Intermont College in 1982. She is employed by Saddelburg Stable at Northville Downs. Her fiance graduated from South Lyon High School in 1979. He attends Wayne State University and is employed by N.B.F. Security System as a video tech-

They are planning a March wedding in First United MethodistChurch of



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Plymouth Business and Professional Women will meet at 6 p.m. Monday at Hillside Inn. The program will be "The Magic of Christmas." For reservations, call Odile Fast, 459-3520.

WAYNE MOTHERS OF TWINS

Western Wayne County Mothers of Twins Club annual Christmas meeting will be Monday, Dec. 16. with an auction and cookie exchange. Members are minded to provide a bake, make or grow auction tem Profits from the auction will benefit club's vice project for needy families. Meeting will be Holy Cross Lutheran Church 30650 Six Mile, Journal between Middlebelt and Merriman. For inmation, call Evelyn Griwicki, 421-3557.

Delta Zeta Alumnae of Western Wayne County will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 12, at the home of Shirley Martin of Farmington. C-hostesses will be Pat Marshall and Pam Cronenwett. The program for the evening will be "Christmas Gettogether." If interested in attending, call Sandra Steed, publicity chair, 455-3727.

REFUNDERS CLUB

Refunders Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 18, in the Plymouth Grange Hall, 273 Unnop St. Bring refund forms, proofs of purchase, and implete deals to trade. New members are wel-

. CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Heaven Came to Earth," featuring the Antioch four, will be at 6 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 22. The Christconcert will be at Antioch Baptist Church 18 Rawsonville Road, Belleville. The public is ind and admission is free

CANTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

The Canton Historical Society is inviting all inrested residents to its annual Christmas open ouse at 7.30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 12, at the Historial Museum. Along with refreshments and socializing, there will be caroling and slides of the society's ast activities. A Mexican exchange student will now slides of his homeland

Sarah Ann Cochrane Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will hold its Christmas tea at pini. Monday, Dec. 16, at the home of Mrs. Lester tobinson. Any woman eligible for DAR membership may attend. The chapter has members from Tymouth, Northville, Livonia and Canton, For in formation call Mrs. Bruce Richard, 453-4425, or Mrs Peter Simpson, 348-2198.

EXPECTANT ADOPTIVE PARENT CLASSES

Registrations now are being accepted for a series five weekly classes for families waiting to adopt child up to 2 years of age. Classes begin at 7 p.m. Friday, Jan 10, at Botsford Hospital Classes will provide information on the physical care of an infant, growth and development, selecting infant clothes and accessories, common infant health problems and child safety. The classes also provide an opportunity to explore parenthood and its rela-

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Introduction to the Lamaze birth technique will be at 7.30 p.m. Monday, Dec. 16, at Newburg Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. Birth film will be shown. There is a \$1 per person charge t the door. For information, call the Plymouth Childbirth Education Association, 459-7477

Dunning Hough Library, 223 S. Main St., Plymouth will present two Christmas parties for children Saturday, Dec. 21. The first, at 10:30 a.m., will be for children ages 312-5. The second party at 1:30 will be for 6-11-year-olds. Both parties will last about one hour and feature stories, games and crafts. Parents must remain in the library during

Wednesday, Dec. 18, by calling 453-0750

Lake Pointe Village branch of the Woman's National Farm & Garden Association will meet in the Farrand School Library Thursday, Dec. 12. Guest speaker Grover Niergarth of Brighton will discuss. Fine Feathered Friends." Ruth Horn is evening chair Co-hostesses are Jean Pink, Marianne Blaszczak, Bernadine Witkowski and Linda Regan

Group will make a Hershey Kiss Tree the evening of Thursday, Dec. 14. Call Regina, 455-6408.

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RRADI EY CHILDBIRTH METHOD

An eight-week series of classes in the Bradley Method of Natural Childbirth is planned as well as early pregnancy classes. For more information and to register, call 453-9171.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR AARP TAX RETURN PROGRAM

Volunteers are needed to help senior citizens fill out their tax returns. Classes are planned the first two weeks in January to train the volunteers for the program sponsored by the local chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons. The free tax-help sessions will begin in February and run for 10 weeks through April 15. Volunteers pledge four hours per week of their time. For information or to volunteer, call Marion Elton, 455-1980.

CIVITAN ESSAY CONTEST

Plymouth-Canton Civitan Citizenship Essay Contest is in progress and will continue until deadline date of March 15. All high school students in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools area are eligible to compete. The topic is "Is There Too Much Sex and Violence in the Youth-Oriented Record and Video Cassette Market?" First prize, \$100; second, \$50; and third, \$25. Information available at Plymouth Canton and Salem high schools general offices, or call Joe Henshaw, contest chairman, 451-6321,

ORANGES, GRAPEFRUIT SALE

Tree-ripened Florida oranges and grapefruit are available November through March, shipped by express truck from Indian River Groves. Orders are being taken by Plymouth Seventh Day Adventist Junior Academy volunteers. To order, call 3423 or 981-1308, between 9 a.m to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Pickup is at 5757 Lilley, near Ford.

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The 1936 graduating classes of Salesian Catholic High School class Mackenzie High School in Detroitare of 1966 is planning a 20-year class replanning a 50th reunion June 21, 1986 union for the spring of 1986. Anyone inat Fairlane Manor. Dearborn Alumni terested in attending is asked to call interested in reunion should call Alex Jim Morye, 525-3886 Nagy, 474-1467.

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handicapped children through Dec. 14. Just drop them off at the shop. CERAMICS CLASS

Open ceramics class Thursday evenings at the Salvation Army in Plymouth is available to interested people For details, call 453-5464.

MOMS AND TOT MORNING

A Morning Play Group for Moms and Tots sponsored by the Canton Newcomers will be on the fourth Friday of each month in members' homes. Si back and relax over coffee with other mothers of infants and preschoolers while they play. For reservations and more information call Linda, 981-0727.

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CANTON JAYCEES INVITE NEW MEMBERS

The Canton Jaycees encourages all men and women 18-35, who are interested in leadership training, personal growth and management skills, to attend the monthly general membership meetings. Group meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month at the Roman Forum Restaurant, Ford Road. For more information, call Patti Kelly, 721-3959.

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The 50-Up Club meets at 7 p.m. the • TAKE OFF POUNDS first Tuesday of each month at the church on Warren Road, west of Sheldon. New members may attend. For in-formation, call Betty Gruchala, presi-in starts at 6:30 p.m., with a meeting

FATING DISORDERS

SUPPORT GROUP Institute for the Study of Eating Disorders sponsors support groups for family and friends of persons suffering from eating disorders 6-7:30 p.m. every other Friday at the institute, 23800 Orchard Lake Road, Suite 201, Farmington Hills. For information, call 474

BROWNIES, JUNIOR GIRL

SCOUTS All Bird Elementary School girls in grades 1-3 are eligible to become Brownie Girl Scouts. Those in grades 4-6 can become Junior Girl Scouts. To may call 453-8547 for membership inget in on the fun, call Judi Clemens, 453-3615, for information.

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OPTIMISTS

Canton Business and Professional Women meets the second Monday of each month at the Roman Forum Restaurant on Ford Road, cocktails at 6 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesdays of dinner at 6:30, and program at 7:30. Dinner charge is \$7.50 per person.

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Saturday, Dec. 14 - Sonata group of 3 CITIES ART CLUB HOLIDAY SHOW the Plymouth Symphony League will be selling luminaries, 25 cents a set, in Saturday, Sunday, Dec. 14-15 - The Westchester Mall on Forest, Plymouth, Three Cities Art Club annual Christmas and at the K mart store on Ann Arbor show and sale will be in Westchester Road at Haggerty. To order in advance Square on Forest Street, Plymouth. Ad- call Nancy, 459-8186, or Carol, 455mission is free. Framed and unframed 5837.

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TOPS Chapter 1236 meets every Thursday evening in Faith Community following, 7-8 p.m. For information,

CIVIL AIR PATROL

U.S. Air Force Auxiliary Squadron 16-1 invites interested people to attend • CIVITAN CLUB its weekly meetings, 6:30-10 p.m. Thursdays on the fourth floor of the main building, Willow Run Airport. Any U.S. citizen 13 years of age and attend to learn about Civitans - a older may become a volunteer. For ingroup of neighbors, business associates formation, call Robert Eizen, commander, 326-9673.

Club meets at 7 p.m. the first and third Mondays of each month in the

Miles Standish Room of the Mayflower Hotel. Plymouth and Canton residents CHORUS COOKBOOK Plymouth Community Chorus new cookbook, "All Our Best," is available Arbor Road at I-275. For information,

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The Plymouth-Canton Civitan Club for more information.

• TOASTMASTERS

The Oral Majority Toastmasters Club of Plymouth invites visitors to see how the club enables members to speak up and move ahead, whatever their occupations. The club meets at 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Denny's restaurant, Ann

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Veterans of Foreign Wars, meets at 8 each month at the post home, 1426 S. Mill, Plymouth. New members are

Midwest Harmony Chapter of Sweet Road, Livonia, just south of Plymouth ton, 981-4098, or Barbara Williams of

Zesters, a club for Canton residents 55 and older, meets at 12:30 p.m. Thursdays in the Canton Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan at Sheldon. Membership fees are \$1 to join and \$1.50 per month. For more information about the club, call the Canton senior citizen office, 397-1000, Ext. 278.

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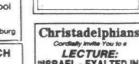
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Just West of Middlebelt WORSHIP 9:15 & 11 A.M. ON WHETHER OR NOT GOOD THINGS LAST Rev. George Kilbourn
Rev. David R. Strobe, Assoc. Pastor
Judy May, Dir. of Christian Ed.
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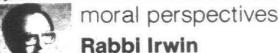
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Groner

What was achieved at Geneva summit?

I refer to that spirit of confidence

will find a way to negotiate their con-

flicts, to resolve their differences and

to engage in compromise in order to

advance the welfare of their respective

countries and of far greater impor-

tance, to help assure the survival of

Do we have any guarantee that the

Soviet Union and the United States will

neva is over, and the media have turned our attention to other events, a cynic could argue that very little was accomplished at the summit beyond creating an appearance of cordiality.

President Reagan and Secretary mankind. General Gorhachev shook hand exchanged smiles, expressed sentiments of good will, and offered vague declaons of improvement in Unites States-Soviet relationships.

Was it really necessary for Reagan Gorbechev and their staffs to travel thousands of miles and meet for three days in order to provide for a cultural exchange, namely that we could see the Bolshoi Ballet and they could see the "Beach Boys," Indeed, on the critical issues of nuclear disarmament, the reional conflicts supported by the Soviet Inion and human rights, one did not ind substantive progress.

I REJECT this view for something indeed has changed as a result of the summit. The achievement of the Reagan-Gorbachev meeting was its affirmation of hope. Let us not gloss over the differences between the United States and the Soviet Union. These are more than diversities in political organization but include diametrically opposed views of man and society, of numan rights, of truth and justice. But

But the key to redemption is hope hope for a more stable world, a world in which the cause of peace can be advanced. Hope produces a vision of th future, and that vision has the power to despite these differences and despite depth of their ability to resolve world

statements.

generate thought, effort and planning. The fact that Mr. Reagan and M Gorbachev have promised to meet twice more in the United States and the Soviet Union is a demonstration of the the strength and conviction of each conflicts, their will to find the proper leader that his national policies are correct and despite the continued tensions of the cold war, something was pessimism and despair. The world af born at Geneva that, I believe, will ter Geneva can dare to hope for a bet have a life of its own.

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10:00 a.m. REV. LEO J. BEAUCHAM Pastor 348-226

church bulletin

KENWOOD CHURCH OF CHRIST

"A Celestial Lesson" is the theme of the children's Christmas program to be presented at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15. t Kenwood Church of Christ, 20200 Merriman, Livonia. More than 60 boys and girls will be involved in presenting the Christmas story through the lessons of an angel instructor in a heavenly that the superpowers and their leaders

The church's adult choir will present Someone," a musical presentation of the Bible, at the 11 a.m. worship ser vice. The program begins with a presentation of God before creation and concludes with the hope of the second

The music department of Tri-City reach understanding in arms control Assembly of God will present the can Can we be assured that the super tata "The Word, the Person, the Song" powers will de-escalate the violence in at 7 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14, and at 6 the Near East, Africa, and Latin Amer p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15. The performance ica? Can we expect that the Soviet Un will be under the direction of the ion will lift its policy of repression against Jewish dissidents and Soviet church's minister of music, Rocky Barra. The church is at 2100 Hannan, be Jews generally? The answer to all of tween Palmer and Michigan Avenue, the above is "No." We have no guarantees, assurances, or commitments; no should we raise the level of expecta-

TRI-CITY ASSEMBLY.

CALVARY MISSIONARY

tions, we should not be deluded by the A religious drama, "The Trembling smiles presented to the photographers Clay," will be featured at 11 a.m. Sunand by the bland rhetoric of the Geneva day, Dec. 15, at Calvary Missionary Church, 29850 W. Six Mile, Livonia The drama will be presented by the Genesians, a traveling troupe from Bethel College in Mishawaka, Ind.

> PLYMOUTH ASSEMBLY Plymouth's United Assembly of God will present "The Birthday Party," a Christmas celebration of music and drama, at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15 The presentation, featuring the church's children and youth, will be di rected by Debbie Warde. The program will be at Pioneer Middle School, 46081 W. Ann Arbor Road, west of Sheldon, in Plymouth, where the congregation's services are taking place while their new sanctuary is being built.

CHRIST OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN

The Employees' GM Chorus will perform a Christmas concert at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14, at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, 14175 Farmington, Livonia. The sanctuary of the church will be decked out in holiday decorations for the concert, which will feature traditional sacred and secular Christmas songs. The audience also will have the opportunity to sing carols during "The Christmas Story." Director of the chorus is Frank Murch, conductor and planist, and the accompanist is John Hopkins. Admission is free, and a reception will follow the concert.

WESTLAND ASSEMBLY

The Rev. and Mrs. A.F. DiMusto and their son, Jonathan, of Detroit will conduct special services at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m Sunday, Dec. 15, at Westland Assembly of God, 1075 Venoy, Garden

Formerly the pastors of Calvary church is at 1841 Middlebelt, one block Temple in Royal Oak, the DiMustos have been in numerous gospel campaigns, crusades and camp meetings throughout the United States and in Canada, Europe and the Middle East Most recently they returned from a second mission to Guvana and Guatemala. They will discuss their experiences in those two countries and also present a program of music Jonathan, is plays the keyboards and arranges the music, while his parents play the organ and trombone. For more infor mation, call 421-0476.

 WARD PRESBYTERIAN The 200-voice Ward Presbyterian

Church Chancel Choir will perform Handel's "Messiah" at 7 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15, in celebration of the composer's 300th birthday. Solo highlights will feature George MacDonald, Brenda Miller, Marion Mansfield, Debbie Crimmins, Marjane Baker, Patti Marshall Bob Cassidy, Lisa Meyer and Steve Morscheck. The concert will be accompanied by a full symphonic orchestra under the direction of Dr. Jerry J. Smith. Keyboard artists will include Carole Halmekangas and Sharon

Admission is free. The church is at Farmington and Six Mile roads, two miles north of I-96 and two miles east Six Mile.

 CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY

The Church of God of Prophecy in Garden City will have its annual Christmas program at 7 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15. This year the church's children will present a musical called "The Great, Late Potentate." The church is at 28563 Pardo, one block south of Ford, two blocks east of Middlebelt. Admission is free For more information, call 525-5397.

• CLARENCEVILLE UNITED METHODIST

"A Christmas Invitation" to celebrate Jesus will be at 3 and 7 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 22, at Clarenceville United Methodist Church, 20300 Middlebelt, etween Sevon Mile and Eight Mi feature the church's combined choirs. ice at 422-3763. Admission is free.

LIVONIA ASSEMBLY Livonia Assembly of God will have a

seminar on prophecy at 7 p.m. through Friday, Dec. 13, and at 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15. The Rev. Eugene Sims, who has studied God's word for more than 30 years, will be the speak-



(Tony LoVasco) and Mary (Jennifer Worbol) in Livonia production of "The Jesus Story.

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born Heights will have a special Christ-

15, at Fairlane Manor, 19000 Hubbard,

service. Pastor John A. Booher will de-

liver his Christmas message, and the

Sanctuary Singers will present a

Christmas special and a scripture/dra-

ma presentation foucsing on the reason

Fairlane also will present its

'Christmas Celebration' from Thurs-

day, Dec. 12, through Tuesday, Dec. 17.

The church's 100-voice choir, 30-piece

musical drama, which centers on the

for the birth of Christ.

• FAIRLANE ASSEMBLY



Joseph shows the boy Jesus (Chet Reiser) how to be a carpen while the children's choir sings in the background.

er. The church is at 33015 W. Seven support from volunteers in grades one Mile, near Loveland.

PRESBYTERIAN The seventh annual Christmas musi-

cal presented by the church school classes of Garden City Presbyterian Church will be at 7 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15, at the church. The production this year is "O, My Stars, It's Christmas" by Betty Hager and Fred Bock. The play mas service at 9:30 a.m. Sunday, Dec. tells the story of a young star named Andro, played by Patrick Nelson, who sings off key and is discouraged from singing in the star choir. The birth of Fairlane Assembly usually has three Christ brings a change in the hearts of morning services each Sunday, but for the choir. Lori Schaffer is directing a this service all 2,400 congregation cast and choir of 45 children. The

 CANTON CALVARY ASSEMBLY OF GOD Canton Calvary Assembly of God will present the musical "Christmas Glory" at 7 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14, and at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15. The musical tells the story of the birth of Jesus. The church is at 7933 Sheldon, between Joy and Warren roads. A nursery will

ST. EDITH

St. Edith Catholic Church will have a benefit concert at 7 p.m. Friday, Dec. 13. A donation will be taken to benefit the Christmas food baskets program for the needy. There will be Christmas carols and an audience sing-along. The church is at 15089 Newburgh, just south of Five Mile, Livonia.

 BETHEL BAPTIST TEMPLE Bethel Baptist Temple in Livonia will have its annual children's program at 6 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15. The children will portray events surrrounding the birth of Jesus. A free box of candy will

paster, the Rev. H.L. Petty, at 525-3664

or 261-9276. The church is at 29475 W.

UNITY OF LIVONIA

Unity of Livonia will have its Christmas candlelighting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 18, and Thursday, Dec. 19. Minister Gene Sorensen will speak on "It All Begins With a Tiny Light." Everyone will be given a candle to use during the ceremony. The Christmas Choir will provide special music. Child sitting will be available in the nursery and preschool rooms. The church is at 28660 Five Mile.

LIVONIA BAPTIST

The adult choir of Livonia Baptist Church will present the Christmas musical "O Come Let Us Adore Him" at the 11 a.m. service on Sunday, Dec. 15. The Sounds of Joy Handbell Choir will provide instrumental music. The church is at 32940 Schoolcraft, For Livonia. The musical celebration will more information, call the church off-

> **O ROSEDALE GARDENS** PRESBYTERIAN

The Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church School will present "A Christmas Pageant" at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15. The pageant will feature the 3and 4-year-olds Sunday school class the kindergarten class with singing

"true meaning of Christmas." The program is set in an 1880s town with through eight. After the play, there will be a Christmas carol sing-along for streetlamps, shops, trees and a blanket of freshly fallen snow. The choir and adults and children in the sanctuary, orchestra are under the direction of the followed by a snack for all in the fel Rev. David E. Richards, and the drama lowship hall. The church is at 9601 troupe is under the direction of the Rev. Darrell E. Ovenshire. The two hour drama has an original script writ ten by David Chatel of Detroit, and the Fairlane Assembly of God in Dear-

Jesus story

First Baptist Church of Livonia

will present a Christmas pro-

gram called "The Jesus Story"

at 6 p.m. Sunday. The musi-

cal/drama covers the entire

life of Jesus, including His birth in Bethlehem and His

death on the cross. The entire

congregation has become in-

volved in the production, from

sewing costumes and building

sets to serving as directors or

actors. Directing the program

are Donna Kelly and Terry Lo-

Vasco. The church is at 17725

on Sunday

music is compiled from four cantatas Tickets are free, but must be gotten in advance. For ticket information, call the church office at 561-3300. Fairlane Assembly is at 22575 Ann Arbor Trail, one light east of Telegraph

and one block south of Warren Avenue members will be meeting for a united

ST. MICHAEL UKRAINIAN St. Michael Ukrainian Church o Dearborn will present its annual Christmas event, the Sunday of Sharing, at 6 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15. The church's choirs will offer a selection of carols in both English and Ukrainian, and the church's children will present a Christmas pageant. The price of admission will be a donation of money or food for the needy. The church is at orchestra and Rhema Drama troupe 6340 Chase, between Warren and Ford will present 10 performances of the

roads, Dearborn. For more informa-

Holy Trinity to present 'Messiah' excerpts Sunday

Several selections from Handel's recently reorganized music department. The staff now includes Donna vices Sunday at Holy Trinity Lutheran Borgert as music coordinator; Stephen Church, 39020 Five Mile Road, Livonia. Bryant, choral director, Janet Seltz,

The music will include choruses from the oratorio to be sung by the attends. For more information, call the organ will accompany the singers.

The program is the first under the

Borgert also directs the church's adult choir, and solo recitatives as three bell choirs. Bryant comes to Holy be given to each woman and child who well. A string ensemble, trumpet and Trinity from the University of Michigan where he is currently in a master's program for choral directing

Choristers director, and Bara Crute as



Part of the music departs theran Church in Livonia are Bar Stephen Bryant and Donna Borgert.

for your information

OPEN SKATING

The winter open skating schedule at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, is as follows: Mondays, 1 to 2:45 p.m. and 7-8 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8 30 to 10 40 a.m., 1 to 2:50 p.m. and 3.50 to 5.20 p.m., Wednesdays, 1 to 2:50 p.m., Fridays, 8:30 to 10:40 a.m. and 1 to 2:45 p.m.; and Sundays, 2 to 3:20 p.m. and 3:30 to 4:50 p.m. Fees are \$1:25 for adults, \$1 for children and skate rental is 50 cents. For further information, contact the recreation denartment at 455-6620

GENEALOGY INSTRUCTION

Is there a skeleton in your closet? Would you like to find out? Join Canton Seniors 12:30 to 3 p.m. Tuesdays at the Canton Recreation Center and get help tracing your family tree. A genealogy instructor will give individual attention and assistance. Also included are field trips and informational speakers. The

class is free and high school CT credit may be earned For information, call the Canton Seniors at 387-1900,

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If you like camping, canoeing, making crafts, and learning about American Indians, you will like the Y Indian Guide programs. The charge of \$30 includes a family membership in the Plymouth Community Family YMCA. The programs include Indian Guides, fathers and sons, ages 5 and older, Indian Maidens, mothers and daughters. ages 5 and older, Indian Princess, fathers and daughters, ages 5 and older: Indian Braves mothers and sons, ages and older Interested parents may come to the YMCA office at 248 S. Union. Plymouth to sign up between 9

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• CANTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Canton Historical Society at 730 p.m. meets the second Thursday of each month in the Canton Historical Society Museum on Canton Center Road

MINOR HOME REPAIRS

The Conference of Western Wayne Minor Home Repair Program has been funded through Senior Alliance Inc. for fiscal year 1985. The program assists homeowners 60 and older with minor home repair tasks. For information,

YMCA LEADERS CLUB

The Plymouth Community Family YMCA is sponsoring a YMCA Leaders Club to help youth function as leaders or assistants. Many activities will be scheduled this year such as campouts, community projects, fund-raising projects, trips. Needed are youth who want to expand their knowledge of the YMCA and have fun ymouth. For information, call 453-2904

RAINBOW CHILD CARE

The Friendly Rainbow Child Care & Learning Center is accepting registration fall sessions. Classes are available for children ages 2½ to 12. The center, 42290 Five Mile at Bradner in Plymouth, provides child care, preschool experiences, drop-in and after-school programs. Experiences are varied according to age and ability. For information, call Markita Gottschalk or Janet Mason at 420-0495 and 420-0489.

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SENIOR NUTRITION PROGRAMS

Out-Wayne County Human Services. Inc. provides to senior citizens age 60 or older, or to the spouse of a person 60 or older, a hot noon meal five days a week for a suggested donation of \$1. Menus include such items as roast beef, chop suey, chicken, vegetables, fruit and desserts.

Home-delivered meals also are provided for seniors who are homebound Volunteers deliver the meals directly to the client. Reservations for meals must be made 24 hours in advance. For further information, or if you are interested in volunteering to deliver home meals, call 422-2602. The Senior Nutrition Program sites in this area are:

Canton Township Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Ave., Canton 48188; Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan, Plymouth 48170.

 HELPING ADULTS READ Plymouth-Canton Community Edu-cation can help adults read. For more information, about Adult Basic Education, call 451-6555 or 451-6660. Open

NEW HORIZONS

New Horizons, a sharing exchange for mothers, will meet the second and fourth Fridays of each month 9:30 11:30 a.m. at Faith Moravian Community Church, 46001 Warren west of Can-ton Center Road. For information, call Mary at 455-8221.

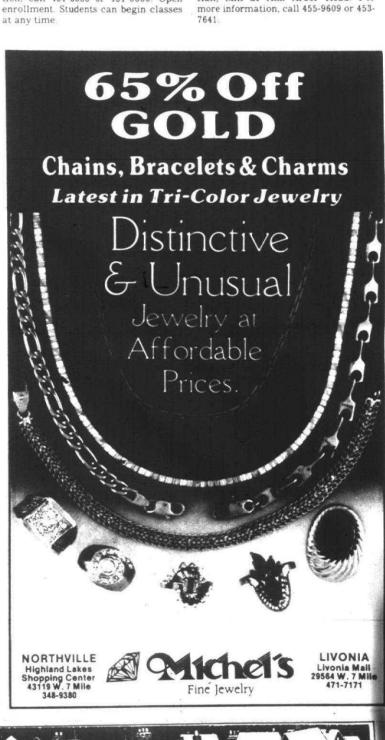
EMERGENCY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Plymouth Township Office of Emergency Preparedness needs volunteers to be trained in skills that will be used during an emergency or disaster. Trraining includes damage assessment, shelter management, first aid, emergency operating center support, and

service weather spotting. Training meetings are held from 9 a.m. to noon on the fourth Saturday of each month in Plymouth Township Hall at Ann Arbor Road and Mill. Township residency is not required. All training

WANTED: CIVIC RADIO HELP

Plymouth Area REACT Team (PART) is looking for members for emergency radio communication (no experience necessary) and other com-munity programs. All residents from Plymouth, Canton, Northville and surrounding areas are invited. The group meets at 8 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at Plymouth Township Hall, Mill at Ann Arbor Road. For more information, call 455-9609 or 453-







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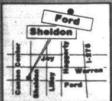
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Abstract paintings-beauty from within

By Corinne Abatt staff writer

Multi-media works on paper by Laszlo Dus at Park West Gallery of Southfield through December offer a journey into a fascinating mental realm. Essentially, that realm is the mind of this 43-year-old Hungarianborn artist who now lives and works in Brecksville, Ohio.

Dus is a prodigious artist who by his own admission works more than 90 hours a week in his large studio in the rolling countryside of northern

As a result he is showing more than 100 works ranging from large to modest.

All are done using a variety of techniques which, in combination and ap-

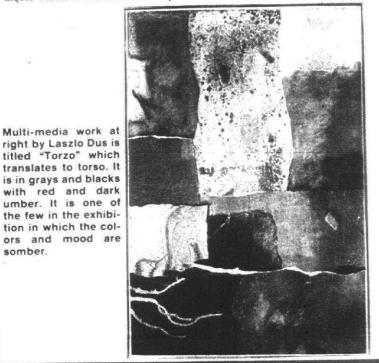
smaller lithographs. He pulls all of his own lithographs in his studio, is absolutely committed to doing every bit of the work himself. And some of the lithos have as many as 48 colors.

And while process is vital to the end result, it is the latter which the world sees and judges.

Dus' paintings, for want of a more specific term, start with a monoprint to which pastel, watercolor and often parts of other paintings are added. The term collage doesn't apply if used to indicate an assemblage of found objects, because nothing here is found. It is all carefully orchestrated

DUS SAID, "These are totally abstract. People always (say they) see

for the particular work of art.



somebody recognizes something, didn't."

He continued saying, "Abstract is much harder than anything else. For me it is much harder to do abstract

ing and said he did figurative work

for years before changing.

Later, he suggested he might in the future do an exhibition of figurative

Because of his mastery of technical processes and his ability to handle color, Dus' works have an effortless quality to them, as if they simply materialized on a stream of light

Loose geometric forms, sometimes linked with a fine veil of floating net-like grid, meet, metamorphose, change and reassemble. In one group of works, this kind of abstract image is framed in a plane of soft, subtle

In other larger works, Dus carries his forms right to the edge of the pic-ture plane. The forms vary from ap-

ly composed work of art, although there appear to be groups of works

others, often the larger ones, seem more linked to terra firma. But all, regardless of roots, trigger emotional

control of the elements and sheer beauty of the concept combine to make Dus' work exciting and memo-

tive Hungary, these convey a sense of

than figurative. He stressed the importance of a thorough background in art as a prerequisite for doing abstract paint-

pearing strong as metal to delicate and nebulous as protoplasm, moving back and forth, in and out, creating tension and interest. Each is different, each a complete-

within this large exhibit. Many embody an ethereal quality,

responses in the viewer. The deftness of touch, the delicate

Whether it is the more peaceful surroundings of the Ohio hills or the security of being an American citizen after years of uncertainty in his na-



Laszlo Dus, standing beside one of his multi-media works, titled "Tavirat," which means a kind of telegram, said he doesn't intend for his works to

be anything but abstract. He welcomes emotional reactions, but is disturbed when viewers find images such as faces or animals.

well-being that wasn't in his earlier work In those shown in color in a book Park West Galleries published on Dus in 1980, the pieces of net are more prominent, more intimidating, there is a sense of turmoil and frustration, of blocked exits and frayed

WHEN HE left Hungary in 1974, Dus had his wife, an interior architect, their daughter and three suitcases. Since then he has acquired an international reputation, a large home studio, a gallery (Park West) to which he is under exclusive contract. a comfortable life style, a pleasant

Staff photos by Mindy Saunders

smile and warm friendly laugh. After completing his studies at the National Fine Art Academy of Budapest, Dus became resident artist and director of the fine art program for his home town, Zalaegerzeg in 1967. A year later he founded the Egervar Art Colony at Egervar, Hungary, where 25 important artists worked in a stu-

While he received art awards and honors in Hungary, he wanted to con-tinue in a direction that wasn't completely accepted there. Consequently, he decided to relocate.

Park West Galleries are open 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, to 9 p.m. Thursday and Friday and 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, 29469 Northwestern, Southfield.

Slick high tech system aids music's pros

Besides making music, what do entertainers Neil Diamond, Stevie Wonder, Oscar Peterson and Leon Russell have in common?

They all compose and arrange with TOTAL MUSIC, a music software program released by Southworth Music Systems Inc. of Harvard, Mass.

Maurice Gibb of the BeeGees, Madonna's main song writer, Stephen Bray, Cindy Lauper's pianist and sound professionals for the TV shows Twilight Zone, Miami Vice and CBS Sports also make music by computer.

TOTAL MUSIC does for music what word processing does for writing and it does it in full-bodied, stereophonic sound.

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TOTAL MUSIC relies on the superior graphics capabilities of the Apple Macintosh Computer for musical notation and memory. Spectrum Computers of Southfield is one of a few dealers in Michigan authorized by Southworth Music to demonstrate and

market the package. AT A RECENT showroom demonstration at Spectrum, Troy musician and composer, Tom Santoro, hooked up his Yamaha DX7 synthesizer to TOTAL MUSIC and a Macintosh Computer to show what the program

"It's a marvel," he said, "the perfect tool for the composer or the live musician who wants to record backup for performances. And I really like its forgiveness — as a string player, I'm not too adept on a keyboard. The program lets me clean up my sloppy playing, speed up tempos and turn out music the way I hear it in my head."

Six weeks ago, Santoro had never used a computer. He quickly mastered the TOTAL MUSIC program on the Macintosh and wrote an original composition using the package. He was impressed by the pro-

comprehensive capabilities and will be the resource person and trainer for those who purchase TO-TAL MUSIC from Spectrum comput-Misha Rachlevsky of West Bloom-

field, founder of Renaissance City Chamber Players said after hearing the program, "It will recolutionize the music industry — the possibilities are mind-blowing. Exactly what can TOTAL MUSIC

do? It allows a musician to play a melody on a synthesizer keyboard and immediately see the notation of what he played on the computer screen. Then the musician can edit notes,

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changes sound, he has the computer play back the score on the synthesizer. He can assign synthesizer voices for various instruments to duplicate the sound of a band or a full orches-

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"It's the first program to allow me as an arranger to have the creative flexibility on a computer that I've always had on a piano or a synthesizer," said Terry Sobania of Farmington



Tom Santoro of Troy found the TOTAL MUSIC system easy to master and pleasant and convenient to use for music composition

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- Tom Santoro

Bobby Nathat co-owner of Unique Recording of New York, said, "TO-TAL MUSIC is the only system that incorporates both notation and graphics editing . . . It has the best features of any sequencer available."

The complete package, including a synthesizer, a Macintosh computer, printer and the TOTAL MUSIC software costs \$4,000-7,000 depending on synthesizer and printer. A Synclavier, the Rolls Royce of sequencers, costs about \$80,000. This new system brings music technology within reach of thousands of musicis arrangers, music educators and sound studio professionals.

THE STORY goes that George Gershwin once hired a full orchestra so he could work out his harmonies. It cost him his entire advance. Making music costs money, whether it is working out the details on compositions and arrangements or getting it right on tape. Sound studio time and musician time are expensive.

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Is there anything TOTAL MUSIC can't do? Santoro said, "Not much.

adding, "And with the current version, editing must be done on a bar graph rather than on the musical staff, but that's soon to change.

"Southworth promises a new version which allows editing on the grand staff. They say when you buy the program you'll receive free up graded versions for a year."

English prof writes novels in retirement

By Corinne Abatt staff writer

Richard Werry of Birmingham retired to live just as he wanted to friends, play a little Mozart and Haydn on his new piano and spend a couple hours each morning at the typewriter.

I'm enjoying it immensely," he said. "I get up at 7:15, I'm at my typewriter for 2-21/2 hours. If I can do a page and a half a day, I'm happy."

Werry, on the Wayne State University English faculty 1946-1981, said his college teaching career was "excellent preparation for retirement. He finished a suspense novel, "Casket for a Lying Lady" which came out last month, published by Dodd, Mead. Another, "about ready to go" follows the same mela characters, J.D. Mulroy, the sexy woman detective frome Birmingham, and her assistant/ friend, Ahmad Dakar, former tight end with the Miami Dolphins.

IN "CASKET," they track a missing woman, a con artist and a large cache of unregistered bearer bonds from the streets of Birmingham to the sands of Florida and back and run into some unsavory characters along

Werry's style, in the contemporary detective novel mode, is bright, flip and fast-moving. The story is told in first person by Mulroy herself, who maintains a provocative balance between impetuousness and caution, not afraid to use either wiles or muscle, whichever is necessary to get the job

WHEN SHE has to, she calls in favors from people such as Bernie Woodward, Birmingham Eccentric editor, and Cotton Williard, an old romance from her Unversity of Michi-

And how did a quiet man like Wer-ry, who authored a book of poetry and the required number of scholarly pa-

pers end up writing detective stories?

"I don't know of any English professors who don't write detective novhe said with a wry smile. "They've become more than when I was in college (BA, MA, University of Pittsburgh). You can thank James Cain ("The Postman Always Rings Twice") for that; he was the first."

As far as how to learn to write, "Writing is the best training for writing," he said, adding that he always explained to his students, "Writing is not a reproduction of life. It's an illusion of reality, not reality repro-

"I READ just about everything," he said when asked what he particu-larly liked. "I taught contemporary literature and creative writing courses. I like Updike, any of the new breed novelists." Then after a moment's hesitation, he added, "Generally speaking I'm a Faulkner fan."

One of his former novels missed being made into a movie when a change in studio personnel cancelled the project. In reference to this new one's mov-

ie possibilities, he answered with a light half smile, "One hopes."

WERRY CAME to Wayne after he got out of the service during World War II. Before that he had taught at Washington and Jefferson College,

Pa.
"I liked it down at Wayne. It was a real life place when I went there in '46, a potpourri. Reality is what it comes down to. It was a relief for me, I like an ethnic mix."

Highland Park Community College, but as far as any part-time teaching for Werry, he had a direct responde When I quit, I quit."

"Casket for a Lying Lady" is available at Borders Bookstore, 13 Mile and Southfield, Beverly Hills and Maximus and Company, 189 S. Wood-

Christmas cards show winning style



This scene of pine trees by Maryann Hapiak of Farmington Hills won first place in the adult cat-



numorous drawing by Eric



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Jessica Newman of Livonia A favorite truck was the inspicategory.

"Yes definitely, it's this one. This is the first place winner" no wait. It's this one here er how about this one . . . wow look at this

went around and around. We wrote 1st, 2nd and 3rd on those little post-it pads from 3M. Well, we stuck, restuck and of pretty "sticky" judging here are the

First place adult goes to Maryann and lamp. Hapiak of Farmington Hills. Maryann but when I read or see photos of other places I like to go home and draw the scene as I imagine it might be." This entry of pine trees in the snow is Marage 9 from Livonia. Katie's "candy vann's first piece of art in 10 years. She cane" card was delightful. Katie will said that she used to enter art contests and never won so she quit art altogether until she read the art column. The Alvin space saver table is our best my lap." Congratulations Maryann. Second place/adult goes to Tim

Jacke from Dearborn who had a unique approach both in his card design and nis method of entering. Tim entered an outstanding pen and ink drawing of an xhausted Santa the day after Christmas. Tim also enclosed a letter suggesting that when it comes to pen and nk methods and techniques I don't know what I'm talking about. Perhaps he won't take exception to the term outstanding" in regards to his entry Hopefully, Tim will enjoy the \$80 set of jewel tipped technical pens by Stano

Third place goes to Steve Grohoski from Livonia. His tight pen and ink of a doll and a stuffed toy reindeer is beau-

Third and a half places goes to John Watson from Farmington Hills, Debbie Dunne from Westland and Dorothy Hamon from Detroit. They were all too close to call and will receive \$10 gift

olds. First place goes to Jessica New nan, a 12-year-old from Livonia. Her 'Christmas Dreams' idea and technical skill made her card an easy decision for all of us. I know this girl will get a lot of use out of her new "Pioeer" drafting table and lamp. Second place goes to Ryan Bewers

iorf, an 11-year-old from Livonia. Ryan's "covered bridge" won him an art bin and a set of 24 prismacolor pen-Third place went to Jeff Wild, an 11-

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> who is an 8-year-old from Livonia. She drew a little snow mouse and won an art bin and a 24 set of colored pencils.

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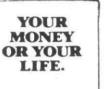
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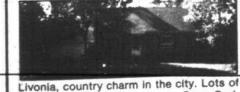
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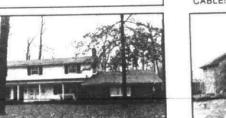
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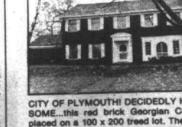


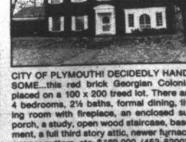
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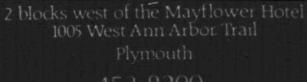


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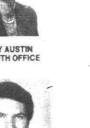


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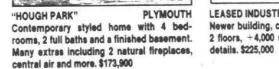
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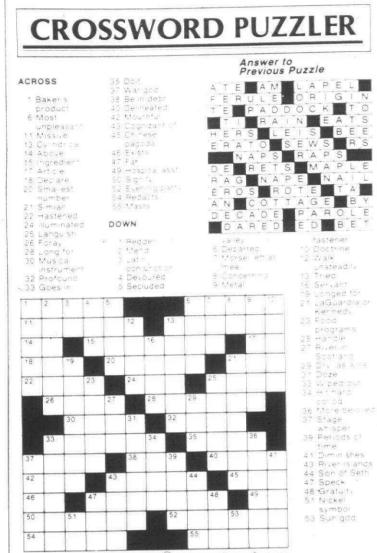
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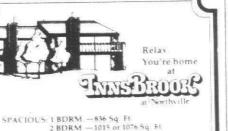
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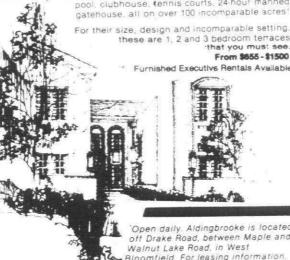
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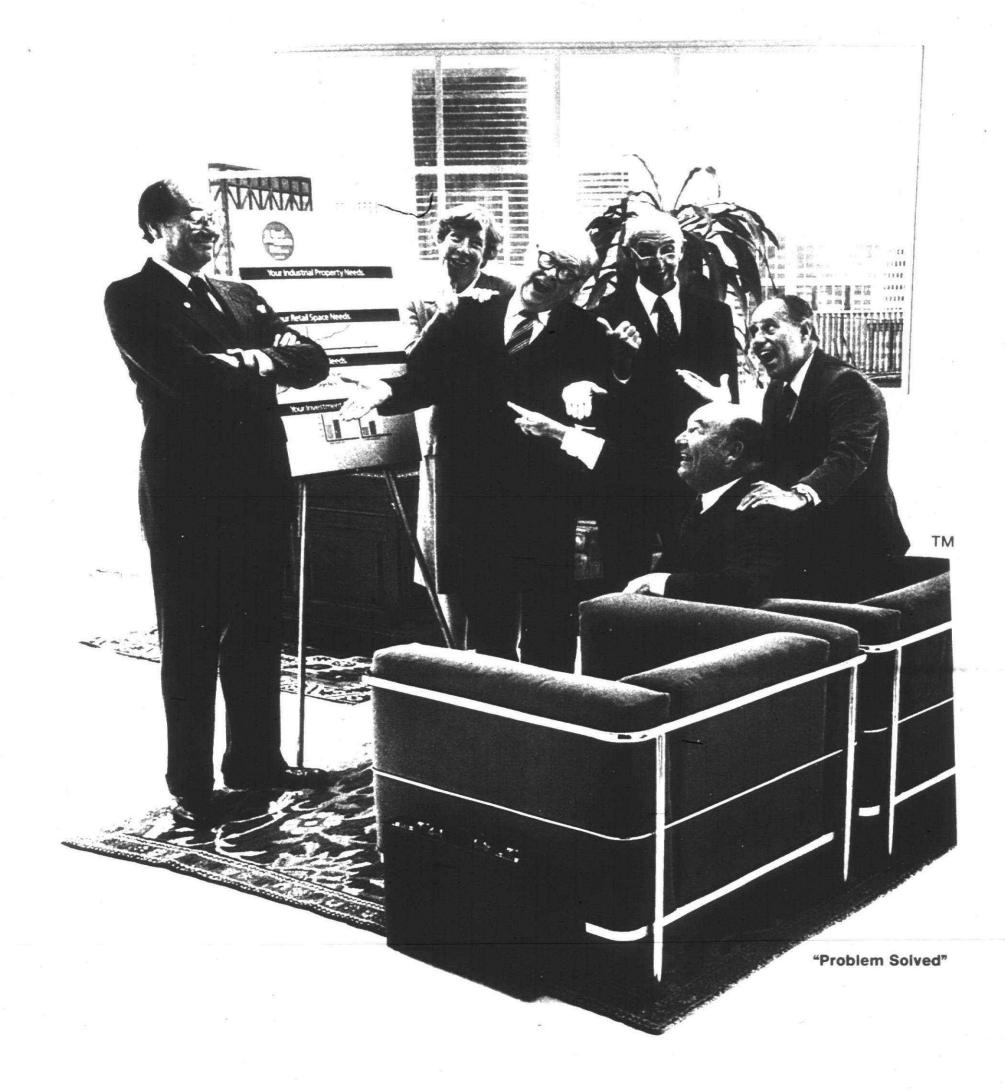
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When Gatt lost, Hillsdale gained

MAZING HOW a little change can make a big difference.
Mike Gatt is a smart guy. He's a senior at Hillsdale College, studying premed. He also happens to quarterback the

Hillsdale football team At least he did for the two seasons prior to this one. Last year, however, took a heavy toll on Gatt literally. The former Redford Catholic Central star and Livonia resident separated his shoulder in the Chargers' first game, his weight ballooned and, by season's end, he was keeping the bench

The writing was on the wall, and Gatt did not care for the translation.

'I was not too sure I had a starting position coming into the season," he said. "I felt I had to do something different to get my confidence

Gatt blamed his woes on his weight. Last summer he attacked the problem.

HE RAN, he lifted weights, he played basketball, and he threw passes to receiver Dave Mifsud. He also worked the night shift at a convalescent home, which proved more beneficial physically than Gatt ever dreamed.

"That threw my system off," Gatt said of his night job. "Combined with the running, the pounds just started coming off.

By the start of the season. Gatt was 20 pounds slimmer. By the end of the season, it was apparent his loss was Hillsdale's gain.

Gatt's quarterbacking has been instrumental in the Chargers 10-1 season. How good has he been? He was a Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC) first team selection. He led the conference in percentage of passes completed (63) and touchdowns thrown (12) and was second in yards gained (1,344).

But that only tells part of the story, the portion that assesses passing efficiency. Unlike other positions, a quarterback cannot be judged by one. or even two, sets of statistics.

Evaluate the starting collegiate quarterbacks from the Observer & Eccentric coverage area. Ask who had the best season, and you'd get powerful arguments for several of them

FOR INSTANCE, Dave Yarema, from Birmingham Brother Rice, was unbeaten in games he played for All-American Bowl-bound Michigan State (6-0), and he is the only major college starting quarterback from our area.

Bruce Crosthwaite, from Rochester, set a new Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association (MIAA) pass efficiency standard at Adrian. Dean Ulrich, also from Rochester, registered impressive total yardage marks at Alma.

Ken Kish, from Farmington Harrison, guided Albion into the NCAA Division III playoffs. Chris Panzl, from Livonia Franklin, helped turn Grand Valley State's winless program into a GLIAC

There were others - at least eight former O&E-area quarterbacks started sometime during the past season - but none shared Gatt's

Gatt won, both a GLIAC title and in the NAIA playoffs. And without him, it's certain his team would never have been so successful. None of the others can make both boasts.

GATT'S VALUE to Hillsdale became obvious in Saturday's 47-3 rout of Salem (W. Va.) College in the NAIA quarterfinals. He completed 15 of 27 passes for 198 yards, with one intercepted. Four

went for touchdowns. His contribution didn't end there. Gatt also rushed 12 times for 72 yards and another TD. So much for a weight problem.

"It definitely helped my game," Gatt said of his weight loss. "I'm moving more, not getting sacked as much. I'm getting more yards running

and not taking as many hits."

If that doesn't sound like a drastic difference, delve deeper. Better yet, let Gatt explain how much his improved mobility meant to the team.

"It's a good confidence boost for the offensive line, knowing they can hold somebody out," he said. "It has a positive effect on the whole team.

Certainly fewer quarterback sacks mean more successful drives, which in turn results in a greater number of points. And the team with the most points.

THAT'S WHY judging Gatt by passing totals alone would be unjust. His 72 yards rushing against Salem may have made the difference for Hillsdale. And get this: Of his 12 carries, 10 were quarterback sneaks.

Their defense uncovered our center, so I just quarterback-sneaked it a lot," he said. "I tried to take them out of that defense."

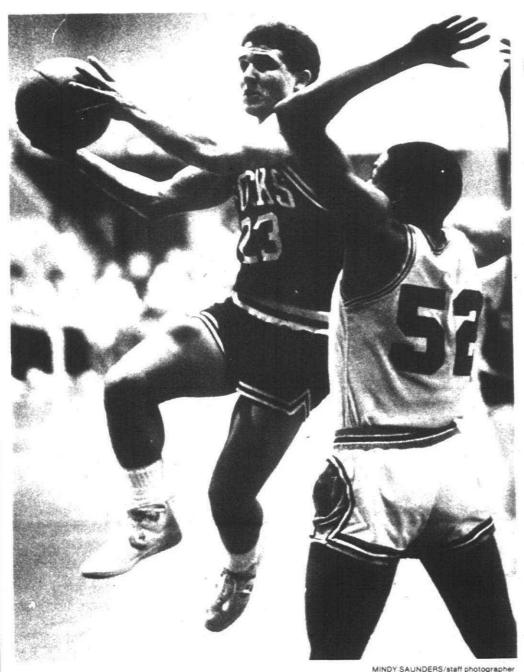
Eventually Salem did switch its defense, but not until Gatt burst 18 yards up the middle for a touchdown. Such decision-making tools are another important element in a quarterback's

"I was just taking advantage of what the defense gave me," said Gatt. "That's my job." Or part of it, anyway, Like picking out the right receiver, or knowing when not to throw the ball, or instantly analyzing defenses and checking off plays at the line of scrimmage.

When you're in a groove, everything seems to go your way," said Gatt. And make no mistake, he is definitely in a groove — a lighter, quicker, harder-to-track (for defenses, at least) groove.

Hillsdale will battle Mesa College in Grand Junction, Colo., Saturday in an NAIA semifinal clash.

Jays chop down taller Rocks



Salem guard Paul Makara (No. 23) drives the lane against Southfield's Mark Smith Tuesday. The home team Jays bested Sa-

lem 50-45 in a non-league game. Makara

Huron squeaks past Canton 'D,' 44-34

Gregg Sliwka remembered two years ago when his heavily-favored Southfield basketball team welcomed Plymouth Salem into his gym for the season opener. That year the Rocks humiliated Southfield.

Tuesday night, the Rocks carried a 21-20 lead into halftime, and Sliwka

had to have been concerned. The Southfield coach needn't have worried. His team rallied to overtake the Rocks 50-45.

"They (Salem) were very methodical. They were bigger than us," Sliwka said. We went to a zone in the third quarter and that bothered them. They couldn't get the ball inside."

Southfield outscored Salem 13-8 in the third quarter and never relinquished the lead

"They really didn't do anything spe-cial on us," Salem coach Bob Brodie "We just didn't convert, and they came down and hit a couple of shots."

Mike Hale scored 14 points to lead the Rocks (1-1). Paul Makara added 10. Clarence McMurry scored 14 for the Javs Daryl Gray added 12 Robert Ziegler hit five-of-six free throws in the

A.A. HURON 44, CANTON 34: A

final quarter to keep the Rocks at bay.

moral victory for the Chiefs. Ann Arbor Huron is one of the more potent offensive teams in the state. The River Rats came into the Canton gym Tuesday night fresh from an upset win against Warren De La Salle.

basketball

But the Rats had to work like dogs to get by the Chiefs.

"We were with them all the way," said first-year Canton coach Tom Niemi, whose team lost its opener to Brighton last Friday 58-44. "We kept changing our defense, and we hurt

The Chiefs had to do without starting point guard Joel Mies, who fouled out at the start of the second half. Huron ran off an 8-2 spurt immediately after Mies left.

"We had a brief lull, but Danny Young and Roger Trice started to come on," Niemi said. "They did a super job for us. I can't say enough about the kids. They hustled and worked hard." The Chiefs pulled within four in the

fourth quarter, but Huron was able to Mies led Canton with 11 points. Young scored nine points and Trice six.

Jeff Lyle played a strong game both on defense and on the boards (seven re-

John Noone led Huron with 14 points and Lauren Yuhasz added another 13.

"It's hard to give compliments when you lose," Niemi said. "But we played a strong game tonight.

Kratt's 33 leads Falcons

When was the last time a Farmington boys basketball team began a season with two straight victories?

"It's been a long time," said veteran Falcon coach Richard Roy. The Falcons posted victory No. 2

Tuesday night 59-47 against Waterford Kettering

Senior Bruce Kratt was unstoppable. He hit nine-of-13 shots from the perimeter and sank 15-of-16 free throws -

Foul shooting told the tale. Falcons, led by Kratt, hit 19-of-21 from the line, Kettering just nine-of-22. "That's two straight games now that

e've shot the ball well," Roy said. Kyle Mutz added 16 points to the Falcons' cause and Craig Petersmark grabbed six rebounds.

Todd Drass led the Captains (0-2) with 17 points and Tom Larkin scored

Salem takes 3rd, Dameron MVP at Bedford meet

Plymouth Salem's Dave Dameron wasn't too subtle with his message to the state's wrestling competition.

Dameron, who would like to better last season's fifth place finish in the state meet, let them know in a big way capturing first place at the Bedford In vitational Saturday in the 126-pound di-

Salem, finishing behind Temperance Bedford and Eaton Rapids, took third overall against some of the state's ton prep wrestling squads. The Rocks, with 1441/2 points, occupied one of the top three spots. First-place Bedford had 2091/2 and runner-up Eaton Rapids



Dave Dameron helped Salem to a third place finish at Bedford with three wins.

wrestling

Dameron, who won three matches en route to first place, was also voted the tourney's "outstanding wrestler."

THIS TOURNAMENT is an indication," said Salem coach Ron Krueger. "If you do well there, you're going to do

For Dameron, that means going for No. 1 in his weight class in the state. Saturday, he pinned Monroe Catholic Central's Ed Vogel in 1:17, beat Larry Manz of Temperance Bedford in a 19-8 decision and routed Bob Lee of Portage Central 21-8 in the finals.

Dave's brother, Dennis, was one of three Salem grapplers with third-place finishes. Fred Calma (105), with three pins, and Richard Johnson (heavyweight) were the others.

Other scorers for Salem included Chris Rye (167), fourth; Brian Johnson (198), fourth; Todd Bourlier (98), fifth; Kevin Freeman (132), fifth; and Tim Ott (119), sixth.

"THAT WAS the cream of the crop," id Krueger about the competition "They did really well."

The Rocks, with a recent 62-11 romp over Northville, are unbeaten in dual meets at 2-0. Bourlier (98), Calma (105), Ott (112), Dennis (119) and Dave Dameron (126), Freeman (132), Kirk Rentz (138), Eric Schnackel (145), James Woochuk (185) and Brian Johnson (195) all won by pins in the Northville weet.



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McDonald quits Spartan post

Warking the end of an era, longtime vonia Stevenson girls swim coach ois McDonald announced her retire-

nt this week McDonald, who tentatively plans to retire from teaching in June, coached the highly successful Stevenson girls team for 20 years. She led the Spartans to four runner-up finishes in Class A. the latest being Saturday's state finals n East Lansing

"I don't need first place," McDonald is get the most potential out of kids. I thought this year we tapered down and during the mid-1970s.

McDonald, who also spent seven years coaching the Stevenson boys and the Spartan Aquatic Club, said it was time for a change.

"It's been tough the past couple of years with the parent situation," she said. "I've had it with AAU clubs and parents. I've decided I have other things to do.

McDonald and her husband, John, an English teacher at Churchill High School, have four children, three living in California.

able to see my children more," she said. "And I'm just tired of part-time ed, it won't be forgotten.

pay for full-time work. "People don't know how really I was engrossed in the sport. Some of the people are unaware of my background. I've read and studied. I've done a lot of research. People don't know I've spent

her degree in physical education at Western Michigan University. She later earned a master's degree from Eastern

In 1955 she started a synchronized swim team for the Garden City Parks and Recreation Department, serving 12 years as coach.

She then became the head swim coach at Stevenson in 1966.

The Spartans dominated area swimming for nearly two decades, capturing numerous Inter-Lakes and Western Lakes league titles. She produced sev said. "The most important thing to me eral state individual champions including Carol Eggers, who won eight titles

> IN 1979, she became the first woman to win the Matt Mann Award, a statewide honor for service. McDonald has also been nominated in 1985 for Coachof-the-Year by the National High School Athletic Coaches Association. McDonald is also certified teacher in

cardiopulmonary resuscitation and wa-"I'm going to teath swimming to adults," she said. "That's what I really

enjoy. And I'm going to work with the "WE LOVE TO TRAVEL and I'll be over to Vic Tanny now and exercise." Although the McDonald era has end-

among the leading candidates mentioned are former Stevenson swimmer Doug Buckler and former Clarenceville four hours every weekend planning and Farmington coach Greg Phill. Former Bentley coach Keith Wright is also



O&E night at Bowen Fieldhouse

When you scour the rosters of Observer & Eccentric-area boys basket ball teams this season, it might be difficult to find many Division I college

If that depresses you, Saturday's Eastern Michigan University-University of Detroit basketball game would we been good medicine.

On the Bowen Field House floor that were nine former O&E-area standouts - some making more of an impact than others, but all Division I talents nevertheless.

The home team Hurons started three former All-Area players: Mike McCaskill from Southfield, Lewis Scott from Redford Bishop Borgess and Paul Grazulis from Westland John Glenn. Off the EMU bench came Phil Graczyk from Livonia Bentley and Ray Kelser from Southfield. On the EMU bench were Stan Heath from Redford Catholic Central and Howard Flowers from Wavne Memorial.

THE TITANS, who won the game 63-59, started a pair of CC grads in Greg Wendt and John McIntyre.

A surprise 10th area player made an appearance in the game's box score. Ron Wendt - brother of Greg and a tight end on the EMU football team -

box score in place of his brother

spectators' point of view, this matchup alone was worth the price of admission Both play the game in a similar style: They are relatively small forwards who play well inside. Both are strong. physical players with a great deal of nesse around the basket.

game. "He plays real hard and he's a good competitor. You can't back down. He likes to play physical, and I think I can bang it up with anyone inside." THE TWO went after each other

advantage, controlled McCaskill on this night. While Wendt scored 13 points, one field goal was scored while Wendt was guarding him. McCaskill didn't get off a shot in the first half.

the keys to the Titan victory.

plays a better all-around game

hard. Wendt, with his two-inch height McCaskill was limited to nine - only

Wendt hit six of 12 shots from the

Johnson **OU** win

After 16 minutes playing time, Oakland Iniversity's mens basket ball team had a two-point ead to show for its efforts Saturday at Illinois Institute of Technology. Johnny

changed all that. The freshman guard from Detroit Southwest ern ignited OU on a 15-7 streak to close out the first half, taking the Pioneers from a narrow 24-22 lead to a 41-31 halftime bulge. No further incentive was needed; IIT got no closer than seven the remainder of the game as OU pulled away to a 79-60 triumph. The victory evened the

Pioneers' record at 3-3. IIT fell to 3-7. Johnson came off the bench to notch six points and seven assists in the first half, including the Pioneers' final two baskets prior to the intermission that boosted them to a 10-point advantage

THERE WAS plenty of scored eight points or better, led by Pete Schihl's six-of-seven floor shooting and 15 points. Schihl, a sophomore, also topped OU in rebounding with nine.

points and nine assists.

The Pioneers host Northeastern Illinois Friday and Orchard Lake St. Mary's Saturday at the Lepley Sports Center. It was O&E night in Ypsilanti. Here some of the highlights: • Wendt vs. McCaskill. From a

I played against him last year. He's a good player," Wendt said after the

game offensively. When he shoots 50 percent or better from the field he

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the offense. Mac didn't trigger a shot in

In fact Wendt's defense was one o

"Greg did a good job," U-D coach Don Sicko said. "He played a better

Lois McDonald is stepping down after 20 years of coaching at

Livonia Stevenson High School. She is one of the state's winning-

coach Mike Fusco was seated in the starting lineup. Grazulis played only nine minutes first row of the north end zone seats against U-D and contributed one reright behind the basket. He got a bird-

ance from one of his former players. Scott drained seven of 11 shots from the floor and led all scorers with 16 points. He also grabbed four rebounds (he's a guard) and dished out two as-

sists. He didn't slough off on the defen-

sive end either. He completely took U-

D sharpshooter John McIntyre out of

'craft romps

Schoolcraft College romped to its fourth straight

women's basketball victory Monday night at home,

The Lady Ocelots, capitalizing on a full-court

Kim Chandler was one of four Schoolcraft play

ers in double figures, notching 22 points. She was

followed by teammates Lori Abbass (18), Sue Lubbe

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He accumulated his numbers in two brilliant first-half flurries. With 12:52 remaining in the half, Graczyk powered his way to the hoop, making the layup and getting fouled. He missed the free throw.

Archie Tullos most of the second half. • GRAZULIS-GRACZYK. One man's ceiling is another man's floor. he scored off an offensive rebound. Judging from the post game talk of "We got a great performance off the EMU coach Jim Boyce, Phil Graczyk bench from Phil Graczyk," Boyce said

bound, one assist and one steal - no Graczyk saw 17 minutes of court time, his first time of the season. He responded with four points, two assists

and some aggressive defense.

Then, with 11:30 left, he hit Chuck King with a pretty pass for two. Later,

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the 100 backstroke behind Pioneer's Stephanie Liebner, who set a state record with a time of 57.44. Sudek's Led by California transplant Jenifer Jackson, a sophomore who captime was 58.67 and teammate Bol inger, a junior, was fourth in 1:00.86. tured the 200 and 500 freestyle Sullivan took sixth in 1:01.86. Mercy's events, Pioneer scored a 170 points to Roberta Orr and Suzie Knipper tool outdistance Stevenson and Andover, ninth and 10th, respectively

second in the butterfly.

Spartans 2nd

at state meet

"There was a lot of talent in the Pioneer's Yvonne Grierson edged the

state this year, but I-always aim for Stevenson swimmer by 22-100ths of a

Livonia Stevenson came away with

a state title in the 400-yard freestyle

relay, but the Spartans settled for a

second place tie with defending

champ Bloomfield Hills Lahser at the

Class A girls swim meet, won by Ann

Arbor Pioneer Saturday at Michigan

It was the fourth time Stevenson

had finished second under the coach

ing of Lois McDonald, who announced

r retirement on Monday. (See relat-

the top," said McDonald, the Spar-

tans' head coach for 20 years. "You do

"We knew Ann Arbor Pioneer had

both the numbers and the quality

swimmers. We just wanted to make

them earn everything they wanted.

STEVENSON was among several

The girls knew ahead of time that

ey'd be there," McDonald said. "But

"We've never had a history of being

over the years in the (200) medley

body expected us to look that good.

good in the 400 relay. We've been bet-

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ishing second behind Jackson in the 200 freestyle and fourth behind Jack which scored in the meet. North son in the 500 freestyle. Farmington took ninth place with 48

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nbers and the

Sudek finished third in the 200 IM

and Churchill freshman Audra Martin

was fifth in the same event, while

North's Cindy Cramer took sixth.

points and Westland John Glenn. NORTH'S JENNIFER ROWE, Livonia Churchill, Plymouth Canton meanwhile, clocked a 5:03.86 in the and Plymouth Salem also scored. An-500, good enough for third. Also from other Observerland school, Farming-Observerland, Mercy's Jennifer Morton Hills Mercy, also figured in the ton placed sixth and Glenn's Kare Taylor finished eighth Stevenson's lone first place finish

ame in the 400 freestyle relay as Observerland was also well repre Ann Bollinger, Sherrie Sudek, Sheila sented in the 100 breaststroke as Mar Taormina and Michele McKenzie tin took third, Cramer fourth, and were clocked in 3:33.12, breaking the Plymouth Canton's Julie Cox 10th. state mark of 3:33.95 held by Andove

> Other Observerland swimmer scoring points at the state meet included Rowe, ninth; Morton, 10th; and Taylor, 14th - 200 freestyle; Sulli van, 11th, 200 IM; Bollinger, 10th, 50 freestyle, and Jamie Koester (Glenn), 11th, diving.

Several Stevenson swimmers irned in championship-like perfor- Farmington's quartet of Cindy and mances, including Taormina, a junior Marge Cramer, Liz Worthen and Amy who was second in the 200 individua medley (2:07.49) and 100 butterfly area. Churchill was 13th.

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'(Andy Flower, left) is quite a talent. He's got a real shot at the state title this year and he could get All-American.

- Hooker Wellman Canton swim coach

The old, new in CEP pool

staff writer

The Observerland boys swim season will officially begin Saturday with the fourth annual Western Lakes Activities Association Relays at Plymouth Salem.

A senior, Sudek finished second in Last season, both the WLAA relays and conference meet were won by Livonia Stevenson. The consensus among coaches is that Stevenson should repeat both feats this season, even though the league has been strengthened with the additions of North Farmington, Westland John

Glenn and Livonia Franklin. "Livonia Stevenson was a very good team last year, and I think they are better this year," said Salem swim coach Chuck Olson.

As for the two Centennial Educational Park teams: It will be the veteran vs. the rookie. Plymouth Canton, coached by Hooker Wellman, has a team dominated by

underclassmen - promising but as of yet unproven. Salem is a team dominated by seniors and juniors — swimmers and divers who, for the most part, have served apprenticeships under older.

now-graduated performers. Here's a pre-season glimpse of the

PLYMOUTH SALEM

The Rocks graduated a good deal of talent, namely Greg Wolff, Jim Burns, Mike Harwood, Jon Cain, Jim Hayes and Jay Schmidt. But Olson returns 12 seniors who are

expected to help and a pair of juniors who are three-year performers for the Tony Atwell (butterfly, individual medley), Rick Cummings (breaststroke, IM) and Jamie Dunn (butterfly and

backstroke) will captain the team. Other senior letter winners include Eric Gackenbach (breaststroke), Bill Tervo (butterfly), Mark South (backstroke, breaststroke, freestyle) and divers Bob Longridge and Rick

Kreuscher. Considerable contributions will be expected from juniors Don Harwood (backstroke, IM) and Kevin Zarow (sprint freestyle), as well as from sophomores Mark Dunn (backstroke) and Geoff Taylor (breaststroke).

"I'm pleased with this team," Olson said. "We have a lot of experience. But then I look at the competition - just like in the girls season. I thought we had a nice girls team but we couldn't swim with the Stevensons and the North Farmingtons and the John

Olson's biggest concern is with his "We could be in big trouble," he said. Levesque and Mike Helmstadter "We have some big shoes to fill there

good memories." style events include seniors Jeff Ander- area's elite.

CC tankers win big,

Dearborn Heights Crestwood 59-24 Tuesday in a boys dual swim meet. The Shamrocks totaled eight first

to their second-straight dual meet win of the season. Alex Afsari was an individual double winner for CC with firsts in the 200-yard freestyle and the 500yard freestyle. He won the 200 free in 1:56.3 and the 500 free in 5:19.7.

mott for a first-place time of 3:27.1. Individually, Kovach won the 100-

rocks included McDermott, 200-yard individual medley, 2:12.3; Eric Forton places, including both relays, en route 50-yard freestyle, 23.8; Jim Voorheis, diving, 182.8; Dan Cetnar, 100-yard but terfly, 1:03.4; and Surowiec, 100-yard breaststroke, 1:03.4.

Andy Flower, who was third in the state last season in diving, took first 200-yard medley event in 1:42.6. In the against the Tigers with a score of

OCC stays unbeaten

defensive play of Darrel Darling.

son, Paul South, Dan Bertel and Mike

swimming

Olson got a couple surprise move-in additions to the team. Junior Phil Bocketti from New York has shown promise in all strokes, as has sophomore Brian Barbee from Taylor.

"We'll be a different type of team this year," Olson said. "In the past we've had some real tough freestylers, but we've been thin in the breaststroke and in the butterfly. This year, I'm nore than a little concerned about the reestyle. That's an awful lot of points and the teams around the area are strong in those events."

Still, expect Salem to be in the thick of both the Lakes Division and confer

PLYMOUTH CANTON

Amidst a pool full of underclassmen stands a legitimate candidate for state champion and All-American honors. Andy Flower won the Western Lakes diving championship as a junior last year and placed third at the state meet

"He's quite a talent," Wellman said "He's got a real shot at the state title this year and he could get All-Ameri-Flower, though, is just one of three seniors on the Canton team Breaststroke swimmers Rob Tiplady

and Jeff Feirefeil will join Flower as the Chief tri-captains. "We have 37 kids out this year which is the most I've ever had at Canton, Wellman said. "We're young, but think we're going to be all right. We should finish around sixth or seventh in the league and probably under .500 in

were last year." Sixth or seventh in the league? "It's a tough league. You can't judge the success of your season on how you do in the league," Wellman said. "We'll judge ourselves on how we improve our times and how much effort we put in We'll push for positive results.'

the dual meets. We're better than we

Wellman has a host of talented junior and senior swimmers. Among them are juniors Dean Roberts (backstroke, IM), Steve Schwinn (distance freestyle Frank Wisniewski (sprint freestyle) Scott Cratty (butterfly) and Jim Walker (sprint freestyle); sophomores Mike Lustig (sprints), Mickey Adamczak (breaststroke) and Jim Reimenschneid er (all strokes).

Wellman is also encouraged by group of eight freshmen, led by Scott Jeff Homann. Wellman may be realistic by predict

(Wolff, Cain). But the kids have seen ing a middle-of-the-pack finish for his how it's done. I just hope they have Chiefs this season. But two or three years down the road, perhaps even nex Those being counted upon in the free- season, Canton could be among the

Belleville tips Chiefs

John Kovach netted three wins in the meet but two came in relay action. Ko- league dual meet. vach, along with Jim Surowiec, Sean McDermott and Jon Teal captured the 400-yard freestyle relay, he teamed with Matt Hepburn, Teal and McDer-

PLYMOUTH CANTON'S team captured just three events in a 53-30 set back to Belleville Tuesday in a non

ed by Steve Schwinn in the 500-yard freestyle (5:24.93) and Dean Roberts in

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ean fighting machine. But even future Lou Ferrignos and Hulk Hogans have to exercise caution when starting up an exercise program and purchasing equipment

"Health awareness is on everyone who owns York Weight Lifting equip ment in Southfield. "People are either exercising) or know they should be

McCOY, WHO was born and raised in Redford and lives in Farmington. was one of the first to establish an exercise equipment specialty store in the Midwest in 1964. Before, sporting goods and magazines were the main

itlets for fitness supplies. Some of McCoy's customers have ncluded Chrysler president Lee Iacocca, Detroit Tigers Lance Parr

Business has been good recently out being a pioneer had its draw-

"I was ahead of my time," McCoy aid. "I almost starved to death." Now it's some of his customers who tarve themselves in order to get into shape. The equipment they use in-

hines, treadmills and weights. The equipment on the market comes in various sizes, shapes and selling prices. The key is finding the right type of exercise equipment which is of good quality and within a

cludes exercise bicycles, rowing ma-

For every piece of the equipment which falls into that category, there is some on the market which is ill-contructed and, at times, dangerous

IT'S SUGGESTED a person should check any exercise equipment they might be buying for sturdiness while n the store. Never buy anything from City physician, is an advocate of mul-

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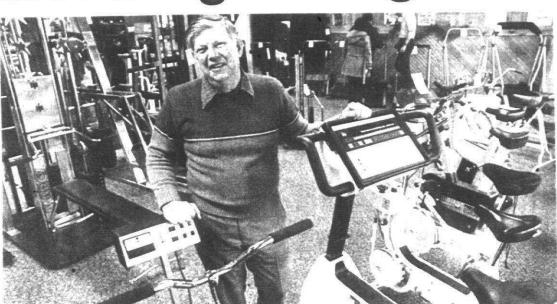
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Proprietors Association will open its

shrine Feb. 9 to induct the 1985 class

the top teams from these areas at the

close of the season.



Culver "Mac" McCoy, one of the first business- stands amidst some bikes and weight machines men in the Midwest to sell fitness equipment,

at his Southfield store

"The biggest factor is if they should have a breakdown is do they have the facilities and desire to repair it

McCoy said This is especially important in buy ing any type of weight equipment.
"It's important to find a good quali ly bar," suggested Bob Hilt, a salesman at York "Select someone who is

reputable and knowledgable. There are two types of free weights. One is the standard-type which has a one-inch bar. The Olym c model, which also has a one-inch bar, has a two-inch end support for the weights. The latter is used especially for Olympic-style weightlifting Prices for free weights range from

\$70 for a 110-pound starter set to \$250 for a 400-pound set. Benches, which come in variou styles, can cost anywhere from \$110 to \$300. There are several types suited for different exercises for abdomial, leg work, butterflies, along with

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"You want to do a combination of things," Schildberg said. "Do flexibility exercises first and then (lift) 50 ercent of your body weight in all

Schildberg suggests, especially to ounger persons, avoid doing too much too soon when it comes to weightlighting, taking on a small workload and increasing in time. And, for that matter, use caution when

starting all forms of exercise. "You have to think of exercise as a medicine," he said, "You don't take 75

TO FULFILL the need of both aerobic and anaerobic exercise Schildberg recommends an exercise bike to go along with the weightlifting regiment. Exercise bikes, which can range anywhere from \$169 for the ld style" model with a spoked wheel to \$3,000 for electronic-powered machines, can be used to increase the

A person can set a maximum tar get heart rate by subtracting their age from 220. For beginners, it's suggested 70 percent of that figure should be used for the initial training

Resistance, according to Hilt, is a key factor is selecting a bike

The committee is now studying can- Meanwhile, Jan Elliott rolled a 247 en 707 series in the top house league

didates and will announce the inductees route to a 628 series in the women's Meanwhile, John Reed scored a 278 for

more areobic is becomes," said Hilt. Rowers and treadmills also offe ample opportunity for conditioning Rowers, which cost between \$229 to \$330, are popular because of price. size and the type of strenuous ex

ercise offered It's important to check the quality of the materials of a rower. Some ma chines have arms made of thin metal

Treadmills, which range from \$300 to \$5,000, come in two styles, manual winter because it allows a person to walk or run indoors, avoiding the ele

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200 individual medley: 7. Amy Bush (Andover), 2:11.21; 8 Sarah Hoisington (Seaholm), 2:14.01; 9. Allissa Gowing (Groves), 2:15.48, 10. Jackie Wiersma (East Kentwood), 2:15.60, 11. Kathy Sullivan (Stevenson), 2:15.73, 12. Stacey Dahlmann (Pioneer), 2:16.00.

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roughs (Pioneer), 54.37; 9. Kerry Leavoy (Warren Lincoln) 55.00, 10. Lisa Cash (Groves), 55.11, 11. Jackie Wiersma (Eas Kentwood), 55.12; 12. Katie Young (G.P. North), 55.31. 1 Taylor (John Glenn), 5.16.69; 9. Jenny McNiven (Dear 5.16.70; 10. Steph Perrett (Pioneer), 5.17.67; 11. Eliza

Chrissy Beeler (Groves), 1.03.03; 9. Roberta Orr (Mercy), 1.03.55; 10. Suzie Knipper (Mercy), 1.03.75; 11. Ann Burke (Rochester), 1.03.65; 12. Val. Stonehouse (Lansing Eastern).

100 breaststroke: 7. Lauren Schoenherr (Seaholm), no times available: 8. Patty Kosinski (Lansing Eastern), 9. Julie Cox. (Can-ton), 10. Jill Roddin (Woodhaven), 11. Jenny Steiner (Portage Central) 12 Jenny Olewsinski (Regina) 400 treestyle relay: [7 East Kentwood, 3:43.34, 8 Westland John Glenn, 3:46.23, 9 East Lansing, 3:47.00, 10 North Farming-ton, 3:47.43, 11, Ann Arbor, Huron, 3:48.40, 12 Plymouth Salem, 3:49.29

Kathy Sullivan (Stevenson Marge Cramer (N. Farm)

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Suzie Knipper (Mercy)
Kendra James (Churchill)
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Plymouth Salem
Westland John Glenn
North Farmington
Farmington Hills Mercy

5:16.9 North Farmington 5:17.5 Farmington Hills I 5:20.0 s-state record

Roberta Orr (Mercy)

unbeaten in prep hockey, turning back Fraser 8-6 Saturday in a high-scoring CC had to rally from a one-goal defi-

Chris Tancill (Fal) Kevin Alexander (Eng Mike LaLonde (Fal)

T Pts E.J. Sauer (Eng)
Paul Mitter (Eng)
2 22 Jeff Green (Fal)

Barnes' 4 goals lifts CC;

Churchill trips Lakeland

"We make a lot of mistakes on de- Livonia Churchill also remained unbeaten fense," CC coach John Gumbleton said.
"But I knew it would happen early in Saturday at Milford Lakeland.

riod to break a 2-2 tie. Walt Bartels scored the game-winner, breaking a 6-6 tie in the third from Bill Dorough. Junior Sean Grace then put the game out of reach with his second goal of the night from Russ Baumann. Goalie Sean Foran, who blanked the Eaperiod. He also contributed two assists along with teammate Lee Ziegler. The big man for CC was Pete

Barnes, who scored four times. Ted Mi-Churchill, which trailed 1-0 after one peri loch, Chris Hojnicki and Bill Baffey rounded out the Shamrocks' scoring. "We weren't forechecking, and I've seen our goalie better," said Gumbleton. "It's going to take awhile."

The Chargers scored twice in the final pe this year. We're young and inexperi-

gles in the final period, made 22 saves.

Thaxton from Don Hassan; and Grace from Doug Thaxton and Dennis Kohelmainen.
"We played well coming off of Friday's win over Franklin," said Churchill coach Rudy Varvari. "We were emotionally

3-0 record. drained, but it was a big win for us going CHURCHILL 4, LAKELAND 2: Churchill is 4-0 overall. Goods NURSERY INC. Poinsettias Potted Douglas Firs 🕏 Stuffed Bears 👺 Grapevine Baskets Boxwood & Decorated Wreaths

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ALL-WESTERN DIVISION: Tracy Greenwald, ivonia Churchill; Amy Weber, Livonia Churchill; Beth Frigge, Plymouth Canton; Laura Darby,

Plymouth Canton; Sue Schrader, Northville.

strikes with teams from Toledo, Cleveland and Chicago. Now they have hopes of rescheduling the top teams from these areas at the close of the season. women have posted 24 games above 600. HALL OF FAME: The Bowling Proprietors Asso-

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MERRI-BOWL: Wolf Dickson rolled the top sin-

gle game of the week in the Golden Eagles circuit.

247 en route to a 628 series in the women's doubles.

BEL-AIRE: Ken Hucuiak joined the 700 club when he found the range for a 707 series in the top

house league. Meanwhile, John Reed scored a 278

e tallied a 279. Meanwhile, Jan Elliott rolled a

next with a 235 and Lawrence Allen rolled á 233. WESTLAND BOWL: There was a roar for high

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

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Saturday, Dec. 14
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at Livonia's Edgar Arena, 6 p.m

ahead of Shirl Williamson. GARDEN LANES: Charles Hannon had a 683 series to top the Pin Spillers for the week. In the high game competition, Bill Albertson showed the way with a 289. Paul Rowe then tied Albertson in the Vinco circuit.

WOODLAND: Kirk Donnelly gained top honors in the Midnighteers loop with a 270. In the All State ladies league, Laurie Sexton took honors with a 242. In the Ford LTP circuit, Del Hamilton was high with a 256, while Dave Woolford was best in the parts department with a 277 in 710.







Entertainment



young team That's my job as hursday, December 12, 1985 O&E

Other teams to watch

Stephanie Knapp, sophomore, Molly Heather Greit, senior, Theresa Spisz

Lubieniecki's outlook for season, sophomore Heather Willer, sophomore

right now. We have to develop that a lot of scrappiness. Right now. I'm km

won't say that we are a young there won't be anyone shorter than 5-8

STATE OF MICHIGAN

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF WAYNE

LEGAL NOTICE

RE: HELENA ADCOCK, et al. v. THRIFTY STATIONS,

TO ALL PERSONS WHO PURCHASED GASO-

LINE DURING MARCH 1984 FROM THRIFTY

STATIONS, INC., STATION LOCATED AT PLYM-

OUTH AND LEVAN ROADS, LIVONIA, MICHI-

GAN AND WHOSE VEHICLES SUBSEQUENTLY

SUSTAINED FUEL SYSTEM DAMAGE AND/OR

INTERNAL ENGINE DAMAGE AS A RESULT OF

TAINTED, ADULTERATED, IMPURE AND/OR

There is now pending in this Court a class action for money damages for alleged

negligence, with respect to the purchases of gasoline at a Thrifty Gas Station, also known as a Union 76 Station, in March, 1984. This civil action is brought as a class

action on behalf of the class as defined in bold type above and whose representatives

tion of the Consumers Protection Act, negligence, willful, wanton and/or gross

of costs and award of attorneys' fees on behalf of the named Plaintiffs and the

Plaintiffs HELENA ADCOCK and ROBERT SHERWOOD on behalf of

themselves and all others buying and using gas from Defendant, THRIFTY STATION located at Levan and Plymouth Roads in Wayne

County, Michigan, in March of 1984, whose vehicles subsequently sus-

tained fuel system damage and/or internal engine damage as a result

The Defendants have denied the allegations of the Complaint and have denied all

1. If you bought and used gas from THRIFTY STATION located at Levan and

lymouth Roads in Wayne County, Michigan, in MARCH of 1984, and your vehicle ibsequently sustained fuel system damage and/or internal engine damage as a

sult of tainted, adulterated, impure or contaminated gasoline, you will be include

2. If you remain a member of the class, you will be bound by the judgment whether avorable or unfavorable, but if there is a recovery, you will be entitled to share

the proceeds less Plaintiffs' costs, expenses and attorneys' fees which the Court may allow, to be reimbursed out of any such recovery, provided you file your claim (see

nformation below), and it is approved. You will not be responsible for any Court

3. If you do not elect to be excluded from the Class of Plaintiff, as a class member

you will be represented by the attorneys acting on behalf of the class. To obtain a

proof of claim form, you must contact the attorneys for the Plaintiff class, as identified at the end of this Notice, by December 15, 1985. You may, but need not, enter an

appearance through your own counsel if you desire, and you have all the rights set

forth in MCR 3.501. Entry of appearance by your counsel must be made by December

EXCLUSION FROM THE CLASS

4. If you elect to be excluded from the Class of Plaintiffs, you will not be bound by

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form headed "Request for Exclusion" attached to this Notice

Paul W. Hines

Attorneys-at-Law

& SCHWARTZ, P.C.

26555 Evergreen Road

laims based on the allegations of the Complaint.

at the address listed hereinabove

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DANIEL P. MAKARSKI (P 17008

Attorney for Defendant, Corde

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Attorney for Plaintiffs 1800 Travelers Tower

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League: Western Lakes, Western De

Last year's finish: Second in division

Starters lost to graduation: Collet

Returning players: Jennifer Hughe

Shortt's outlook for season: "Lan

year, we played with a lot of hustle a

of looking for that. We are a tall tean

When we rotate across the front

na Raddatz, senior, Kristi Rugh i

NORTH FARMINGTON

League: Western Lakes, Lakes Divi-

Last year's finish: 29-9, runners-up

defunct Northwest Suburban League

Starters lost to graduation. Patti

Kozicki (Ali-Area). Donna Konjarevich.

Julie Pistol, Suzette Greenberg, Brooks

Promising newcomers: Suzi Butch-

amasan junior Eriti Etis, sophomore

r sophomore Carrie Lee sophomore

"We have a lot of individual talent, but

gether as a team. That's my main con-

chemistry that you need in volleyball

Talamin senior, Tammy

Coach: Sandy Lubier eckl

Light and bright: 'Ornaments' laser show is more colorful this year

olled," he said.

tion and intensity." Every color is

available, including aquas, pinks,

violets and shades of yellow and

Also, new optional systems manip-

"Ornaments" show opened,

ulate the beam. "It's all digitally con-

tute of Science offered the laser-light show "Ornaments" for the holiday sea-

Another plus is better animation. Frosty the Snowman, for example. "It became an instant tradition, said Laser Coordinator Mel Drumm, "This year his hands and arms move," who also put together this year's even nore spectacular "Ornaments" show. Drumm said. In the planetarium a few days be-What makes a difference is the new system that has been installed in the Drumm and Raymond Bullock, coormuseum's Planetarium. "I spent 300 dinator of astronomy, presented a mihours programming the show for the

old system," Drumm said. "This time nipreview of what would be in the I spent probably another 100 hours to oliday presentation. onvert and perfect it." Colorful ornaments are among the geometric or kaleidoscopic images Cranbrook's state-of-the-art equipviewers see, and there are also ment has the power of an outdoor aser projector. For the indoor shows, representational figures, such as a images are projected onto the planehorse or a boy.

DRUMM WANTS to give credit to tarium's 30-foot dome. Describing the system, Drumm artist Doug Goudie, who did the representational graphics for "Ornasaid, "The new one is bigger than anything you'll find in large planetariments" and for "Lasera: Rocking in ums. It can fill the entire dome with Space." Cranbrook's first laser light show using the new equipment, which HE EXPLAINED, "We don't have

ran during November. He said the entire laser light show ne clearance and equipment to do all program is operated with just two staff members and two volunteers who act as technicians. He singled out technician Dan Pinkos for praise

Watching "Ornaments" should put anyone in a festive mood. Said could only offer images in red, blue, Drumm, "It's real pretty, happy green and yellow, the laser light upbeat. It has music. You can sing

Dinner

failed completely."

and "White Christmas."

and 30-31.

"Ornaments," children as

oung as 3 years of age will be admit-

ted to the planetarium. Showings are

said. "The second week in July it

at 3:45 pm. Saturdays and Sundays

um's attendance dropped off 92 per cent on Friday nights and 75 percent on Saturdays. Drumm explained that

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as he projects images on the dome of the Crannaments." The holiday family show continues tor in the couuntry.



Laser coordinator Mel Drumm looks ceilingward

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A proposal for new equipment at \$62,000 - about the cost of the original investment - was taken by the director to the board of governors. In the meantime, with laser shows temporarily discontinued, the muse-

Bloomfield Hills. Cranbrook's new laser system brook Planetarium for the laser-light show "Or- is said to have the most powerful indoor projec-

King's Singers to give concert

holiday concert at 4 p.m. Sunday. Michigan Vocal Jazz Society and the Wayne State University Men's Glee

that " so at present only the top of the

ceiling is being used. During a per-

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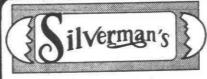
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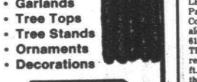
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Salem will open its season Saturday the Henry Ford Invitational Tournanent. Canton's season won't officially pen until Wednesday, Jan. 8. Here's a composite look at the two

PLYMOUTH SALEM

Coach: Betty Smith Brian Gilles, as-

Players lost to graduation. Reggie oleski, Sue Carlson, Tracy Greenalge, Patty Maslak, Fran Whittaker.

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senior, Maggie Meissner, senior, Karen

Marciniak, senior, Denice Tackett, jun-

Handley, junior, Julie Tortora, senior,

Jane Klaes, junior, Sarah Dupret, junior

Promising newcomers: Jessica

"This year everybody knows where

Returning players: Diana Knickerbocker, senior, Laura Darby, senior, Promising newcomers: Stephanie tior, Vicky Minar, junior,

League: Western Lakes, Western (

Kelly McUmber, sophomore, Danielle Riggs' outlook for season: "Last pretty close. The end result in a lot of

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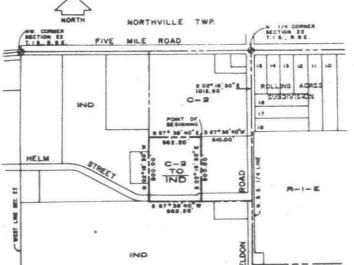
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PLÁNNING COMMISSION TO REZONE FROM: DATE OF HEARING

TIME OF HEARING:

C-2 (General Commercial District) IND (Industrial District) Wednesday, December 18, 1985

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township Plymouth has received a petition to rezone the following described property from -2 (General Commercial District) to IND. (Industrial District). Application No. 742.



Part of the Northwest ¼ of Section 22, T.I.S., R.S.E., Plymouth Township, Wayne County, Michigan described as beginning at a point distant S. 02° 18' 30" E. 1021.90 ft. along the North-South ¼ line (centerline of Sheldon Road) and S. 87° 38' 40" W.

CLINTON STROEBEL, Secretary

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e described in more detail below: This notice is being sent and published in the belief that there are consumers who nay be a member of the class whose rights may be affected by this litigation.

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is to what steps to take in relation to this litigation.

The Complaint filed in this action seeks money damages together with reimburseclass of Plaintiffs respectively (described below), of whom they are representatives. damage assertedly caused by sale of adulterated, contaminated and/or otherwise 522-4944

The Court has designated the Plaintiffs as class representatives and the class of whose behalf these actions are being maintained are as follows:

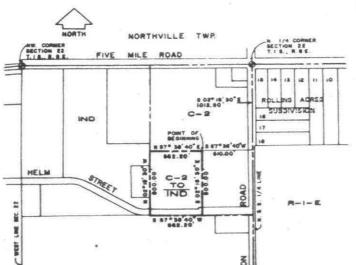
NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the proposed amendment to the map as printed may be examined at the Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, during regular business hours, until the date of the public hearing on December 18, 1985. At the public hearing the Planning Commission may recommend rezoning of the petitioners premises to any use allowable under the provisions of the Plymouth Township Zoning Ordinance No. 83.

Planning Commissio

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things to do

CASTING CALL

Livonia-Redford production of "Ex- • ARTS SHOWCASE tremities" will be held at 2 p.m. Sun- The 1986 Performing Arts Show day, Dec. 15, and 7:30 p.m. Monday, case, presented by the Livonia Arts Dec. 16. at the theater in Redford. Commission, will lead off, in Series A. For further information, call 425- with the Red Garter Band at 3:30 p.m.

Donna Nezwazky of Livonia plays Davey Singers, Feb. 23, and the Ma he title role in "Peter Pan," present- comber's Snappy Sons and ed through Sunday, Dec. 29, by the March 9. Series B includes the St. An-Marquis Theatre in Northville. drews Pipe Band, March 23; Hip-Nezwasky has been dancing and ap- Squeak Puppets, pearing in shows since the age of 4. Folk Duo, Apr where she has appeared in many pro-ductions. She also taught dancing in Years of Music," May 18. All perfor-Italy for one year. Performances continue at 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Dec. 15; 8 and p.m. Sundays, Dec. 15; 8 Auditorium. Tickets are \$3. Season p.m. Friday-Saturday, Dec. 27-28, and tickets for series A or B are \$12. For

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CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The Performing Arts Department of Henry Ford Community College Jim Henson's Muppet gang will apwill present "The Sounds of Christmas," a free concert featuring the 2nd Edition," opening Thursday, Dec HFCC Concert Choir, Model T's Show 26, at Cobo Arena in Detroit. Eleven Choir and the Wind and Jazz Ensembles at 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15, in the Adray Auditorium of the MacKenzie and \$6.50 for general admission. Chil Fine Arts Center, on campus in Dear- dren under 12 receive a \$1 discount at born. Among the performers is Sarah all performances. For general infor

and Jackie Eastman of Canton

Jan. 12; Cavalcade of Magic, Jan. 26 M.O.T. Presents Jerome Kern's "Songs of the '20s," Feb. 9; Max he attends Wayne State University, and His Orchestra, May 4, and the 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 29. Tickets at further information, call 421-2000.

BOOTLEGGERS TOO

Radio station WLLZ (98.7 FM) and Bootleggers Too in Westland are ac-Randy Bizer, singer-guitarist, is cepting canned goods as admission to performing through Feb. 1 at the the club every Monday in December. Crow's Nest Lounge in the Mayflower All patrons will be admitted to the Hotel in Plymouth. He performs from club in exchange for at least two cans 8:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Fridays-Satur- of food. All donated food will go to the days. For further information, call Southeastern Michigan Food Coali-

Kermit, Miss Piggy and the rest of pear in "The Muppet Show on Tour performances will be offered through Monday, Dec. 30. Tickets are \$8.50 O'Kray of Westland; Bill Hlad, Peter mation call 567-6000; to charge tick-Dunn and Cindy Smith, all of Redford, ets by phone call 567-7500.

Laser-light show is a colorful sight

the light show pulls in the crowds, but that visitors are also encouraged to from the start. Presentations are usuvisit the rest of the museum. "They ally sold out, and for long-running have to stay here and look around shows the first four or five months The institute has done renovations on are always sold out, Drumm de

He said the museum's goal, with its laser shows, is to bring young children and families to the institute. It der to do educational programs, for nology. Part of the objective is "to red and the argon blue and green make a lot of money, to help pay the before each show. bills," Drumm said.

here for all people to enjoy. They recognize the name Cranbrook and

removed to house the projector there. Instead, the equipment is largely housed in a room beneath the planet-

Continued from Preceding Page put together the first system and is

the designer of the program.

"BRIGHTNESS and definition of color" are important elements with also wants to install equipment in or- the new laser equipment. There are about 35-40 mirrors in the system, school groups, to see the laser tech- directing two lasers - the krypton

"I have 1,000 hours overtime myself since July," said Drumm, who "PEOPLE ARE starting to realize worked nighttime hours to install and Cranbrook is not a private place. It's program the new equipment. "We all have programs we are responsible for

Formerly a physics technician at Drumm said most laser shows have the museum, Drumm came on to deprojectors in the room with the audi-sign and build the laser project and ence. Cranbrook's planetarium seats was kept on fulltime to run it. He also 83, and 20 seats would have had to be is in charge of all the computers and Physics Hall, and is assistant curator

"It's a fun job. I don't feel as though I'm working," he said. Nevertheless "Just the black tower" is the only because of putting in so many overpart of the laser equipment in the planetarium, he said. "This is the tip a case of the flu just before "Ornaof the iceberg. The rest is in the base- ments" opened, Drumm was planning

California on vacation next week in laser program originated, Drumm California on vacation next week in said that Bullock (coordinator of astronomy) "fought for us in the begin-ning." Cranbrook presented its first laser show as a fund-raiser. Drumm York and Boston, he pointed out.



"Pocketful of Miracles" (1961), 8 p.m. T

This should have been a terrific mov Capra's remake of his "Lady for a Day" h Davis, Thomas Mitchell, Edward Everet and a beautiful Ann-Margret. But except noments, especially from Peter Falk, omes across as a gold-plated phoney. it and blames star Glenn Ford for taking tic control. Then again, maybe the Dan characters didn't work as well as the Christmas cheer rarely seemed so force Rating \$175

"American Graffiti" (1973), 11:30 day on Ch. 9, Originally 110 min ast program on schedule.

This exuberant comedy is the be tionate, most accurate movie about being a teenager in the 1960s. George Lucas never made a better or more personal movie. The characters are representational types but individualized by great performances and directoral touches. The visual impact of this film is stunning, especially the near impact of this film is stunning,

Theater stages 'Little Women

Grosse Pointe Children's Theater will present a hree-act musical version of "Little Women" as a amily holiday package at 11 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

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"I Wanna Hold Your Hand" (1978), 11:30 Wednesday on Ch. 9. Originally 104 min TV time slot: last program on schedule. When the Beatles landed in New York for the Sullivan show in 1964, teen pandemonium

loose. Robert ("Back to the Future") Zeme anyone under 45 is a knockout. Paul LeMat, Richseems to have a good handle on teen-age acti ard Dreyfuss, Charles Martin Smith, Ron Howard and feelings. This movie is fun all the way thro and many others shine. as it follows the adventures of several teens try to meet the Beatles. Will Jordan does his 'Forty Second Street" (1933), 1:30 Tuesday fect Sullivan imitation. This week must be

ght on Ch. 50. Originally 89 minutes. TV time The Hollywood musical is defined by this Dick Powell-Ruby Keeler extravaganza. A Broadway producer (Warner Baxter) is on his last leg, but he wants one more hit musical. But his star gets hurt. Who can take her place? Yes, behind those glasses,

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Bogdan will appear in concert at 4 p.m. Bogdan, who is from Yugoslavia, has

Cast of "Snoopy" includes Andrea McArdle sical based on the "Peanuts" comic strip is rec-(front row, from left), Jeff Alan-Lee, Terry Kirwin, ommended for grownups and for children age 6

ham Theatre production of the musical "Snoopy" continue through Sunday, Jan. 5. For ticket informa

Every dog will have his day, but Snoopy, the irrepressible beagle of the Peanuts" comic strip, gets to star in his own show. "Snoopy," the spirited musical at the Birmingham Theatre, proves that happiness is indeed a warm

still young at heart.

In a series of musical numbers built around very brief sketches, the "Pea-

Exemplifying that message, "Snoopy's Song" protests the tedium of the tion with the hapless Charlie Brown. ld "sit up, roll over, play dead" routine of a dog's life. Mortified when Lucy reminds him that beagles are a "Dime a Dozen," Snoopy is determined to asert his individuality. No matter that his creative writing efforts are callousy rejected by Playbeagle; he persists he is somehow mysteriously named Head Beagle, "The Big Bow-

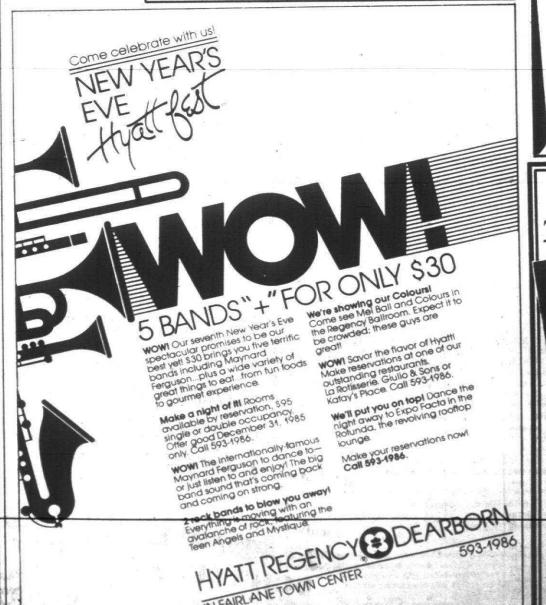
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fection. His expressive face, buoyant Terry Kirwin is a nicely understated delivery and fine singing voice com- Charlie Brown, the perpetual loser who bine to make Elliott a strong stage can't even control his own dog. He is While the show has guaranteed appresence. Dressed all in white, with his subtle but effective in conveying Charpeal for youngsters, the sparkling cast long dark hair suggesting Snoopy's lie's perpetual chagrin. As his little sishas enough charm to captivate anyone droopy ears, Elliott makes it delight- ter Sally, Kathy Andrini combines

fully easy to suspend disbelief. In this very well-balanced cast, An- en curls with solid performing ability. drea McArdle's strong, clear voice still Nancy Beth Falloon is appropriately norously illustrates students' fear of McArdle radiates some of the same Lee wonderfully captures his characteristics. not prepared. "Don't Be Anything Less her renown as the original lead in "An- arrogance and rampant insecurity." Than Everything You Can Be" is a fast-paced number that sums up the show's nie." Her two solo songs are pure plea-sure. "Hurry Up Face" is the lament of Minsk is amusing as Woodstock, Snoo-

baby-doll good looks and a fluff of gold-

tuts" gang sings of some of childhood's dominates any ensemble number. As shrill as the smug, domineering Lucy oys and trials. "Edgar Allen Poe" hu- the tomboyish Peppermint Patty, Playing her brother Linus, Jeff Alaneing called on in class when they are spunk and mischievousness that earned ter's unique combination of intellectual

a girl teased about her big nose, and py's feathered friend whose expressive "Poor Sweet Baby" is a playful flirta- face often provides a commentary on

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mousse pie in meringue crust filled the the meal and petit fours with the check

bill perfectly. The bananas kept the (perhaps to "sweeten" it?). However, at

room is the serving of complimentar

ed 81 Golden Mushroom is a good

Your traveling taster visits area excellent, the service was a bit uneven. GARNISHES - 30 points maxieateries and rates them on a 100-point and it took almost 30 minutes for our scale. Up to 30 points are awarded for bread to arrive. SERVICE-15 No meal is complete without ambiance, which includes general at- points maximum. Points awarded mosphere and service, 55 points for food, and 15 points for price/value ratindicates a restaurant is not recommended; 56-74 points signify from passing to good, 75-89 points designate very good with some extraordinary features.

GOLDEN MUSHROOM, 18100 W. 10 Mile, Southfield (559-4230), is a popular dining spot. The tables, though somewhat crowded, are very attractively appointed. We did encounter a ditty glass and a dirty spoon, but on the whole the restaurant is classy and sty ish. Not so classy, however, was the treatment when we arrived for our 8 p.m. Saturday reservation. We were advised that there would be about a 10minute wait so we went downstairs to the bar area, which was drafty and cold. We were still waiting 35 minutes later when we noticed that another group of four, who had arrived after us, was being seated. We complained and were seated immediately: not a very professional way to handle the reservations and seating of customers. Nevertheless, reservations are a must. GEN-ERAL ATMOSPHERE - 15 points maximum. Points awarded - 10

Our waitress was delightful. She was about the menu items, their preparaable to explain why New Zealand veni-

ly specials and two regular items. Rich mousse from overwhelming the mer. \$80 per couple, we felt the meal should and flavorful, the Golden Mushroom ingue A couple at a nearby table raved have been perfect throughout. PRICE soup is a must. The crab and artichoke over the Mozart walnut brownie cake VALUE - 15 points maximum gratinee, served in a shell, was also with buttercream frosting. While there Points awarded - 12. quite tasty. The two daily specials, at was too much chocolate for our taste, and 90-100 points show that a very special dining experience awaits you. \$8.50\$ and \$9\$ were not appealing. The stone crabs were well presented but $SERT\ AND\ COFFEE\ -10\ points$ points maximum. Total points awardbland. The black and white truffles over angel hair pasta was so creamy that we could hardly taste the truffles The rolls were common and unappeal ing DRINKS, APPETIZERS AND BREAD — 10 points maximum

> A choice of Caesar or garden salad comes with the meal. The Caesar salad had little garlic flavor and no anchovies, but was good nonetheless. Al though the vegetables were fresh and crisp, the dressing on the garden salad was too oily. SALAD - 5 points maximum. Points awarded - 3.

The New Zealand venison, served in port wine sauce, with glazed chestnuts. wild rice, persimmons and apples - a daily special at \$19.95 - was delicious. The tender venison blended perfectly with the garnish complements. The lamb chops at \$21.50, also rich in flavor and cooked just as ordered, were served with an onion chutney, which added nicely to the dish. The most disexceptionally pleasant and informative - appointing dish of the evening was the special red snapper with mushroom tion and origins. When asked, she was sauce at \$19.95. The sauce was too heavy, and the snapper was tough and son was served in place of Michigan too fishy. In contrast, the half Dover (New Zealand is more tender). Al- sole had a delicate, appealing flavor

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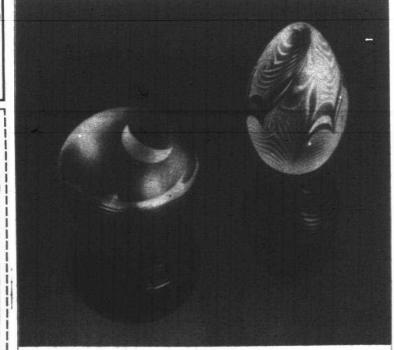


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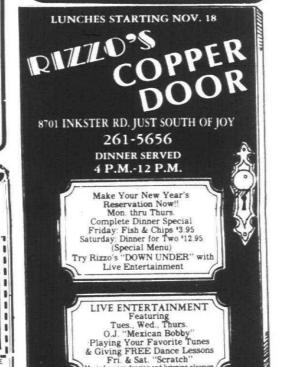
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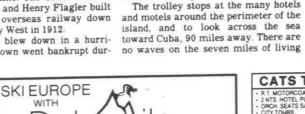
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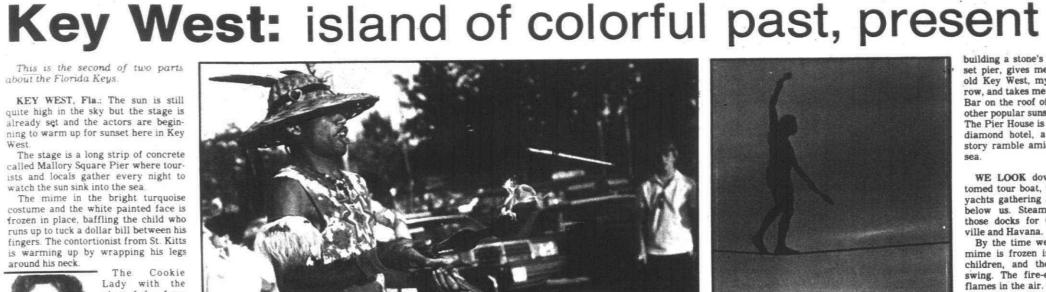
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them for centuries. Havana, Cuba, was richest city in the infant United States. the donkey-drawn buses that worked He'll show you the historic conch hous- here in the early 1900s, curves past the es: shot gun houses, eyebrow houses, naval base to the marina at Garrison mile island at the end of the Florida Bahamas houses, gingerbread houses. Bight Key West lost half its population then the hippies were here, followed by

ating the guest houses, restaurants and The trolley stops at the many hotels

the surface and is a graveyard of ships.

area, along with the Martello Art Gallery, set in an old fort, and the wildlife center with its bird-watching plat-You can take a pole out on the fishing bridge, where Henry Flagler once aunched steamships full of passengers

to Cuba. He built a grand hotel nearby, now Marriot's Casa Marina resort, the only AAA-four diamond property in Key West. This is the area where you get off the rolley to visit the Hemingway House, the Lighthouse Military Museum and to

photograph the southernmost house in pink and white conch house restaurant the sea, and a brand new Wyndham Hotel called The Reach, which opened last

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Harry Truman visited for 11 years, and made famous by Ernest Hemingway ships and shrimp boats are docked. The Mariel boatlift came in here in 1980 the windows of the many little restauand a sign still reads "will the last pero Havana, \$24 round-trip from Miami son leaving Cuba please turn out the

where Audubon painted Kevs wildlife

while visiting a sea captain in 1832.

The trolley deposits you back near Mallory Square. Time to shop the boutiques and meander down Duval Street. About 5 p.m., the mime in the and foot traffic begins to move toward 'go to sunset the United States. You'll also find a Mallory Square Pier. It is almost time

set pier, gives me a walking guide to old Key West, my project for tomor-row, and takes me to the Havana Docks Bar on the roof of the Pier House, another popular sunset-watching location. The Pier House is a popular AAA-three diamond hotel, a contemporary twostory ramble amid gardens beside the WE LOOK down on the glass-botyachts gathering at the Havana docks

tomed tour boat, the sailboats and the those docks for Charleston, Jacksonville and Havana.

By the time we get to the pier, the nime is frozen in place, baffling the children, and the juggler is in full swing. The fire-eater is flinging his flames in the air. The gay bagpipers in their kilts and tell-tale white undershirts are marching up and down on the dock. The Cookie Lady is riding up and down chanting "warm and chewy, peanut butter, chocolate chips, chewy

THINGS QUICKEN as the sun gets closer to the edge of the earth. The juggler climbs on his tightrope so that he will be silhouetted at exactly the right moment against the sunsetting sky. The crowd applauds him, but the biggest applause of all is for the sun itself, as it makes its final explosive drop into the

Now it is officially nighttime in Key house is the Little White House, which move toward Sloppy Joe's Bar, a name the city marina where treasure hunting when the bar was in another location around the corner. Diners peer through rants on Duval Street or head out for well-known places like the Buttery Rich Richards Cafe, Louie's Back Yard and La-ti-da, (officially La Terazza de

The lights will be on all night. The turquoise costume and the white face business of the tourist begins again tocan be seen heading toward the sea, morrow when it is time, once again, to

My friend Chris Lane, who works at Florida Keys Visitors Information, the Old Island Restoration Foundation P.O. Box 4651, Key West, Fla. 33041.

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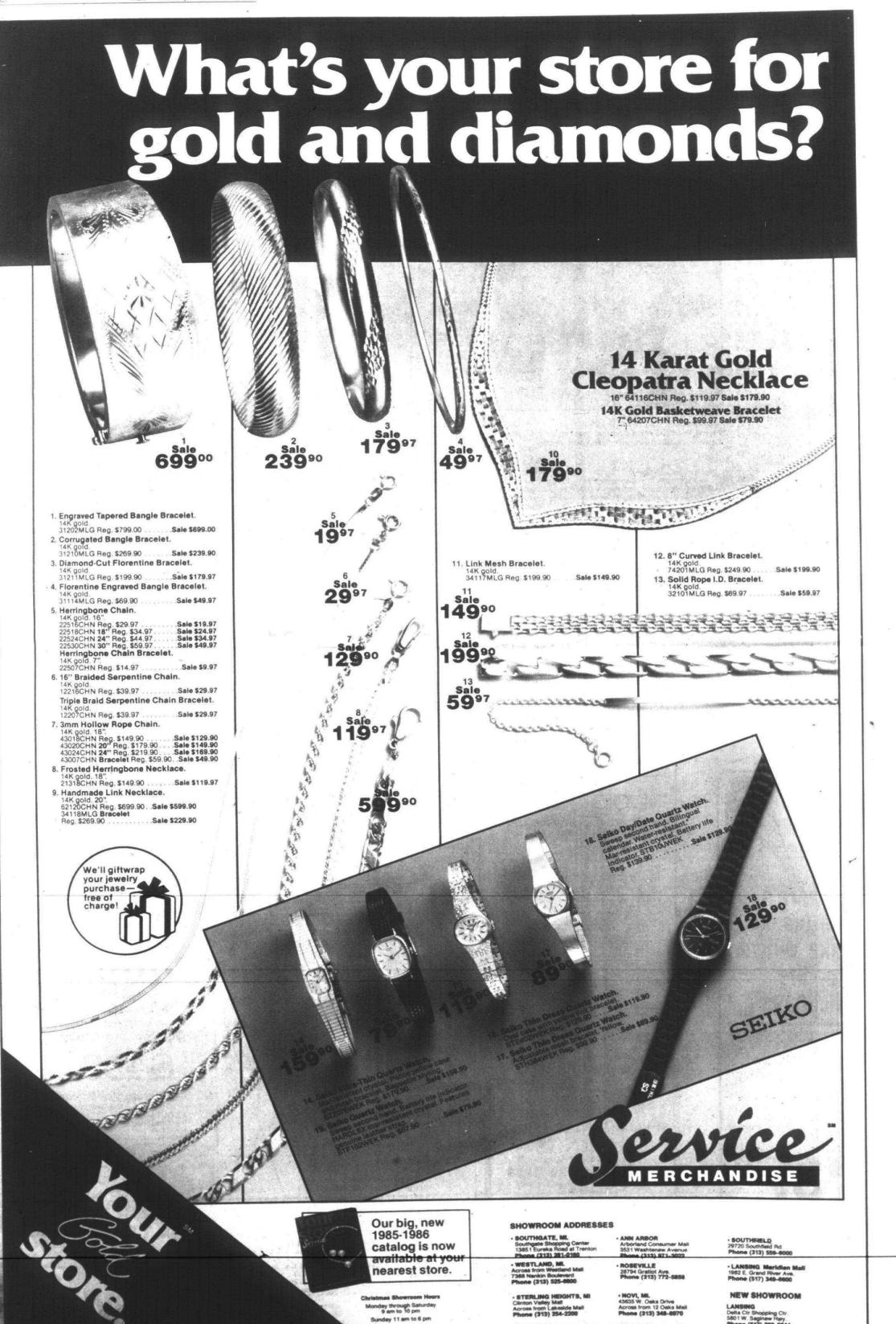
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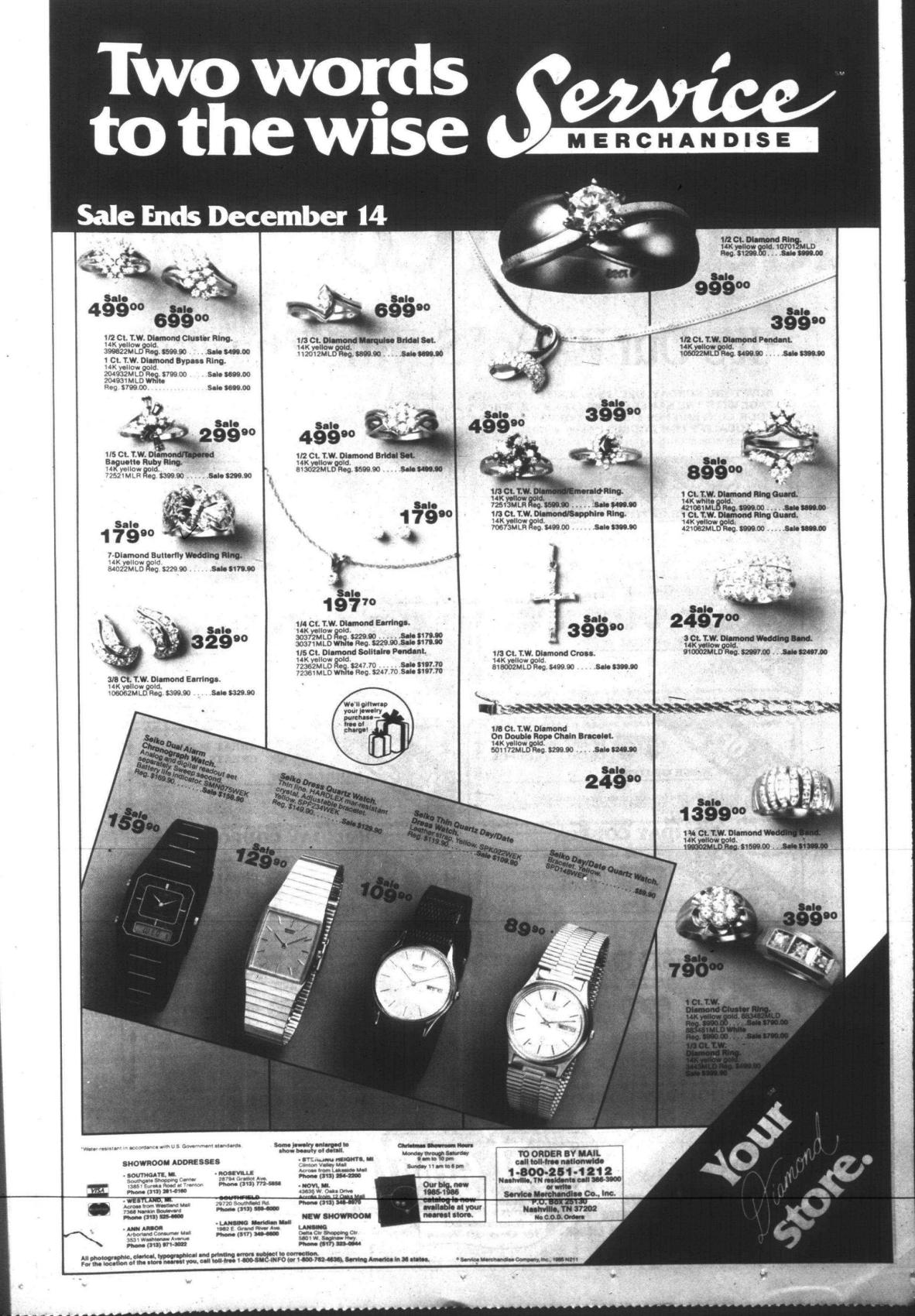
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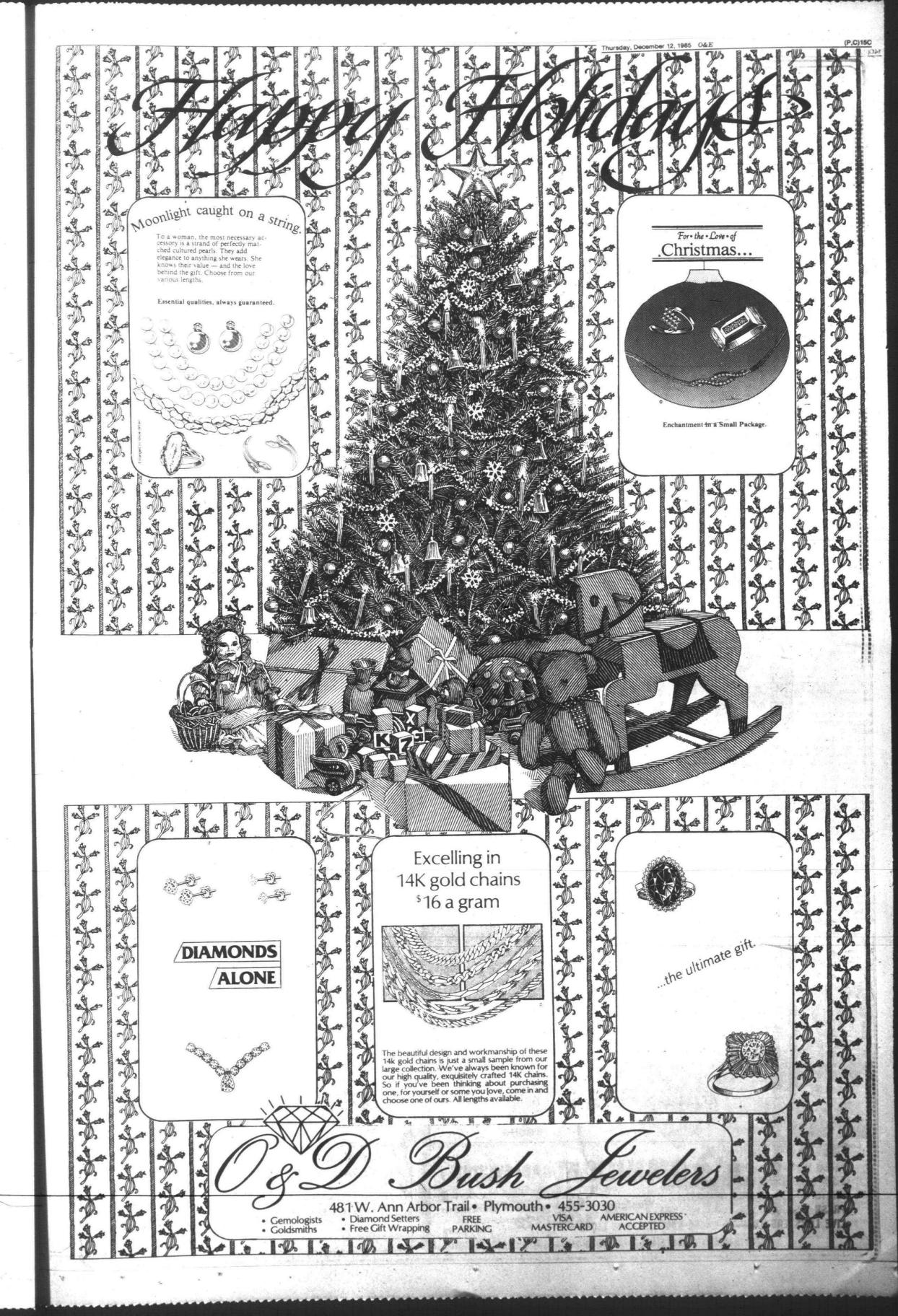
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Holly - 16 new snow cannons, opening of new "expert" hill (1.000 feet high Private ski lodges have added a lot with 280-degree vertical drop), new triple chairlift capable of carrying

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> BRUNO THE BUCK is no longer a legend on Drummond Island off Michi-Jerry Schmidt of Parklane Street in nook salmon from the North Channel of indicated There is a \$2 vehicle admis- along the Huron River.

deer season. The Rouge Steel employee way, a 3-lb. smallmouth bass from 6772 for advance registration. has been hunting on Drummond for Rush Lake in Montmorency County. more than 15 years, wife Pat Schmidt and a black crappie that topped a

northern Lower Peninsula Chuck Vines of Westland, bagged a 12point, 198-pound buck at the other end f the UP, in Ontonagon County. Chalk up two contenders for the "big fish.

GORDON DRAHEIM, another Westland resident, won fishing honors recently, being dubbed a "Mepps master angler" by you-know-what fishing tack-

Draheim caught: an 18-lb., 5-oz. chi-

herd: Dept. R. Antigo, Wis. 54409.

Livonia shot the 12-point, 202½-pound the St. Clair River, a 3-lb., 9-oz. wal-buck on opening day of the firearms leye from Brest Bay down Lake Erie the Metroparks toll-free 1-800-552-

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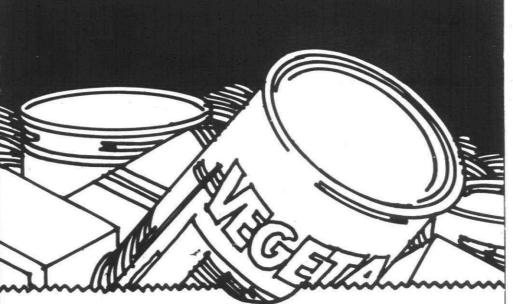
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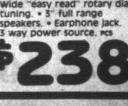


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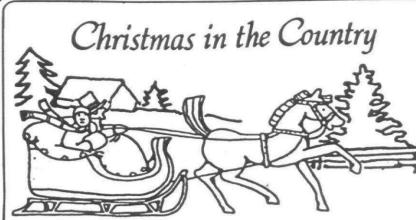
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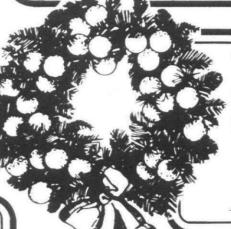
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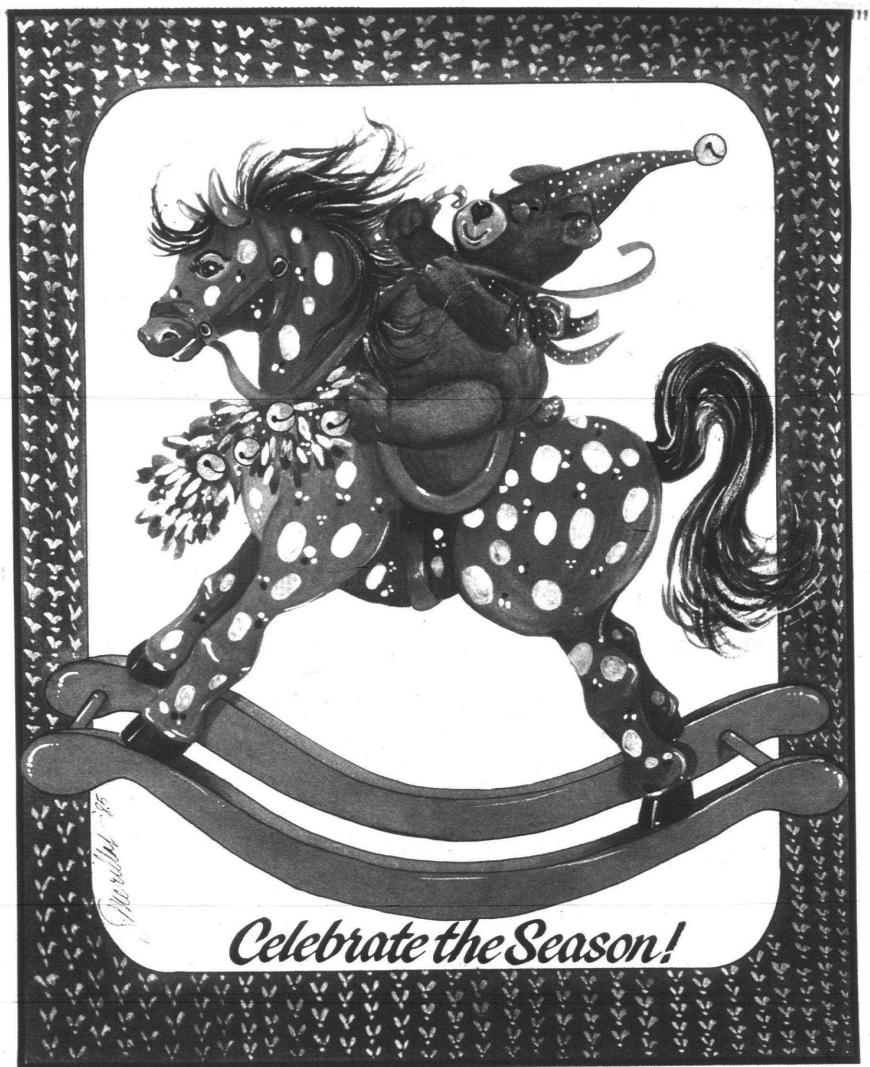
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Holiday movies filled with cheer

end holidays has been the backdrop In St. Louis." Though generally an for numerous sentimental and not- upbeat period musical, the movie so-sentimental movies. Some of these movies are pure seasonal ex- mas songs - Judy Garland tenderly ploitation but others are legitimate singing "Have Yourself A Merry classics that would deserve atten- Little Christmas." This song is used tion even without the holiday tag.

Charles Dickens' "A Christmas beginning with a lavish, if truncat- out the social commentary.) ed, MGM version in 1938 and including last year's new TV production with George C. Scott as Scrooge. The best version is generally conceded to be the 1951 British production with Alistair Sim as the perfect Scrooge. Sim's transformation from mean-spirited miser to giddy, joyful humanitarian is a marvel to watch.

Other versions include a spritely musical with Albert Finney as a hammy Scrooge, an American version with Henry "The Fonz" Winkler as Scrooge and a "Mister Magoo Christmas Carol" with Jim Backus snarling out "Bah, humbug" with the best of them.

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Christmas has been used for irony in several films, but perhaps most

features the saddest of all Christagain in the anti-war film "The Victors" for more heavy-handed irony. Carol" has been filmed several times (The song was pointed enough with-

> Music is the important quality about two Bing Crosby Christmas movies, "Holiday Inn" and "White Christmas." It was the first film, with Fred Astaire and Marjorie Lord, that introduced the Irving Berlin classic "White Christmas," and used several other Berlin holiday songs, including "Easter Parade." The singing and dancing make it worth watching despite a

> 'WHITE CHRISTMAS," with Danny Kaye and Rosemary Clooney, is not as tuneful or memorable, but the good Berlin songs and the talented cast make it enjoyable enough. For many Americans Crosby and Christmas are synonymous. He also provides a cheery Christmas for Ingrid Bergman in "The Bells of

Christmas is meant to say something to us about the meaning of life. It is a holiday during which Christians reflect on the meaning and message of Christ's life and during which all mankind reflects on the verities of family, love, sacrifice, forgiveness and our own personal

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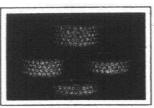


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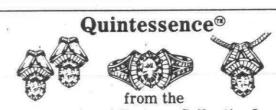
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A happy holidays for TV film buffs

places in the cosmos. If that is so, then the greatest Christmas film of all time is Frank Capra's "It's A Wonderful Life."

The film has been criticized as sentimental, but in truth it transcends sentimentality by showing the depths of despair, frustration and failure before providing a quite believable, if fantastical, transformation. Jimmy Stewart gives an emotionally wrenching performance es set-to again propelled by convincas a man at the brink who is redeemed for his goodness. His moment of spiritual crisis is as powerful a performance as any actor has roles, this time playing a magazine ever given, and his final scene of writer who arranges dinner with a redemption seems to glow with hu-soldier as a promotional ploy. Mormanity. The final Christmas Eve gan's the G.I. Joe who falls for scene is all that has to be said about what is best in the Christmas spirit and the human heart.

IN A LIGHTER vein, "The Bishop's Wife" and "Christmas in Connecticut" provide ample holiday cheer without the attending guilt. In season. So pop the lid on some the former, David Niven plays an eggnog, roast some chestnuts over urbane angel dispatched to earth to an open fire, sit back and enjoy. assist and reassure a doubting bishop, played with predictable aplomb by Cary Grant. The bishop's wife is

played by Loretta Young, who never looked more angelic herself.

Splendid performances and rapid pacing make the fantastic storyline more than palatable. Agreeable supporting performances from Monty Wooley, James Gleason, Elsa Lanchester and Gladys Cooper enhance this Christmas aperitif all the more.

Barbara Stanwyck and Dennis Morgan star in "Christmas in Connecticut," a breezy, battle-of-the-sexing performances and breakneck pace. Stanwyck essays another of her headstrong, independent-women Stanwyck. And, needless to say, she loves him, too - even if she doesn't know it at first.

Many other movies have Christmas connections, but those mentioned here are among the best and most-often aired during this festive

Happy holidays! - Hugh Gallagher

- Tom Panzenhagen



Holiday Calendar

day-Tuesday, Dec. 26-31 - Henry tions are required for the evenings. Ford Museum Theater, next to For more information, call the reser-Greenfield Village, Dearborn, presents "The Wizard of Oz" at 2 p.m. each day with 10 a.m. shows added for Dec. 26-31. For ticket information and reservations, call the reservations center, 271-1620.

EVENING IN FORD MUSEUM

Saturday-Sundays, now through Dec. 29 - Spend a yuletide evening in Henry Ford Musuem, next to Greenfield Village, Dearborn. Program includes dinner and an afterhours tour of the decorated museum. For ticket information, call 271-

in historic buildings and demonstrate decorations and food preparations of bygone eras. If there's snow 593-5590. outside, sleighrides will be available. Yuletide evenings in the village, offered through Jan. 5 (except Dec. 24-25 and Jan. 1), include a 15 - Merrill Lynch weekender pops music and a sleigh ride or walking

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Thursday and Tuesday, Dec. 12 and 17 - Christmas luncheon concert features pianist Curtis Po- CHRISTMAS IN THE VILLAGE suniak and vocalists Susan Ingersol Now through Dec. 31 - Cele- and Denise Love at noon each day brate Christmases of the American in Fair Lane Manor, University of past in Greenfield Village. Staff Michigan-Dearborn campus. Tickets members in costumes are stationed are \$11 per person and include lunch, concert and Christmas floral walk. Reservations are required; call

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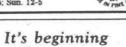
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Friday-Sunday, Dec. 13-15 -Dine at 7 p.m. each night in Fair two blocks north of Five Mile, Livo-Lane on the Henry Ford estate. After dinner guests can wander through the home and enjoy the decorations. The evening concludes with a concert by pianist Curtis Posuniak in the music room. Tickets are \$25 per person, tax and gratui- • TOYS OR TEA ties included. Reservations are required. Call 593-5590.

WASSAIL FEAST

Saturday, Dec. 14 - Oakway Symphony presents a holiday evening of feasting in the manner of merry old England. Dress in medieval costume if you wish. Tables for six or 10 people are available. Dining begins at 7 p.m. in Madonna College Residential dining room, on the campus at Schoolcraft at Levan, Livonia. Tickets are \$25 per person • NUTCRACKER and are available at Madonna College, Hammell Music, 3921 Rochester Road, south of Wattles, Troy, and 15630 Middlebelt two blocks 591-5046 or 476-6544. Cash bar.

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MADRIGAL

Symphony Society presents the Terence Kilburn, who played the Southfield Madrigal Chorale at 2 role of Tiny Tim in the movie verp.m. and 4 p.m. in Plymouth Salem sion of the play.

High School auditorium, Joy and ets are \$5, adults, \$3.50 students and seniors. Tickets available at Hammel Music 15630 Middlebelt, nia; Beitner Jewelery, 904 Ann Ar-Trail, Plymouth; Arnoldt Williams Music Inc., 5701 Canton Center Road, Canton Township, or by calling 451-2112. Sponsored by the city of Plymouth.

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Dec. 17-31 - The Detroit Sym phony Orchestra presents its annual Nutcracker Suite in Ford Auditorium, Detroit. Children's concert set north of Five Mile, Livonia. Or call for 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 21. Times and ticket prices vary. Call the DSO box office, 567 1400

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Holiday brunch can ease the crunch

something special to eat. A bowl of long skewer inserted in the thickest dry cereal just doesn't seem festive part comes out clean (45 minutes to enough for the occasion. Your family and guests may be involved in opening gifts, and in most cases the kids are up much earlier than the older folks in the house. A holiday brunch is the perfect breakfast (or lunch) solution. Each person can eat when hunger strikes and the cook isn't stuck in the kitchen during all the festivities.

A bowl of fresh fruit makes a delicious and appealing centerpiece. Red apples, green grapes, oranges and slices of cheese provide nutritious nibbles, and exotic fruit such as a mango or kiwi will add a special touch for the occasion.

You can prepare most of the food in advance and keep it until Christmas morning. This means more time to spend with family and guests and less time at the stove.

Bake sweetrolls or coffeecake ahead of time and heat just before serving. Chop the cheese and other fillings for omelets and all you'll have to do is stir up the eggs and cook them.

For a tasty treat that will delight 14 cup EACH sliced almonds and

firmly packed brown sugar 11/2 cups all-purpose flour

34 cup granulated sugar

1 Tbsp. baking powder 1/2 tsp. salt

1/4 tsp. ground nutmeg 1/3 cup butter or margarine

1 cup fresh blueberries 1 egg

1/2 cup milk 1 tsp. vanilla Powdered sugar

Generously grease a 9-inch tube pan with a capacity of six to seven cups. Sprinkle with mixture of almonds and brown sugar; set aside.

In a bowl mix flour, granulated sugar, baking powder, salt and nutmeg; cut in butter until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Lightly stir in blueberries

In a small bowl beat egg lightly with milk and vanilla. Stir milk mixture into blueberry mixture just until combined. Spread batter gently in prepared pan.

Bake in a 350 degree F oven until

CHRISTMAS morning calls for coffee cake is well browned and a

Let stand in pan for about 5 minutes, loosen edges and invert onto a serving plate. Serve warm or at room temperature.

BASIC OMELETS

3 Tbsp. water 1/2 tsp. salt Pinch EACH ground nutmeg and white pepper 3 to 4 Tbsp. butter or margarine

In a large bowl beat eggs with water, salt, nutmeg and pepper until well blended (about 30 seconds).

For each omelet heat about one tablespoon butter in a 8-inch omelet pan over medium-high heat until it begins to foam. Pour in one-third to one-fourth of egg mixture.

At first, slide pan back and forth to keep omelet from sticking. As the bottom begins to set, slip a thin spatula under eggs, tilting pan and lifting cooked portion to let uncooked

egg mixture flow under it to the cenacross center, in line with handle. Have a warm serving plate ready. Loosen one side of the omelet with spatula and fold over about a third over the remainder. Then hold pan over serving plate so the other side begins to slide out. Flip omelet so previously folded side folds over, producing an omelet folded into thirds with center third on top.

Makes three or four individual omelets.

Omelet-making is so quick that one cook can serve several people in just a few minutes. If you have guests who enjoy cooking, and your kitchen is large enough, why not let each person cook his or her own?

Fillings for omelets range from basic cheese to more elaborate fillings such as mushrooms and sliced olives, shrimp or crabmeat, spinach and cheddar cheese - the varities are unlimited.

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DURING THE holidays, more so than at any other time, traditions are revived.

From family caroling and baking cookies to making gifts by hand, the magic of Christmas past is influence ing Christmas present.

Times have changed, but it's still true that a gift from the heart, made by hand, has a value that cannot be measured in dollars. Nothing rivals the pleasure of giving or receiving something that is made "especially for you by me.

Needlework, throughout time, has been a primary example of such a gift, according to Mary Colucci, executive director of the National Needlework Association. Through generations, prized gifts have included such items as needlepoint samplers of favorite recipes, crochet ornaments and knitted sweaters.

Such items still have heartwarming appeal, but may be overlooked as gift possibilities because they



don't seem to fit in the hectic '80s lifestyle.

'Time is of the essence in our fast-paced society," Colucci said. and many people associate needlework with uncounted hours of toil.

"But needlecraft manufacturers and retailers are aware of this and have tailored kits and instructions accordingly," she said. The following are suggestions for needlework

FOR SOMETHING that is quick, easy and looks great, try decorating a shirt, Colucci suggested. Choose a blouse, T-shirt or sweatshirt and decorate it using beads, embroidery floss, metallic thread and stitchery.

Knit a vest, scarf or mittens. These items sound ordinary and time-consuming, but they are not. she said. Tactile yarns such as longhair angora, thick tweedy mohair and crunchy raw silk give new appeal to these traditional gifts.

What do you give someone celebrating their first Christmas in a new home? Anything from baskets with needlepoint or cross-stitch bands, to embroidered linens for the bed and bath, to a quilt.

If this sounds too involved, start small and send a yuletide greeting that will last forever: a stitched Christmas card, a needlework ornament or an angel worked in metallic thread that will preside over Christ-





Some sterling ideas for silver polishers

still to be wrapped, the Christmas mediate drying to avoid spotting." tree needs trimming and you haven't even begun the frosted Santa Claus cookies you promised the

"If you find yourself not enjoying the festivity of the season, you may need a few moments to yourself," consultant for Reed and Barton Sil-

'A quiet time in which you accomplish at least one of the tasks before you, can put you in the right frame

Williams suggests the simple but rewarding job of polishing the fami-

"If you plan it, you may find your self actually enjoying the work," she says. "The beauty of silverplate returned to its gleaming state will give you a special feeling of satisfaction."

Williams recommends you set vorite television show or listen to silver. "Silver that is used continu-You'll need lots of warm, soapy wa- aquire," she says.

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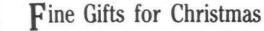
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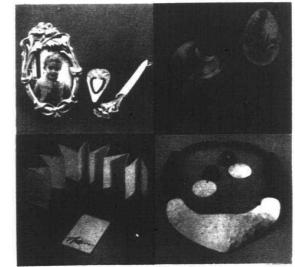
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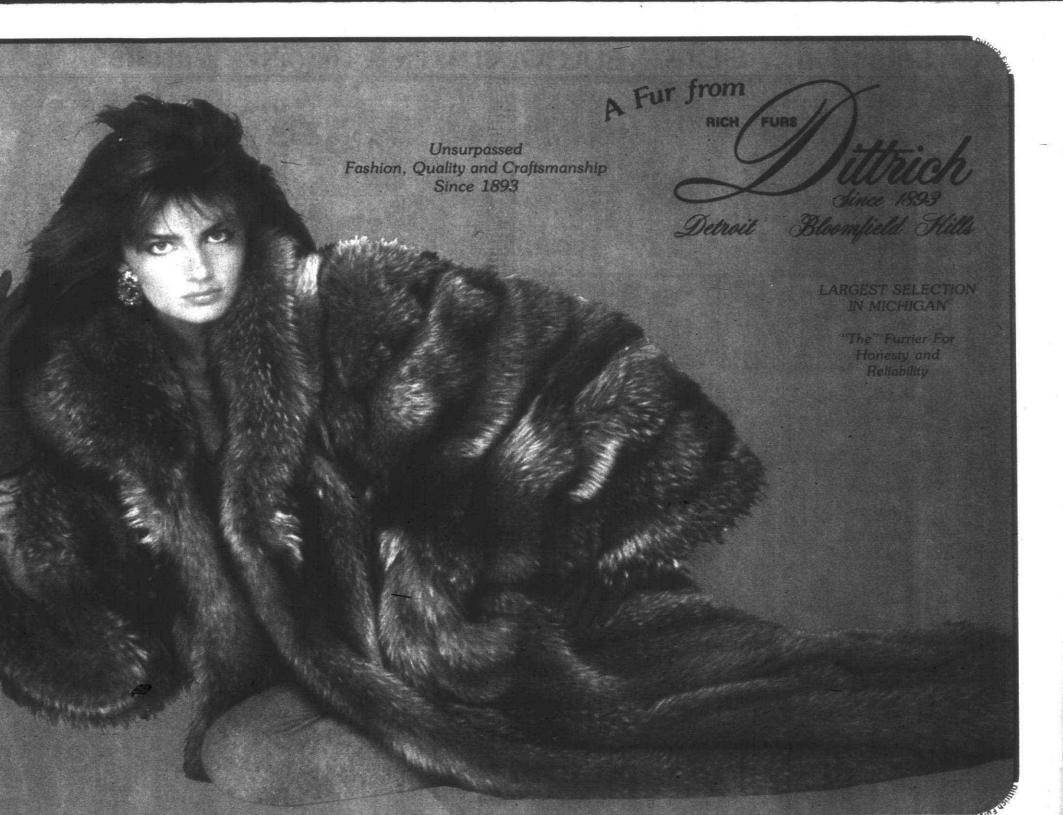












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