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CHIPPER'S ARTISTS: A number of young artists in Canton helped celebrate the one-year birthday of the Canton Country Market Sunday by participating in a contest to color Chipper, a parrot who acts as the store's mascot and sometimes hired hand.

Because Chipper is such a favorite with children at the store, a decision was made to have a Chipper Coloring Contest to help celebrate the market's first year on Canton Center about a ¼ mile north of Ford Road.

Winners included: Laurie Hrybziuszko, 9, first place in the age 6-10 category, who now has an AM-FM stereo-cassette recorder: Daren Cottrell, 8, second place, received a Walkman cassette player; Heather Brown, 5, went home with a Teddy Ruxpin doll for placing first in the age 4-5 category; and Connie Longpre, 5, finished second. The children received their prizes Sunday and were guests of honor at the birthday party.

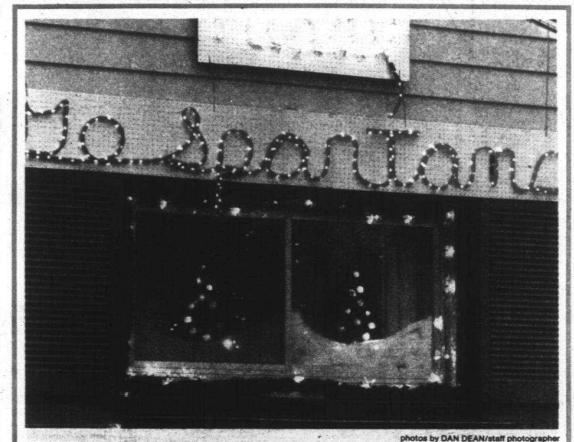
WINS APPLE: Miller Elementary School has been selected to receive an Apple II computer in a contest sponsored by Kroger Food Stores.

### Applicants sought for board post

### **By Diane Gale** staff writer

Canton is accepting resumes from residents wanting to serve the remaining months of a vacant trustee spot.

The Canton Township Board of Trustees voted Dec. 22 to advertise the trustee vacancy in the three local newspapers. Trustees agreed the deadline listed on the a ds will



The holiday lights on Nelson O'Shaughnessy's Lake resident has no ties to the school — he nome salute the MSU Spartans. The Orchard went to Hillsdale."

Local Spartan fans no longer green with envv



# **Sculpture for** park fountain is proposed

### **By Susan Buck** staff writer

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Retired Canton sculptor Joseph DeLauro last Monday proposed plans for a 7-foot bronze figure designed for the Kellogg Park fountain.

DeLauro, 72, presented photos of a small scale clay model to members of the Plymouth City Commission during last week's regular meeting. His commission estimate is \$60-\$70,000.

City officials say that funding would probably have to come from outside sources like the Plymouth Community Arts Council or the Plymouth Rotary.

THE PROPOSED sculpture, which DeLauro has named "Dancing Girl," features the draped, human form of a long-haired, dancing wom-

"I think it would be a great benefit. It (the fountain) needs some-thing," Mayor Karl Gansler said last week. "But, the city doesn't have that kind of money."

DeLauro informed the commission three years ago of his desire to do a sculpture for the fountain, but

the city commission was noncom mittal and didn't take it under advisement, according to commissioner Mary Childs. He appeared ,at last week's meeting at Childs' invitation.

DeLauro and wife Dorothy have resided in Canton for 20 years. They have three children: Robert, employed by the Employee Assistance Program in Ann Arbor; Gregory, manager of a Romeo TV station; and Kathleen, art director for Young and Rubicam.

FOR THE last five years, DeLauro has attended the summer concerts in Kellogg Park, reminiscing about its similarity to the green in New Haven, Conn., where he grew up.

"It was a place where people sat and relaxed. DeLauro often wondered what

sculpture would work best in Kelogg Park.

"It's a very graceful and friendly setting. I enjoy the concerts there during the summer. It's beautiful. It's a joyous occasion. I thought something graceful would work very well out there, something with a cer-

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# **Robber takes** drugs, money

### **By Diane Gale** staff writer

A Canton squad car was totaled last week as the officer driving the vehicle was responding to an armed robbery call a few miles away.

More than \$200 and drugs were taken from Canton's McAuley Health Building by a man wielding what he said was dynamite. A police officer, responding to the armed rob-



be 5 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 7 in the clerk's office at Canton Township Hall, 1150 Canton Center, south of Proctor.

The candidates are expected to be reviewed by trustees and discussed at the Jan. 12 board meeting at township hall.

This won't be an end-all list," trustee John Preniczky said. "We can still nominate someone."

THE BOARD - which commonly argues on much smaller issues must reach a majority vote on the trustee appointment.

"I think we should solicit all the names we can," said trustee Bob Padget.

Trustee Loren Bennett noted that the list of applicants could have a dual purpose. The names could be used as potential appointees for other township boards and committees, he said.

Applicants must be registered voters, at least 18 years old and a Canton resident

"I think the resume should be geared toward involvement in office procedures, management skills, organizational structure and community activity and involvement," Chuhran said.

"If they call and apply, I'll say just send a resume," said Chuhran, adding that she's already received inquiries.

THE BOARD meets the first, second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Occasionally special meetings are called. Trustees receive \$100 for each meeting.

The vacancy was created by trustee Steve Larson who submitted his resignation from the seven member board of trustees earlier this month.

If the board fails to fill the vacancy within 45 days, the governor will call a special election for voters to choose the candidate. A special election would be paid from Canton's budget.

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For a local story on Rose Bowl-bound MSU, please look inside today's Observer.



They're hugging now, but Jennifer Marx and brother Barry will be on opposite sides New Year's Day.

bery report, was struck by a Canton motorist.

About 4:56 p.m. Dec. 21, a man approached the health center pharma cy on Ford Road at Lilley, and showed the pharmacist a manila en-velope filled with what he said was dynamite. He demanded three specific types of drugs and cash.

The pharmacist was convinced the envelope held dynamite, a police report said.

The robber grew impatient while the 27-year-old pharmacist retrieved the drugs. Before leaving, the man asked if the pharmacist wanted the

Composite of armed robbery suspect.

### envelope. He declined.

It was believed the robber left through the west entrance and drove north on Lilley in a light blue General Motors car. No one was injured during the incident and police are

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### Hoben calls P-C district growth 'excitir

### By John M. Hoben special writer

(The following review of Plyms outh-Canton Community Schools in 1987 was written by Dr. John M. Hoben, superintendent.)

As I review the past year, I see exciting and significant growth and development in the Plymouth-Canton school district. Student achievement remains high, and district facilities have had major improvement.

In facility improvements, the addition of six rooms to Gallimore Elementary School was completed in time for the opening of the 1987-88 school year. Central Middle School was renovated, with work completed while student learning continued without interruption. Pioneer Middle School received a new roof and a new heating system. In a cost-cutting measure, stones from the old roof at Pioneer were used to landscape five of the building courtyards, thereby making them maintenance free.

The start of a new elementary school on Saltz Road made news - a school which will be completed in September 1988. A driveway at Canton and other paving projects were also on the construction agenda.

Bleachers at Central Middle School were renovated. Installation of acoustical materials at Erikson, Field and Hulsing elementary schools rounded out the facilities development, which a successful 1986 bond vote made possible.

IN ADDITION to these changes, instructional materials such as computers and science equipment were purchased and had important impact on the support of student learning and achievement of personal success the mission of our schools.

Curriculum changes began with "Math Their Way," a hands-on program designed to help young pe earn math more effectively. The high school curriculum was upgraded, with new graduation require-ments that include computer experi-ence. By Board of Education action this year, new offerings in advanced placement biology, computers and English literature classes will become a part of our program of stud-ies in 1988-89.

We provided a wealth of in-service opportunities for staff members to help them to continue to grow professionally. The response was posi-tive and enthusiastic. In many cases, staff members participated on their

own time, a tribute to their continuing professionalism.

We were also pleased to sign a labor agreement with the teachers' association covering the next two years. This came about after expedited bargaining produced agree-

In the area of student achieve ment, scores on the Scholastic Aptitude Test exceeded state and national averages. The Michigan Educational Assessment Program scores exceeded state averages and gave indication of continued excellence in teaching and learning.

Individuals and teams received honors in many diverse areas. Some examples - music, where our band took third in state competition; jour-nalism, where the student newspaper, the CEP Perspective, received its highest award ever from the Columbia Interscholastic Press; computers, where our teams finishe first and second in competition with other teams from across the state; scholarship, where six students from the CEP were named as National Merit Scholars; theater, where the theater group at Salem competed in the Michigan Interscholastic Foreneted in sics Association and was awarded second place in the state; and soccer,

where our Salem girls team won the state championship. The list could go on and on.

In addition to learning the curriculum, our students learned to care about others by participating in activities supporting the less fortunate. For example, Bird Elementary School third, fourth and fifth graders raised almost \$3,000 with a Read-A-Thon for the Multiple Sclerosis Society; district students contributed hundreds of new books to be distributed to other young people by

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what's inside

Robber steals drugs

### Continued from Page 1 without suspects, said Canton Police

Lt. Larry Stewart. The man was described as white, about 30 years old, 5 feet 9 inches tall, 160 pounds, dark brown or black hair, a beard and glasses. He was wearing a blue ski jacket, a white

cap and blue jeans. A CANTON POLICE officer was responding to the robbery report we don't prejudice ourselves by about 5 p.m. when the squad car he was driving collided with a 1986 Chevrolet driven by a 17-year-old

Joy, maneuvering around traffic seatbelt and she could receive a tickbacked up at Joy and Lilley, Stewart et for that offense.

The girl was northbound on Lilley to both cars, Stewart said.

Plans developed for schools

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Focus:HOPE; and students and staff contributed thousands of cans and boxes of food to the Salvation

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Michigan State Police Trooper Charles Schumacher said: "Unde Canton girl. No one else was in her the circumstances it looks like no citation will be issued." However, he The officer was traveling east on added the girl was not wearing a

doing the report," Stewart said.

There was "substantial" damage

DURING THE year, each building

This effort provides an opportuni-

developed a building improvement

ty for the individual building to as-

sess its own needs, then respond to

those needs. Building activities in-

cluded learning the new reading

methods, updating science teaching

ing curriculum at the secondary

at the elementary level and examin-

Army's annual food drive.

the cars struck, Stewart said. The Canton girl and the officer 'I thought something were taken to Oakwood Canton graceful would work Health Center and released soon afvery well out there. Anytime a Canton Police car is insomething with a volved in an accident Michigan State certain amount of "Our policy is to call the state pomovement. The lice when a police car is involved, so

### sculpture would be beautiful from all views. '

- Joseph DeLauro, Canton sculptor.

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amount of movement. The sculpture would be beautiful from all views."

DeLAURO, WHO has a fine arts degree from Yale University and a master's degree from Iowa University, is the founder and former head of the University of Windsor fine arts department. He also studied in Italy.

DeLauro's pieces are displayed at the Detroit Public Library main branch, the Hiram Walker distillery in Windsor, Chicago cemeteries, the Canadian Jewish Community Center and churches and cathedrals in the metropolitan area.

DeLauro has held exhibitions in New York, Connecticut, Iowa and Canada.

In 1977, he designed and erected a 34-foot-high, 60-foot-wide altar screen at St. Scholastica Catholic Church to solve an acoustical prob-

lem the church experienced. "I've done portraits and worked in all mediums - concrete, plas- created a sketch model in clay."

tics, stained glass and limestone,' DeLauro said. "I think bronze would be best for this statue be cause it would last. I have already

One year and 500-1.000 pounds of clay would be required to complete the figure, De Lauro said. He said that the cost of bronze casting has increased five times in as many

vears.

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"I have no idea where to go or who to see," DeLauro said. "People have always come to me.'

Sculptor offers art for city park

Joseph DeLauro of Canton shows the clay proposed for the fountain in Kellogg Park.

Curriculum coordinators in science, mathematics, social studies and language arts, although only part-time in their positions, have made great strides in bringing together the many parts of the curricalum and providing insights for classroom teachers to increase their The problems of our society were

also being addressed by the district. For example, members of the district's elementary substance abuse committee were in the processs of being trained to present the BARES program to help young people say 'no" to drugs.

effectiveness.

Many of the past year's accomplishments have been unspectacular and even downright mundane. We transported more than 10,000 students safely to and from school every day, putting more than 2,400,000 miles on our bus odometers in the

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and about to turn west on Joy when

Police investigate.

# That's the ticket Speeders, abandoned cars part of trooper's day

### **By Marie Chestne** staff writer

Life's not fair The driver of a van discovered that fact one recent Wednesday as he flew 81 mph along the I-275 free- to give a ticket - is absolute. way in Livonia.

Sure, he was speeding, but so was based on their professionalism," said ticket. the snazzy red Porsche in front of Lt. Harry Hall, assistant post comhim. Both merrily rolled along, leav- mander at the Northville Post. their way out of it," he said. ing other cars behind in the dust. Suddenly, for no apparent reason, warning or even counsel a driver." the driver of the Porsche hit the brakes. The driver of the van had to do some fancy steering to avoid a rear-end collision. He swerved into the next lane, hardly letting up on

the accelerator. And then, parked in dark blue stirred up the confusion when it splendor at the side of the road, he upped the speed limits on certain rusaw the reason why the Porche had ral freeways to 65 mph and kept the suddenly braked. The state police.

"Damn," the driver probably mut-

"Gotcha," said Michigan State Police trooper Robert Behnke. "He was hopping mad." said And get away with it.

Behnke, returning to his police car after giving the driver a ticket for speeding. "He said the Porsche was going the same speed he was. Well, the Porsche must have had Behnke said. "Drivers were going 65

a radar detector. It picked me up, before the speed limit changed, so and the driver slowed down. He speeds haven't changed that much." didn't. He said it wasn't fair." Unfair or not, the 14-year veteran

of the Michigan State Police logged speeding unless the car is topping 70 another speeder onto his daily police mph. On this particular Wednesday report. And he waited for the next morning, he also stopped a Trans car to fly by.

BEHNKE IS one of that elite. group of state troopers who patrol the freeways of Southeastern Michi- set at 65 mph on all freeways, urban

'People always speed, so we stop the most flagrant violations. Drivers were going 65 before the speed limit changed, so speeds haven't changed that much.'

> -Robert Behnke trooper Michigan State Police

In fact, on his radar screen, speeds dip dramatically as drivers ap-

5 across the board."

down traffic

motorists with car problems, tag

abandoned cars and respond to acci-

Their discretion - to give or not

"The officers have this discretion,

"They can write a ticket, give a

How come, officer Behnke?

ier going 74.

or rural.

dents.

look-out for speeders, they also help the road.

as drivers hit the brakes," Behnke said Once he stops a driver, Behnke

"It's rare that someone will talk

gan. The troopers are not only on the proach his car parked on the side of Yet on this day, he gave warnings to two drivers. One warning, and polite," Behnke said. some helpful directions, went to a One thing Behnke doesn't do is High School student and then began "I CAN see the numbers go down 19-year-old Ohio woman who got lost give speeding tickets during rush- wishing he hadn't. and crossed the I-96 freeway median hour traffic.

to backtrack to U.S. 23. The second went to a Northville drive with the traffic," he said. "We on her way to school. The more she said the driver most likely will get a woman caught going 74 mph on I- don't try to pull someone over. If we talked, the more I could see the 696 near Farmington Hills. The did try to stop someone, we'd just problems she had. She softened,

work.

woman told Behnke she was late for create more problems. Maybe even right before my eyes. But I had alcause a chain reaction."

"She admitted her speed and was On this day. Behnke gave a speeding ticket to a Livonia Churchill

"She told me she had taken her "We sit and do paperwork, or mother's boyfriend to work and was ready written the ticket.

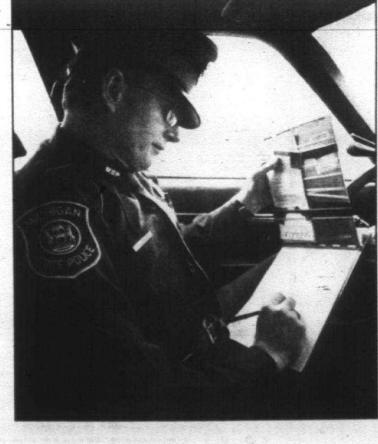


After stopping a speeder, trooper Robert Behnke gets three pieces of information - driver's license, car registration and car insurance.



On his police radar system, Behnke clocks one speeder at 79 mph.

At right: Each time he makes a stop, Behnke logs it in on his daily report.





# Note-able Young string musicians play at nursing home

A group of string musicians last local nursing home. The Plymouth-Canton young

eople, all members of the Livonia Youth Symphony, visited the West Trail Nursing Home in Plymouth Wenceslas," "Good Christian Men on Sunday, Dec. 20, to play for the Rejoice" and "Adeste Fideles." residents there. The young musicians played

Theme From Canon In D by Johann Pachelbel, Can-Can from "Orpheus" by Offenbach, The Two-Horse Open Sleigh by Gary Fletcher, five Christmas Carols arranged

The Isaac arrangements includweek spread a bit of holiday cheer by playing for senior citizens in a "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Si-

lent Night," "The First Noel" and "Angels From the Realms of Glory." The Liszt Suite included "A Child is Born," "Good King

the West Trail residents were: first violins, Michelle Walquist, Christian Hebel, Frances Chang, Steve Chang, Melissa Zagorski; second violins, Matt Riley, Kim Brown by Merle Isaac and Liszt Christmas and Michelle Vaquera; viola, Ian Riley; and cello, Katie Montjar.



Michelle Walquist plays a carol on the violin at West Trail Nursing Home.

# Spartan fans not just green with envy now

By Carolyn DeMarco staff writer

most Michigan State University clean, bright, new bumper stickers. goers on scheduled carriers. alumni was in their hearts as they Large numbers of Spartan sympath-

watched the Big 10 titles pile up for izers are demonstrably smelling the that unnamed state institution to the roses.

will come," many hid any evidence of their allegiance in bottom dresser drawers.

and they are showing their colors, Even golf balls. glorious green and white.

the number of Spartan buttons being he said. "Michigan used to be 60-perworn on court robes and three-piece dark suits in Wayne and Oakland up there with them. I think State will

A Ford Motor Co. engineer spotted they can outplay USC."

MSU Rose Bowl sweatshirts in Flori-

And any driver with normal vision

At Today's Line Up, a sporting at-Green with envy they were, al- tire shop in Westland Center, it although they wouldn't admit it. Mum- most wasn't necessary to ask if Sparbling under their breaths, "Our day - tan green was a big seller. "Oh God, you wouldn't believe it." said Scot Hare, store manager. Rose Bowl sweatshirts. Hats. T-shirts. Baby At long last their day has come bibs and bottles. Spartan Monopoly.

"We're selling out shipments the A Birmingham attorney has noted same day or the following morning," cent of sales, but now State's right

tions for Ambrose Tours in Lathrup game?" he said with shrug. Village, said his company has made

I've seen in that short period of time - four days. I've never seen anything like it."

Bowl tour for him, but suppliers tell Shops looking for Spartan parapher him University of Michigan Rose Bowl action was always less frenzied. "They say this is the biggest turnout in history for a Big 10 school. Maybe, but don't hold a seat for

the Big Elf Himself. As Santa was castle in Westland, he was asked for

woodwork," Vince Secontine said of

String musicians entertaining for

"It's been a great year for them,"



### By Susan Buck staff writer

Plymouth Mayor Karl Gansler last week announced three appoint ments.

M. Kay Hage will complete commissioner Ron Loiselle's term on the Planning Commisson to Dec. 31, 1988. Hage is branch officer and manager of First of America's Ann Arbor Road and Sheldon offices.

Loiselle was elected to the Plymouth City Commission in November. Ken Christensen replaces Greg Green on the Planning Commission for a term ending December 1990. Bruce Gerish, an area builder, will replace Christenson on the Zoning

Board of Appeals to Dec. 1, 1989. Among reappointments, William Leonard and Dave Opple will serve on the Planning Commission to De cember 1990.

John Egan and Diane Kimball are reappointed to the Zoning Board of Appeals for terms ending December

Graham Liable will serve another term on the Municipal Building Authority to Dec. 12, 1990. Harry Mast is reappointed to the Board of Canvassers to Dec. 31

1991 Jack Wilcox will serve another term on the Plymouth Tree Board to Dec. 31, 1989.

Reappointed to the Tax Abate, ment Commission for terms ending Dec. 31, 1989, are: Henry Graper Jr Ron Lowe, Ken Way, Dennis Bila

and Doug Miller. Still to be appointed is a four-year term for Board of Canvassers and two three-year terms for the Munici, pal Parking Commission.

## Snow and ice

off sidewalks The city of Plymouth Department,

of Public Works (DPW) warns prop. erty owners that snow and ice mus be removed-from their sidewalks within 14 hours after a snowfall.

Ed Love, vice president of opera- his game prediction. "What

bilia.

win, though. They've already proven checking in for duty at the magic he said. "I didn't realize there were so many MSU alumni. We've sold

weeks than we did in the past five "Anything with Rose Bowl on it is years." Varsity Shop items ranged from \$1.25 buttons to \$40 sweatshirts and include everything from party paperware to undershorts. Many of the items have been sold out.

# "They've been coming out of the and they're enjoying every minute of

Love said it was the first Rose the customers who visit his Varsity nalia. Secontine is "custodian" of shops at Pierce and Merrill in Birmingham and on Main Street in downtown Rochester. The stores sell college sports clothing and memora-

For 22 years, the only green on must be noticing the proliferation of arrangements for 275 Rose Bowl selling," said Jim Scott, manager of the temporary Wolverine and Spar-"IT WAS PRETTY much a tan display at Tel-Twelve Mall in surprise that it went so fast. We put Southfield. U-M usually outsells ads in the paper the day after the MSU three to one. "It's in reverse Indiana game and our phones rang this year," Scott said. "MSU attioff the wall. That's the busiest thing tudes are up and it's not surprising.

"This is definitely an MSU year,"

They're coming out of the closet."

Secontine said. "They've waited a long time to get back in the limelight

The U-M trade, by contrast, has been a little subdued. MSU, normally on the short end of the "4 or 5:1" ratio when it comes to volume compare isons with its sister Big 10 institution, has reversed the trend. "THE HALL OF Fame Bowl is a

far cry from the Rose Bowl," said Secontine, whose maize and blue shopping bags reveal his own allegiance.



Landfill eyed for energy plant, winter sports

### By M.B. Dillos staff writer

If all goes according to plan, downhill skiers who live in western Wayne County will have to travel only as far as the Wayne-Washtenaw

county line to hit the slopes. The chances of unpleasant odors ruining their fun will be minimal, as a methane gas recovery plant is operate in New York, Ohio, Texas, a methane gas recovery plant is scheduled to be on line at the 900acre site by April 1989.

The Arbor Hills East Landfill, at Six Mile and Napier in Salem Township, is jointly owned by Browning Ferris Industries of Southeastern Michigan Inc. and Salem Township. Salem Township Supervisor Richard Sackett said Salem has been visited by prospective ski hill operators and is ready to seek bids from devel-

"By the winter of 1989, we may see some of our own residents sledd ing and tobogganing here. Skiing is entirely feasible for winter 1990, depending on what developer comes orward," said Sackett.

Salem's eastern boundary is Napier Road - the Wayne-Washtenaw county line. The 36-square-mile township is bounded to the south by Eight Mile, the Washtenaw-Oakland county boundary.

BOTH THE the methane gas recovery plant and ski hill portend a boon in the local economy, Sackett

"We anticipate that for 20-25 years, gas recovery will bring in \$200,000 to \$300,000 a year. The ski hill will definitely stimulate business within the community. I think eventually we'll see in Salem Township the kind of major development the Plymouth area has seen," said Sack-

Building the gas recovery plant will be GSF Energy Inc. of Long

Beach, Calif. An agreement recently completed with GSF - formerly Getty Synthetic Fuel and now owned by Air Prodacts and Chemical Inc. - provides Salem with advance-on-royalty pay-ments of \$3,000 per month, said John Birkinbine, GSF Midwest business

opment manager. Once sales to Consumers Power egin, the advance royalties will be leducted by GSF from Salem's monthly royalty payments. Deduc-tions will continue until the total amount of the advances-on-royalty paid by GSF has been equalized, Birkinbine said.

GSF has agreed to pay a daily penalty of \$100 if its plant isn't operting by April 1989, he added.

"Based upon a conservative gas sales price of \$2.25 per thousand cu-bic feet; the sale of 2.5 million cubic feet per day; a royalty of 12.5 perent: and a conservative on-stru

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receive a monthly royalty check of imizes odor problems by extracting approximately \$19,000,"

GSF, THE ONLY company Birkinbine knows of that's had success in naking pipeline quality gas, was the first in the country to build a meth-Illinois and California.

To recover methane from decaying trash, wells are sunk into a landfill. The wells are connected with piping. Using large compressors, suction is applied and gas is pulled into the plant.

"When you throw trash in a landfill, the stuff made of cellulose decomposes. It gives off a couple of gases, primarily methane and carbon dioxide. It's about 55 percent methane and 45 percent carbon dioxide," said Birkinbine.

"That methane is the same methane.as you find in conventional natural gas. All we have to do is dry it and clean it up until it's virtually

Methane recovery min- ing \$150,000-\$300,000 homes. Propgases that otherwise would trave upward through cracks in the ground, picking up the smell of decaying garbage as it goes along.

THESE ARE grandiose plans for a community that appears to have changed little since, as local lore has it. Salem served as an underground railway stop for blacks in the 1800s.

Driving along its main drag, Six Mile, you could miss Salem's business district entirely if at the right moment you happened to look down. Salem still houses its post office in an old house. It has no library. The

preferred mode of transportation is pickup truck. Agriculture and horse farming are king. Salem residents pride themselves on knowing not only their neighbors'

names, but what their children and grandchildren are up to. And someone who lives miles away can be considered a neighbor Transforming the country setting

are white collar workers, who are pure methane," which can be used as moving in in big numbers and build-

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erty values have increased 35 per- ' 50,000 people a year, and "at pres- former Salem supervisor Philip cent in the last three years, said Sackett. Some residents resent the land-

fill's presence and doubt a ski hill will materialize. "They want to build the hill on the east side of the landfill. The wind usually blows from the west Wouldn't you like to be skiing and have a dirty diaper hit you in the face?" asked a resident who asked

not to be named. "I don't know how anyone with any sense would think people would want to ski with so many unpleasant odors and things around. Even getting the proper water facilities for the ski lodge might be difficult with all that garbage right next door and

into it But Michael Shea, director of recreation for the city of Riverview. disagrees. Riverview operates a nine-run ski area on a landfill that still is partially active.

Riverview-Highlands, affectionately known as Mount Trashmore. has yet to turn a profit.

and 150 seasonal jobs. It draws up to slopes. Should they become rea either side of breaking even," said take shape

not only Riverview residents but many of the surrounding communities winter activity.

"I don't have any doubts a landfill can do it. We've proven it. To date, no one's been hit by a dirty diaper," Shea said.

Beginner, intermediate and advance runs off a 150-foot vertical drop are planned for the Salem

ent, we're within \$10,000 to \$20,000 Brandon will have seen his dream

Nearly 20 years ago, Brandon and "From a recreational standpoint, a group of others decided a practical it's been fantastic as far as offering use for the gravel pit left on the site by Holloway Sand and Gravel would be a landfill and eventual ski hill.

"There are some negative aspects obvious problems associated with can become a ski area, because we landfill operation," Brandon said "But this will be a very positive thing relative to the economy of Salem Township.

> The South Lyon Herald contrib uted to this report.

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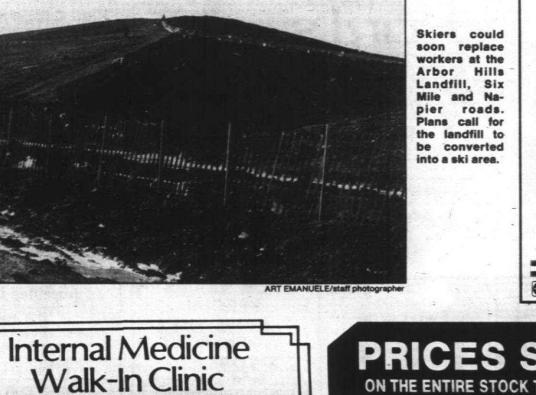
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MAXINE BAUMGART

Funeral services were held re-

### Escape try unsuccessful

A 28-year-old man belted from police Dec. 22 shortly after an arraignment in 35th District Court on Plymouth Road in Plymouth. The Livonia man was in court for

arraignment on one charge of larceny in a building for an incident that occurred at Meijer Thrifty Acre in Canton, said Judge James Garber. Garber set bond at \$2,500 or 10

A plea of not guilty was entered. courtroom and "reaching for cuffs County Jail.

military news

Julie Bodner, daughter of Tom

JULIE BODNER

ued in 1971. He had moved to Belle- at Carswell Air Force Base, Texas.

ville and recently was living in the She is a 1984 graduate of Plymouth-

Plymouth Inn. He is survived by a Salem High School.

when the subject ran out the side door" through a public entrance, a Canton Police report said. The officer chased the man north on Plymouth Road and into a nearby

defendant and brought him back to 35th District Court on Plymouth Road, the report said. Garber raised bond to \$25,000

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Navy Airman Robert Novinskey

son of Sandra Crider of Canton, has

been selected as the Sailor of the

Month for Fighter Squadron-24, Na-

Novinskey was chosen from

among all the sailors assigned to the

command, and was cited for his out-

standing performance of duty, profi-

The defendant's mother and sister were in court during the arraignment, Garber said.

was to be sought last week from the Wayne County Prosecutor's office, said Plymouth Police Lt. Robert

man had two outstanding warrants deadline.

It also was believed the Livonia

Michigan, or to the Plymouth Lions that period, until retiring four years ago. Memorial contributions may be Mr. Fry, who died Dec. 21 in made to the American Cancer Soci-Plymouth, was born in Detroit and ety. moved to Plymouth in 1949 from FRED A. KOCH Northville. He was a sales represent ative for Schrader's Home Furnish-Funeral services for Mr. Koch, 77, ings in Northville for more than 16 were held recently in Pawlus Robyears, was a member of the first erts Bros. Funeral Home in Belle-United Methodist Church of Plym- ville with burial at Lodi Cemetery outh, of the Plymouth Lions Club, Officiating was the Rev. John R. Haand a member of Northville Masonic gan. Lodge 186, F.&A.M. Mr. Koch, who died Dec. 6 at St. Survivors include: wife, Ella; Mary Hospital, Livonia, was a part- and Nora Bodner of Plymouth, has daughters, Marilyn Wells of Plym- ner in the F.A. Koch & Sons Sausage been promoted in the U.S. Air Force

of Plymouth were held recently in cently for Miss Baumgart, 63, with

outh with burial at Oakland Hills ' Miss Baumgart, who died Dec. 17

Memorial Gardens, Novi. Officiating in Gladwin, was a registered nurse

was the Rev. John Grenfell. Memori- who was employed by the Unisys

al contributions may be made to the Corp (Burroughs) Plymouth Plant

First United Methodist Church, the for 32 years as an industrial nurse.

American Heart Association of She had lived in Plymouth during

Schrader Funeral Home in Plym- burial at Mount Pleasant.

outh, Faye of Farmington Hills and Co., at Haggerty and Ann Arbor to the rank of senior airman. Bodner Gail Lloyd of Plymouth; son, Fred of Road where Standard Federal now is is a financial management specialist Petoskey; brother, Cecil of Milford; located. The business was discontin- with the 7th Comptroller Squadron six grandchildren and one greatgrandchild.

### EDWARD L. FOREMAN

Funeral services for Mr. Foreman, 82, of Plymouth were held recently in St. Paul Lutheran Church in Livonia with burial at Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth. Officiating was the Rev. Carl Pagel with local arrangements made by Schrader Fu- bert-Vermeulen Funeral Home in neral Home. Memorial contributions may be made to the St. Paul Lutheran Church Memorial Fund.

Mr. Foreman, who died Dec. 22 in

brother, W. Clayton. MICHAEL G. PAVOL Funeral services for Mr. Pavol, 92, of Ann Arbor were held recently in SS Cyril & Methodius Church in Lakewood, Ohio, with burial at Holy Cross Cemetery, Cleveland. Local arrangements were made by Lam-1.1

Plymouth. Mr. Pavol, who died Dec. 14 in Ann Arbor, was born in Czechoslovakia. He was a retired draftsman



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percent on the misdemeanor charge. After the arraignment a Canton officer was taking the man out of the defendant to be taken to Wayne However, this was not confirmed by

wooded area. A Detroit police officer joined the chase, captured the

. A warrant for escaping custody

cash and made arrangements for the in Oakland County, said Garber

ciency, leadership, initiative and

Army Private Jeffrey Panko, son

of Margo and Richard Panko of Can-

ton, has completed basic training at

Fort Dix, N.J. He is a 1986 graduate

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obituaries

**DUNCAN B. FRY** 

Funeral services for Mr. Fry, 73,



Pets of the week Laddy, a 7-month-old spaniel mix, and

Smokey, a 6-year-old female cat, need homes. Laddy (Control No. 221835) will grow to about 30 pounds. Smokey (Control No.

205601) is good with other cats and children. To adopt these pets or others, call the Westland Kindness Center, 721-7300. The center is at 37255 Marquette, Westland.

STEVE FECHT/staff phy

### Monday, December 28, 1987 O&E Metroparks to get 68 projects

By Tim Richard

staff writer

A golf courses at Hudson Mills, a boat launch at Lake Erie and a hikebike trail at Lower Huron top the 1988 metroparks capital budget of the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Auhority.

"About 40 percent of the investment is at the newer parks and 60 percent in the older parks," controler David L. Wahl told the HCMA board of directors as they adopted the new budget.

The \$24.3 million budget will put less emphasis on land acquisition and more on development, he said continuing the trend as the agency matures. The 68 capital projects will absorb \$4.4 million or 18 percent of the budget. Land acquisition will

take nearly \$700,000. Operations will cost \$12.1 million or 50 percent of the total - "about "turf development, entrance road and the level it's been running the last

five or six years," Wahl said. THE HCMA board approved the

week after a public hearing at which hookups. So far, this park is mostly ing of Hammell Road west of the no one spoke. HCMA is a five-county authority operating 13 large metroparks along the Huron and Clinton rivers in a

large arc from Lake St. Clair to Lake Erie.

Washtenaw, 7: and Livingston 3 1 000 a

A 0.25 mill property tax approved by voters more than 40 years ago southern Wayne County - \$120,000 provides about two-thirds of its reve- for two golf course comfort stations. nues. Vehicle admissions and park operations provide most of the rest. 2,100-acre park on the north branch Federal and state grants are minor. million a year - double the region's headrace dam, pump station and wapopulation and about four times ter wheel. Altogether, nearly

draw. HERE IS a breakdown of the ma-

planned for 1988: • Hudson Mills, on North Territo- golf cart storage building.

rial Road in Washtenaw County -\$1,087,000 for an 18-hole golf course, service yard. • Indian Springs, northern Oak-

land County - \$590,000 for a golf course clubhouse, wells and clubbudget almost without comment last house electrical and telephone trails and picnic area on the largest undisturbed natural area in the

Lower Huron, near Belleville in

Wayne, 38; Oakland, 35; Macomb, 17; County - \$563,000 total, including \$175,000 for 10 boat launch ramps Metroparks are designed for day and entrance road. The water-orientuse and generally cover at least ed park already has a wave-action poo

· Willow, near New Boston in · Wolcott Mill, an unopened of the Clinton River in Macomb Park visitors total seven to eight County - \$363,000 for a mill more people than the Detroit Tigers \$400,000 in improvements are planned. Long-term plans include a pool and golf course.

· Kensington, in western Oakland jor capital improvement projects County - \$179,500 in several projects, the largest being \$90,000 for a

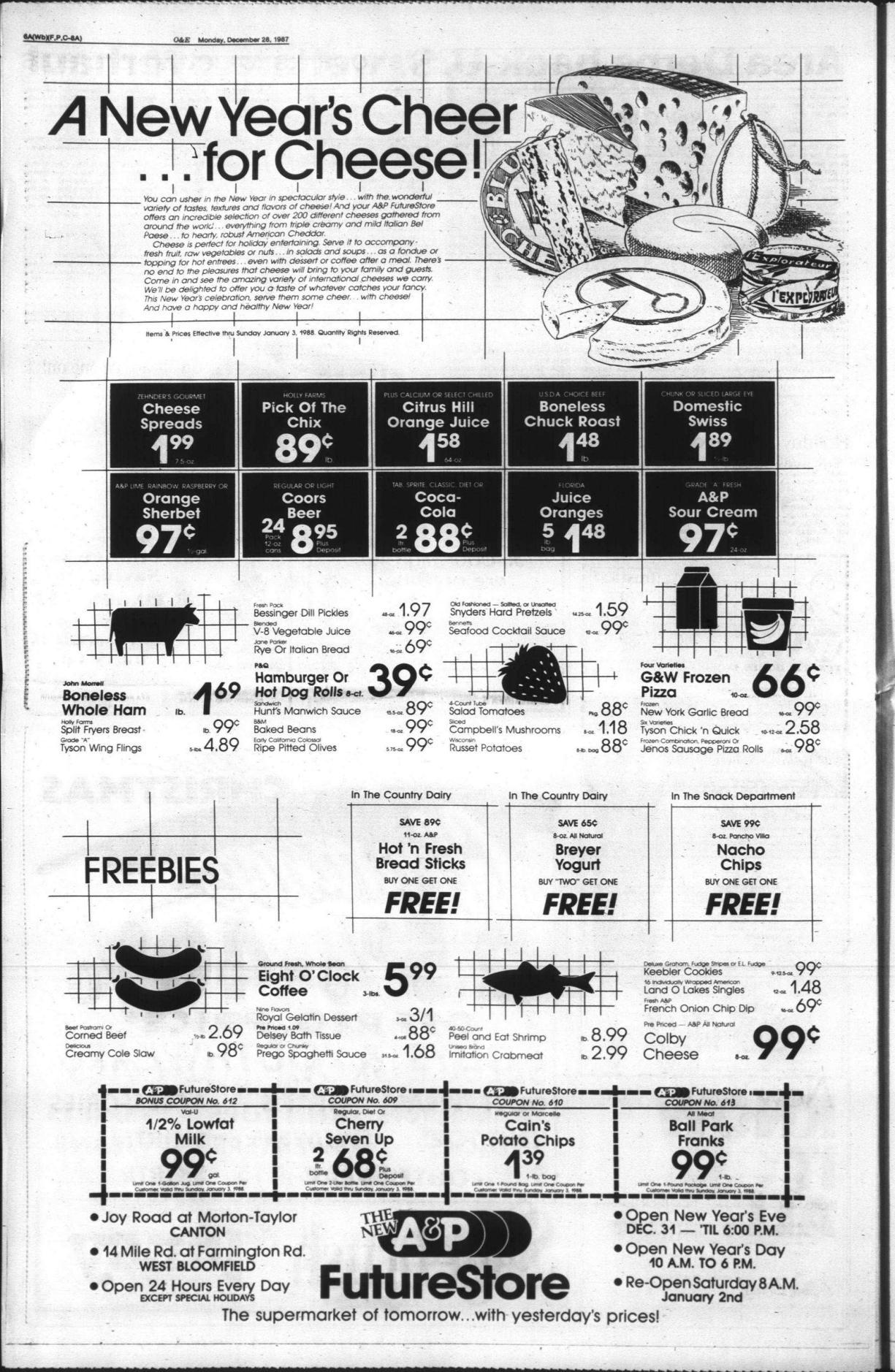
> · Metro Beach, on Lake St. Clair in Macomb County - \$325,000 for a nature center

IN OTHER business, the board:

 Asked the staff to continue discussions with the Livingston County Road Commission on possible clos-Huron Meadows park entrance. The park is west of US-23 and south of Brighton.

 Purchased 22 acres for \$84,000 southwestern Wayne County. - for Indian Springs Metropark. The \$525,000 for a hike-bike trail and land rounds out park holdings at the





### Area Dems back U.S. welfare overhaul Here's how area members of Cor

gress were recorded on major roll call votes on Dec. 11 and in the week ending Dec. 18.

### HOUSE

WELFARE REFORM - By a N.M., said major reform is needed of vote of 230 for and 194 against, the the current system, which among House passed and sent to the Senate other deficiencies breaks up families a major overhaul of the federal-state and encourages lifelong dependence mechanism that provides welfare to on the dole. the poor. The bill (HR 1720) carries a pricetag of \$5 billion over five years. Opponent Dan Lungren, R-Calif., complained that the bill "does not

cipients, as Republicans had advocated. cation, training and work programs Dennis Hertel of Harper Woods, Wilthat each state would have to set up liam Ford of Taylor and Sander Levunder the legislation. Presently 3.8 million families with 7 million children participate in the basic federalstate welfare program, Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC).

To shift the chronically poor from the dole to payrolls, the legislation against, an amendment to lower the provides such inducements as expanded day care services, fair wage standards for entry-level jobs and \$5 billion over five years. paycheck withholding to ensure that absent parents pay child support.

It also enables two-parent families to receive welfare if the main wage earner is unemployed and sets child support money to welfare fama priority of keeping poor teenagers ilies, the Republican-authored provifrom becoming permanently dependent on welfare.



The legislation stops short of mak- require a single welfare recipient to ing work mandatory for welfare re- work (or) a single welfare recipient to look for a job."

Members voting yes supported the It requires recipients to enter edu- bill. Voting yes were Democrats in of Southfield.

Voting no: Republicans Carl Pursell of Plymouth and William Broomfield of Birmingham.

CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENTS

projected cost of the welfare reform bill (above) by 10 percent, to about Under the amendment, states

would have to require the withholding of child support obligations from paychecks. By increasing the flow of sion would cut federal welfare costs by an estimated \$139 million over

five years. "Three out of every four welfare cases begin because of divorce or a child being born out of wedlock or the GSA to borrow construction separation," said supporter Michael Andrews, D-Tex. "We have to stop the hemorrhage of child support payments not being made available to spouses trying to care for young

children." Opponent Cardis Collins, D-Ill, said in a written statement to the Congressional Record that payroll withholding of child support should be made mandatory only after a parent misses a payment.

Members voting yes supported the amendment. Voting yes: Pursell, Hertel, Levin, Broomfield. Voting no: Ford.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS - By a vote field. of 271 for and 86 against, the House passed and sent to the Senate a bill (HR 2790) changing General Ser vices Administration procedures for acquiring and managing federal off-

The bill attempts to curb the GSA's pro-leasing policy. Although construction is cheaper in the long run, it appears in annual fiscal pro jections to be more expensive because the full cost of new buildings must be budgeted in one year by the

To overcome political and fiscal impediments to annual construction opriations, the bill authorizes funds from the Treasury.

Supporter Martin Lancaster, D-N.C., said the GSA would remain fiscally accountable to Congress under the borrowing procedure, because its debt repayments each year would be

tallied as part of the Congressional Opponent Robert Walker, R-Pa said the bill would deprive Congress of control over the GSA construction budget and thus encourage the agency to build more federal buildings

than are needed. Members voting yes supported the Voting yes: Hertel, Levin, Broom-

Voting no: Pursell

SENATE

of 44 for and 51 against, the Senate rejected an amendment to break Congress of its habit of lumping all 13 appropriations bills into a single 'continuing resolution" that the president must accept or veto an masse.

Not coincidentally, the vote occurred as the Senate debated a continuing resolution (HJ Res 395) to fund most federal operations in fiscal 1988. The \$606 billion spending measure, the most expensive bill ever considered by Congress, later House on a non-record, voice vote.

Under the rejected amendment, any longterm continuing resolutions passed by Congress in fiscal 1989 and 1990 would be disassembled into to the amendment. Levin and Riegle individual appropriations bills be- voted yes.

The president thus could evaluate each of the 13 appropriations bills on its own merits.

Senators voting yes supported the mendment. Voting no were Michigan Democrats Carl Levin and Donald Riegle.

LEGAL SERVICES - By a vote of 70 for and 28 against, the Senate tabled (killed) an amendment to the 1988 continuing resolution (above) requiring that all appropriations for the Legal Services Corp. be spent directly on legal aid to the poor.

Foes of the amendment saw it as an attempt to cripple the quasi-gov ernmental agency.

Amendment sponsor Phil Gramm. R-Texas, said taxpavers should not be funding LSC activities such as was sent to conference with the lobbying "that have little or nothing to do with providing legal services for the poor

Senators voting yes were opposed

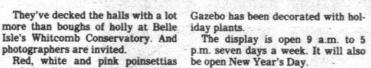


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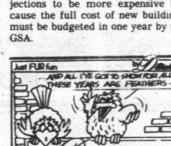


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- The House adopted, 336 for and 87



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Not voting: Ford.

BUDGET REFORM - By a vote

past and present

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The Teeple family left Plymouth in 1836 when Lettie was six years old. In later years, Lettie recalled: "Our home was growing more beautiful all the while. Stumps were disappearing from the fields. A young orchard was growing; about seventy acres were cleared and fenced; the rails were up to stay."

But all that was given up in 1836 when Peter Teeple got what was jok- she left Michigan for the west coast, ingly called "Grand River Fever." decided to sell his Plymouth Township property and move the family to the Grand River country in Michigan University, and by John the wilds of Kent County in western Hoffman, former editor of the maga-Michigan. This was against the desire of his wife and family, who did Among the songs that Lettie said not want to leave the improved farm were popular in her youth in Michi-ville Township but was then part of further away from Detroit

1837, the year the "Toledo War" was Me. settled and Michigan became a state.

to set out with children on a trek indebted to her for leaving us a through what was then little more record of her early experiences in than a wilderness. They said good- this apea. bye to Grandpa and Grandma Teeple, harnessed the horses, packed PERHAPS THE best original their possessions, got into the wagon source of what the Plymouth area

and headed northwes In the spring of 1837, two of Peter Teeple's horses left his 640-acre farm, eight miles from Grand Rapids, and tried to find their way back to Plymouth. Teeple went searching for them; he recovered one, but never found the other.

Lettie Teeple wrote the story of her life for her children in 1855, when she was 56. Her manuscript, which she abandoned in 1890 when was edited and published in the 1974 issue of Michigan History by Profeszine.

n Plymouth for something unknown gan were Jim Along Josey, Old Zip Plymouth Township. Coon, Old Dan Tucker, The Long Trailed Blue, Such a Getting Up THE FAMILY moved on Jan. 1, Stairs, and The Girl I Left Behind

Lettie lived to be 82, dying in Seattle in 1911 where she lived in a cabin It was a strange time of the year in the woods all by herself. We are

# Local Jaycees gather awards

Supervisor Breen called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and led in the Pledge

Mr. Irvine moved to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of November 17, 1987 as submitted. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mrs. Hulsing moved to approve payment of the bills for December 15, 1987 in the amount of \$155,259.30 for General Fund, \$110,548.91 for Water and Sewer,

making a grand total of \$265,808.21. Supported by Mr. Munfakh. Ayes all on a

Supervisor Breen presented employee recognition awards to Christine Ward, Accounting Department, recognizing 8 years of service and Larry Groth, Fire

Mrs. Hulsing requested the items K. 3.a) and b) and 4.a) and b) be put over to the January 12, 1988 Board meeting.

Mrs. Hulsing moved to approve the agenda for the regular meeting of December 15, 1987 as presented with the noted deletions. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes

Mr. Horton moved to approve the bid for roofing, submitted by Firebaugh &

Reynolds, in the amount of \$19,786.00 and the bid for air conditioning, submitted

by Puckett Electric, in the amount of \$7,715.00 (including a new motor), making a grand total of \$27,501.00 as recommended by Mr. Jones, Director of Public Services, for work to be done at Friendship Station. A balance of CDBG Funds in

he amount of \$23,774.55 will necessitate a Township payment of \$3,726.45.

Mr. Munfakh moved to concur with Mr. Richardson, Communications Director,

to Dictaphone in the amount of \$20,800.00. Supported by Mr. Horton. Ayes all

mended by Mrs. Broadbent. Supported by Mrs. Brooks. Ayes all.

ecommendation to award the bid of a multi-channel logging recording system

Mr. Horton moved to continue the Employee Suggestion Program as recom-

Mrs. Hulsing moved Resolution No. 87-12-15-43, which approves the described

agreement between the State of Michigan and the Charter Township of Plym-

al Facility and directs the Township Supervisor and Township Clerk to sign the same. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call vote.

Supervisor Breen suggested that if there was no objection that the easement

agreement accompanying the above should be put over until such time as our attorney and engineer had received it. There were no objections.

Township Attorney, Jack Nora, requested the Board of Trustees move into Closed Session to discuss progress of the negotiations with P.O.A.M. Trustee Munfakh moved that since the purpose of the closed meeting would be

to discuss progress and negotiations connected with the negotiation of a collec-tive bargaining agreement with P.O.A.M. the Board of Trustees move to closed

session as permitted under Section 8, Paragraph (c) of the Open Meetings Act, Public Act 267 of 1976, as amended, by Act 256 of 1978, Section 15.268. Support-

The Board moved to closed session at 7:58 p.m. and reconvened to open session

Mr. Horton moved the Township Board's approval of the substance of the Agree

ment that has been proposed between the Charter Township of Plymouth and the P.O.A.M. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call vote.

Mr. Munfakh moved Resolution No. 87-12-15-39 approving the acceptance of watermain and sanitary sewer easements for Plymouth Corners Development Corp., a watermain easement for Northland Investment Company and a utility easement for Same Spagnoli, Angelo Spagnoli and William Spagnoli. Supported by Mr. Horton Auro all on a still and statistication of the statistication

Mr. Horton moved Resolution No. 87-12-15-40 approving final acceptance of Township utilities for: M.T.I. Corporation, Spinnaker Investments, Hidden Creek Condominiums, Beacon Meadows Subdivision Phase I, Sanitary Sewer and

Watermain Extension for Brentwood Drive, Joy Road Sanitary Sewer Exten-sion, Fehlig Sanitary Sewer Extension, Metro West Technology Park Subdivi-

sion, Plymouth Plating Company, United Assembly of God Church and Plymouth Park Office Center. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call vote.

Mr. Pruner moved Resolution No. 87-12-15-38 authorizing an execution of Satis-

faction of Sewer and Water Lein forms. The resolution designates the Township Supervisor to execute the satisfaction of lein forms on behalf of the Township;

and designates the Superintendent of Water and Sewer Departments to execute

the Satisfaction of Lein forms in the absence of the Township Supervisor. Sup-

ported by Mr. Munfakh. Ayes all on a roll call vote. Supervisor Breen read the letter received from Marcello Scappaticci explaining

his desire to donate certain property to the Township Mr. Anulewicz pointed out the location of the proposed donated property. Mr. Irvine moved that the Township accept the property donated by Marcello

Scappaticci, subject to a favorable environmental review being completed and being acceptable to the Township, as well, as the title search and easement locations. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mr. Hollis and Mr. Law spoke to the changes made in the revised Ordinance No.

90-C (Water and Sewer Benefit Charges). Mr. Munfakh moved to adopt Ordinance No. 90-C as presented with the modifi-

cations as presented by the Attorney to be effective immediately upon its publi-cation (December 28, 1987). Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call

outh under which the latter will furnish water to the Western Wayne Correction

of Allegiance to the Flag. All members were present.

roll call vote, except Mr. Irvine who voted no.

Chief, recognizing 19 years of service.

Supported by Mrs. Brooks. Ayes all.

ed by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call vote.

by Mr. Horton. Ayes all on a roll call vote.

at 8:50 p.m.

The Plymouth Jaycees recently earned several awards at the Region earned 13 awards for the second Awards Ceremony held mid-Decem- quarter at a district ceremony in ber in Lincoln Park.

Charles E. Lowe Jr. was named competition President of the Quarter for the re- At the district level, Lowe was some 30 chapters.

president.

visitations to other chapters. Tonya ment project. Smith was named director of the In the first quarter the Plymouth quarter, and Wanda Derico was the Jaycees earned the Chapter of the Armbruster competition winner.

Earlier the Plymouth Jaycees Redford, including an honorable mention for Chapter of the Quarter

Quarter award by the region.

gion which involves competition by named President of the Quarter, O'Neal received four awards, Doher-Rich Doherty was honored for ty three awards, Shannon Miller was community development vice presi- named individual development vice dent of the quarter and best commu- president of the quarter and honored nity development project. Tim for best individual development O'Neal earned an honorable mention project, Smith and O'Day were difor management development vice rectors of the quarter, Derico for the Armbruster competition, and Pat Cindy O'Day was honored for most Enna for best community develop-

lections of Abraham B. Markham. Markham read his paper at the annual meeting of the State Pioneer Society more than 100 years ago in February 1877. He arrived in Plymouth from New

was like 150 years ago are the recol-

Sam

Hudson

York State in 1825. His homestead was on Six Mile Road, between Shel don and Beck, in what is now North-

From Markham, we have an idea what the area was like in terms of forests, animals, crops, log-cabin raisings, mills, the first meetings of the township, his job as tax-collector, the condition of the roads, and the Indians he met.

Markham had this to say about the trees he had to cut down before he could plant his seed. "I soon found I could chop an acre in six or seven days, fit for logging. In one year, I

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH **1988 BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE** 

### PLEASE TAKE NOTICE - that the Board of Trustees of the Charter Townshi of Plymouth has scheduled meetings in the Meeting Room of the Township Hall 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, MI 48170 at 7:30 p.m. on the following dat for the calendar year 1988

JANUARY 12, 26	JULY 12, 26
FEBRUARY 9, 23	AUGUST 9, 23
MARCH 8, 22	SEPTEMBER 13, 27
APRIL 12, 26	OCTOBER 11, 25
MAY 10, 24	NOVEMBER 1, 15
JUNE 14, 28	DECEMBER 6, 20
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Depending on the press of work the two meetings scheduled for July and August may be cut-back to one and notices published accordingly. Telephone N

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January 7, 1988

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE

CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN

A regular meeting of the Plymouth Zoning Board of Appeals will be held on Thursday, January 7, 1988, at 7:30 P.M. in the Commission Chambers of City der the following

Z-88-01 - 127 S. Main - Variance for loading zone Property zoned 0-1. All interested persons are invited to attend. Publish: December 28, 1987

### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH **BOARD OF TRUSTEES - REGULAR MEETING** December 15, 1987

SUMMARY OF BOARD PROCEEDINGS

After much discussion between Mr. Dallas Tevis, owner of Stop-Over Party Store and Board members, and review of the report and exhibits received from Mr. Bailey's office, Mr. Munfakh moved to allow Mr. Tevis to tap into the City of Livonia's sanitary sewer system, subject to the following conditions - (1 satisfactory proof submitted from the Wayne County Health Department stating that a septic tank cannot be constructed at the applicant's location and (2) that ver a Plymouth Township sanitary sewer and storm sewer facility becomes available that the subject property be connected to the Township sewer, at the owner's expense, within 90 days from the development of the sewer. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mr. Horton moved to accept the proposed Board meeting dates for 1988 as submitted by Mrs. Hulsing. (Board meeting dates will be published on December 28). Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mr. Munfakh moved to set the date of January 26, 1988 at 7:30 p.m. to hold a public hearing on the request of hahn-chardon Company for an Industrial Facili-ties Exemption Certificate. Supported by Mrs. Brooks. Ayes all.

Mrs. Huls ng moved to concur with the Supervisor's recommendation to reap point John Los, Jack Dempsey and Carol Arold to the Personnel Committee their terms to expire December 31, 1988. Supported by Mr. Horton. Ayes all. Mr. Munfakh moved to concur with the Supervisor's recommendation to reap point Joyce Dasher, Georgiana Hemming, Gerald Schwartz, Owen McKenny William Brown, Gene Hood and Craig Fleming to the Board of Review, their terms to expire December 31, 1988. Supported by Mrs. Hulsing. Ayes all. Mr. Horton moved to concur with the Supervisor's recommendation to ation to appoint

Lawrence Schendel and John Stewart to the 1988 Board of Review, their terms to expire December 31, 1988. Supported by Mrs. Hulsing. Ayes all. Munfakh moved Resolution No. 87-12-15-44 amending the 1987 General

Fund Budget, as proposed, by authorizing the transfer of monies from Fund Balance to the General Fund Budget. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call vote. Mr. Munfakh moved to approve the payment to Kerr, Russell and Weber in the

amount of \$22,444.08 for legal services rendered Plymouth Township from 11/ 4/83 to 6/27/87 and also \$440.25 for legal services rendered the D.P.W. in 1984 and 1985. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mr. Horton moved approval of the requested frequency conversion of the policy radio system to provide the 155.565 MHz at a cost of \$6,212.75 by Motorola tions and Electronics, Inc. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

Mr. Pruner moved to accept the recommendation of the Hunting Committee as Resolution No. 87-12-15-45 setsforth and refer to the attorney the drafting of an appropriate ordinance. Supported by Mr. Munfakh. Ayes all on a roll call vote. Chief Berry addressed the Board. He explained he is requesting an investigation be instituted to see if there is enough evidence to revoke the license of Plymouth Rock Saloon under Plymouth Township Ordinance No. 84. He said he would like ections 2.a) and b) of the Ordinance reviewed.

Pruner. Ayes all.

The adjustment reflects the increased cost of living for 1987 and the anticipated

This amount is consistent with the projected C.P.I. in the Detroit Metro area and is necessary for salary maintenance. Individual merit adjustments which will reflect actual increase in real wages will be made as in the past.

Payment is to be made on the January 15, 1988 payday; all deductions will apply (FICA, and all withholding deductions). Mrs. Broadbent said the Administration is not proposing to make any changes to

the matrix. Mrs. Huising moved to concur recommendation of the Supervisor, as Personnel Director that all non-represented full-time employees receive a lump sum pay-ment of seven percent of their 1987 gross pay (excluding all premium time). The payment is to be made on the January 15, 1988 payday; all deductions will apply (FICA, all withholding deduct). Supported by Mr. Munfakh. Ayes all. b) Re: 1987 Sick Bank Adjustment One time a dimensioned the matrix.

-One-time Adjustment The Supervisor reported that, as a part of the IAFF and Teamsters negotiation process, the Long Term Disability waiting period was reduced from 90 calendar days to 60 calendar days for all full-time employees. Because of this change, an employee would only need to bank a maximum of 45 sick days to complete the 60 calendar day waiting period. It is his recommendation, at this time, that the Township "buy back" sick time greater than 45 days and less than 60 days at 100% of the daily wage rate for all .

had seven acres cleared and fenced "I think that I shall never see with a good eight-rail fence, and four A billboard lovely as a tree Indeed, unless the billboards fall,

more acres were chopped." At the end of the year Markham had "a good double log house, a good log stable, a good well of water; one cow, a yoke of steers, a calf, and fodder enough to keep them over the winter: a sow and seven pigs, and plenty of corn for them; half a dozen

MARKHAM'S CHIEF problem was getting rid of trees.

ily for a year

The problem today is to make sure we don't get rid of too many trees, thereby cluttering up the landscape with things less pleasing to the eye. I am reminded of Ogden Nash's paro-dv of Jovce Kilmer's poem "Trees." number and other wild game in abundance. There was no danger of Nash's version goes like this:

> CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 90-C

hens, and provisions for a small fam- a cluster of basswood trees," he said.

I'll never see a tree at all."

Markham also had something to

say about the animals he saw. Walk-

ing through the woods one day, he

sighted five wolves. There was a

bounty of \$25 each on wolves so he

decided to shoot them. "I got behind

"I was almost sure of two of them

the first shot." Fortunately for the

wolves, Markham's gun jammed.

On another of his rambles, Mark-

ham saw "many wild animals, such

as deer, bear, wolves, etc. We start-

ed up a herd of deer of over forty in

They loped away, unharmed

starving for want of meat."

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 96, AS AMENDED, THE WATER AND SEWER ORDINANCE, BY AMENDING SECTION 5. RATES AND CHARGES: TO ES-TABLISH METHODS AND LIMITATIONS ON PAYMENT OF WATER BENEFIT CHARGES; TO ESTABLISH METHODS AND LIMITATIONS ON PAYMENT OF SEWER BENEFIT **CHARGES; PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY OF THIS ORDINANCE: PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF ALL OTHER INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES: PROVIDING FOR** THE SAVINGS CLAUSE OF THIS ORDINANCE: AND PRO-**VIDING FOR THE PUBLICATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE** OF THE ORDINANCE

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS:

Section 1. The Ordinance amends Paragraphs E and O of Section 5 of Ordinance No. 90 E. Water Benefit Charges: The ordinance clarifies the limitation on water benefit charges for existing homes and adds a procedure for developers and

subdividers to pay water benefit charges over not more than three years. O. Sewer Benefit Charges: The ordinance clarifies the limitation on sewer benefit charges for existing homes and adds a procedure for developers and subdividers to pay water benefit charges over not more than three years. Section 2. Severability. The Ordinance further provides that any unenforce-

able sections can be severed from the rest of the Ordinance. Section 3. Repeal. The Ordinance provides for the repeal of all inconsistent

Ordinances to the extent of such inconsistencies, hereby repealed. Section 4. Savings Clause. The Ordinance provides for a savings clause for the balance of Ordinance 90.

Section 5. Publication. The Township Clerk shall arrange for the requisite publication of this Ordinance. Section 6. Effective Date. The Ordinance becomes effective immediately

upon publication of this summary. This Ordinance was duly adopted by the Township Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth at its regular meeting called and held on the 15th day of December, 1987, and was ordered given publication in the manner required by law. Copies of the complete text of this Ordinance are available for inspection at the offices of the Charter Township of Plymouth, 42550 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan, during regular business hours.

ESTHER HULSING, Clerk

full-time employees other than the DPW workers and Firefighters. Sick leave accumulated over 60 days during calendar year 1987, will be bought back as in

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Beginning	with calendar year	r 1988, all sick time	accumulated in	excess of 45
days as of	December 31 of the	it year, will be bough	t back at 50% of	f daily rate to
be paid no	later than the secon	nd payday in January	of the following	year.

his policy will affect	the following persons.	
Carl Berry	7 days* @ \$152.00 = \$1,064.00 gross	
arry Groth	15 days* @ \$151.42 = \$2,271.30 gross	
ony Hollis	15 days* @ \$122.95 - \$1,844.25 gross	
hil Kozian	15 days* @ \$ 87.44 = \$1,311.60 gross	
A. Massengill	15 days* @ \$ 77.29 - \$1,159.35 gross	
Barbara Pray	15 days* @ \$ 70.02 = \$1,050.30 gross	
otal		

82 davs\* \$8,700.80 gross\*\*

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\*If no sick days are taken in December, 1987

\*\*Plus applicable taxes (FICA match, worker's comp., etc...) Mr. Munfakh moved to approve the policy adjustment in sick bank as proposed by the Supervisor. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

c) Re: Personal Business Days The Administration is recommending that the two personal days that are allocated for General Fund employees, will no longer be utilized by the Fire Chief, Police Chief, Deputy Police Chief, DPW Superintendent, Communications Direc-tor, Director of Public Services, Director of Planning, and Chief Building Offi-cial as their salary represents full compensation for all services rendered. Mrs. Hulsing moved that the Board adopt the additional "No Personal Business Daw", evilor, these public is a complete to the service of the s

Days" policy for those people in Administrative positions as recommended by the Administration. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all. 2. Maurice Breen, Supervisor

2. Maurice Breen, Supervisor Re: Plymouth Township Employees Retirement Proposal Mrs. Broadbent explained this is a limited period retirement program. The main

points of the program are (1) it is a voluntary "one time only" program and it is not offered on an ongoing basis it is to be made available to all full time nonrepresented employees who meet the age and service requirements (2) the emvee must complete an application form between January 1, 1988 and February 28, 1988 to take advantage of the program. The actual retirement date does not have to occur until June 30, 1988.

(3) There will be a health insurance coverage provision for the employee and employee's spouse, as well as a term life insurance policy. The final item on this proposal concerns the sick leave bank and vacation pay. There are two options that can be handled under this program.

SICK LEAVE BANK:

Option I - Payment for 100% of employee's accumulated sick leave (maximum possible is 51 days) will be paid to the employee in 60 equal monthly payments. Balance of payments will be accelerated and made payable to the designated beneficiary made to in the event of a retiree's death during the 60 month period. Option II - Payment for 100% of employee's accumulated sick leave (maximum possible is 51 days) will be paid to the employee in one lump sum at the time of

VACATION PAY:

Option I - Payment for 100% of all earned and accured vacation time (Maximum possible is 30 days) will be paid to the employee in 60 equal monthly payments. Balance of payments will be accelerated and made payable to the designated beneficiary in the event of a retiree's death during the 60 month

Option II - Payment for 100% of all earned and accured vacation time (maximum possible is 30 days) will be paid to the employee in one lump sum at the time of retirement

Mrs. Hulsing moved to adopt a Limited Period Early Retirement Program for a one-time period only. Employees must complete the application form between January 1, 1988 and February 28, 1988 to take advantage of this program. The employee must designate on the application form, a retirement date occuring between January 1, 1988 and June 30, 1988. Employee must be at least 50 years of age on the date of retirement and have at least 15 years of service; in order to take advantage of this program, the employee's age (years and completed months) and service (full-time years and completed months) must total 76 or more. The adoption includes Option I of the Sick Leave Bank and Option I of the

Vacation Pay proposal. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.

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Mr. Pruner moved to concur with the Supervisor's recommendation to assign Mr. Van Vleck as Administrative Assistant to the Fire Chief. This is subject to the settlement of litigation now pending between Mr. Van Vleck and the Charter Township of Plymouth. Supported by Mr. Horton. Ayes all. Mr. Horton moved to receive and file all items under L. Communications

esolutions - Reports. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Aves all. frs. Hulsing moved to adjourn. Supported by Mr. Munfakh. Ayes all.

Meeting adjourned at 10:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by: ESTHER HULSING, Clerk

Mrs. Huising moved that the Supervisor be authorized to appoint special counsel to review material to be presented by the Police Department and report back to the Board their advice as to whether or not sufficient grounds exist to go for-ward with revocation proceedings of the liquor license held by the Plymouth Rock Saloon under Plymouth Township Ordinance No. 84. Supported by Mr.

PERSONNEL POLICIES AND TOWNSHIP PROCEDURES:

1.a) Maurice Breen, Supervisor Re: 1988 Annual Compensation Program
 Mrs. Broadbent addressed the Board. She explained it is the recommendation of the Administration that all non-represented full-time employees receive a lump sum payment of seven percent of their December 31, 1987 gross (excluding all

additional payroll taxes in 1988.



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taste buds chef Larry Janes

# Beyond bargain bubbly

It is evident that we were dealing with a novice. Not being one to enjoy the bubbly nature of champagne, it was necessary for me to get out of the habit of buying \$2.99 bottles of the stuff and to raise my consciousness of the effervescent grape to new heights. Could one spend more than \$3 and truly find the difference? Oui, Oui!

For those of you who, like myself, thought of champagne as something we picked up on the way home from buying lunch meat, bread and milk for the kids' lunches, boy, will you be surprised.

Champagne is the sparkling wine produced in the Champagne district of France, the area some 90 miles northeast of Paris, surrounding the village of Epernay, the city of Reims and a number of other small communities. (And you thought it was a subsidiary of Stroh's?)

It is made from certain grapes mainly the Pinot Noir and the Chardonnay. These are the same grapes used to make burgundy. (No, Bernadette, not the Mogen-David or Thunderbird variety.) Traditional champagne is made from the black grape of the Pinot Noir whose skins are removed from the fermenting juice before the pigment can be leached out and darken the wine. The modern trend is toward blanc de blancs white wine from white grapes (Sacre Dom Perignon!), although they must be made entirely from the white Chardonnay.

BUT IN ALL cases, true champagne is produced entirely from the Champagne district. By the way, the stuff I call champagne that costs about \$3 a bottle is really sparkling wine. Although labeled champagne, it cannot be called such in Europe. Such are the laws inside the Common Market.

Champagne was first introduced way back in the 17th century by Dom Perignon, a Benedictine monk who was the cellarmaster at the abbey of Hautvillers. He and the grape growers of the region were aware that a slight natural sparkle resulted from the second fermentation of the grapes that occurred in the spring after the fall harvest.

The sparkle, or petillance as it is still called, was a pleasant surprise. It added a special quality to the wine. Corks were not yet invented then and unfortunately, to put it bluntly, the fizzle soon went flat.

However, the wine was still sought after, and eventually Brother Dom, after trying wood and cotton stoppers without

# They knead to make bread

**By Arlene Funk** special writer

Wilma Slesak has the feel for successful bread-bak

The 70-year-old Livonia homemaker has been baking bread — and winning raves — since she was a teenager living on a farm in Missouri.

"I was the second of five children, and the oldest " girl," Slesak said. "My mother baked bread. It was mething we did from necessity." "You do get a feel for it," Slesak added.

Sheila Guyer of Southfield learned how to bake bread when she was unable to obtain challah, a rich, slightly sweet egg bread which is a mainstay of the Jewish sabbath dinner.

"My husband was in the service and there was no bakery to buy it from," said Guyer, 47. "I started bak-ing over 20 years ago. We happen to like the way it tastes." Baking bread was something her grandmother had done but not her mother.

Although many varieties of bread can easily be obtained at the market or bakery, Slesak and Guyer prefer to make their own.

"If I bought bread from the store, everybody objected," Slesak said. "They wanted to know why we had to eat store-bought bread."

THE MAIN ingredients in bread are flour, sugar, salt, yeast and vegetable oil. Successful bread-baking depends upon the proper proportion of ingredients, along with adequate kneading and rising. Proficiency comes with experience.

"I know a lot of people are frightened off by a yeast bread," Guyer said. "It takes not being afraid to do it. By the second or third time, it's like coming home.

Slesak and her husband Edwin, now retired from H.J. Heinz Co., have lived in Livonia for 30 years. They have three grown sons and five grandchildren.

Slesak, who also makes coffee cakes and english muffins from scratch, has an armload of winning ribbons from 25 years of entries in the Michigan State Fair baking competition.

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# Baking tips for breads

Wilma Slesak of Livonia has been baking bread for 55 years and has won countless numbers of baking competitions at the Michigan State Fair.

Following are some of her suggestions for success-ful scratch yeast breads: • Use a very large bowl to mix dough (Slesak has a 12-qt. bowl). It is easier to mix when there is plenty of

space. · Bowls and utensils should be warm. Slesak some

times lets her mixing bowl rest in warm water to maintain adequate warmth.

· Flours vary in moisture content. Only experience can indicate how much flour to add during the kneading process. There may be some variation. Add one tablespoon at a time.

· Grease hands before kneading.

Knead dough 5-10 minutes, until it is pliable and not sticky.

· Allow dough to rise in a warm, draft-free place (75-85 degrees). Slesak recommends placing the dough in a slightly warmed oven for about one hour. Too-long rising will yield bread with a coarse texture.

· For a glazed crust, toward the end of baking, brush top with an egg wash (one egg yolk diluted with one or two tablespoons water or milk). To keep crust soft, brush crust with butter after bread is baking and out of pan, then cover with damp cloth.

great success, discovered that corks were effective when secured in the bottles by string. It is also said that the good monk was responsible for having bottles made of heavier glass to prevent them from exploding under the pressure during the second fermentation.

It is this second fermentation that is the crucial step in making champagne. When making still wine, the bottling usually takes place long after the second fermentation so the bubbles are never captured. By the way, those bubbles that seem to give everyone the giggles are only the carbon dioxide gas that is a natural byproduct of fermentation. Because champagne is bottled prior to the second fermentation, the entire process is much more complex than the production of still wine.

**WOULD YOU** believe that there is still existing today the remuage or manual twisting and shaking of the bottles in the cellars cut deep in the soil of Reims and Eperney. That's one of the reasons you won't find imported French champagne at under \$3 per bottle. See, the cost of labor nowadays.

This manual twisting prevents the yeasts of fermentation and any other natural sediment from clinging to the sides of bottles. Each time a bottle is twisted, it is tilted a little farther forward onto its nose. Ultimately, the bottles will stand on the neck with all the sediment collected in their necks against the corks.

Now, to make matters even worse, and definitely more expensive, comes the disgorging or degorgement. The neck of each bottle is immersed in an icy brine solution until the ball of sediment is frozen so that it can be plucked when the stopper is removed. The sediment is replaced with the "dosage" or a small amount of sugary wine that will tell us how sweet the champagne will be.

The driest champagne, or brut, will be the one with the least amount of dosage. This is followed in sweetness by extradry, sec, demi sec and doux, which are produced in small quantities are not readily available in this country.

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The smell of warm bread baking - a treat for the nose - is commonplace in the home of Livonia resident Wilma Slesak. She bakes all kinds of breads. including white, whole wheat, raisin and rye.

Let bread cool completely, usually an hour, be fore wrapping, storing or freezing.

See recipes, following pages

# **Plum pudding** Rhyming recipe a tradition

### By Chris Rizk staff writer

Holidays are steeped in tradition: gift-giving, fami-ly gatherings and fancy feasts. For the Kotcher family in Canton, the holidays

hold an even greater sense of tradition. For the last 85 years, someone in Joan Kotcher's family has been making plum pudding just like grandma (or in this case, great-grandma) used to make

make. "Did you know," asked Kotcher, "that plum pud-ding has no plums in it? The recipe was devised dur-ing a time when the popular color was purple. Every-ting was plum colored so they named a recipe to reflect what was popular during that generation." Kotcher, who takes seriously her duty to satisfy tradition, researched the recipe's lineage. She questioned why the recipe was recorded in rhyme, as follows: To make Plum Pudding to English man's taste, so all is eaten so nothing is wasted. Take raisins and currants and bread crumbs all round, and suet of oxen and flour, one pound . Her research unearthed a peculiar fact. Most women in the early 1906s were not privileged to receive an education, including reading and writing.

THE RECIPE, as were most during that time, was set in rhyme to accommodate a forgetful mind. "It is written that way so the women, who might have a hard time remembering the hard stuff, would have an easier time remembering a rhyme," Kotcher said said

Not that Kotcher has a difficult time preparing the

recipe. Now in her 13th year of making plum pudding, she has whittled down preparation time from more than 2½ hours to just under 1½.

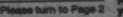
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She makes enough to fill a pressure cooker, the size that can hold seven quart jars used for canning. She has altered the recipe slightly in order to suit her family's tastes, she said. Her great-grandmother, Minnie Jaynes Campbell, obtained the recipe from a friend. Although it called for cognac as one the liquids (as does chef James Beard's recipe), Kotcher said she permitted herself, like her great-grandmother, to use truit tuices fruit juices.

A family of Methodist ministers would not, she said, "be using that kind of stuff" in their recipes. The fruitcake-like dessert takes time to prepare. For a novice, it also takes patience and cooking acu-

KOTCHER RECITED the story of 12-year-old Ethel Campbell Boughman, her grandmother. It seems that Boughman, anxious to carry out tradition, set about to make plum pudding. The followed the recipe precisely: ". Then sug-ar, molasses and milk one half pint, and fresh eggs take six. Be sure you properly mix. Salt, ginger and cinnamor a teaspoonful. Put into a bag round as you can, and boil for eight hours, hard as you can." Not an ignorant child, Boughman prided herself on following the directions — until the pudding was served.

To her dismay, the dessert had to be discarded ecause she hadn't included all the ingredients. Not, Kotcher said, because little Ethel couldn't ead, but because the recipe included only those agredients that would be difficult to remember. The remainder, like baking powder, were common agredients in any recipe. A good cook was supposed to know that, Kotcher atd





Joan Kotcher of Canton has been making the same plum pudding recipe that has been in her family for the last 85

## They knead to make bread

Continued from Page 1 Baking bread is a lengthy process.

.The most time-consuming portion is when the dough is rising. Guyer gets her dough mixed and kneaded, then goes on with her chores while the dough rises. Once you get the knack, "it isn't necessary

to baby-sit the dough," she said.

Slesak makes white, whole wheat, raisin and rye breads. Stepping into her home is a treat for the nose. The yeasty fragrance of baking bread fills the air. Tasting the warm, surface to rest for 15 minutes. Next, evening Sabbath dinner, which usubuttered bread is the reward.

WHILE ONE batch bakes to a crusty, golden hue, Slesak busily kneads dough in a huge bowl. She works at an oversized kitchen counter with plenty of working space. Slesak measures her ingredients.

She kneads the dough for 5-10 min-She covers the dough with plastic range in age from 15 to 23. and a damp towel and carries the bowl to her family room where a at Brandeis University outside Boswood-burning stove emits warmth.

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The dough sits near the stove, and bring some challah." heat causes it to rise (approximately one hour). When the dough has doubaking pans to rise for one hour. The home-baking dessert. bread is baked at 375 degrees for 45 minutes.

active volunteer schedule with the my experience, every Jewish person Jewish National Fund and Meals on has had challah."

utes, until it is pliable and not sticky. zens. The Guyers' three children "We're going to visit our daughter ton." Guver said. "She asked us to

GUYER'S CHALLAH bread conbled in volume, Slesak punches it tains flour, yeast, eggs, oil, sugar down and returns the bowl to the and water. Sometimes she coils the warm spot to double again. She then loaf into a braid. Other times she divides the dough into three equal fashions it into a round loaf. The pieces and places them on a floured challah is served at Guyer's Friday she shapes the dough into three ally includes soup, broiled or baked loaves and puts them into greased chicken, vegetable, salad and a

"We make a blessing on the bread Guyer squeezes her baking into an to start the meal," Guyer said. "In

### Rhyming recipe family tradition Not only is she serving an 85-year-Measurements need not be exact.

Continued from Page 1 Ethel tried again, and succeeded

and the plum pudding recipe survived another generation. Today, Kotcher places the ingredients in molds, puts them in a pressure cooker and cooks them for

about 45 minutes. SHE TESTS to see if the cake-like mixture is done by inserting a tooth-

pick in the centers. "It depends on the size and shape mald you use," Kotcher said.

Her recipe makes four round If you are not using a pressure

cooker, Kotcher said that a large pan can be used. Instead of molds, tin cans, ranging

from the 1-pound pork and bean size to a soup can, can be used. The cans should be greased before

filling two-thirds full with the mixture. Aluminum foil should cover each

can and a large lid should cover the Served with a special lemon sauce

poured over the warmed cake, it makes for a delicious end to a holiday supper. When the pudding is served, the

time is an especially poignant one

old recipe but the cake rests on the Mix dry ingredients, set aside. silver tray used for the first plum pudding. An adage she discovered in 1956 fruits and mix well (with hands, if

still guides her: In as many homes as needed.) you eat plum pudding in the 12 days following Christmas, so many happy months will you have during the year.

PLUM PUDDING **Dry Ingredients** 1½ cups flour

1 cup sugar

cloves,

3 eggs

FRUITS

inch pieces

LIQUIDS

teaspoon salt

1/2 teaspoon ginger

allspice (optional)

1/2 cup molasses

1/2 cup milk

1/2 teaspoon cinnamon

3 teasooons baking powder

1 1/2 pounds dried fruits:

1½ pounds miscellaneous:

1/4 teaspoons each mace, ground

ins, currants, or muscat raisins

8 slices bread, torn or cut into one-

1 1/2 pounds suet (grind or chop fine)

candied fruits, citron and citrus peel,

oughly. Fill greased molds 3/3 full. Cover loosely with aluminum foil to keep tops dry. Set molds in a large, deep pan. Add water to halfway up the molds.

Mix liquids, set aside. Mix fruits in

large bowl. Add dry ingredients to

Then add liquids and mix thor-

Cover pan and boil gently until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.

If water boils away, add more. (Put two marbles in pan. They rattle if water is too low.) Allow to ripen several weeks or

months. Refrigeration is not necessary. Serve with hot lemon sauce.

OLD-FASHIONED LEMON SAUCE Combine in saucepan 1/2 cup butter,

1 cup sugar, ¼ cup water, 1 egg, well beaten, 3 tbsp. lemon juice (1 lemon) and grated rind of 1 lemon (optional). Cook over medium heat, stirring

constantly, just until mixture come to a boil Amount: 11/2 cups



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So the next time you visit the liquor store and see fine champagne selling for \$40 and more on the shelf, nber, it is to be enjoyed with dignity and spirit. Think of all those people working in the moldy old caves, bottling, turning, disgorging the likes of all that sparkling matter. Personally speaking, after drinking my share of those \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6 and \$7 bottles of the stuff. I found the imported French variety definitely less bubbly and somewhat drier. But even more important, I shuddered at 5 egg yolks the thought of paying about \$9 per flute (that's the fancy name for the glass that it should be poured in)

(yes, you got it, per glass). days, whether it be Dom Perignon, till mixture reaches 236 degrees on a Cattinger (James Bond's favorite) or candy thermometer (soft ball stage). Moet Chanden (this writer's favorite) raise your glasses high with a shout til light and lemon-colored. When of praise to Brother Dom, who, if not syrup is the correct temperature, for his invention, would have us add to yolks in a thin steam, beating drinking all this bubbly injected stuff constantly until thick and creamy from the East and West coasts.

CHAMPAGNE ICE 3 cups water ½ cup lemon juice 5 cup champagne 1 % cups sugar

½ cup pineapple juice

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Bring water and sugar to a boil 1 12-ounce package frozen raspberand boil until sugar is dissolved about 3 minutes), let cool. Stir in the rest of the ingredients,

Place raspberries in a blender and pour into a container and freeze. For blend until smooth. Combine with champagne and sugar in a saucepan reduced by 1/2.

> 1 cup sugar 4 egg whites

2 cups whipped cream

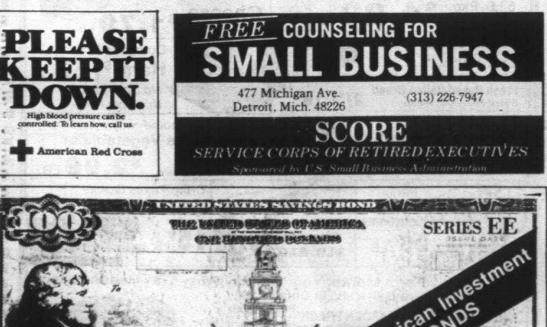
Soften gelatin in 1/2 cup champagne. Stir over warm water until gelatin is thoroughly dissolved. Then add this to the remaining champagne and sugar in a large mixing bowl. Chill just until mixture begins to thicken. Then beat until foamy. Beat egg whites in another bowl until stiff but not dry. Beat beaten whites into the champagne mixture until smooth and glossy. Fold in whipped cream and pour into a lightly oiled 1 1/2 quart mold. Chill until firm. Great with melba sauce.

CHAMPAGNE PUNCH 1 cup lime juice l cup rum

1 bottle brut champagne 2 liters pale dry ginger ale

Combine and mix. Garnish with frozen juice ring.

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34 cup brut champagne 1/2 cup sugar

1 ½ cups whipping cream

Combine 1/2 cup of champagne with the sugar in a small saucepan Whatever your choice for the holi- over medium heat, continue boiling Meanwhile, beat the egg yolks un-(10 minutes). Gradually blend in remaining champagne, chill until thick but not stiff. Whip cream in chilled bowl, fold in champagne mixture, cover and set in freeezer overnight Fill cups with cream and serve with 16-ounce can frozen pineapple juice a drizzle of chocolate sauce.

CHAMPAGNE MELBA SAUCE

ries 1 cup champag

1/2 cup sugar

and heat on low heat until sauce is This is great poured over cake, ice CHAMPAGNE MOUSSE 2 envelopes unflavored gelatin

### Bread bakers offer special recipes

7 %-8 cups bread flour, divided 1/4 cup sugar 1 tbsp. salt 1 pkg. (1/4 oz.) dry yeast

### 3 cups warm tap water <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cup vegetable oil

flour, sugar, salt and yeast. Add wa- wheat flour and the remainder ter and oil. Beat with electric mixer white. Use brown sugar instead of for two minutes. Using wooden white. spoon stir in 4 more cups of flour - For rye, use 3 cups dry flour and enough to make a soft dough. Add substitute brown sugar for white. more flour, a little at a time and Add 1 tablespoon caraway seeds. knead. Knead 5-10 minutes, until For raisin bread, use the same dough is pliable, easily handled and amount of white flour. Double the not sticky. Grease bowl with solid sugar and oil, and add 12 oz. raisins. shortening, margarine or bacon drippings for added flavor. Turn dough over so top is also greased. I cup vegetable oil Cover with piece of plastic and a 34 cup sugar damp towel. Set in warm place to 3-4 tsp. salt rise. After dough has doubled in vol- 11/2 cups hot tap water ume (1 hour), punch down. Allow to 4 eggs rise until double again. Divide dough 3 pkg. dry yeast, dissolved in addi-

dium for healthful eating.

1/2 cup red currant jelly

1 tablespoon lemon juice

1/4 cup chicken broth

2 teaspoons cornstarch

Use a sharp knife to make diagonal

1/4 cup dry red wine

Sodium-reduced

surface and let rest 15 minutes. 10-11 cups flour Shape into three loaves and place into baking pans. Let rise in pans for 1 hour in warm place. Bake at 375 degrees for 45 minutes. Yield: 3

loaves. Variations In large mixing bowl, put 3 cups For whole wheat, use 3 cups whole

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WILMA SLESAK'S WHITE BREAD into 3 equal pieces. Place on floured tional 1 % cups hot water

into a circle.

Dissolve oil, sugar and salt in hot water. Add eggs. Dissolve yeast in 11/2 cups water and add to oil and sugar. Mix well. Add flour, kneading until dough is no longer sticky. Put dough in greased bowl and flip so oily side is up. Cover with wet towel. Let rise 1-11/2 hours. Have 6 loaf pans sprayed with nonstick oil. Put 3 balls of dough into each loaf pan. Brush with egg yolk or water and sprinkle with poppy seeds. Cover with the same damp towel and let rise 30 minutes. Bake 10 minutes in preheated 400 degree oven. Turn pans Lower heat to 350 degrees and bake 20 minutes longer until golden brown. Yield: 6 small loaves. Note: As bakers become more proficient they may experiment with different shapes, such as braids, or twisted

# Etiquette rules changing

Monday, December 28, 1987 O&E

AP - Twenty or 30 years ago, office etiquette just wasn't important. But as more women entered the workplace, things' changed. Now manners count in the office and beyond, says Beverly Cooper, president of the Etiquette Centre.

"After more than two decades of allowing rudeness to reign, today's executives and professionals, and those aspiring to join the senior ranks, have found that a neglected social education impedes career progress," Cooper said. She said this rudeness came about

because manners weren't taught in the home - or if they were, children didn't listen. The sit-down meal was passe and children were reared by the "fast food on the go method '

"So we have a whole new set of rules today." Cooper added. "A lot of rudeness many times is because people don't realize they are being rude

tuted if eggnog is unavailable.)

"The Great Pretenders Party

They don't know what the more ap- more complicated propriate behavior might be. A lot of world. them just simply don't know the "The rule is to remember that it is rules. These people are in their 20s. genderless," she said. "So a woman

30s, maybe even 40s." In today's competitive business world, the social graces are being man." taught because people just don't know them, she said.

"The little things add up," Cooper said "Minor details make up the total person. There is a certain way to make a proper introduction 'and many people avoid making introductions simply because they don't know how to do it and they are uncomfortahie

"Nor do they know how to give a proper handshake or whether to stand when somebody enters the office," she added. "Just what is the rule now with women in the business world? Do men stand or don't they?" In today's business world introductions are genderless, she said, but they do depend on protocol.

"The more prominent person's name is spoken first," she said. "It is not necessarily the woman's name that is spoken first as in a social setting. Rules are pretty much the same where a woman's name is spoken first when making an introduction in the social world or an older person's name is spoken first. The question of when to stand is

should rise to greet somebody (man or woman) just as if she were a

Rules also have changed for paying the bill when the meal is over. "The person that did the inviting

pays the bill. It's as simple as that. A man shouldn't feel like he has to pay if he has been invited by a woman The women really have to be in control and take the check as soon as it arrives at the table," she said. Cooper teaches people in her eti-

quette seminars to be more comfort able and more self-confident at social and business occasions.

"The most important thing is to make an introduction," she said. "We should on the first occasion use Mr or Ms. or Mrs. A lot of older people especially are offended by people calling them on a first-name basis the first time they meet. You let that person say, 'Please call me Beverly, or whatever the name might be. If you forget somebody's name, just be honest

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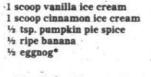
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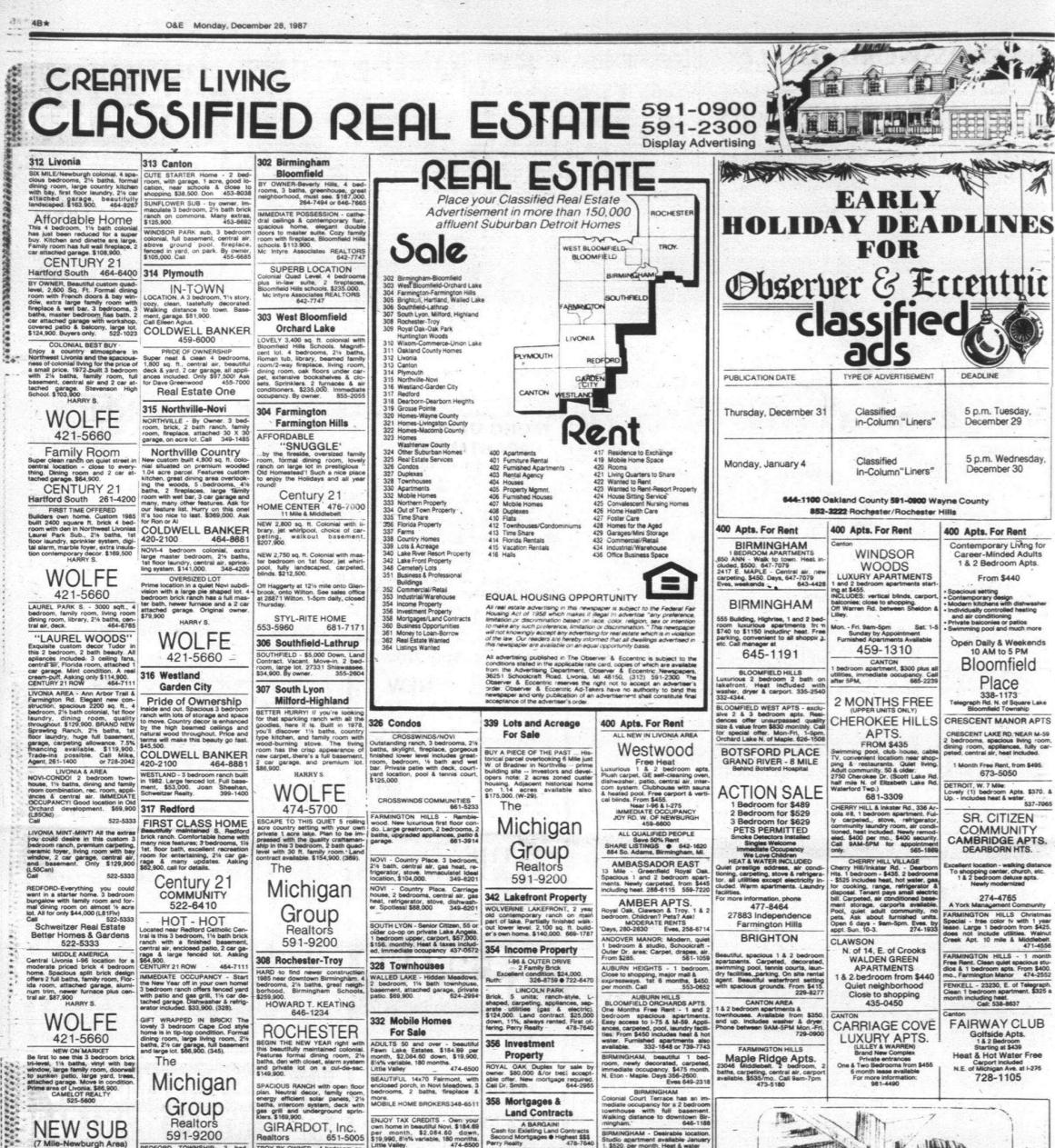
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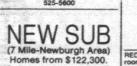
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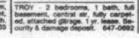
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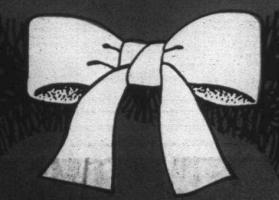
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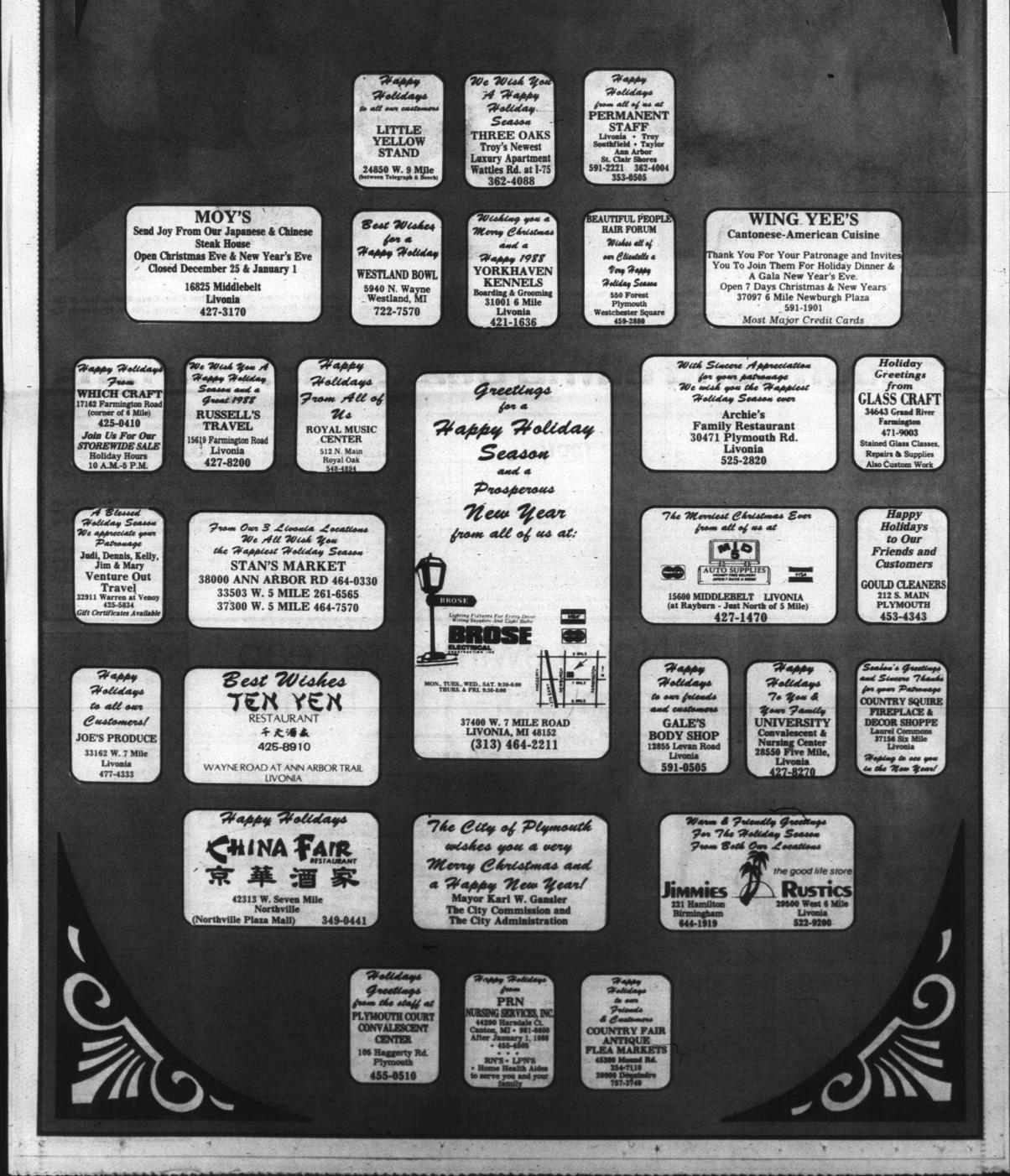
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### Go Green, Go White!

Michigan State University will participate in its first Rose Bowl game since 1966 when the Spartans meet the University of Southern California Trojans on New Year's Day. MSU posted an 8-2-1 record this season, and a lot of that success can be

attributed to such Observer & Eccentric players as (front row, green shirts) Mark Nichols (83) of Birmingham Brother Rice, Todd Krumm (35) of West Bloomfield and John Miller (44) of Farmington Hills Harrison, and (back row, green shirts) Bob

Kula (63) of Birmingham Brother Rice, Dave Martin (58) of Birmingham Brother Rice and Dave Houle (74) of Plymouth Salem.

# Season-long climb peaks for Spartans

### By C.J. Risak staff writer

OK, so everyone knows Michigan State hasn't been to the Robe Bowl in a while. Since 1966, to be exact. Heck, only 16 of the current Spartans were alive back then, and it's kinda doubtful they remember much of the game.

But this road trip goes beyond Rose Bowls. Until Christmas Day, few of MSU's players had ever seen California.

Bob Kula hadn't. Mark Nichols hadn't. Dave Houle hadn't. Todd Krumm hadn't. Those four, plus John Miller, all start for MSU and are all Observer & Eccentric-area products.

The lifestyle of the Californian must be a major tremor to the system of a Midwest-erner. So much to see, so much to do, and so Big Ten teams are routinely thumped every time they make the trip west.

"We've got a bunch of guys who've never been to California," said Nichols, a senior defensive tackle from Bloomfield Hills and Birmingham Brother Rice. "Those guys (Southern Cal, MSU's Rose Bowl opponent) live there, they go to the beach every day. It's no adjustment for them.

"Bring them into Spartan Stadium every year and see how they do."

THANK YOU, but we've already seen what USC can do in Spartan Stadium. MSU thumped the Trojans 27-13 in this season's opener. That game had a big effect on how ople outside the Big Ten perceive MSU -USC is picked to win.

Who's favored, of course, means little to the Spartans. Before the season began, MSU was just about counted out of the Big Ten

**Christie Duthie** 

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### football

race. Two major offensive weapons (quarterback Dave Yarema, from Brother Rice, and receiver Mark Ingram) had graduated. The defense seemed improved, but the secondary was scrambled, with everyone in different positions.

And the schedule . . USC, followed by Notre Dame, Florida State, Iowa and Michigan. Five top-20 teams in six weeks.

When MSU lost two of their first three, their longshot chances got longer. As Kula, a junior (sophomore eligibility) guard from West Bloomfield (and Brother Rice), said, "No one expected us to get there.

To tell the truth, I thought there were a

lot of doubts on the team. We were pessimistic after the Florida State and Notre Dame losses (31-3 and 31-8, respectively), going into the Iowa game." But, as Kula added, that Iowa game "was

probably the key to the whole season."

THE SPARTANS shocked the Hawkeyes 19-14 at Iowa. That got them going; they didn't lose again.

Houle, a senior offensive tackle from Plymouth (Salem), saw the season's turning point differently. "I thought it was the Notre Dame and Florida State games both of them," he said.

"Even losing that bad, I knew we could play with the best teams. I think if we'd won those two games, we'd gone into the Big Ten season cocky. In the long run, I think those losses helped us. They made us

By midseason, it was obvious where the pressure to succeed was seated for MSU: with the defense, which went on to prove itself as one of the best in the nation, and with the offensive line, which was given the monumental task of opening holes in de-fenses stacked to stop the one-man attack of Lorenzo White.

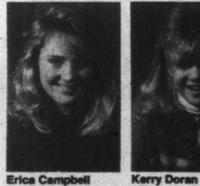
"Our job," said Nichols, "was not to give up any points. We never got down on our offense because we felt we had a job to do - not to give up anything."

THE DEFENSE did just that. In Big Ten play, Iowa and Illinois scored the most points against MSU; each had 14. In their last four games, the Spartans allowed just 22 points.

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# North swimmers reap many All-Area honors

### By Dan O'Meara staff writer

WO STATE CHAMPION swimmers and one of Michigan's most talented teams hail from Observerland and head the list of honorees on this year's All-Area girls swim team. A pair of Livonia swimmers, Michele McKenzie of Stevenson and Audra Martin of Churchill, have been fixtures in the sport throughout their high school careers. They add-ed the finishing touches by winning individual titles in the Class A championships earlier this month.

North Farmington, winner of the Western Lakes Activities Associa-tion, was undoubtedly the area's best team, and the Raiders backed up that claim with a fourth-place finish in the Class A meet.

North dominates the All-Area squad, having six swimmers selected for the team and coach Pat Duthie named Coach of the Year.

Three of the Raiders - Laurie Oswald, Kerry Doran and Cindy Cramer - were honored in individual events and also as members of

al events and also as members of North's freestyle relay team. Christie Duthie also was chosen for an individual event, Marcy Mul-barger was an at-large choice and Amy Meneilley was the fourth mem-ber of the relay. McKenzie, Martin, Farmington Hills Mercy diver Erica Compbell, Cramer, Mercy's Roberta Ort West-land John Glenn's Julie Jensen Mul-barger and Farmington's Lauren



Weary are repeaters on the All-Area team.

MICHELE MCKENZIE, 200 freestyle,

MICHELE MCKENZIE, 200 treastyle, senior, Stevenson:McKenzie capped an out-standing career by winning the Class A champi-onship with a 1:52.41 time. She also was sec-ond in the state in the 500 free (5:01.01). McKenzie is a three-time high school All-American, and she anchored Stevenson's free-style relay team that set the state record her junior year. Easily her team's leading scorer this year, she also holds three school and pool records.

"Michele's success reflects years of dedica-tion and hard work," coach Greg Phill said. "Two never coached a harder treestyle trainer.

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CHRISTIE DUTHIE, 50 free, sopho-more, N. Fairmington in the state meet. Du-the swam personal basis of 25.65 in the 50 free and 1:00.93 in the butterfly, Brishing 12th in the former and as first alternate (13th) in the latter. Her performance in the 50 free boosted her to Ao. 2 in the Observer's weakly listing and senred her the AA-area barth. In the Ordernd County meet, Duthie was sec-

ond in the 50 and fourth in the butterfly. She also holds the Novi pool record of 1:02.24 in the

ERICA CAMPBELL, diving, senior, Mercy: Campbel was seventh in the state and is a two-time Catholic League champion. She was undefested in dual meets for the 9-0-1 Mar-lins and was among the top six divers in Cak-land County.

A four-year varsity performer, she set the school record of 234 points as a junior. Her 233.30 total in 1987 was tops among Observer-

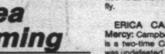
Iand divers. "There were a couple meets, if she hadn't been there, we probably wouldn't have pulled it out," coach Paul Schroeder seld. "She was a real asset. She's easily the best diver we've ever had."

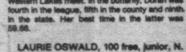
KERRY DORAN, individual medley, freshman, N. Farmington:Only a freshman, Doran wil certainly be heard from again. She aready holds varaity records in the butterfly. IN and freestyle relay. She was Oakland County champion in the IM, was second behind Martin in the state meet with a 2:08.95 time and was runner-up in the Western Lakes meet. In the butterfly, Doran was fourth in the league, titth in the county and ninth, in the state. Her best time in the latter was 58.68.

Site in the 200 free, and she was third in the league and ninth in the state in the 500 free. She also was third in the county in the latter. Her best times in those events (1.58.77 and 5:16.18) ranked her among the top 10 in the

NICOLE DRAKE, 500 free, soph more, Canton:Drake set three vanity recor-this year. They included solo marks in the 20 and 500 freestyles and as a member of Ca-ton's 400 free relay team.

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LAURIE OSWALD, 100 free, junior, N. Farmington: Oswald recorded a personal best of 55.49 in the event and also swam the lead-off leg of North's All-Area freestyle relay

was third in the law



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### Local grads at MSU face **USC** in bowl Continued from Page 1

Nichols was the team's thirdleading tackler with 83, including three sacks and seven tackles for loss. Nichols was named second team all-Big Ten, and was an honorable mention All-American.

Krumm and Miller had both switched from cornerback to safety. The move worked. Krumm, a senior from West Bloomfield, led the Big Ten with nine interceptions. He was first-team all-Big Ten and second-team All-Ameri-

Miller, a junior from Farming ton Harrison, was selected all-Big Ten and was honorable mention All-American. Four of his six intercepts came against the University of Michigan, a Big Ten record that earned him defensive player of the week honors.

The offensive line met the challenge as well, averaging 238.1 yards rushing a game to help offset a lackluster passing attack (just 97 vards per outing).

AS HOULE said, "It makes it a lot harder if the other team knows we're going to run. But we just got the attitude we're going to do it anyway."

Now, there's just one more obstacle for MSU to hurdle - that west coast jinx. The Spartans are trying to ignore it - as Kula said, We can only control our future, we can't help what's happened to Big Ten teams in the past," - but that won't be easy. Distractions are everywhere.

But perhaps Houle put such media-generated problems in proper perspective: "I read a Los Angeles newspaper that said we would be so distracted by going to Disney-land, we'd forget what we were

"Right. That's why I'm going to California, to meet Donald Duck."





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### hampionships. In the latter meet, she posted mes of 1:56.69 and 5:06.12, respectively. stroke and finished third in the IM. In the state finals, she was 11th in both events. This was Nicole's first year of high school swimming," coach Hooker Wellman said. "With one season under her belt, her future looks bright for the next two years in the WLAA, as "Cassie had a great season and gained more valuable experience for next year," Wellman said. "She is a gifted swimmer who can swim ast about anywhere we need her ROBERTA ORR, 100 backstroke, sen

ior, Mercy:Orr was seventh in the state in the back and ninth in the IM. Her backstroke time of 1:01.75 in that meet was a school record and the season's best by an Observerland swimmer. She was Catholic League champ in both events and led off Mercy's league championship mediey relay team, too. Orr was second in Oak-land County in the back and fourth in the IM. She was a state qualifier four consecutive years. "She was easily our most valuable swimme said Schroèder, adding Orr is the finest bac

She was second in both events in the WLAA

seet and third in both at the Class A state

CINDY CRAMER, 100 breast, senior I. Farmington:Cramer earned a spot on the All-Area team for a fourth straight year and is ion a second time for All-Ame under considerat ca recognition. She is a two-time, all-county wimmer, too.

Cramer won the Oakland County and WLAA championships in the breast and was second in the state with a 1:05.95 time. She also won the eague's 100 free title with a record time of in addition, Cramer was third in the state in the IM with a 2:10.5 time and was a member of forth's free relay team that placed third in the

### AT-LARGE BERTHS

JULIE JENSEN, Junior, John Glenn: The highlight of Jensen's season was a sixth-place finish in the IM at the state meet. She warn a 2:15.73 time, which put her in a class with fellow All-Area sw

She holds school records in the IM (2:13.5), outterfly (1:00.6) and 100 free (55.6) and was a member of record-setting medley and free re-lay teams. Jensen is a 4.0 student who hopes to study engineering when she enters college "Julie is an extremely disciplined, as well as talented, athlets," coach Jeff Pryor said. "She epitomizes what the sport is about both in and

but of the pool."

ton: Cummins set varsity records in the IM and the backstroke, and she was part of the Chiefs' free relay, which ranked among the top five in Observerland. Cummins was WLAA champion in the back-

MARCY MULBARGER, sophomore, N. Farmington: Mulbarger's specialty was the

breast, complementing Cramer with her ability and making the Raiders especially strong in the She was fourth in the state (1:08.54) and second in the county and league meets. She also was fifth in the league among IM sw and eighth in the state (2:14.1) ELIZABETH TUCKER, freshman, Har

rison: Tucker capped her first year of varsity competition by placing ninth in the Class B state championships in the breast and 10th Ir

"She has a lot of potential," coach Shell Morse said. "She hasn't hit her peak yet. She's a great all-round student/athlete, in academic

AMY MENEILLEY, senior, N. Farmington: Meneilley was the fourth member of the

any other area foursome with a 3:39.49 time North's team captain was fifth in the 200 and 500 freestyles and performed on the champion-ship free relay unit in the WLAA meet. She also qualified for state and swam her best times in the 200 free (2:00.1) and 500 free (5:20.7) in

LAUREN WEARY, sophomore, Farmington: Weary was selected to the All-Area team for her contribution to the Falcons' medley relay team - as were teammates Lori Kiel, Sta cy Schaim and Katie Hohl - but she excelled in other areas, too. Weary was second in the league in the back-

stroke and butterfly. In the county meet, she was third in the fly. Her time of 59.2 in the fly is 2/10 of a second off the junior national cut. While the medley relay was 10th at state, she also anchored the 12th-place free relay, though she was not expected to compete due to

She's a learnmate through and through," coach Ross Bandy said. "She could have gone up to state and quit, but she didn't. "She swam as well as she has in her life this year, and she has a ways to go yet. I honesth hink she has the ability to win (the state title in

LORI KIEL, senior, Farmington:Kiel a state chan swam the breaststroke in the medley relay, helping the Falcons post a 1:55.03 time.

league as a junior, but made the jump to alghth in the state this year. Her best time a year ago was 1:16.0, and she swam 1:09.7 in the recen state meet. She was third in the WLAA at 1:11.0. When you make that kind of drop, you wonder how much there is left to cut," Bandy said

"She did a heckuva job." STACY SCHALM, senior, Farmington: Schalm was second in the league as a 50 free-tyler, and she swam the anchor (free) leg of the medley relay. She was part of the Falcons' free style relay, too.

"She was very determined to see her team quality for state and earn a medal," Bandy said. "Being a senior and never having been to the state meet, she wanted to take something hom and she did."

KATIE HOHL, sophomore, Farming-ton: Hohi led off the medley relay swimming the back, a stroke she had never attempted com-

etitively until last year. She also was third in the league in the 100 free and narrowly missed qualifying for state. She also was on the 12th-place free relay team at state,

"Her goal, by the time she's a senior, is to be on," Bandy said. "I think she has the ability. She's somebody I can always count

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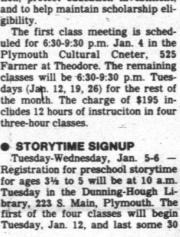
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**Plymouth-Canton Parents Without** Partners will hold an orientation at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 6. For directions or more information, call 981-1041. Those who are eligible for PWP membership are parents of one same family, the price is \$45 for all Schools' middle school and high or more living children; members are single by reason of separation, divorce, death of a spouse-or never having married. Age and custody of children are not factors.

### NEWCOMERS LUNCHEON

The Plymouth Newcomers Club will meet at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 7, for luncheon at the China Star Palace Restaurant, 270 S. Wavne Road, Westland. Price is \$6.25. Deadline to make reservations is noon Monday, Jan. 4. The meeting will feature a program on the International Institute of Detroit. For reservations, call 453-8960.

### PLYMOUTH-CANTON PWP Plymouth-Canton Parents Without Partners will hold a general meeting

and dance starting at 8 p.m. Thurs-

dance. Price is \$2, \$3 after 9 p.m.

day, Jan. 7, at the Holiday Inn, 30375 Plymouth Road, between Merriman Tuesday, Jan. 12 - Schoolcraft and Middlebelt in Livonia. There College Community Choir will hold will be a speaker, followed by a

### For more information, call 981-1041. LET'S DANCE

Northwest Bethany will hold a "Bye, Bye, Blues" dance from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Jan. 8, at the social hall of Our Lady of Sorrows, on Power Road north of Shiawassee in-Farmington. Price is \$6. Beer, setups and munchies will be provided There will be a disc jockey. North west Bethany is a support group for divorced, separated and widowed people. For more information, call

### WOMEN'S ACTION

477-9031 or 729-2743.

The Ann Arbor chapter, Women's Action for Nuclear Disarmament, will meet Sunday, Jan. 10, at the smokers, and weight clients have First Baptist Church, 512 E. Huron, Ann Arbor. Doors will open at 7 p.m.

supply auction. Members and guests and the meeting will start at 7:30 • DAMARIS AWARDS are being asked to bring their sur- p.m. There will be a small group discussion on "What makes women acframes, paper, canvas and other tive?" New members may attend. items. The club will receive a small For more information, call 761-1718.

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### Walk-in registration for a swim

program will be held from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 16, at Central Middle School in Plymouth. The Sen-\$15 for registered Girl Scouts, \$18 three or more children from the participants. Classes meet Saturday school offices; applications are also mornings, Jan. 23 to March 26, 1988. There will be no classes Feb. 13 or Feb. 20. A registered water safety instructor will be on deck at all times. Lesson times are 9-9:45 a.m., or the PCAC office, 455-5260. 9:45-10:30 a.m. and 10:30-11:15 a.m. For more information, call Heather 

OPEN HOUSE Greifenberg, 459-3485, after 3 p.m. (Those attending walk-in registration should enter through the school's rear door, near the parking lot.)

### MURDER MYSTERY

The Farmington Community Cen-Longacre" at 7 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 16. Price is \$25 per person, including food and wine. Those attending will participate in the staged event, produced by Donald Olmsted and the Homicide Host Group. The event will be held in the Longacre House, a Georgian-style mansion. Guests are encouraged to dress in the styles of the 1920s. Reservations can be made by calling the Farmington Community Center, 477-8404. The Farming ton Community Center is at 24705 Farmington Road in Farmington Hills

### ANTIQUES

Lawrence DuMouchelle will discuss "Discovering Antiques" at a 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 20, program at the Farmington Community Center. DuMouchelle is owner and president of DuMouchelle's Art/Auction Gallery. He is a former member of the board of trustees at the Detroit Institute of Arts and is a member of the American and Internation Societies of Appraisers. The Farmington Community Center is at 24705 Farmington Road, north of 10 Mile in Farmington Hills. For more information, call 477-8404

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The Plymouth Community Arts Council is sponsoring the annual Damaris Student Fine Arts Awards for students in sixth through ninth grade. The awards are designed to encourage further study in the arts, including drama, vocal music, piano and other instrumental music, sculp ture, creative writing, painting, dance and photography. Thursday, ior Girl Scout swim program is for Jan. 21, is the deadline to submit apgirls and boys ages 4 to 14. Price is plications. A total of \$1,000 will be divided among the qualified appli for others. There is a group rate. For cants. Applications are available at the Plymouth-Canton Community available at the Plymouth Communi ty Arts Council office, 332 S. Main Plymouth. For more information, call Mary Corridore, 455-7831

Gibson School for the Gifted 12925 Fenton in Redford, will hold an open house from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 26. The school is near Felegraph and Schoolcraft. All classes from prekindergarten (age 4) through middle school (age 13) will - be in session. Refreshments will be ter will present "Murder Mystery at served. There will be tours and an art exhibit. For more information, call 537-8688.

### 50-UP CLUB

The St. John Neumann Seniors, 50-Up Club, will meet at 7 nm. Tuesday Jan 26 at the church on Warren west of Sheldon in Canton. New members may attend. For more information, call Betty Gruchala, president, 459-4091.

### AAUW PLAY

The Plymouth branch, American Association of University Women, will present its annual play for children in February. "Jack and the Beanstalk" performances are sched uled for 7:30 p.m. Thursday and Friday Feb 25-26, and for 10 a.m., 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 27, in the auditorium of Plymouth Salem High School. Tickets will be available in early February at local ele mentary schools, by mail and at The Rainbow Shop in Plymouth.

### BETHANY

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forming John Rutter's Requiem as its major work this season. Concerts Preschool classes include parent are scheduled for March 5 and 6. SMOKING, WEIGHT LOSS classes include a baby-sitting work-Monday, Jan. 18 - Stop Smoking shop, golf, Saturday arts and crafts, and Weight Control seminars, con Spanish, driver's education, karate, ducted by David Rowe, will be held swimming, and afterschool basketin Plymouth Township Hall, Ann Arbor Road at Lilley, by the Plymouth

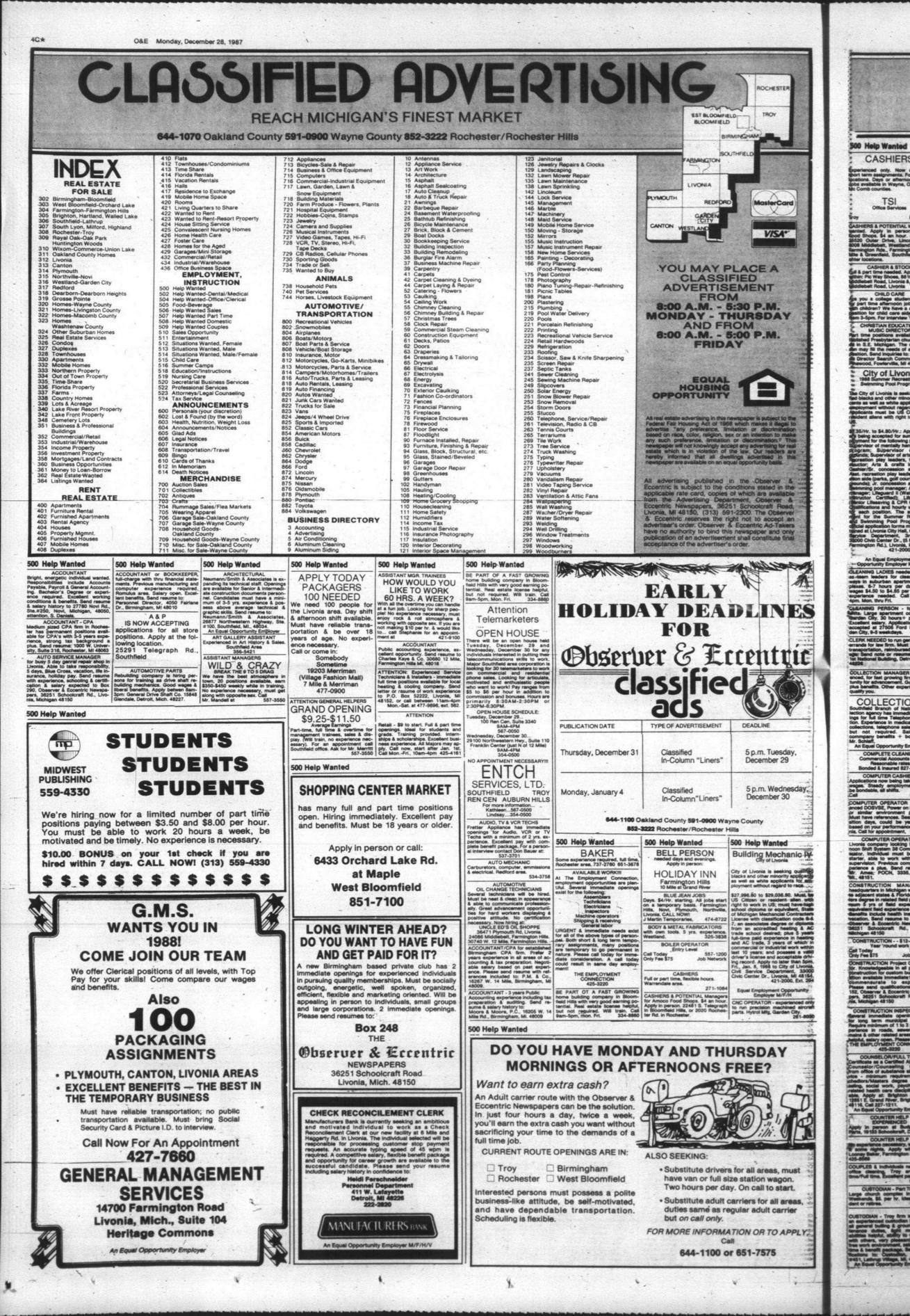
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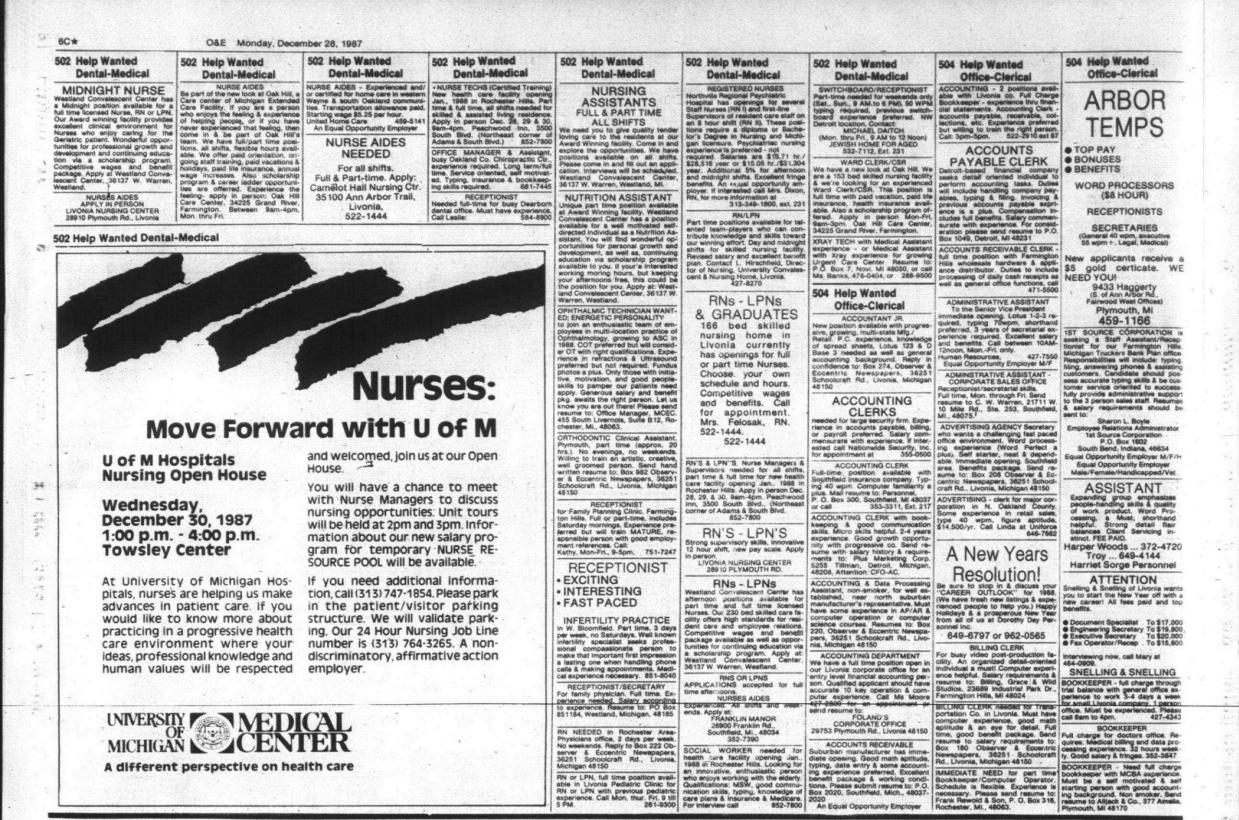
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The grounds of the Mansera Retreat House in Bloomfield Hills offers Brian Henry an idyllic setting in which to discover nature and put himself in touch with himself. An attorney and family man, Henry has discovered peace and contentment through a yearly retreat.

# Taking time to clear the cobwebs



By Carol Azizian staff writer

Brian Henry — yuppie, successful attorney, family man, social climber becomes a bermit one weekend a

 becomes a hermit one weekend a year.
 He doesn't don sack cloth or douse

himself with ashes or beat his chest 50 times to repent for past sins. But Henry, 31, of Bloomfield Township does turn off all the noise in his life and tunes into his spiritual ters in the United States and Canada, according to the Rev. Thomas Gedeon, director of Retreats International, a national agency for the facilities.

There are no figures on the number of young people who participate in retreats. But area directors say there's a renewed interest in spirituality among the under-35 set.

"This generation wants enjoyment without commitment," said the Rev. Eugene P. Simon of the Manresa school and college students, you'd probably learn about values from rock music or teen movies.

"We've been doing this for 13 years, and we're booked solid on weekends," said the Rev. Daniel Homan, director of St. Benedict's. He admits spirituality isn't "cool"

among the under 30 crowd. But

many who attend for the first time find the experience enlightening, he noted. "I resent the anti-fun image. I think Jesus was a fun person, and he left us with guidelines that ensure our happiness. "We stress (to participants) that God loves them personally and teach them to talk to him as they talk to a person." "At first, I thought it would be very monastic, rigorous and boring - more of the meaningless stuff you get on Sundays at church," the Southfield attorney (he works for Simon Deitch Tucker & Friedman) said. "I found out this place wasn't full

"I found out this place wasn't full of monks with shaved heads running around chanting and beating themselves with Bibles."

After the retreats, Henry learned how to "talk to God honestly, look at Pick a place for a retreat

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Need a spiritual tuneup? Try recharging your inner batteries at the following retreat centers:

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The retreat house has a chapel where Brian Henry can pray and meditate away from the hustle and bustle of his life.

world at the Manresa Retreat House in Bloomfield Hills.

"The other 362 days of the year, my mind is cluttered with deadlines and demands from work and family," he said. "I don't have time for myself.

"The retreats have taught me to set my priorities straight."

Henry is among a growing number of young people who escape to wooded sanctuaries and shut out worldly influences such as football games, rock music, corporate commands, psychobabble and sitcoms.

LAST YEAR, 700,000 to a million Americans visited 580 retreat cen-

Retreat House in Bloomfield Hills. "They're egocentric, but they find out that doesn't bring them happiness.

"So, they return to more traditional values, set long-range goals and discover there's somebody who exists outside of themselves. Then, they begin to develop a personal relationship with God."

Although most Catholic centers are geared to adults, a few of them have initiated programs for youths.

At Manresa, the sounds of silence are all you can hear in the hallowed halls. But, at St. Benedict's in Oxford, a facility designed for high HENRY admits he was a little leery of the religious stigma when he joined a group of Catholic lawyers and physicians at an October retreat seven years ago.

He signed up after realizing that the people he admired most were "able to handle a lot of different situations because they had a strong spiritual life."

my faults, make amends with people I've hurt, strengthen relationships with my family and handle conflict and tragedies better."

"I can cope with making mistakes," he added. "I don't have to wear sack cloth for a week to make amends. I realized that God loves me no matter what."

He also refreshes himself daily by praying, jogging, doing yard work, playing baseball, visiting friends or seeing a movie.

There is one thing he misses on his annual retreats — football.

"When I get out on Sunday, I can't wait to read the sports page," he said with a laugh.

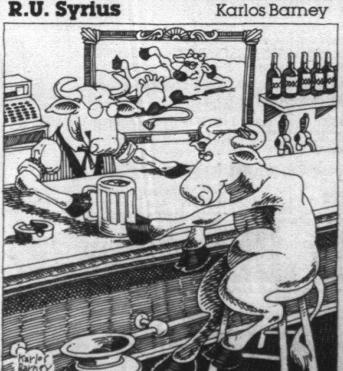
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"This cud's for you."



An American tourist heads back to the U.S. outfitted in festive Mexican garb.

# Common sense cures those air travel blues

### By Iris Sanderson Jones special writer

Q. We were planning to go to Mexico in February. My husband is threatening to cancel because we've lost our bags twice and he is tired of the kassles of air travel. What can I do?

B.R.M., Southfield

A. I was aboard Piedmont Flight 455 from Detroit to Charlotte, S.C., when I read your letter, with a commuter flight ahead of me from Charlotte to Asheville, N.C. I started thinking about the flight I was on and what could be done to smooth a traveler's path. You can't change everything but there are some things you can do to cut down the hassles of travel.

done to smooth a traveler's path. You can't change everything but there are some things you can do to cut down the hassles of travel. Everything Piedmont had done so far had smoothed my way. It was a nice, clean plane with smiling employees and it left on time. But I had seen passengers doing everything possible to create problems for themselves. I guess lesson number one for hassle-free travel is that you can make trouble for yourself even if the airline doesn't make it for you.

Late check-in. Too much carry-on luggage. Youngsters already tired before they leave home. Uncomfortable clothes. Basic things, like the family ahead of me at the check-in counter: they had no name tags on their luggage.

Elementary, my dear Watson, as Sherlock Holmes would say, but you would be surprised at the number of bags I have seen checked in without tags. I put two sturdy tags on mine, in case one gets torn off, and I sometimes slap on an additional stick-on label with the name of my destination hotel.

You probably put your name on your bags, but do you put them inside, in a visible place, so the airline can figure out who you are if the bag is lost and the tags are gone? Most lost bags are promptly found; help the airline to deliver them promptly as well. You learned defensive driving, now learn defensive traveling.

# Bang and smoke of TV journalism summed up in 'Broadcast News'

### **RECENT RELEASES** "Broadcast News" (A-) (R) 135

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Entertaining and well-done, albeit contrived, story of life in the net-work news fast lane. Holly Hunter, Albert Brooks and William Hurt revel in all the glitz and sham of contemporary newscasting. It makes you wonder about "film at eleven."

### Emperor of

the Night" (G) Original story embellished and animation computer-enhanced but end result is flat. Images appear dull at times and moral of the story has been complicated far beyond child-hood comprehension. Reviewed by Jeff Liimatta.

### STILL PLAYING

"Baby Boom" (C-) (PG-13) 105

Diane Keaton stars in a yuppie comedy about a single business exec utive whose life is drastically changed by unexpected, unwanted arrival of a baby. Overly cute and very predictable with too few laughs Kathy Guyon

### "batteries not included" (C±) (PG) 100 minutes.

Spielberg's latest release features extra-terrestrials plus Jessica Tandy and Hume Cronyn as an elderly couple who, along with several others, face eviction from their beloved city apartment building. Unusual relaionship develops between the ET's and the humans. Too bland despite some humorous scenes. Reviewed by Jeff Liimatta.

"Cinderella" (A+) (G) 74 minutes. All you mean stepmothers and ealous stepsisters watch out! Cinderella's Fairy Godmother is back in town with all of Disney's original

"Dark Eyes" (A) 115 minutes. Marcello Mastriolanni is a masterful turn-of-the-century romantic ne'er-do-well. Rich, sensuous cinematography complements su-perb rendition of screenplay based on Anton Chekov stories.

"Dirty Dancing" (B-) (PG-13) 105

Well-done and entertaining showbiz cliche. Rich, idealistic young girl (Jennifer Grey) falls in love with working-class dance instructor (Patrick Swayze). Music, dance and dialogue are good, but plot has more trite twists than Chubby Checker in the Perpermint Lounge.

"Eddie Murphy Raw" Eddie Murphy in footage taken from live con-

"Empire of the Sun" (A) (PG) 150

Poignant, riveting Spielberg story of interned English boy separated from parents during World War II Japanese invasion of China. Brilliant botography, ethereal sound and exellent acting add up to a winner.

"Fatal Attraction" (A) (R) 110

Michael Douglas, family man, and his one-night stand that turns into a nightmare at the hands of a psychotic woman (Glenn Close) in this suspenseful thriller. Riveting performances and a strong story build to an explosive, nerve-shattering conclusion. Reviewed by Kathy Guyor.

"Fatal Beauty" (C-) (R)110 min-

Whoopi Goldberg as a narcotics cop in a pink convertible starts out fast and funny. Sam Elliot is a good adversary and eventually her boyfriend. The story delivers a strong message about drugs but ultimately a poor, unrealistic plot and an excess



and too many yawns. Reviewed by Computer animation douses sizzle of "Emperor of the Night."

110 minutes.

of violence make this an unpleasant

"Flowers in the Attic" (D+) (PG-

13) 95 minute When Dad dies, nasty mother (Victoria Tennant) imprisons children in attic of grandpa's mansion to get back into the will. Louise Fletcher is stiff and stilted as the repressed and repressive grandmother. The rest of the cast need acting lessons except for the two little kids (Ben Ganger and Lindsay Parker) who don't act, they just hang around looking cute. and not at all entertain

"Hello Again" (C-) (PG) 94 min-

utes. Sister Zelda (Judith Ivey) magically recalls Lucy (Shelley Long) from the cast, although locally unknown, the grave. Screenwriter Susan Isaacs are superb, in particular Ian Bannen should have been so lucky with her as the crabby, cantankerous but lov-

leaden script and performances to ing grandfather. Don't miss it. match. Only sister Zelda sparkles.

"Hiding Out" (A) (PG-13) 99 min-

Jon Cryer is excellent portraying 27-year-old stockbroker hiding out from the Mob by faking it as his cousin's (Keith Coogan) high-school is saved by an unusual plot twist and classmate. Top comedy, suspense and romance as the second time

No energy marks cast of "batteries not included."

# Airlines can cut travel hassles if frequent flyers lend a hand

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means little things. Put one change of clothes in your husband's suitcase and one of his in yours. If you lose one bag you haven't lost everything. If you fly in slacks, carry a skirt and an extra top in your carry-on luggage; bags are very seldom lost for ore than overnight.

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port with only half an hour to catch three, I order an aisle and a window DEFENSIVE TRAVELING my plane. Of course that was the day the parking lot shuttle bus was late. I was going to Des Moines via Minne- seats. If we don't, we either live with apolis.

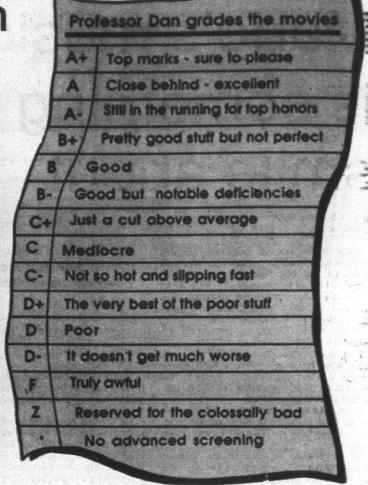
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s the icing, but the cake includes top erformance by Richard Dreyfus, Maureen Stapleton, James Whit-more, Karl Malden, Eli Wallach, Robert Webber and Leslie Nielsen.

### "Overboard" (B-) (PG)

Marginally clever story with some good comedy is marred by overly rapid transition of super-snotty-rich lady (Goldie Hawn) to sensitive, caring mother of four boys living in slovenly surroundings. Their daddy (Kurt Russell) is unbelievably thoughtful for such a crude lout and not at all convincing.

"Planes, Trains and Automobil (A) (R) 90 minutes.

Strangely enough adversity, pain, suffering and misfortune can be funny - when they happen to someone else. In this hilarious outing it's Steve Martin and John Candy traveling by misadventure from New York

to Chicago during the holiday rush. Martin's tantrums and lovable, bum-

Barbra Streisand is superb as ex-minutes. Futuristic action set in police "The Running Man" (B) (R) 105 an abusive client. Striesand's acting state in 2017. Arnold Schwar-

zenegger is game show contestan fighting for his life. Good guys win, bad guys lose. Lots of action, violence and droll groaners delivered as only Schwarzenegger can. Reviewed by Kathy Guyor.

"Sign O' The Times" (C) (PG-13) 89 minutes.

Combination concert-video features Prince and Sheila E. Sexually suggestive rock in stereo. Should prove entertaining to Prince fans but offers very little to the rest of us. Reviewed by Jeff Liimatta.

Suspect" (A) (R) 120 minutes.

Top thriller of the year. Cher excellent as public defender assigned violent, indigent, deaf-mute (Liam Neeson) accused of murder. Nicely set with Washington, D.C. providing backdrop for twin struggles: power in government and survival in the streets. Dennis Quaid is engaging as high-rolling lobbyist summoned for jury duty.

### "Teen Wolf Too" (D-) (PG) 90 min-

Jason Bateman is Michael J. Fox's cousin in more of the same "Wolfmania." Makes the first one look like a classic. Reviewed by Brian Ni



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female psychologist with clever con men. Slow-paced, low-energy stor an unexpected ending. Reviewed by Kathy Guyon

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the viewpoint of 6-year-old Bill

(Sebastian Rice Edwards). Sarah

Miles is his mother, and the rest of

Greenberg through high school teaches "Howling III" (PG-13) what's important in life. Terror stalks the earth. Watch out for the full moon "Hope and Glory" (A+) (PG-13)

the movies

Dan

"Leonard Part VI" (\*) (PG) An absolutely charming and mar-Superspy Cosby is lured out of re velous two hours of World War II in

tirement to save the world. "Less Than Zero" (\*) (R).

track.

fer brains, courtesy of an old Indian bling Candy make this a holiday potion. Despite plot flaws. Moore's treat antics are entertaining. "Nuts" (A+) (R) 120 minutes.

Andrew McCarthy, Jami Gertz and Robert Downey searching for their identities on Beverly Hills' fast

"Like Father Like Son" (B-) (PG-

Rigid father (Dudley Moore) and laid-back son (Kirk Cameron) trans-

pensive call girl charged with killing

13) 96 minutes "House of Games" (C±) (R) 100 Modern mystery teams sedate

# STREET BEATS Mario's music is something to smile about

### By Jocelyn Mor special writer

Mario Resto, one of the many talented young song writers to perform for pop rock udiences, and Boy Smiling pump good of rock'n'roll full of new energy

This is genuine stuff, folks, all written and arranged by Resto himself. But you won't find his music in mainstream clubs "When you play originals, you sacrifice a majority of clubs," said Resto.

Resto's music also has been sacrificed on area radio. His single "Miami (Can We Be Lovers Again)" on Atlantic Records has received air play in Alabama and Mississippi. But nary a scratch in Motown.

In the midst of an industry in which artists can go from unknown to superstardom overnight, Resto does not lack ambition or perseverance.

On keyboards is Luis Resto, Mario's ounger brother. Luis has recorded with Was Not Was, Helen Terry, The Buzztones, Mitch tar playing in New York City via a series of Rvder, Michael Henderson and Ron Banks, He's also toured with Gladys Knight as well as Was Not Was and Henderson.

Danny McCann, on the Detroit club scene for 25 years, is the drummer for Boy Smiling. Dan Oestrike plays bass and sings background vocals and has toured with Derek St Holmes (former vocalist with Ted Nugent)

Christal Hamilton covers background vocals and percussion and sings professionally well as commercial spots

SO WHAT'S the music all about? On the political side, Resto bounces some lyrical criticism off the media for prying into

private lives: Staring through our TV eyes

We go searching for the truth Don't make a move, we can see you

Don't make a sound, we can hear you. And then there's love. Of love and relation ships. Resto said he never tires. One thing Resto won't do is covers. "I've

been writing so long that doing covers really messes my head up. I ask myself, 'Why am I doing this? He said he's been in-too many clubs where

owners just want people "dancing, sweating, getting thirsty and buying drinks."

IN CONCERT

Maynard Ferguson, trumpeter and

three-time Grammy nominee, will

be performing Thursday, Dec. 31, at

Flash will perform tonight

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Jaggers, 3481 Elizabeth Lake Road

Pontiac. For more information, call

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the Dearborn Hyatt Regency.

information, call 823-6400.

REVIEWS

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SEDUCE

'When you play originals, you sacrifice a majority of clubs'

> - Mario Resto singer and songwriter

Resto, 30, got his start just like the rest of them - in the basement. He began playing guitar at 6-and started playing in a band when he was 8.

He studied music composition under William Bolcom, one of the nation's foremost contemporary composers, for three years at the University of Michigan School of Music. Bolcom then promoted Resto's classical guiclub dates and coffee house appearances.

"I would advise any musician who has any kind of ambition and wants to see what it's all about to go to New York or California," Resto said, "because you see that everybody and his mother is trying to make it, and it makes you want it even more.'

AFTER A YEAR in New York, Resto returned to Detroit and played rock'n'roll all in top-40, rock, jazz and gospel groups, as over southeastern Michigan. He spent two years doing shows with Norma Jean Bell and the All-Stars.

It was with them that he had one of his best concert experiences. "People were coming there to listen to music. I mean there wasn't a dance floor, and if

you came late, you're standing in line out-Now Resto plays live concerts with Boy Smiling and works on putting together another single. On the work-for-pay front, he'll soon start a job writing music for commercials and industrial films at Song Bird Music

House. Also, record companies have been calling him of late, asking him to write songs for several black recording artists. What next? "Videos," he said. his hands into everything.

> Greg St. James of WRIF-FM. All Whitesnake will perform Saturmoney collected will be given to the parents of a baby with a rare blood disease, helping them cover travel expenses to and from Saint Jude

Children's Hospital in Memphis, Admission is \$6 (\$3 before 9 p.m.). hours of live music starting at 9 p.m. Doors open at 8 p.m. For more infor-• STING

Resto and Danny McCann.

Saturday, Jan. 2, at Saint Andrew's mation, call 287-8090. Thursday, Dec. 31, at Harpos, 14238 troit. Performing will be Before Or • • ECHO & BUNNYMEN

Harper, Detroit. Tickets are \$6.50 in After, Scott Campbell, Colors, Fun- Echo & the Bunnymen will per- are available at all TicketMaster advance (\$8 at the door). For more house, Jugglers & Theives, Junk form Friday, Jan 29, at Hill Audito- Outlets. To charge tickets by phone. Monkeys, Last Cavalry, New Barbi- rium in Ann Arbor. Tickets are call 423-6666.

tuates, Polish Muslims and Tanjent \$16.50 and \$15 and available at TicketMaster Outlets. To charge tickets Image. Special guests will include by phone call 423-6666 day. Dec. 31, at St. Andrew's Hall in Bootsey X and Jerry Vile. Master of ceremonies for the event will be

### **WHITESNAKE**

day, Feb. 13, at the Joe Louis Arena in Detroit. Tickets are \$17.50 and available at TicketMaster Outlets. To charge tickets by phone call 423-

Sting will perform Friday and Saturday, Feb. 19-20, at the Masonic Temple Theater in Detroit Tickets

Here are the top-10 songs being played on WMUZ-FM 103.5, a Chrisian radio station in Detroit

Members of Mario & Boy Smiling include (top left) Christal Hamilton, Dan Oestrike, (bottom left) Luis Resto,

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When the Son Begins to Reign, DeGarmo & Key. "Marvelous," Philip Bailey "Here Am I, Send Me,"

4. "In Your Light," Tata Vega

SOB 6. "I'll Be Riding With Him." Phil Driscoll.

7. "Devoted to You," Imperials. 8 "I Am Available," Petra.

9. "Humble Yourself," 2nd Chapter of Acts.

10 "No One But You." Leslie Phillips.

### CHRISTIAN COUNTRY Here are the top-10 songs being played on WWWW-FM 106.7, a com

try and western station in Detroit. "The Last One to Know," Reba McEntire. 2. "Somebody Lied," Ricky Van She

3. "Crazy From the Heart." The Be lamy Brothers.

4. "I Can't Get Close Enough," Exile "You Haven't Heard the Last of

Me," Moe Bandy. "Those Memories of You," The 8. "Love Me Like You Used To Ta-

aya Tucker.

Graham Brown. 10. "Do You Believe Me Now," Vern Gosdin.

9 "She Couldn't Love Me Now 1

In "B.B.Q. U.S.A.," Nixon makes a soulful stab of sounding like James Brown and does quite nicely Nixon shows the true rebel that be is in otherwise. Elvis is probably in our "Wash No Dishes No More." In this ing the grass, paying taxes along with doing the dishes.

An attempt to unravel the major mysteries of life is made in "Lincoln Logs." Asks the song, "What happened to my Lincoln Logs?/Momma less meanderings from a madman did you throw them out?/I gotta

> Haircut on My Head." Nixon warns prisoner of their hair like Charlie

clearly spelled out in one number on And we all could use a little bit of

-Larry O'Connor.

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troit.

Seduce will perform with Impakt Hall, Congress and Beaubien, De-

Second Self will perform Thurs-

Ted Nugent will perform Thurs-

Ten groups will perform five

day, Dec. 31, at Cobo Arena in De-

Detroit. For more information, call

oddball songs he has written. Most of the LP's 11 tunes are solid but a few are forgettable.

On the albums first side where the pickings are slim, there's a good one called "Bikini Red," a spacey little tune about about a fellow waiting on. a no-show, extra-terrestrial date: after midnight). Carter's shows off Not heavy metal. No, no, no. It's hyper-vocals on "I Can Speak Amerioogie music, party music. Make- can." These Brits take a shot at us in more than one tune.

Anyway, side two is solid. There's Serving up the stuff is The "I Wanna Be A Flintstone," (WIL-Screaming Blue Messiahs, a British MAAAaaa...), popular on the college trio which, with a few exceptions on circuit, and "Jesus Chrysler Drives a quite well. Dodge," which will really shake the chandeliers. It's good to know He buys American.

The album's final offering is a lovely 1-2-3 number called "(London) Waltz." (Put on your dress/Put on your rings/Put on all your finest things/And dance to love and life). It Bill Carter plays guitar and sings slows the pulse back down - Brian Lysaght

## - INXS

In INXS' latest album, the group tries to answer the musical question: Can a bunch of boys from down un-You bet your Foster's Lager they

can. dow

Pretenders, Sex Pistols), "Kick" cal influences and intersects them finest.

very surreal texture.

"The Loved One" is a swaying bal-



Inside" is a pure rocker by any guitar gasher's standards. "Never Tear Us Apart" is a love

But funk and rock prevail. "Need You Tonight," the song which has received the most air play, is a

Prince-like number that showcases delves into various avenues of mußi- all the funk/rock elements at their At this stage, INXS is a band with

frontman for RUN DMC. Rattles off has honed their sound to a fine art.

mean you have soul. INXS reaches down under for it. - Larry O'Connor Soul."

# **BO DAY SHUS**

### Mojo Nixon & Skid Roper

### Darn, Mojo Nixon & Skid Roper

are right. Elvis is everywhere. Listening to the first few minutes of "Bo Day Shus," it's hard to believe jeans, in our moms and in our ditty, he makes his proclamation of funk and rock 'n' roll go together like song, which Hutchence turns out in a cheeseburgers like the song "Elvis is things he's notgoing to do, like mow-

Everywhere" emphatically states. And Michael J. Fox, who Nixon refers to as the "anti-Elvis," is kind of suspicious looking when you think about it. So understand, these aren't mind-

gone amuck. Nixon, with his sidekick know percussionist Skid Roper, has some In "I Don't Want No Foo-Foo thing meaningful to say about the In "Mediate," INXS' lead singer undaunted confidence. With this, current state affairs. Or in his case, the masses about not becoming something meaningful to scream

The problems of today's music is his observations.

the album, "We Gotta Have More that

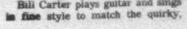
SCREAMING BLUE MESSIAHS - Screaming Blue Messiahs

What we have here is a healthy serving of house-shakin' music. Send-the-neighbors-packin' music. (Don't be afraid/I only glow like this mebody-call-the-police music.

me-weak-in-the-knees music.

this album, seems to understand the essence of house shakin'. Chris Thompson on bass and Ken-

ny Harris on drums lay down a simble but jagged beat. It is strong but not fancy.





der play funk?

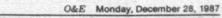
"Kick" attacks the premise that oil and water. The guttural mutter- slow yet heartfelt fashion. A hauntings combined with a grovin' bass on ing saxophone gives this number a the opening number, "Guns in the soulful edge. Sky," kicks that notion out the win-

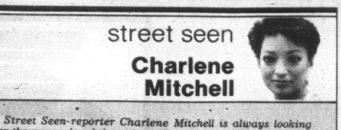
Produced by Chris Thomas (The

Michael Hutchence sounds like the their sixth album, the Australian act frontman for RUN DMC. Rattles off Hutchence, "Hallucinate desegre-gate/mediate alleviate/Try not to has honed their sound to a line art. No two songs sound alike on "Kick." And INXS succeeds where some other bands fail. After all, just melodic guitar gives this number a doing James Brown covers doesn't

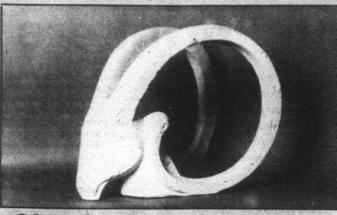
lad, full of life and richness. "Devil







for the unusual and the unique. She welcomes comments and suggestions from readers. Write her in care of this newspaper, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or call 591-2300, Ext.

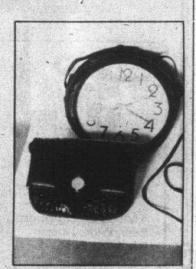


### Sign of the Ram

If you're into birth signs, you'll know that this ram's head is the first sign of the zodiac. Done in bone travertine, it's a stoneware sculpture by artist Jaru. A wide selection of the artist's work can be seen on display Charles Furniture Warehouse, Royal Oak. From \$60 to \$100. A variety of colors and styles.

### Time to bag it

OK, don't ask me the time, just look at my purse and check it out for yourself. The canteen bag has a fullsized clock on the front and a long shoulder strap. The clutch tells time too, with a smaller wrristwatch-sized face affixed to the front flap. Both the handbags and timepieces are top quality. These are just two of the clock-it bags in stock. Canteen bag, \$72; clutch, \$152. Baggit, Trav-elers Towers, Southfield or Applegate Square, South-



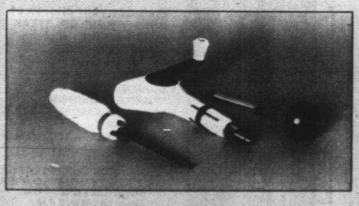
### Keeping up with things

Keep the kids well dressed and happy at the same time with these clever suspenders with removable Velcro geometric cutouts. The child can make his or her own designs by rearrangi ne pieces. \$18. Smart cs, Birmingham.



### Play it again, Sam

The classic favorite "Lara's Theme" from the awardwinning movie, "Dr. Zhivago," is what this authentic looking miniature baby grand plano plays in its real role as a music box. The collector's item is made of silver-plate. \$50. Diane M, Birmingham.



### **Tooling in chic**

Today's yupples and tomorrow's yuppettes may not have the time/or the know-how to perform routine fix-it obs around the house, but these contemporary and nctional tools in primary colors sure give the impression that you know your way around the maintenance circuit. Three-piece set includes a power grip wrench, screw driver and drill with various attachments. From \$14.95 to \$18.95. Gorman's, Southfield.

# A star

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Ever wonder about the Christmas star the three Wise Men followed into Bethlehem? Wondering about those other bright stars that seem more distinct than ever on crisp winter nights?

"Holiday Skies"/"The Christmas Star" at the University of Michigan Natural Science Museums Planetarium might answer those burning questions for you.

"The Christmas Star" is an audiovisual journey back through time to look at the sky as it must have appeared to the Wise Men, along with speculations about the possible astronomical explanations of the star that heralded the coming of a

new age. "Holiday Skies" is an audiovisual show about the constellations visible in the winter sky. Both shows run etching and engraving, woodcut, serthrough Jan. 3, with special weekday igraphy, calligraphy and cliche

howings of the "Christmas Star" Dec. 28-31. Also, shows are scheduled on Saturday and Sunday. Time for "Holiday Skies" is 11:30 a.m. Jan. 25 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. each day. Admission is \$1.25. "The Christmas Star" has three daily showings at 2, 3 and 4 p.m. Admission is \$1.50.

(The U-M Natural Science Museums is at Geddes Ave. at N. University, Ann Arbor. Children under 5 are not admitted to "Holiday Skies." For more information, call 764-0478.)

STREET WISE

Get art

smart

Susan Mulcahy, an artist and instructor with the Birmingham/ Bloomfield Arts Association, will

present an introduction to the process of printmaking at the Farmington Community Center in January. Mulcahy will cover lithography,

verre. Participants will learn to discern an original from a reproduc-tion. The class will be held Monday. or Tuesday, Jan. 26, from 7-10 p.m. Cost is \$12. Also planned is an informational

tea with Maureen Jannot. Through slides and photos she will cover women in art, concentrating on modern artists such as Georgia O'Keefe, Judy Chicago and Louise Nevelson Monday, Jan. 25 from 1-3:30 p.m. \$10 fee includes tea and cookies.

> Last but not least Lawrence Du-Mouchelle, owner of DuMouchelle's Art Gallery, a cornerstone in downtown Detroit, will present a talk involving the world of antiques. Wednesday, Jan. 20 at 7:30 p.m. \$15 fee includes light refreshme

- (The Farmington Communit, Center is at 24705 Farmington Road, Farmington Hills. Call 477-8404 for more information.)

Fall in love with language

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(The International Institute is in Detroit's University Cultural Center on Kirby between John R and Woodward. For more information, call

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in Oxford, has its own building with

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urday group retreats. Vigils start at

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practice is very challenging," said

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## Retreats offer more than spartan living

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 Private retreats overnight cost \$25; with a spiritual director, \$30 a day, including lodging and meals. · Weekend thematic retreats on

a variety of subjects range \$65-\$80. · Thirty-day guided retreats through the spiritual exercises of St. Ignatius are offered June 30 to Aug. . Cost is \$800 and reservations must be made months in advance. "The Spiritual Exercises in Daily

Life" and "Busy Person's Retreats" are designed for those who want to pray at home

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### Manresa Jesuit **Retreat House**

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"Catholic laymen purchased the property as a place for R & R (rest and relaxation) in 1926," notes the Rev. Eugene P. Simon, director. "They had the Jesuits run it for them. St. Ignatius Loyola, founder of the Jesuit order, is the patron saint of retreat houses all over the world." St. Ignatius spent three months in a cave outside the town of Manresa. Spain, in 1530, where he wrote "The

Spiritual Exercises." a book of instructions on how to pray over a 30day period. The purpose is to spend quiet time

thinking about man's purpose, the life of Christ and death, Simon said. Nearly 3,000 men and women attend weekend retreats at Manresa and another 3,000 come for individual days of prayer and spiritual refreshment, he added.

Retreatants may spend time in ir own rooms wi desk, toilet and wash basin.

For more information, call 564-6455, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays or write to the Manresa Jesuit Retreat House, 1390 Quarton Road Bloomfield Hills, 48013.

### Camp Maas (Tamarack)

"Judaism encourages people to re- St. Benedict's new themselves within the community," said Harlene Appelman, director of Jewish Experiences for Fami-

Weekend retreats are designed to brating Judaism together. A winter weekend is planned Feb. 26-28 at Camp Tamarack in Ortonville. Cost is \$95 for adults and \$45 for children. Purim family week is March 25-27.

Jewish organizations or synagogues may arrange their own

Carol Parven at the Jewish Community Center, 661-0600

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Individuals may join in the Benedictine community's mass and prayer services.

food and accommodations. For more information, call 1-628-4274 or write to the monastery, 2711 E. Drahner

etreats by calling Jeff Metz or signed for young people. There are shack - with no electricity or heat benches andareas where kids can sit :- on this 40-acre property, don't

Cultural Center Located on 287 wooded acres, St. Benedict's accommodates 40 people overnight. Although it's primarily a sometimes accompany their friends. Group discussions focus on loneliness, sexuality, faith, singleness, val-

Weekend rates are \$45, including

rush out and buy a friar's robe

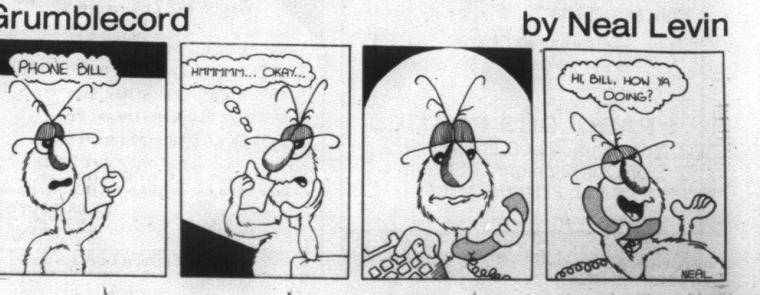
practice Bhakti-yoga, which they consider "the culmination of all types of yoga," said Adi Raja, temple president Located in the 40-room Fisher mansion in southeast Detroit, this is the center for Hare Krishna consciousness

Visitors will see a sky blue ceiling with white clouds and an audio visual presentation of Krishna, a primary Hindu deity. Prayers and chanting are part of the daily ritual.

community members start the first chanting service at 4:15 a.m. and meditate privately 4:45-6:45 a.m. Worship services and classes are held throughout the day.

"Our doors are always open," said Raja. Visitors may donate by purchasing books, he noted. more information, write

Bhakti Vedanta Cultural Center, 383 Lenox, Detroit, 48215; or call 824-



participants will talk about values. For more information, call 661-1000.

# Monastery

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monastery. "Our facilities were specially de-

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# For

Weekend social retreats for singles are sponsored by the Community Network for Jewish Singles. The next one is set for Jan. 22-24 at Catholic retreat house, non-Catholics

Camp Maas (another name for Camp Tamarack). Besides social events,

help people learn more about cele- from the movie, "The Breakfast Club," at St. Benedict's. Silence isn't golden here.

> retreats," said the Rev. Daniel Homan, director of the Oxford

and talk.

Road, Oxford, 48051.

If you come across a tiny wooden

### The Observer Newspapers



Monday, December 28, 1987 O&E

# **Days are golden for Chardonnay drinkers**

Chardonnav drinkers have been. seems, in a kind of golden era for the last few years.

Gradually, probably beginning with Sebastiani's release of its Country Chardonnay jugs (the first vintaged release was in 1979), consumers of this noble white wine have had an increasing array of choices in the \$5-6 a bottle range. Today there the most humble wine store.

Such names as Domaine St George, Glen Ellen Proprietor's Reserve, Seghesio, Davis Bynum, Domaine Alexander, Fetzer Sundial, Christophe, Mariposa, Rutherford Estate, Round Hill, Mt. View, Liberty School, Corbett Canyon and M.G. Vallejo come readily to mind. While none of these is profound, most are decent and drinkable, a far cry above the colombard-based 'chablis" wines we were offerred a decade ago as our selection in everyday whites.

The presence of the Australian wine industry with its initial releases of chardonnays in this price range also has enriched our alternatives. And, increasingly, French chardonnay-based wines have arrived, helped in their pricing by the thenstrong dollar.

It is curious that this inventory of gundy, often the other alternatives. modestly priced wines did nothing to It has all come full circle. What

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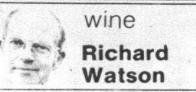
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is an almost unbelieveable range of lessen the general esteem of this selections in that price range in even grape. Sales and choices of chardonnays in the \$12-15 range climbed as well through it all. It has become very much a two-tiered commodity. I recall many conversations I have had recently with both retailers and distributors about their efforts to find chardonnays to fill the hole with a sound choice in the \$9 range. There are some, of course, but not many.

> ALL OF THIS has contributed to an astonishing popularity for the wine. It is not uncommon in better restaurants today, to be offered in among the choices as a house wine. Indeed, it has almost become gener-

The \$2.50-a-glass chardonnay adorns many a luncheon table in Birmingham, Troy, Livonia, and West land, and it is a much more sophisticated selection for the patron than a Liebfraumilch, Piesporter or Bur

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used to be served as "chablis" (and wasn't, in the true sense of that wine word) for a dry house wine is now a chardonnay (much closer to what a true chablis is).

Many of these inexpensive wines

bottle (and probably a consequen half dollar a glass). We are about to leave this golden age.

It is not a case of collusion among winemakers. Would that these inde pendent souls could get together to agree on anything, whether for their own betterment or that of the industry as a whole.

A short-fall in the vineyards in 1987, maturing vines, a modest rate of inflation generally, increased consumption, greater demand and consequent increased numbers of producers are some of the causes. And It is curious that this inventory of modestly priced wines did nothing to lessen the

general esteem of this grape.

there are others too complicated and full of intrigue to develop here. What to do?

Were we talking of the cabernet sauvignon, it would be easy to sug-

fore the increases take effect. Cabernets will, in general, endure and improve in the cellar for the next several years. They are, for the most part, made for immediate consumption and will only deteriorate after a year or two in the cellar.

We could boycott the new wine when they are released but that would mean going thirsty. We could change to new varietal preference but the public has become accustomed to chardonnay and its connotations. And so many still cannot pronounce "gewurztraminer." Chablis, anyone? Beer?



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### By Victor E. Swanson special writer

That wonderful holiday season is and butter, the more prepared and here again. That means parties, those great non-stop parties. Unfortunately, for many par-

ed "hangover headache," that in- at all." credible throbbing, pounding pain. "The worst thing you can do is moan and groan and lay in bed and wish it would get better," says Karuns Metro Well-Being, 870 Bowers, to you." Birmingham, often sees clients with An important reminder for hosts hangover headaches and has a few is always have a lot of starchy foods tips for the person with the head-

student who believes in "a holistic drag yourself, crawl over to the tub approach to health, beauty care and and draw a nice hot bath and after fitness," said, "I've picked up things that take a cool shower. You start along the way. One thing is before your body to circulate, you start engaging upon alcoholic beverages, one would want to ingest bread and "Alcohol, it dehydrates your body butter.'

the minute you drink. The bread is to \_\_\_\_\_ minerals. It burns you up, burns you absorb the liquid. The more bread well-armed your body."

Some people have told her, "If they eat enough butter, they don't tygoers, it's the season for the dread- feel the effects of the alcohol, hardly

She used "crackers" as an example thing that is certain to work - masthryn Knox, a massage therapist - but said, "Bread and butter is the yes, a massage therapist. Knox, who primo because it's readily available

around for guests.

But when the headache comes, The first tip is to avoid getting the headache. Knox, a former pre-med be done. "What I recommend is . . .

and robs your cells of fluid, which "The butter is to coat the stomach lining so the alcohol doesn't get ab-where you can't move your body. It

sorbed immediately by the stomach robs you of a lot of nutrients and

out.' She recommended as fluids, for example, spring water, cranberry juice and even pomegranate juice. The body also should be given proper nutrients, vitamins. She mentioned fructose.

Another way of relieving the head-"ALSO MASHED potatoes are ache is through a good massage, she good . . . any kind of starch and oil." ache is through a good massage, she sage therapy, use Swedish massage techniques." And there's shiatsu, which is known mostly as acupressure.

> "YOU REALLY soothe them so they can let go of the pain."

"There's always an amazing effect. They get up, their face is not puffy anymore. Their eyes are notred. They actually have a smile on. Their hair may be a little messed up but we have a brush and comb for that. Then she often hears such famous last words as "Great! Now, I can go

out partying again tonight." "And I go, 'Well, what can I say.' "

### A drink for non-drinkers There are those who drink, and

there are those who refrain. Here's a special holiday drink without alcohol. It's called Holiday Magic and was created by Karen McMahon of Foxy's in Rochester who was awarded fourth place for her concoction in the Great Pretenders 1987 drink recipe contest HOLIDAY MAGIC

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"The Great Pretenders Party Guide," a booklet of non-alcoholic drink recipes and holiday party tips is offered by AAA Michigan. Party hosts are urged by AAA to "Serve alcohol-free but alluring Great Pretenders drinks. Provide a well stocked buffet with alcohol-absorbing foods. Encourage all guests to buckle up before driving hom

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# Living the organized life isn't easy

Getting organized. It's easier said than done. Dorothy Lehmkuhl can attest to that.

"My background is about 20 years of disorganized living," the Bloomfield Township resident said with a laugh.

Lehmkuhl writes a column, "Organizing," for the Creative Living section of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

One summer day in 1981, Lehmkuhl was at the dentist's office. While waiting, she read an article about a woman who taught classes on getting organized.

Lehmkuhl did some research and attended workshops. Just 81/2 weeks later; she opened a pilot class in her home.

She'd worked as a secretary for about 10 years and had been at home caring for her family for about 10 years. Lehmkuhl now teaches a series of classes on getting organized; she also does consulting for busisses and individuals.

These days, Lehrnkuhl describes herself as "fairly well-organized." She tries to take things one day at a time but jokes that several days can hit at once.

There are two aspects of being organized, Lehmkuhl said. Mental and physical aspects both play a part in being organized.

"If you have that mental control, the rest will happen.

THOSE WHO suffer from internal anxiety won't succeed in getting organized, she said.

"They're not able to think straight because they're all tied up with their emotions." Lehmkuhl has some tips for people who are trying

to be more organized. "Not to be a perfectionist. That would be my first point."

Some women suddenly try to become "superwomen" during the holidays, Lehmkuhl said. That's not a good approach; people need to have realistic expecta-tions during the holidays and throughout the year.

"And to be able to say no. I think people just try to do too much, I really do. In managing your time, it's best to start by setting

goals, said Lehmkuhl, who's the mother of three teens. After goals have been established, you can set priorities to help you reach those goals.

"Decision-making is the key, deciding what those priorities are."

Ann Arbor resident Pat Materka agreed it's important to establish goals. Materka is director of development and public relations for the University of Michigan Fitness Research Center. She's also the author of Time In, Time Out, Time Enough, A Time Management Guide for Women" (Prentice-Hall Inc., 1982).

WHEN SETTING goals, it's helpful to be specific, said Materka, who also conducts time management workshops. A specific goal, such as "I'll clean out the basement" or "I'll keep my desk manageable this gear" is better than a general statement.

It's helpful to set deadlines for reaching goals and to break goals into smaller steps, Materka said. "Small changes are easier than giant, big mammoth

changes. It's difficult for any of us to revolutionize our lives, she said. It's better to pick one physical space - such

as your kitchen or your desk - to keep organized. It can be helpful to spend some money on a file gabinet, a filing crate or a desktop organizer, Materka said. It's not necessary to spend large sums, but spend-



Time is on at least one side of Dorothy Lehmkuhl.

ing some money is one way to make a commitment that "makes us a lot more likely to follow through."

Materka recommends taking a few minutes to write down your priorities. Putting priorities in writing gives your mind the freedom to concentrate on more important work.

"I also feel a lot less guilty about the places where I still have work to do." Feeling guilty isn't a good use of anybody's time, she said.

MATERKA RECOMMENDS clearing your desk and setting out the highest-priority project. It's distracting to sit down at a cluttered desk and not know where to start.

"It's real easy to dabble in 20 things all day long."

Materka, like Lehmkuhl, started to think about getting organized as it related to her life. Materka felt hopelessly disorganized and was under things she was interested in doing; she realized she had to become more systematic.

"It was really a matter of desperation."

These days, Materka's more organized, both on the ob and at home. She's the mother of two teenage children, "who really do an awful lot to help out."

Materka believes children are an "untapped resource" when it comes to getting organized. Children can help out around the house; doing so benefits them and the rest of the family.

Hiring household help is an option, Materka said. Some people may find that trade-off of time versus money is a worthwhile investment.

AT HOME, Materka tries to keep some rooms looking nice; others aren't quite as important.

"You can always shut doors. I guess everyone has their own level of tolerance for a certain amount of dust and clutter.'

Some family members may prefer to do certain household chores, she said. Family members can work out compromises so that one person - typically the mother -- doesn't end up doing all the work.

In getting organized, it's important to be aware of your energy cycle, Materka said. Some of us are morning people; others function more efficiently at other times of the day. It's best to save more creative and challenging work for times when you're at your best. er tips Materka offered include: Oth

• Using one drawer as a "holding pattern" for things that are difficult to throw away. Periodically, you can take the lower half of the drawer's pile and throw it out.

• Having something to do at your desk for times that you're put on hold. If you're put on hold for too ang up and call back later. long, h

Making your telephone calls at one time, rather than dotting them throughout your day.

• Asking those you reach on the telephone if you've

reached them at a convenient time. · Having something to do while you're waiting in

"To me, it's a stress reducer to get something done."

Materka and Lehmkuhl agreed motivation is an important factor in getting organized and reaching goals. It's important to build in some rewards for yourself

when setting goals. Whether it's going to the movies or buying yourself a few brownies, rewards can help you reach goals, Materka said.

Materka believes people should decide what's im-portant to them and then pursue that. Being organized isn't so much a goal in itself, she said; instead, it's a means of getting what you want.



# Out with old on New Year's

### By Diane Gale **Staff writer**

If the thought of welcoming 1988 in just another smoky, drink infested bar makes you want to crawl under the covers and set your alarm for midnight, it's time for a change.

Since bars and discos are "totally out" the rest of the year, as Richard Rollins, ex-owner of "Menage" and "Cheeks" nightclubs claims, why should New Year's Eve be any different?

And you're not alone if you cringe from memories of the "an "al" New Year's Eve party packed with boozers, blistering bear hugs and bunglers burning cigarette holes in your best outfit.

What's left if you don't go to a party or bar?

WELL, YOU COULD do what Ken Stockton, of Southfield's Metric Medical Laboratories, plans. "We avoid it (going out), be-cause frankly I don't like waking up on the beginning of the year with a hangover and I don't like to deal with the drunks on the Toad.

Stockton's sentiments were echoed by most of the pe le co Lacted for this story. Many plan to watch the descent of the apple In Times Square on TV with a clear view from the sofa. And others said they didn't even want to give it that much effort.

But then there's those people whose calendars are marked with ideas that are definitely off the beat and track.

Like, Rollins, for instance,

"This year is an unusual year," said Rollins, a Southfield attor-

The Bloomfield Hills resident plans to fly to Palm Springs, Cali-Iornia, to attend a celebrity wedding. Rollins said he wouldn't iden-Tify the bride and groom, because the groom swore 300 to 500 Detroit area guests to secrecy about his identity. Rollins is plan-ning to spend three days in the sunny state.

"I'M GOING TO the Rose Bowl" to see the State vs. Southern Cal game, said Dan Durack, Canton Township personnel director and a 1969 green and white alumnus. He's going to the game with his two brothers — one lives in Royal Oak and the other in Colora-

"It's different," Durack said. "Normally I'm home on New Year's Eve. I want to watch Michigan State play in the Rose Bowl. "It will probably be another 22 years from now before they're there again," Durack joked.

Susan Weaver of Farmington Hills plans to go to a Red Wings game with a group of friends "if we can still find tickets." After-

wards they'll stay downtown, she said. "It will be the first year in several that I'll be going anywhere," Weaver said, adding that she "usually plays it safe" and stays

home to avoid drunks on the road. Suzan Rollins Singer, director of public information for Oakland County, is thinking more about Jan. 1 than Dec. 31. She's sending her son, Justine, 5, to the "New Year's Eve Bash at the Club" at The Playground day care center at Orchard Mall, in West Bloom-field. "They have a New Year's Eve party for kids. It's convenient, because I don't have to get up early in the morning. "I think it's wonderful," she said. "My son is very excited to go, because he doesn't feel left out. They have dinner, a midnight snack and breakfast. And no adults are allowed. It's difficult to find babysitters, and I know he'll be in a place where he'll have a good time."

good time." Linda Sherman, owner of Around the World Travel in Farming-ton Hills, said this is a busy time of year for people trying to "do something different" for New Year's Eve. "What most people are looking for is to go away after Christmas and before New Year's Eve," Sherman said. The Bahamas, Cali-fornia, Arizona, Las Vegas and cruising topped the most sought

after getaways. "People are looking for something different, something warm, something exciting," she said. "If you're plans pale in comparison, it could be worse. You could be comparison to a host or party. ng to a bar or party be go

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JERRY ZOLYNSKY/staff photograph

If you are just getting around to your New Year's resolution, then your first one should be easy: In 1988 I shall quit procrastinating. But what if you've gotten to this late date and still don't have have a resolution worthy of beneficier a New Year's bet on?

of hanging a New Year's hat on?

Oh, sure, you can jot down the usuals: Lose weight, exercise more, see your doctor for a physical, quit smoking, quit or reduce your drinking, install smoke detectors, use your seat belts.

your seat belts. These are all good, if not very original, resolutions. But let's face it. If you are not already practicing these habits, what makes you think a new page on the calendar will change things? No. If a resolution is to stick longer than a Jan. 2 hangover it needs to be original, it must carry with it a driving motivation, and it must be something you can boast about to your friends. In short, it must be from the following list. If you haven't got your re-solve down pat, then it 1988 resolve to: • Tune your television set so that all of

• Tune your television set so that all of Ted Turner's colorized programs show up in black and white.
 Learn the names of five Central Amer

ican nations, their capitals, and whether the U.S. government supports or opposes their reb

• Stagger produce selections so that the fruits and vegetables don't all ripen at once.

• Suggest that Birmingham take a cue from Oakland County's skatemobile and start its own Spa and Tanning Boothmobile for kids this summer.

· Not use any of Joe Biden's leftover spec

Quit dating dunk tank clowns.

Stop wondering why olives come in-those tall, skinny jars.

Finish your Christmas shopping.
Establish a Hamster Hotline number.

Ride the People Mover.

• Start a petition drive to bring profes-sional sports to the Silverdome once the Pistons leave

Find Troy's Main Street.
Stop eating raw cookie dough,
Stop taking 13 items though the 12-item-or-less line at the grocery store.

· Contribute to the fund to build a Buddist religious scene in front of the city halls of Birmingham and Westland.

· Watch every cable television station at.

· Get your life story on a collector set of glasses from 7-11.

• Become a square dance caller at the Jackson State Prison or a mime artist-in-

residence at a home for unwed mothers. • Read the Fisher Wallpaper and Paint-big book of samples from cover to cover. • Buy an oragami factory and hope it: doesn't fold.

· Never use someone else's New Year's