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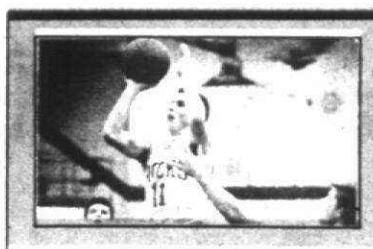

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Merit group hears complaints against clerk

By M.B. Dillon
staff writer

Relations between Canton Township department heads and clerk Linda Chuhran have become so strained that the Merit Commission has been asked to intercede.

Complaints filed by Dan Durack, personnel director, John Santomauro, public safety director, and John Spencer, finance director, were heard by the township Merit Commission Monday night.

The three-member Merit Commission enforces personnel policy for classified service employees.

Canton's charter empowers the commission to find an elected official guilty of a misdemeanor if it can prove the official gave false testimony, said Durack, Merit Commission secretary.

DURACK, UNDER oath in the quasi-judicial hearing, protested allegations made and publicized in local newspapers by Chuhran.

According to Durack's testimony, Chuhran said Durack lied, and that his office was guilty of wrongdoing in the transfer of a secretary.

Chuhran claims a secretary who transferred from the clerk's office to the public safety department was shown special treatment by the personnel director.

Chuhran admitted saying Durack lied.

"He stated I was offered a township attorney, and said I refused. I'd like to see the documentation that says I refused," Chuhran said.

Durack also objected to Chuhran's statement that he "works for four votes on the board." Chuhran admitted making the statement.

"You're accusing that man of making an absolute mockery of his position," said Merit Commission chairman Bruce Patterson.

"Well, maybe in this instance, yes," said Chuhran.

Patterson called Chuhran's allegations "very serious."

"If Canton Township is to maintain an effective and responsive work force, there must be ultimate trust in the personnel director and the way he carries out his duties," said Patterson.

"At the very least, if we find that it's unproven, we would insist upon a complete and full retraction and an apology from you so that other employees who have to look to him will know his reputation is beyond criticism.

"To the extent this is proven, if it is found that he lied or is guilty of wrongdoing . . . it would come pretty close to (warranting) 'personnel capital punishment' in my estimation. . . ."

Patterson urged Chuhran to come to the Merit Commission with complaints, rather than making allegations and "circulating more and more letters."

THE PUBLIC SAFETY director's complaints stem from comments made by Chuhran and a meeting held to discuss Santomauro's use of a car phone.

Attended by Chuhran, Durack and Santomauro, the meeting abruptly ended when Chuhran demanded that Santomauro "get the hell out of her office," said Santomauro.

Chuhran contacted the State Police and the FBI after the meeting. Chuhran testified she did so because she "was in fear."

Santomauro and Chuhran presented conflicting accounts of what happened.

According to Durack, Santomauro called the meeting to discuss Chuhran's concern about Santomauro's phone calls and "innuendos that had been floating around in some parts of the township."

"Director Santomauro expressed that he wanted it resolved before the township board meeting," said Durack. "Linda Chuhran stated she didn't have any questions regarding the use of the car phone.

"The clerk became upset and agitated, pointing her finger in director Santomauro's face. She told him to get his butt out of her office," added Durack.

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Fatal crash

Gary Sutherland, 34, of Canton died of injuries after an accident on Michigan Avenue Tuesday morning.

Sutherland lost control of his 1984 Buick Skyhawk about 7:03 a.m. driving west on Michigan Avenue in front of the Cozy Cafe east of Lilley.

He swerved off the road and onto the median on Michigan Avenue and slammed into a parked semitrailer truck, said Dave Boljesic, Canton Police information officer.

The roads were wet but not slippery, Boljesic said.

Sutherland was taken to Annapolis Hospital in Wayne and later transported to University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor. He died Tuesday evening.

Sutherland was alone in the car and the only person injured in the accident, Boljesic said.



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Jury to look at diary

By Diane Gale
staff writer

A diary kept by a Canton woman suffocated with duct tape will be admitted into evidence during the first-degree murder trial of the woman's husband, Charles (Charlie) Ray Fisher.

The diary of the Canton woman, Ella (Ria) Mercado-Fisher, 30, hints that she was having a sexual relationship with a cousin and talks about the disintegration of her marriage to Fisher.

Ironically, the diary, considered key evidence by the prosecutor, was given to Mercado-Fisher by Fisher in 1982.

Wayne Circuit Judge Thomas Foley ruled Monday the diary, as well as letters written by Fisher to his wife's parents and others, expressing outrage and jealousy, are necessary for the jury to understand the full picture.

Wayne County assistant prosecutor Michael Reynolds said he wants the jury to see the evidence to show Fisher's state of mind before and after Mercado-Fisher was murdered.

One of Fisher's attorneys, Richard Neaton, argued the evidence should be ruled inadmissible "because it's a bunch of shadows on premeditation,

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Schools report increase in absences

Student absenteeism due to illness in Plymouth-Canton Community Schools was running a little higher than usual last week and early this week, school officials reported.

"It's nothing alarming but definitely an increase since Christmas vacation," said Shirley Waters, attendance officer for the school district.

"It's not any one thing and not any one school. It's a variety of illnesses," said Kari Miller, one of five nurses in the district.

PRINCIPALS AND secretaries contacted Monday in a spot check were almost unanimous in reporting a slight increase in absenteeism due to illness.

Attendance was off slightly at Bird, Field, Gallimore and Farrand elementary schools, Central Middle School, and Plymouth Canton High.

Absenteeism, however, didn't exceed 8 percent at any of those schools.

Forty-two of 830 teachers failed to report to work Monday but that number included long-term disabilities and maternity leaves, said Richard Egli, community relations director for the district.

Parents should be careful about sending a child to school if the child complains about illness or is getting over an illness, Miller said.

"He's not going to feel well, not going to do well and may be contagious," she said. "If they truly don't feel well, are running a fever, have a lot of symptoms, keep them home."

Parents sometimes send their kids back too soon, Miller said.

"Children who have had a temperature of 100 or more should not return to school until at least 24 hours of normal temperature has passed."

Ditto for extended vomiting, she added.

PARENTS ARE called and asked to pick up their children at school if body temperatures reach 100 or vomiting occurs, Miller said.

That sometimes presents another problem with both parents working outside of the home or families new to the community — no one to respond if a child becomes ill.

"We really need parents' cooperation providing us with alternative phone numbers . . . of people they trust," Miller said.

Some decisions — send or don't send — are tough to make and depend on specific circumstances.

"I guess it's important for parents to get in touch with their children," Miller said.

There will be times when illess strikes and "it's not productive for a child to be in school," she added.



file photo

Joe West is shown checking over some accounts during his days as Plymouth Township treasurer.

Former Canton supervisor, Joseph H. West, dies at 72

Joseph H. West, a lifelong resident of the Plymouth-Canton community who died last Sunday, is remembered by friends and colleagues as being civic-minded and gentlemanly.

West, 72, had served as supervisor of Canton Township and treasurer of Plymouth Township.

"He was a real community-minded individual," said Harold Fischer, for whose realty firm West worked in the early '70s. "He was a very faithful and hard-working individual.

"Joe was active in the Kiwanis," Fischer said. "He would always show up to do his part. In later years, he couldn't do physical work but showed up with refreshments which he paid out of his own pocket.

"That shows real dedication."

WEST WAS born and raised in the Cherry Hill section of Canton Township. He served as supervisor of Canton Township in 1946-47.

For nearly 30 years he and four brothers owned West Bros. Motors Inc. — at first a Nash/Rambler dealership, then a Mercury dealership — on Forest Avenue in downtown Plymouth.

'The thing I remember most about Joe is he was the kindest gentleman I had ever met.'

— Mary Brooks
treasurer
Plymouth Township

West served as treasurer in Plymouth Township from 1974 to 1984.

Mary Brooks, current treasurer, worked as West's deputy.

"The thing I remember most about Joe is he was the kindest gentleman I had ever met," she said.

"Joe never raised his voice, never got mad. He had a great sense of humor. He was a friend to everybody," Brooks said.

West was instrumental in the city acquiring The Gathering site across from Kellogg Park, Fischer said.

WEST, a graduate of Cleary College in Ypsilanti, was a trustee on that institution's board at the time of his death.

He was a member of the Plymouth Kiwanis Club for 26 years, serving as president in 1969. He also was a member of the Plymouth Elks Lodge and the Plymouth Historical Society.

West also was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at First United Methodist Church. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

West is survived by his wife Jane; daughter, Martha Rice of Akron; son, William of Plymouth; sister, Luetta of Florida; brothers, Elton of Flint and Earl of Plymouth; and two grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be sent to the First United Methodist Church, the Plymouth Historical Society or the Plymouth Kiwanis Foundation.

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Chiefs eye police academy in S'craft center

By Wayne Peal
staff writer

The Western Wayne County Police Chiefs Association wants to have a police training academy at the Schoolcraft College Radcliff Center in Garden City.

"Right now, there are regional academies in Oakland and Macomb counties, but this would be something closer to home," Livonia Police Chief William Crayk said.

Crayk, an association member, also sits on Schoolcraft's pre-service academy advisory committee.

Mindful of regional politics, Crayk said the goal is to supply the metropolitan area with more officer candidates.

"We don't want to take anything away from anyone else," Crayk said. "We want to expand the pool."

COLLEGE OFFICIALS said the academy could be created with minimal cost.

There would be a one-time $13,000 facilities cost, primarily involving renovating a college locker room, associate professor Edwynna Coplai said. Coplai, who is in charge of the Radcliff Center, has been working with the chiefs on the college's behalf.

Staffing would cost some $35,000 a year, she said.

The academy would run for 12 weeks each spring or summer, beginning in 1989. Officer candidates from southern and downriver communities, as well as from western Wayne, would participate.

Some departments pay for officers' training; others do not. Regardless, most seek candidates with at least two years' post-high school education.

"There's an increasing demand for candidates with an associate's degree," Crayk said.

The academy would need accreditation from the Michigan Law Enforcement Officers Training Council to become a reality.

THE CHIEFS association seeks endorsement from community groups. It will present the proposal Friday, Feb. 12, to the Conference of Western Wayne.

Schoolcraft can already conduct a variety of academy functions, including precision driving classes, Coplai said. Target practice classes could be conducted at local department ranges, she said.

Schoolcraft currently provides selected training classes to local departments.

"We've been extremely involved with in-service police department training," Coplai said.

'Right now, there are regional academies in Oakland and Macomb counties, but this would be something closer to home.'

—William Crayk
Livonia Police Chief

obituaries

JOSEPH H. WEST

Funeral services for Mr. West, 72, of Plymouth were held recently in the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth with burial at Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth. Arrangements were made by Lambert-Vermeulen Funeral Home in Plymouth. Memorial contributions may be made to First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial, Plymouth 48170.

Mr. West, who died Jan. 31, was born in Canton and spent his lifetime in the Plymouth-Canton community. He moved to Plymouth in 1950. A graduate of Cleary College in Ypsilanti, Mr. West was a member of the Cleary College Board of Trustees. He owned a car dealership on Forest Avenue in the city of Plymouth from 1941 to 1970, spent the next four years with Harold Fischer Realty in Plymouth, and was Plymouth Township Treasurer from 1974-84. He was a lifetime member of the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, a member of Elks Lodge BPOE 1780 of Plymouth and of the Plymouth Historical Society, and for 26 years was a member of the Plymouth Kiwanis Club, serving as president in 1969.

Survivors include: wife, Jane; daughter, Martha Rice of Akron; son, William of Plymouth; sister, Luetta West of Florida; brothers, Elton of Flint, Earl of Plymouth; and two grandchildren.

VIRGINIA B. MORRISON

Funeral services for Mrs. Morrison, 71, of Ann Arbor were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home in Plymouth with burial at Acacia Park Cemetery, Birmingham. Memorial contributions may be made to the Plymouth Rotary Foundation, PolioPLUS project, P.O. Box 5401, Plymouth 48170.

Mrs. Morrison, who died Jan. 31 in Ann Arbor, was born in Cincinnati. She attended Hillsdale College, Michigan State University, and the University of Michigan and earned a PhD in 1962 from U-M. A resident of Ann Arbor for the past 40 years, her early schooling was in Flint. She retired in 1974 as a professor from Oakland University in 1974. At Oakland University, Mrs. Morrison was responsible for instructing future teachers in elementary and secondary education. She also taught at Eastern Michigan University, Wayne State University, and U-M. She was awarded a 50 year service award from the University of Michigan, was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma, which presented her with a 50 year award in 1985, was a member and past president of the Plymouth Rotary Anns, and was a Paul Harris Fellow of Rotary International.

Survivors include: husband, William; sons, James of Ripon, Wis., William III of Plymouth; daughter, Leigh Simon of Fenwick, Mich.; and two grandchildren.

LESTER O. ANDERSON

Funeral services for Dr. Anderson, 81, of Canton were held recently in Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Negaunee, Mich., with burial at Negaunee City Cemetery. Officiating was the Rev. Rudolph Kempainen with local arrangements made by Schrader Funeral Home. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Foundation.

Dr. Anderson, who died Jan. 28 in Taylor, was born in Union, Ill., and moved to Canton from Negaunee in 1986. He graduated from Palmer School of Chiropractic College in 1939, had a practice for 36 years in Detroit, and retired in 1975, moving to Negaunee the following year. Dr. Anderson was a member of the Negaunee Kiwanis Club and of the Lions Club of Negaunee, and was a lifetime member of the Michigan State Chiropractic Association.

Survivors include: wife, Ethel; daughter, Kristin Gischia of Canton; sister, Pauline Wray of Lansing; and four grandchildren.

EDWARD W. WHITMIRE

Funeral services for Mr. Whitmire, 73, of Plymouth were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home with burial at Riverside Cemetery. Officiating was the Rev. Edwin C. Hoff.

Mr. Whitmire, who died Jan. 29 in the city of Wayne, was born in Salem Township. A retiree, he was a lifelong resident of the area and was a member of the Salem Congregational Church. He is survived by several nieces and nephews.

ESTHER L. JACOBS

Funeral services for Mr. Jacobs, 90, of Plymouth were held recently at Riverside Cemetery with burial at Riverside with arrangements made by Schrader Funeral Home. Memorial contributions were made to the American Cancer Society.

Mrs. Jacobs, who died Jan. 30 in Westland, was born in Sandusky, Mich. A longtime resident of Plymouth, she was a member of the Plymouth Grange and of the Plymouth Order of Eastern Star. Survivors include: Dawn Messingham of Westland; sister, Katherine; brother, Roy; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

JANE A. GOTTS

Funeral services for Mrs. Gotts, 42, of Northville were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home with burial at Riverside Cemetery. Officiating was the Rev. Eric S. Hammar. Memorial contributions may be made to Special Olympics or to the Hospice of Southeastern Michigan.

Mrs. Gotts, who died Jan. 19 in Southfield, was born in Ann Arbor. A resident of the Belmont Group Home of Trenton for two years, she was a member of the Northville Methodist Church and attended Association for Retarded Citizens Downriver.

Survivors include: parents, Annabell and Robert Gotts of Northville; sisters, Kaye Horsfall of Montana, Linda Freiny of Monroe; brother, Richard of Traverse City; several aunts and uncles; three nieces and three nephews.

Robber hits food store

An armed robber stole $85 from a Quik Pik food store on Joy Road east of I-275 about 2 a.m. Sunday.

A man — described as a white male, about 20 years old, 5 feet 4 inches tall, 130 pounds, brown hair extending below his collar and unshaven — entered the food store and pulled out a five-inch knife. The 31-year-old female cashier was alone in the store at the time.

The man, wearing blue work pants, a dark vest, blue jacket and dark shoes, ordered the cashier to go into the back room. He decided against that and grabbed the woman by her sweater ordering her to open the cash register.

The man ran northbound on Joy Road with money from the cashier and the woman's purse. He got away with a total of $85, said Dave Boljesic, Canton Police information officer.

Police are without suspects, Boljesic said. Anyone with information is asked to call Canton Police at 397-3000.

Young musicians top scorers

A number of middle schools students from Plymouth-Canton Community Schools earned top ratings recently in solo and ensemble festival competition held recently at Livonia Franklin High School.

The top performers receiving Division I ratings for "an excellent level of performance and outstanding musicianship" while Division II ratings were awarded for a very good performance but not worthy of the highest score because of minor defects in performance or interpretation.

All participants receiving Division I ratings are eligible to attend the state solo and ensemble festival of the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association in March.

NINTH GRADERS at the Centennial Educational Park earning Division I ratings were Frances Chang, A. Zagorski, J. Hebel and I. Riley. Ninth graders at CEP earning Division II ratings were Ian Riley, Jeff Noricks and A. Walquist.

Central Middle School students receiving Division I ratings were Julie Allen, Pam Kramer, Lendel Duet, Katie Montjar and Holly Quick while Division II ratings were earned by Alan Backmura, Rachel Jones, A. Lee and Katie Montjag.

East Middle School students earning Division I ratings were Dawn Alex, Pattie Arnold, Sheri Ayala, Chris Bonte, Maggie Colligan, Dan Cuevas, Karen Dood, Heather Fleming, Stacey Herring, Mandy Hose, Cheryl Lauzon, Lisa Masta, Kaylene Meldrum, Racheal Murray, Kirk Oakley, Myamekye Phelps, April Raschke, Kathryn Socie, Jennifer Stotz, and Amber Zlylkowski.

East Middle School students earning Division II ratings were Sandy Alcini, Sheri Ayala, Sara Balduf, April Billins, Tara Blackwell, Chris Boulter, Autumn Bunch, Mary Kay Cook, Dan Cuevas, Yolanda Jackson, Dawn Kristen, Cheryl Lauzon, Kuenok Lee, Pam Long, Racheal Murray, Heather McDougall, David Neville, Kirk Oakley, April Rasschke, Kathryn Socie, Bill Stewart, Steve Strecker, Tracy Vandergroef and A. Woolenweber.

Lowell Middle School students earning Division I rankings were Debbie Basakis, Selena Bastine, Jennifer Demaine, Susie Fanslow, Julie Oldham, Evie Phillips, Michelle Puzzouli, Janet Roberts, Tim Sherman and Amy Sobell. Lowell Division II recipients were Rachel Folland and Heidi Naasko.

PIONEER MIDDLE School students earning Division I were Chad Baker, Owen Carter, James Dickey, Matt Houser, James-Nickie, Keith Provenzano, and Anika Scott.

Pioneer Division II recipients were Alexander Trio, David Haines, Nicole Hall, Matt Houser, Lyndrup Trio, Brenda Marciniak, Kim McCormick, Dottie McKenney, Heather Meyer, A. Pao, Monica Patel, Kathy Smith, Chris Swanson, Michael Temple, Colleen West, Melinda Wiltrout.

West Middle School students earning Division I standing were Susan Bozell, Jennifer Davis, Bill DeCourcy, Jason Greanya, Heather Kaye, Katie Konovaliv, Rolfe Krackenberg, Krystal Kruse, Paige Kuwik, Michelle Langley, Kathy Lingenfelter, Lance Loiselle, A. Mirto, Partha Mushapadmay, Brady Musson, Melanie Notestine, I. Okiwumabua, Frank Riley, Melissa Rockwood, Jamie Salberg, Robbie Schikora, Laura Schryer, Bob Stopper, Amy Suiter, Amy Sullivan, Melissa Vernon, Becky Whiteford.

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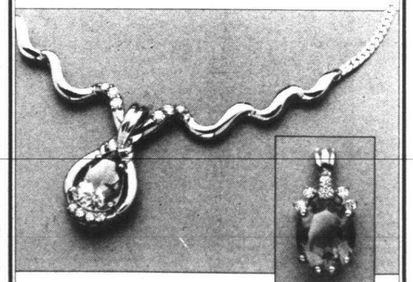
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Play time: Plymouth AAUW branch to offer some giant-sized fun to children

By Julie Brown
staff writer

Plymouth-Canton school children have something to look forward to this month — and it's not just their upcoming mid-winter break.

The Plymouth branch, American Association of University Women, will present performances of "Jack and the Beanstalk" later this month. Cast and crew members have been hard at work in recent weeks, preparing for the show's opening.

This is the 28th year AAUW members have presented a play for children.

"I hope it'll be fun for them," said Janet Carson, who is directing this year's production with Becky Copenhaver. Carson hopes the Plymouth-Canton youngsters enjoy their experience with live drama.

She's pleased that the play is a classic fairy tale, unlike much of what children see on television these days.

"They need to keep in touch with those classic stories," Carson said.

"Jack and the Beanstalk" performances are scheduled 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. Performances will be in the auditorium of Plymouth Salem High School, Joy west of Canton Center Road in Canton.

IT'S BEEN awhile since the AAUW last presented "Jack and the Beanstalk," Copenhaver said. Last year, AAUW members presented "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs."

This is the first year Copenhaver and Carson have directed the AAUW play.

This year's production includes 14 cast members. They've been rehearsing in recent weeks on Monday and Wednesday evenings at Pioneer Middle School in Plymouth Township.

This week, rehearsal sessions are set to move to the stage at Salem High.

"That'll be nice," Copenhaver said. Rehearsing on the high school stage will allow cast members to work with the scenery and props.

"It's fun, it's really fun," Copenhaver said of the annual play. "The whole thing together is, I think, exciting for the children."

She and Carson have enjoyed working with the cast members, who are veterans of earlier AAUW theatrical productions.

The story involves Jack, a young boy who must sell the family cow because his family is poor and needs food. He sets out to sell the cow and soon ends up with a handful of magic beans.

The beans cause a beanstalk to grow. Jack then climbs that beanstalk. He meets the giant, the giant's wife and a host of other characters.

IN ADDITION to the performances on Thursday through Saturday, Feb. 25-27, a group night performance is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 24, for Scouts, Indian Maidens and other group members.

Leaders may order tickets by mailing a check (payable to AAUW, Plymouth branch) to: Group night tickets, 11370 Gold Arbor, Plymouth 48170. Ticket price is $1.50.

Orders should include the name of the group, the leader's name and phone number, and the number of tickets requested. Tickets may be picked up at the ticket office outside of the Salem auditorium before the performance, or a self-addressed stamped envelope may be enclosed with the order.

Friday, Feb. 12, is the deadline to order those tickets.

No mail order tickets will be available for other performances this year. All tickets will be sold in Plymouth-Canton elementary schools on Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 10-11.

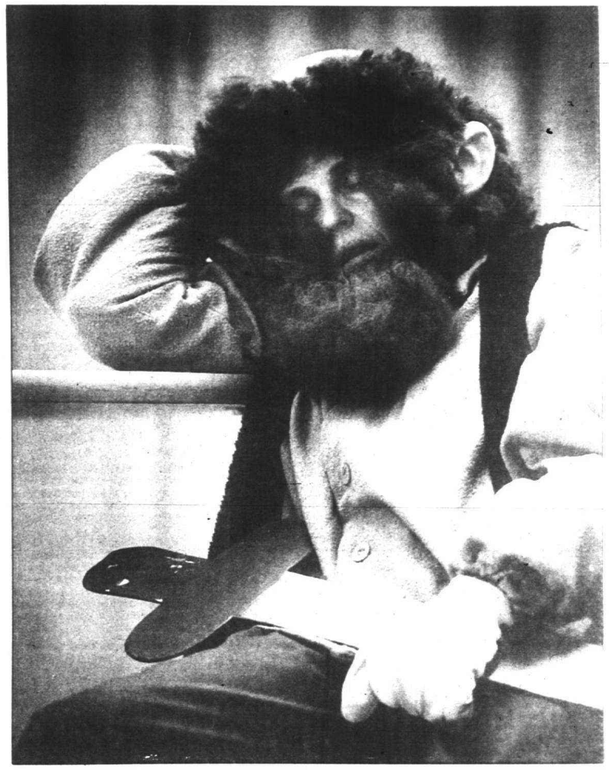
On Friday, Feb. 12, any remaining tickets will be sold at the Rainbow Shop on Ann Arbor Trail at Forest Avenue in Plymouth, and at the Book Break on Ford Road in Canton.

"JACK AND THE Beanstalk" cast members are:

Diane Gaubatz, Jack; Pam Dean, the giant's wife; Sharon Belobraidich, the giant; Coralyn Riley, Jack's mother; Doris Fedus, the market lady; Nancy Quinn, the flower girl; Mary Uhl and Edna Fleming, Milky White, the cow; Sylvia Rozian, the father-old man; Esther Nelson, the constable; Karen Huddas, the harp; Kathy Harenda, Henrietta Hen; Elaine Aron, the wood seller; and Helene Lusa, the fruit vendor/fairy.

Those working behind the scenes include: Becky Copenhaver and Janet Carson, directors; Pat Dunbeck, Karen Huddas and Barb Greanya, costumes; Janet Carson, props; Mary Uhl, makeup; Sally Fedus, stage manager; Lois Oldfield, cast luncheon; Nancy Vernon, tickets; Karen Huddas, prompter; Elaine Bain, house manager; Marcia Elsner, group night; Gail Conte, business manager; Kathy Harenda, printing; Mable Partain, poster design; Hila Collins, communications; and Sharon Belobraidich, publicity.


Jack's mother (Coralyn Riley) tells Jack (Diane Gaubatz) what his father was like.


The giant, played by Sharon Belobraidich, is fast asleep in this scene from the AAUW children's play.


Jack (Diane Gaubatz) and the others celebrate the story's happy ending.


Becky Copenhaver (left) and Janet Carson are co-directors of this year's children's play, "Jack in the Beanstalk," put on by the Plymouth branch of the American Association of University Women.

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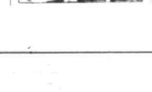
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Fisher trial jury will get look at victim's diary

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and you shouldn't let it become a trial that's more like a soap opera."

Foley postponed the trial until Feb. 22 at the request of Neaton who said the prosecutor's office failed to file a witness list 30 days before the trial as required by law.

A JURY FOUND Fisher, now 47, guilty of first-degree murder in February 1986. However, Judge Claudia House-Morcom declared a mistrial due to comments made by assistant prosecutor Doug Baker during closing arguments.

In the first trial the prosecutor's office maintained Fisher hired hit-men burglars to enter his Canton home July 14, 1984, to stage a burglary and wrap his wife's head with duct tape.

Baker said Fisher possibly wanted to save his wife at the last minute to appear to be her rescuer; however, the plan got out of hand and she couldn't be revived.

"Mr. Fisher is not guilty," Neaton argued. "But this theory isn't grounds for first-degree murder." They're the basis for second-degree murder charges, he said.

Mercado-Fisher bought airline tickets to leave for Germany July 17, 1984 — a few days after the attack — to visit her cousin, Javier Hortato.

She intended to get her own apartment when she returned from visiting Hortato and "she would buy leg warmers to pretend they were her cousin's arms keeping her warm," Reynolds said, quoting from the diary.

At Reynold's request, Foley also is allowing the jury to learn about a companion ad placed by Fisher Aug. 14, 1984 — less than one month after his wife was buried — in a Detroit daily newspaper seeking "a friend, wife, passionate lover, devoted life mate." He referred to himself as 6-foot-1, 175 pounds with a "beautiful marriage background."

He asked women between 18 and 30 years old with white, Hispanic or Oriental ethnic background to respond, for "fantastic sex and devotion." Fisher was divorced before marrying Mercado-Fisher, who was married three times.

Fisher — a tall, extremely thin, bespectacled microbiologist with disheveled, dark auburn hair and sharp features — is free on a $25,000 cash bond and is teaching microbiology at a Missouri university.

He was in court Monday while Mercado-Fisher's parents — Manuel and Evelyn Mercado of Florida — waited outside the courtroom.

Schools will conduct health needs survey

By Tedd Schneider
staff writer

Some Wayne-Westland secondary school students and parents will be surveyed to help determine health needs in the district.

The survey is part of the district's Teen Health Assessment Project, a yearlong effort being used to plan a comprehensive teen health program for Wayne-Westland Community Schools, which includes a portion of Canton Township.

Such a program could include the opening of one or more teen health clinics in Wayne-Westland, a move that has been the subject of controversy in other suburban districts.

The proposed survey, if approved by the school board, would be distributed in March, said Ronald Somers, the district's executive director of secondary education and vice chairman of the project committee.

The proposed survey will be taken confidentially in class by a random sample of about 20 percent of the 8,400 students in grades 7-12.

A SAMPLE group of about 1,400 parents will receive surveys in the mail. The parents will not necessarily be related to students surveyed.

Copies of the survey will also be available to elementary school parents through local school offices.

"We chose the random sampling method rather than surveying all parents and students partly to keep costs down," said Rebecca Cabral, project director.

"But also an all-inclusive study typically has a very low return rate and the results won't be representative of the entire group."

The study, being done in cooperation with Annapolis Hospital, will be paid for with a $20,000 grant from the Michigan Department of Public Health awarded last August.

The committee consulted with the Center for Urban Studies at Wayne State University to help design the survey and determine the method for distribution.

The proposed student survey covers a wide variety of topics ranging from dietary habits to emotional problems. Questions regarding drug and alcohol use and personal sexual history are included.

The first page of the proposed survey carries two-paragraph statement guaranteeing confidentiality. "We want your answers to be confidential (secret). No one in your school or family will ever know your answers," it says in part.

THE PROPOSED parent survey covers many of the same topics from a parent's point of view.

Both surveys ask for opinions on whether or not teen health care centers or clinics should be part of the district's health program and what services should be offered by such clinics.

The Taylor school board reversed an earlier decision to open teen health clinics in the district's three high schools last year after protests from a large number of parents.

Parents were mistakenly under the impression that that contraceptives would be distributed at the clinics, according to Somers.

Such clinics, run with a combination of state and private money, are prohibited from distributing birth control devices under state law, he said.

IN ADDITION to the survey, the project committee has given tentative approval to a public outreach campaign that may include informational spots on local cable television.

The committee also plans to meet with a group from the Right to Life group to discuss possible changes in the district health program.

"We requested for the meeting," said William Sherman, committee chairman.

"We feel it's important that they be informed of our efforts."

Wayne-Westland School District
The district serves southeast Canton.

Commission hears complaints

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The "innuendos" concern a clerk transferred by Santomauro from the public safety department to the clerk's office.

"As an elected official, I don't have to take certain abuse," said Chuhran.

"Three department heads . . . are claiming their rights have been trammeled on, and that's a concern of the Merit Commission," said Patterson.

"The key word here is perception. I don't know that the Merit Commission will ever get to the bottom of this to determine whose perception is reality."

SPENCER FILED a complaint after Chuhran threatened to discipline him for refusing to sign payroll vouchers.

Spencer maintains that Chuhran isn't his supervisor and has no right to discipline him.

"I would have been subject to their discipline had I followed the directive," Spencer said.

The Merit Commission will investigate and report on its findings at its Feb. 25 meeting.

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military news

● **JOSE SALAME**

Jose Salame, son of Jose and Blanca Salame of Canton, has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of first lieutenant. Salame is chief of the Missile Electrical Branch with the 321st Organizational Missile Maintenance Squadron at Grand Forks AFB, N.D. He is a 1985 graduate of Michigan State University in East Lansing.

● **ROBERT FIGURSKI**

Marine Pvt. Robert Figurski, son of Larry and Jody Figurski of Canton, has completed recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego. He is a 1987 graduate of Canton High.

● **MICHAEL WEST**

Navy Fireman Apprentice Michael West, son of Darlene West-Grimm of Canton, recently participated in Exercise Valliant Blitz 88-1 while serving aboard the amphibious transport dock USS Dubuque, homeported in Sasebo, Japan. The 15-day exercise was conducted with the Republic of Korea and U.S. Marine Corps forces.

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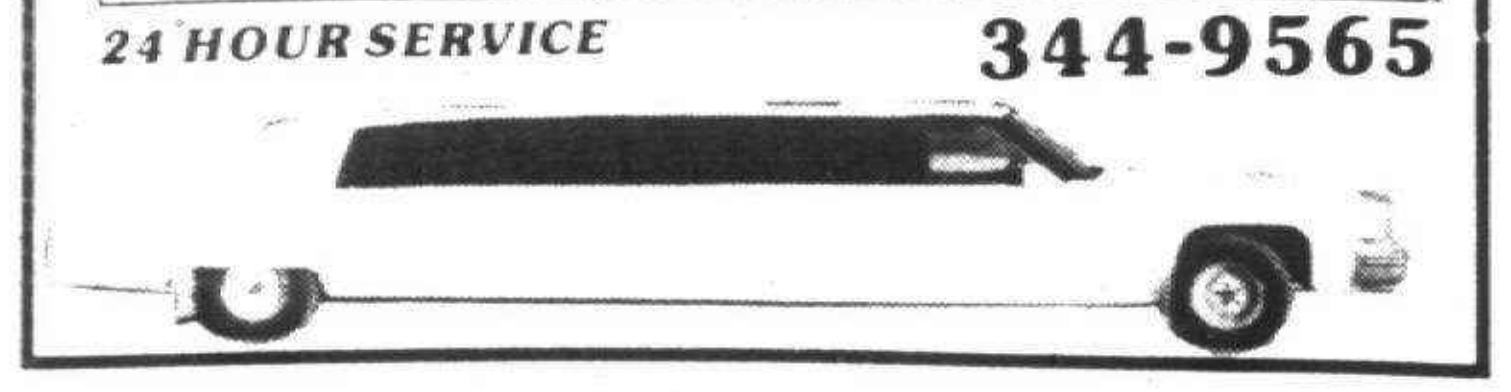

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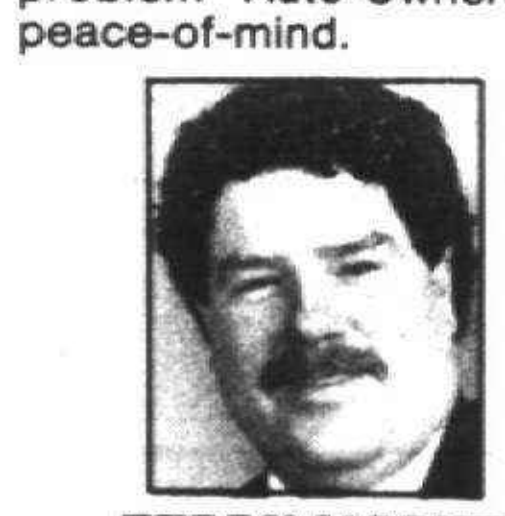

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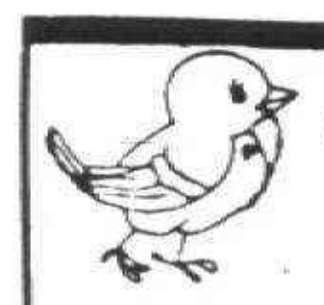

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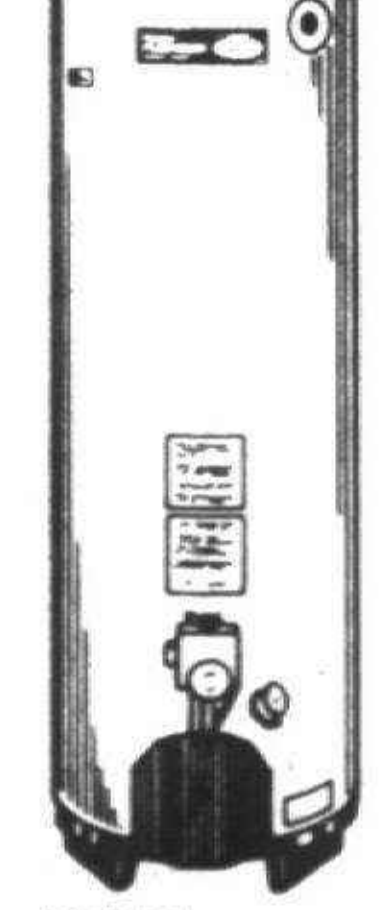

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Supervisor Breen called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and led in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. All members were present.
Mr. Irvine moved to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of January 12, 1988 as submitted. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.
Mr. Horton moved to approve payment of the bills for January 26, 1988 in the amount of $137,231.91 for General Fund, $50,645.14 for Water and Sewer, making a Grand Total of $187,877.05. Supported by Mrs. Hulsing. Ayes all on a roll call vote, except Mr. Irvine who voted no.
Mrs. Hulsing moved to approve the agenda for the regular meeting of January 26, 1988 as submitted. Supported by Mr. Horton. Ayes all.
Mr. Horton moved Resolution No. 88-1-26-5 approving the requested Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate (12-year tax abatement) for Hahn-Chardon Company, 14557 Keel Street, Plymouth, MI 48170. Supported by Mr. Munfakh. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
Mr. Munfakh moved to adopt the second and final reading of Ordinance No. 95 - Junk Yards as presented. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
Mrs. Hulsing moved Resolution No. 88-1-26-1 approving the license fee of $25.00 for Junk Yards. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
Mrs. Hulsing moved to adopt the second and final reading of Ordinance No. 96 - Used Car Lots. Supported by Mrs. Brooks. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
Mr. Pruner moved Resolution No. 88-1-26-2 approving the $50.00 Used Car Lot Fee. Supported by Mr. Munfakh. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
Mr. Munfakh moved adoption of Ordinance No. 97 - Private Road Construction and Maintenance as presented with the one corrected as noted. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call vote, except Mr. Irvine who voted no.
Mr. Horton moved to approve the watermain and sanitary sewer easement presented by Dennis and Louise Tsatsanifos for the LaGrande Vallee site located at Canton Center and Ann Arbor Roads in Plymouth Township. Supported by Mrs. Brooks. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
Mr. Pruner moved Resolution No. 88-1-26-7 regarding cash advance funds from the County - "Work Program Account 2." Supported by Mr. Munfakh. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
After much discussion regarding the WTUA sewer progress, Mr. Horton moved to receive and file the WTUA sewer progress report. Supported by Mr. Munfakh. Ayes all.
Mrs. Hulsing moved to authorize the Township Attorney to file an Amicus Brief arguing Plymouth Township's position urging triple bunking at the Wayne County Jail as requested by Wayne County Sheriff, Robert A. Ficano. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.
Mr. Munfakh moved to approve payment in the amount of $691.00 (Plymouth Township's share) for The Senior Alliance (Area Agency on Aging) in order for them to obtain Federal/State funds. Supported by Mrs. Hulsing. Ayes all.
Mr. Horton moved to approve the proposed golf rates for 1988 as presented by Mr. Jawor of Hilltop Golf Course. The proposed rates will be the rates charged this year for non-residents. Supported by Mrs. Hulsing. Ayes all on a roll call vote, except Mr. Irvine who voted no.
Supervisor Breen gave an up-to-date report on the purchase of property for the Department of Public Works. He stated the one project he was working on has gone awry. There have been two verbal proposals - nothing in writing. We are still seeking a written offer.
Mr. Horton moved to accept the watermain and sanitary sewer easements from Charles Congdon. The easement is at the end of Oak Lane, west of Plymouth Crossing Subdivision, in the Five Mile and Haggerty Road area. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
Mr. Munfakh moved to accept the watermain easement submitted by Willco, Inc., which is described as the south 260 feet of the east 12 feet of Lot 73, Metro West Industrial Subdivision No. 3. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
Mr. Munfakh moved Resolution No. 88-1-26-3 recognizing SEMCOG's 20 years of Regional Planning in Southeastern Michigan. Supported by Mrs. Hulsing. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
Mrs. Hulsing moved Resolution No. 88-1-26-4 approving the 1988 Summer Tax Collection Agreement between Charter Township of Plymouth and Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. Supported by Mrs. Brooks. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
Mr. Pruner moved Resolution No. 88-1-26-6 listing the various depositories for the Charter Township of Plymouth for calendar year January 1, 1988 through December 31, 1988. Supported by Mr. Munfakh. Ayes all on a roll call vote.
Mr. Munfakh moved to approve the request of Treasurer, Mary Brooks, to increase the petty cash drawer from $500 to $700. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.
Mr. Irvine moved to approve Chief Berry's request to purchase three police cars through the Oakland County Purchase Program for a total price of $33,950.34 ($11,316.78 per car). The new police cars (Chevrolet Caprice) will replace the 1986 Plymouth Fury cars. Supported by Mr. Munfakh. Ayes all.
Mrs. Hulsing moved to receive and file the Departmental Annual Reports for 1987 and Goals for 1988. Supported by Mr. Horton. Ayes all.
Mrs. Hulsing moved to receive and file all items under L. Communications-Resolutions - Reports. Supported by Mr. Horton. Ayes all.
Mrs. Hulsing moved to adjourn. Supported by Mr. Pruner. Ayes all.
Meeting adjourned at 9:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by:
ESTHER HULSING, Clerk

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The above is a synopsis of the Board proceedings for January 26, 1988 and will be approved at the regular Board meeting of February 9, 1988.
*All resolutions, agreements and ordinances are kept on file in the Clerk's office.

Factions square off for GOP representation

By Tim Richard
staff writer



'My main reason in running was a protest and to make a case.'
— Elaine Donnelly
Livonia



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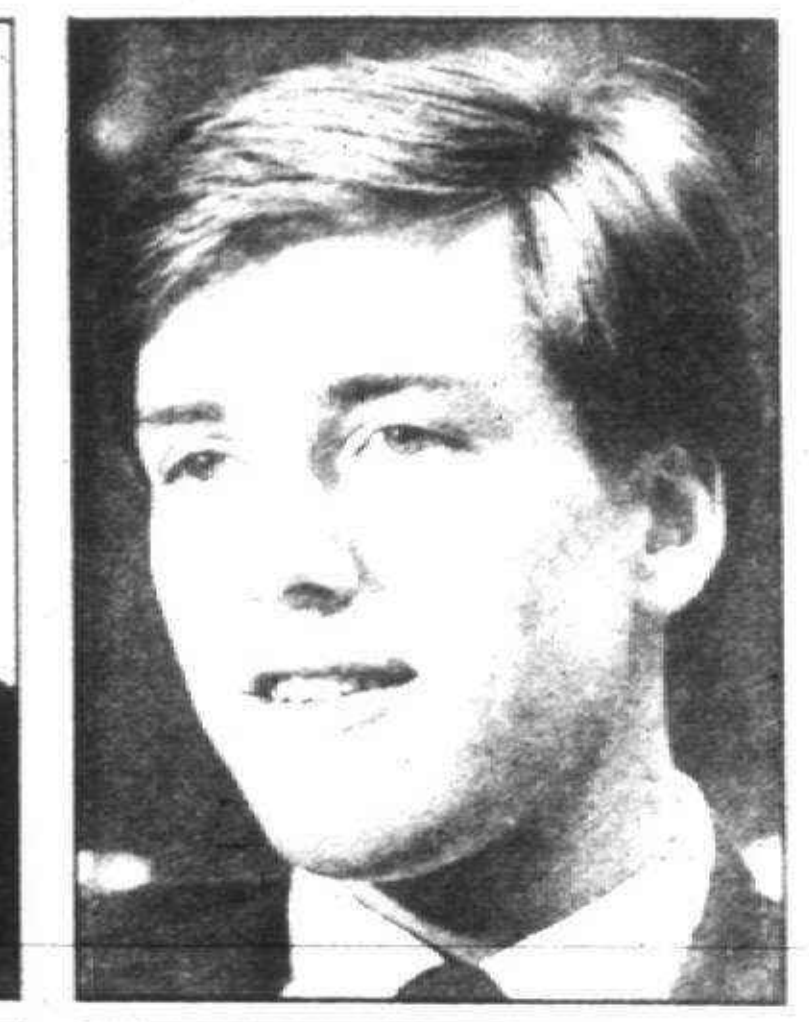

Andy Anuzis of Redford Township was elected a delegate-at-large in the upstairs convention.

Most conservative Republicans who went downstairs in the Grand Rapids Civic Center for a rump convention Saturday will have a single battle to fight — being seated as delegates to the national convention in New Orleans.

Elaine Donnelly of Livonia faces a second battle — replacing Ronna Romney as Republican national committeewoman.

"It is not a personal thing between Ronna and me," said Donnelly, a strong supporter of presidential candidate Jack Kemp. "My main reason in running was a protest and to make a case.

"If I had been a delegate (from the upstairs convention), I wanted to be on the platform committee," said Donnelly, whose favorite political pastime is talking conservative issues at conventions, on platforms, and legislative and congressional committees.

UPSTAIRS, the main convention — backed by four court decisions, state chairman Spencer Abraham and GOP congressmen — was re-electing Ronna Romney, 44, of Bloomfield Hills, to a new four-year term as national committeewoman.

That convention then did a "re-pete," tapping Peter B. Secchia, 49, the colorful Grand Rapids businessman, for a new term as national committeeman.

And it selected 37 supporters of Vice President George Bush, 32 supporters of New York congressman Kemp and a mere eight supporters of former evangelist Pat Robertson as the first 77 delegates to the presidential nominating convention Aug. 15-18.

THE DOWNSTAIRS convention picked Donnelly and party contributor Dick Chrysler of Brighton for the national committee posts, 43 Robertson delegates, 21 for Kemp and 13 for Bush.

Not all 77 delegates are disputed, however. On Friday night, the 18 congressional districts — many with Robertson-Kemp majorities — picked a total of 54 delegates before the split. Many of those will be unchallenged.

Chairing Michigan's rump delegation to New Orleans will be Michael Legg, an attorney from Northville Township who, like Donnelly, was unseated at 1:30 Saturday morning by the convention credentials committee. But don't use the word "rump" around Legg. He insists, unblinkingly, that what happened downstairs was "the legal convention."

LEGG AND Donnelly were among the deeply divided Kemp supporters who refused to cut a deal with the Bush people — a deal that actually netted Kemp 11 national convention delegates.

Legg will be chairman of the downstairs delegation and Donnelly its spokeswoman.

"I think he (Legg) made a mistake," said state Sen. Richard Posthumus, R-Lowell, leader of the Kemp people who bolted from the coalition with Robertson. "I don't see what he can accomplish."

"I've known Mike since he was 17," said U.S. Rep. Carl Pursell, R-Plymouth. "He's burned his bridges behind him."

Pursell, a member of Bush's inner circle, sits next to Kemp on the House Appropriations Committee and said Kemp "has a good future. He's growing and developing. But now he's just frantically running, scrambling. Half his people are mad at him."

Pursell sees Kemp as a vice presidential running mate to either Bush or Sen. Robert Dole of Kansas.

THE ANUZIS brothers were two other Kemp activists who joined Posthumus in bolting from the coalition with Robertson.

Andy, of Redford Township, chairman of the 17th Congressional District, and Saul, of Lansing, chairman of the 3rd District, were elected delegates-at-large in the upstairs convention.

Saul Anuzis said he was "ecstatic" at the outcome of the upstairs convention. "Those 32 Kemp delegates from Michigan are more than New Hampshire, Iowa and Minnesota combined. It means Jack Kemp is the conservative alternative to George Bush."

Andy, who became a Kemp fan after hearing the congressman at a 1979 Young Republicans convention, calls Kemp "the JFK of the Republican Party. He has charisma. He's optimistic.

"He won straw polls among National Teen Republicans, National College Republicans and Young Republicans," Andy Anuzis said.

BUT ELAINE Donnelly thinks Kemp, if he were to speak in Michigan on the deal, would denounce Posthumus and the Anuzis brothers.

She and Legg say the Jan. 14 Kemp-Robertson convention Legg called for 2nd District-Wayne County precinct delegates was not a walk-out convention and are angry that it was unseated on Friday night.

The quotable and photogenic Donnelly is an interviewer's dream, particularly on television, and the Kemp-Robertson people knew it when they tasked her into running for national committeewoman.

Robertsonites caucused first, then they left

They walked — but not too fast.

Republican State Convention delegates loyal to former evangelist Pat Robertson, along with some loyal to U.S. Rep. Jack Kemp, waited until after Friday night's congressional district caucuses to walk out and hold their rump convention Saturday.

Those Friday night caucuses elected 54 national convention delegates — three from 18 districts.

"I think they acted in bad faith," said Paul Ruschmann, a Canton Township resident who filled in as chairman of the 15th Congressional District delegation Saturday.

"We can't do it (reverse the caucus results). The decision made last night is final."

BUT BUSH supporters admitted the Robertson-Kemp move was adroit.

"They knew they were going to lose the at-large slate (23 at-large delegates," Ruschmann said.

"Our regular chairman (Rev. David Thompson, a Robertson backer from Saline) bolted and took some of our people's credentials with him," said Ruschmann. He's part-owner of a legislative analysis consulting firm.

The 15th District covers Garden City, Westland, southern Livonia, Canton and the southern section of Washtenaw County around Ypsilanti.

IN THE 17TH Congressional District, the situation was different.

Only the Robertson people walked out. That was due to the influence of district chairman Andy Anuzis (see related story).

"If the Kemp-Robertson people had met together, they'd have wiped us out," said Bush supporter Rhys Lewis, a longtime Redford Township Republican activist.

The 17th District covers northwest Detroit; the Wayne County suburbs of Redford and Dearborn Heights; and the Oakland County communities in the Southfield-Royal Oak area.

The 17th held three local conventions on Jan. 14. Anuzis called separate Wayne-17th and Oakland-17th conventions, in accordance with a court decision favoring the Bush forces. Lori Packer, a Robertson leader from Southfield, led a separate convention in a Southfield church.

The state convention's credentials committee unseated the Packer group and awarded credentials to the Anuzis group.

Michigan GOP picks rival slates

Here is an unofficial list by name, hometown or home county and candidate preference of the 77 delegates elected Friday and Saturday at the Michigan State Republican Convention.

MAINSTREAM GROUP

Of the 77 delegates, 54 were chosen, three each, from Michigan's 18 congressional districts. The other 23 delegates were elected at large.

Vice President George Bush won 37 delegates, 35 from congressional districts and two at large. New York Congressman Jack Kemp won 32 delegates, 11 from congressional districts and 21 at large.

Former television evangelist Pat Robertson, whose supporters conducted their own convention Saturday, won eight delegates, all from congressional districts.

2nd District: Emily Kacksetter, Adrian, Bush; Dan Piercecchi, Livonia, Bush; Lola Peterson, Jackson, Kemp. Alternates: Harry Greenleaf, Livonia, Bush; Jean Johnson, Jackson, Bush; Jane Talcott, Washtenaw County, Bush.

14th District: Mary Larue, Troy, Robertson; Terry Gilsenan, Warren, Kemp; Mary Giordano, Macomb County, Robertson. Alternates (all Kemp): Kenneth McNeeley of Madison Heights, Stan Grot of Sterling Heights, George Heitmanis of Harper Woods.

15th District: Jeff Nelson, Canton, Robertson; Joann Blausey, Westland, Robertson; David Thompson, Saline, Robertson. Alternates (all Robertson): Dorothy Primac of Livonia, May Zawicki of Washtenaw County, Kent Hoeksemaof Southgate.

17th District (all Bush): L. James Hall of Southfield, Constance Richards of Royal Oak, Edward Haroutunian of Detroit. Alternates: Marge Sands of Royal Oak, Marie Keegler-Reece of Detroit and Sheila Molnar of Lathrup Village.

18th District: Ted Goulet, Commerce, Robertson; Donn Wolf, Farmington Hills, Kemp; Marlene Elwell, Farmington Hills, Robertson. Alternates: Bill Ireland, Rochester Hills, Robertson; Andy Bergstrom, West Bloomfield, Kemp; Bob Fredericks, Bloomfield Township, Kemp.

At large (Observer & Eccentric area): Andy Anuzis, Redford Township, Kemp; Ted Cox, Farmington Hills, Kemp; Alan May, Bloomfield Hills, Kemp; Suzanne Miller, Farmington Hills, Kemp; Michael O'Dea, Southfield, Kemp; Paul Welday, Farmington Hills, Kemp; Cecil Gordon, Franklin, Kemp; George Romney, Bloomfield Hills, Bush.

Alternates: Ronna Romney, Bloomfield Hills, Bush; Max Fisher, Farmington Hills; Sen. Doug Cruce, Troy; U.S. Rep. Carl Pursell, Plymouth; Larry Dickerson, Farmington Hills.

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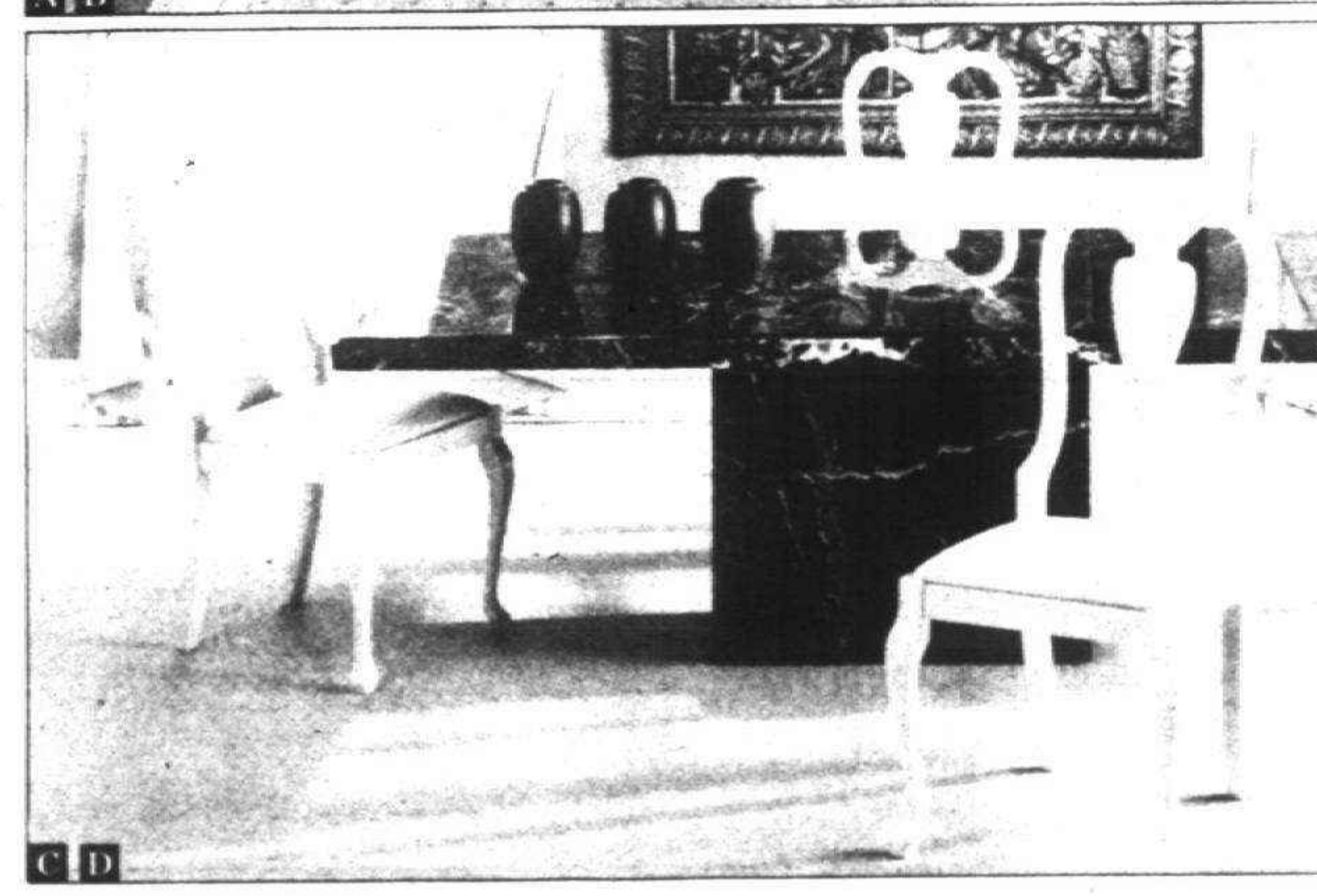

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● YMCA ANNUAL MEETING
Monday, Feb. 8 — The Plymouth Community Family YMCA will hold its annual meeting at 7 p.m. in the YMCA office at 248 Union, Plymouth. The meeting is open to the public.

● PLYMOUTH LIBRARY BOARD
Monday, Feb. 8 — The Plymouth District Library Board will meet beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the Dunning-Hough Library for its regular monthly meeting. The meeting is open to the public.

● PRE-NEED FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS
Tuesday, Feb. 9 — The Plymouth Council on Aging, in conjunction with Plymouth Court (a health care facility), will present Win Schrader, funeral director for Schrader Funeral Home, speaking on pre-need funeral arrangements beginning at 2 p.m. in the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer at Theodore. Schrader also will provide basic information on funeral arrangements and will speak briefly on post funeral counseling.

● COPING WITH PARENTS
Wednesday, Feb. 10 — A session entitled "Coping with Parents, Families and Anger" will be presented by Stewart Sternberg from 3-4 p.m. at West Middle School. The free session is sponsored by the West Parent Council.

● VALENTINE PARTY
Saturday, Feb. 13 — Canton Parks and Recreation will hold its annual Children's Valentine Party for ages 3-12. The party will feature a special magic show, a movie, games and refreshments. The party will be from 10-11 a.m. at the Canton Recreation Center, Michigan Avenue at Sheldon. For reservations call 397-5110 between 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

● BLOOD DONATION
Monday, Feb. 15 — The American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at St. John Seminary, 44011 Five Mile, Plymouth Township, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. to accept donations of blood. For an appointment call Audrey Bronsan at 453-6200.

● DINOSAUR DAY
Tuesday, Feb. 16 — Children in grades 1-6 are invited to relive the days when dinosaurs stalked the earth during "Dinosaur Day," sponsored by the Plymouth District Library, from 4:30-5:30 p.m. Dinosaur stories, activities and a film will be featured. Registration begins Feb. 8 and ends Feb. 13. To register, or for further information, come to the library or call the library at 453-0750.

● READING AND STUDY SKILLS
Monday, Feb. 22 — City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation in cooperation with Improved Reading Centers of Michigan will sponsor an Advanced Reading and Study Skills Program designed to benefit students in the following ways: Achieve more in less study time, increase self-confidence to attain higher academic goals, increase SAT and ACT scores, improve study skills, better preparation for continued education, and maintain scholarship eligibility. The charge of $195 per person includes 12 hours instruction in four three-hour classes in the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. The first class will be 6:30-9:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 22, with the remaining classes at the same time Feb. 29, March 7, 14. Preregistration is required. For further information, call the recreation department at 455-6620.

● STEWARDS TRAINING
Monday, March 7 — The Institute of Labor and Industrial Relations, University of Michigan, is offering a day session of stewards and committee people training from noon to 2 p.m. on six Mondays starting March 7 in UAW Local 735 at 48055 Michigan Ave., west of Denton Road in Canton. Danny Hoffman, vice president of UAW Local 735. The fee is $15. To register or for more information call Andree Naylor or Karen Roe at the institute by calling 764-0493.

● CIVITAN ESSAY CONTEST
Tuesday, March 15 — The theme of this year's Plymouth-Canton Civitan Citizenship Essay Contest is "The Plight of the Homeless." First prize is $125, second is $75 and third prize is $50. The deadline for submission of entries is March 15. All high school students enrolled within Plymouth-Canton Community Schools are eligible. For information call May Baxter, 451-6600, Ext. 344.

● PARENT EVENING
Thursday, March 17 — West Middle School's Parent Evening, held from 7:30 to 9 p.m., will feature the district's four curriculum coordinators speaking to parents about the curriculum needs and concerns of middle school students. All middle school parents and interested adults are invited to attend the program to learn more about the current middle school curriculum and what is being planned. West Middle is on the southwest corner of Ann Arbor Trail and Sheldon Road.

2 honored as Students of Month by local Elks


Evan Yeung


Cynthia Mueller

Evan K. Yeung and Cynthia F. Mueller are being honored as Students of the Month at Plymouth Canton High School by the Plymouth Elks Lodge.

Both were chosen for the award on the basis of achievement, character, leadership, citizenship and scholastic qualities.

Evan's school-related activities include being a member of the state champion Mock Trial Team, Centennial Educational P[illegible] Science Olympiad Team, concert [illegible]oir, Model United Nations, National Honor Society, Quiz Bowl Team, and Student Council.

His outside activities include Boy Scouts, T'ai Chi Chuan (martial arts), and being a member of the Wayne County Chinese Tai Dance Team. Evan carries a 4.16 grade point average and has been accepted into the inter flex program at the University of Michigan. He is the son of Peggy and Kim Yeung of Plymouth.

Cynthia is senior class president, officer in the National Honor Society, news editor of the CEP Perspective, member of the Latin Club and varsity tennis squad, and is a tutor for Spanish and U.S. history.

She was a finalist at-large in the U.S. Senate Youth Program and received a scholarship to attend the Great Lakes International Press Association Summer Seminar at Bowling Green University. Her outside activities include piano performances, working and volunteer work for the Plymouth Salvation Army. She carries a 3.9 grade point average and plans on continuing her education in the fall. She is the daughter of Karen and Laurence Mueller of Plymouth.

Snow and ice off sidewalks

The city of Plymouth Department of Public Works (DPW) warns property owners that snow and ice must be removed from their sidewalks within 14 hours after a snowfall.

Failure to do so may result in the DPW removing the snow or ice and assessing a cost of $40 an hour to the property owner.

Beautifying Canton

The Canton Beautification Committee meets on the first Thursday of every month at 7 p.m. in Canton Township Hall.

For more information, call 455-5915.

lunch menu for seniors

The senior citizen nutrition program will serve the following hot meals the week of Feb. 8.

● **Monday** — Macaroni/meat/tomato casserole, brussel sprouts, three bean salad, peaches, milk.

● **Tuesday** — Corned beef, mustard sauce, steamed cabbage, parsley potatoes, chocolate pudding, rye bread, margarine, milk.

● **Wednesday** — Beef Stroganoff and noodles, Swiss chard, pickled beet salad, pineapple chunks, milk.

● **Thursday** — Barbecue beef on a bun, corn, Waldorf salad, blueberries, milk.

● **Friday** — Tuna noodle casserole, Scandanavian vegetables, tropical fruit, valentine cookie, milk.

Meals are served weekdays at noon at Tonquish Creek Manor on Sheridan in Plymouth and at the Canton Recreation Center, Michigan Avenue at Sheldon in Canton.

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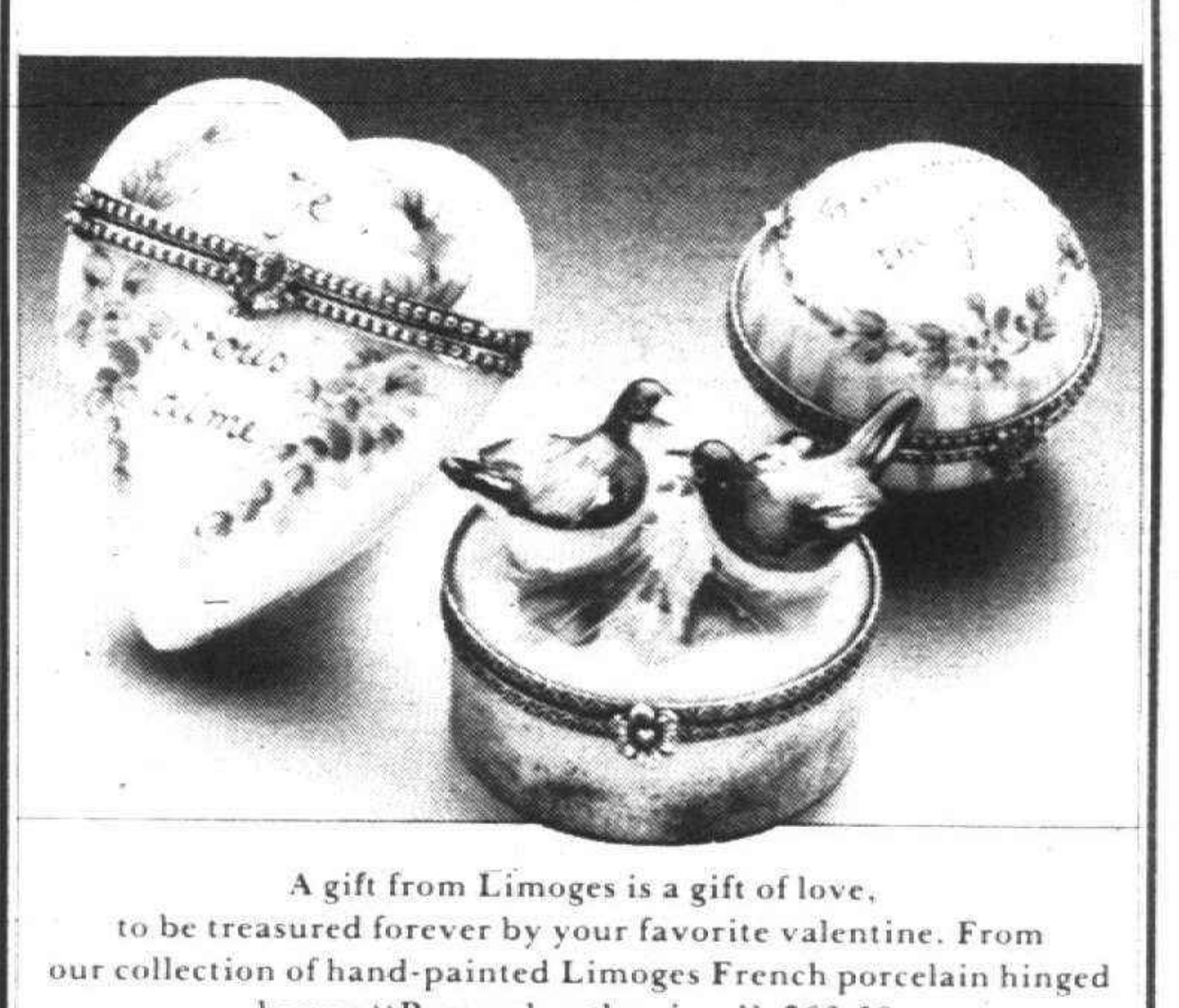
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Unit No. F-221 was rented to Kevin Hoski on October 17, 1986. The contents of Unit No. F-221, at Your Attic of Canton, 2101 N. Haggerty, Canton, Michigan 48187 will be sold on February 29, 1988, at 10 a.m., to satisfy Your Attic of Canton's lien unless this lien is satisfied before the sale date. The items will be awarded to the highest bidder (minimum bid $250.00).

The contents of Unit F-221 will be available for inspection between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. on February 27, 1988 and includes, but is not limited to:

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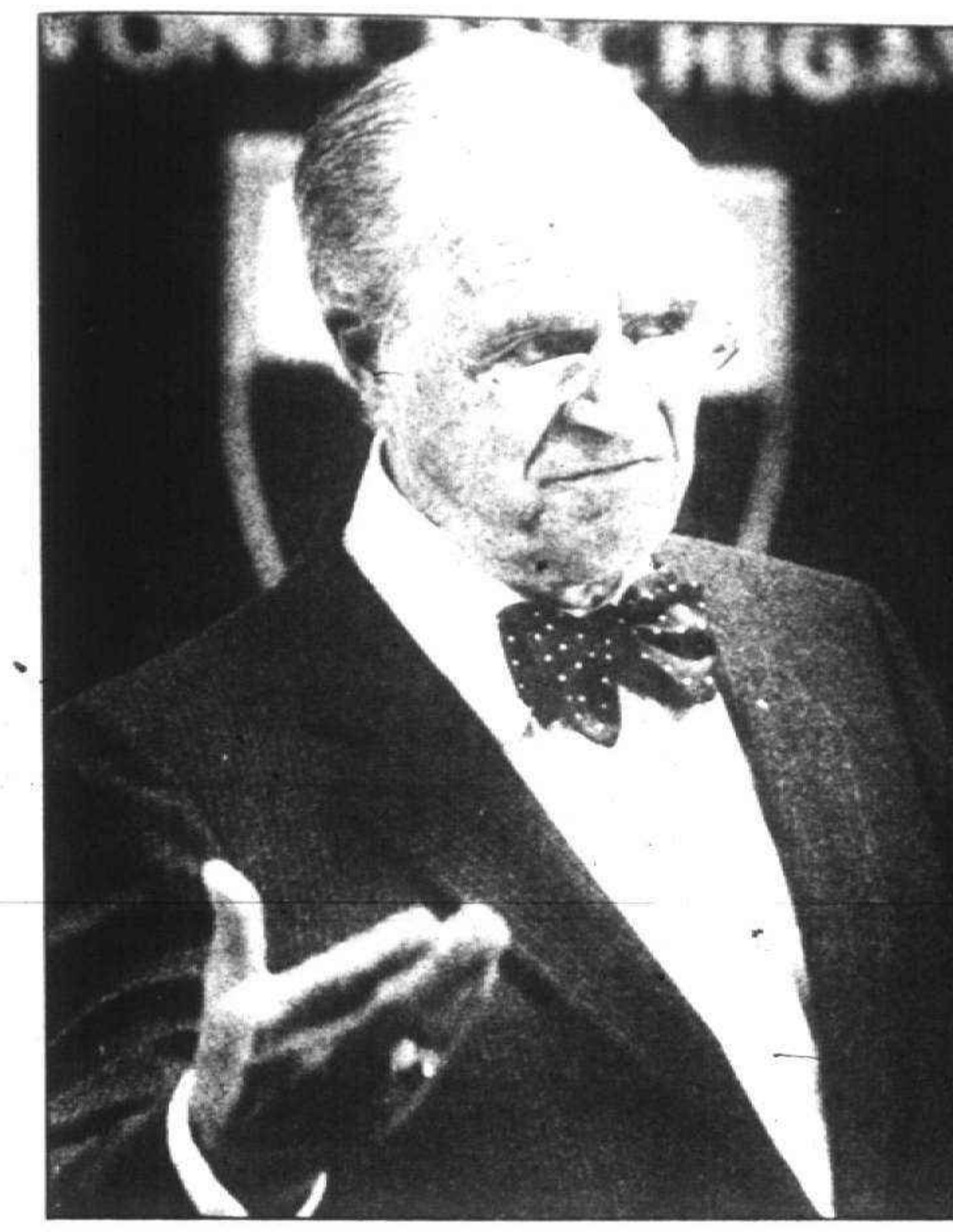
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Sporting his trademark polka-dot bow tie and glasses, G. Mennen 'Soapy' Williams is shown here delivering a speech to students at Madonna College in October 1986.

'Soapy' leaves a legacy of service

By Tim Richard
and Wayne Peal
staff writers

The trademark bow tie and ever-present grin won't fade from memory, said friends and associates of former Michigan Gov. G. Mennen 'Soapy' Williams.

Nor will memories of a compassionate, driven man, a born millionaire who rejected a life of leisure for a life of service.

Williams, who died Tuesday, was recalled as a pivotal figure in Michigan's history, one whose influence stretched from suburban Detroit to the nation and world.

Edward McNamara, Wayne County executive and longtime Livonia mayor, recalled Williams as a "dynamic, charismatic person" whose influence "was in no way limited to this state."

An enigma to critics, Williams was no mystery to those closest to him.

"TO SOME it may have been a mystery. Here was a man who could have just sat back and clipped coupons all his life," said Margaret Halava, vice president of personnel for Suburban Communications Inc. (parent company of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers) and Williams' appointments secretary for the last four years of his term as governor.

"But he was a very religious man, a very disciplined man and I think that's what drove him. It was a commitment to help people that was genuine and deeply felt," Halava said.

His lasting legacy is the Mackinac Bridge, built during Williams' term as governor to link Michigan's upper and lower peninsulas.

But friends and associates recalled Williams' bridge-building in other areas.

Historically, his governorship spanned the gap between Franklin Roosevelt's New Deal and John F. Kennedy's New Frontier.

And, at various times, he served both presidents. His political career began with Roosevelt's Social Security board. His post-gubernatorial career began as assistant secretary of state for African affairs under Kennedy.

Socially, he helped close gaps between races, sexes and classes. While gearing his politics to the common citizen, Williams is given credit for opening the doors of Michigan government to minorities and women.

"HE WAS a civil rights advocate long before the civil rights leaders of the '60s," said longtime Democratic activist Aldo Vagnozzi of Farmington Hills.

Politically, he helped the Democratic Party bridge the gap between city and suburb.

"He gave the Democratic Party — and government — back to the people," recalled Philip Power, chairman of the board of Suburban Communications and a 35-year friend.

"He wasn't a crook, he wasn't a union goon, he wasn't a captive of the special interests. Instead, he was a man of foresight and vision," Power said.

Williams, Power said, made it "socially and politically acceptable" for suburbanites to vote Democratic.

Suburban Democrats praised Williams as mentor, influence and friend.

"Soapy set a pattern of honest government, not only for his own administration but for all the others to follow," said state Rep. Sander Levin, D-Southfield, himself a former gubernatorial candidate.

Wayne County Sheriff Robert Ficano, 8 years old when Williams left the governor's mansion, called him a "tremendous inspiration" for future generations.

"I look at him the way other people look at FDR," Ficano said.

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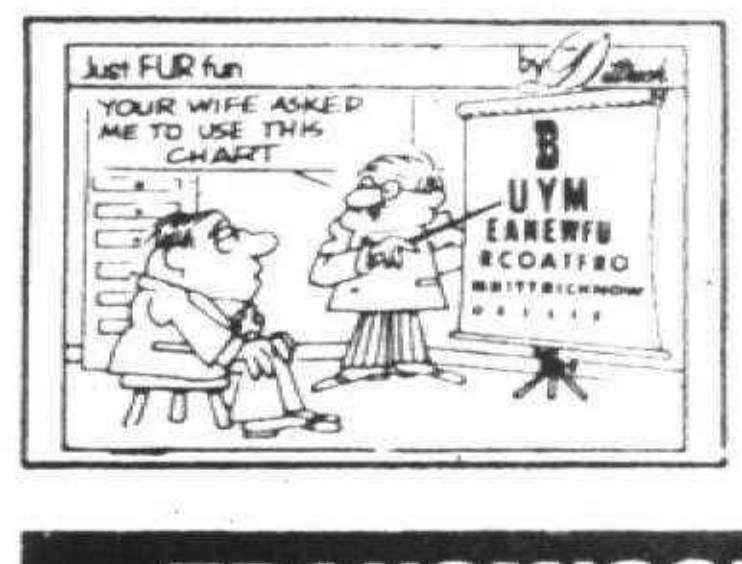

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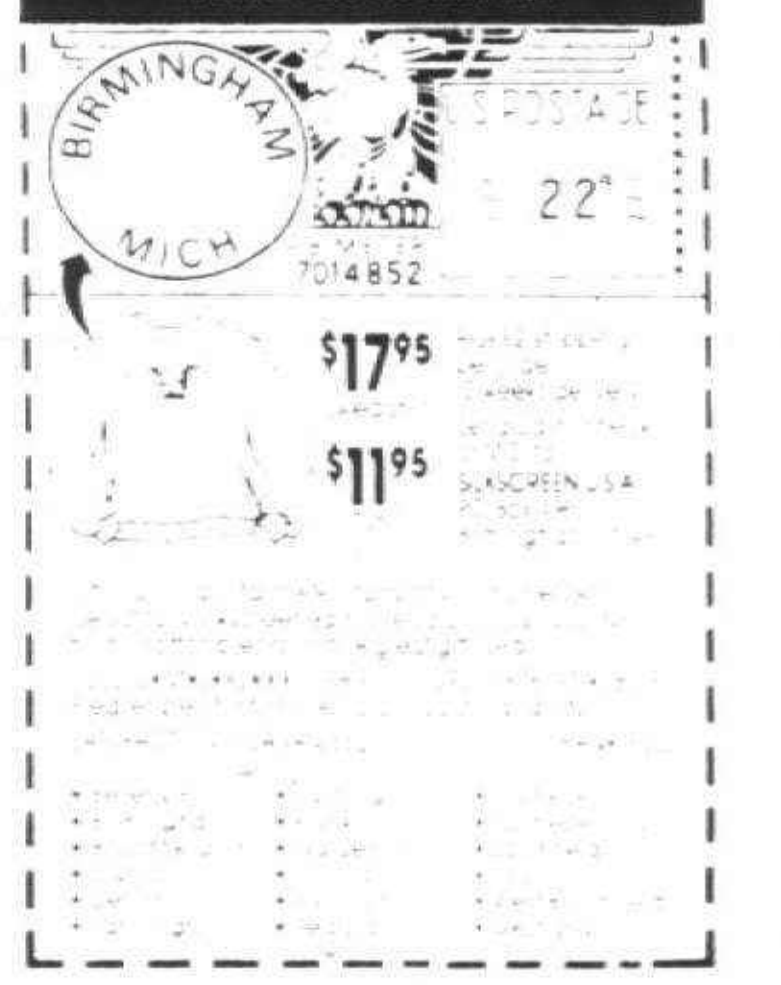
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February 13, JCPenney Court
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SENIORS VALENTINE'S DAY DANCE
February 14, 1 pm to 3:30 pm, JCPenney Court
All senior citizens are invited to dance and or enjoy live music by The Golden Sounds. Complimentary refreshments will be served.
ESSENCE ON THE MALL
February 20, JCPenney Court
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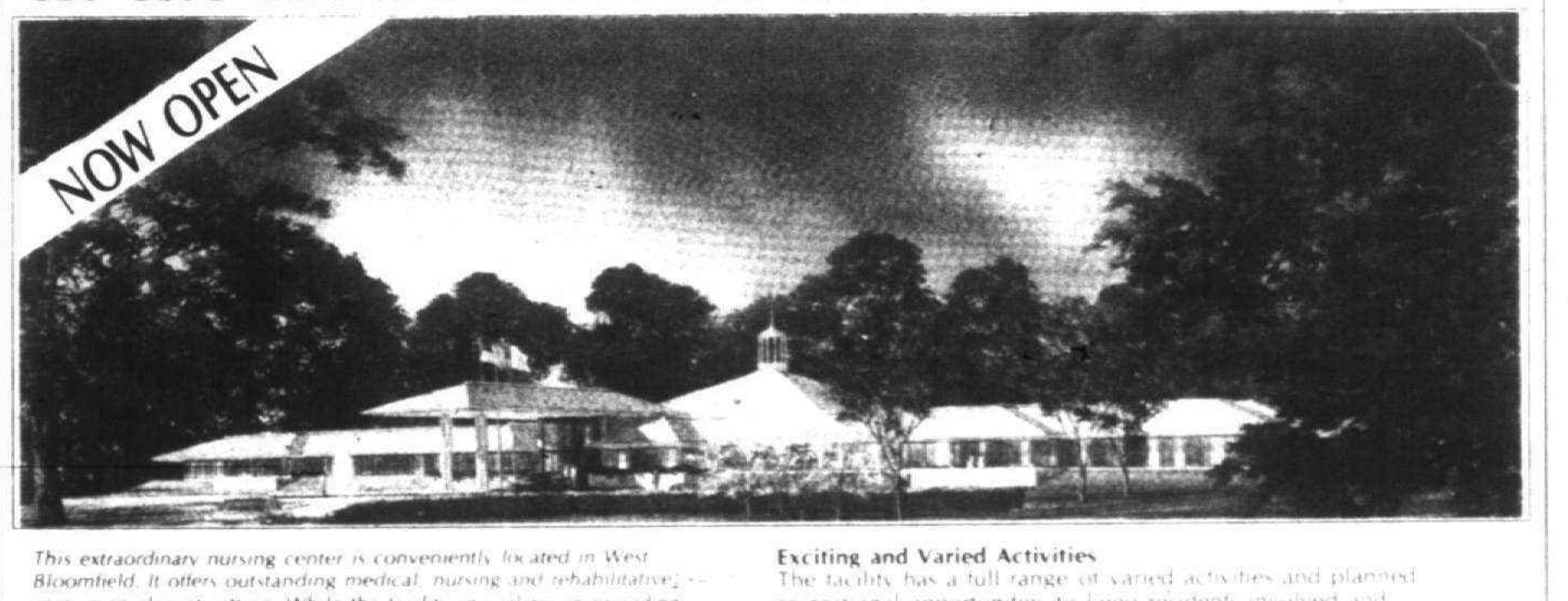

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● ALPINE HOLIDAY

Canton Senior Citizens will preview a slide presentation on "Alpine Holiday" for their fall 1988 to Austria from Sept. 22 to Oct. 4, will be held at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 10, in Canton Recreation Center, Michigan Avenue at Sheldon. Tripmasters, Inc., will be available to answer questions and confirm reservations for this 13-day trip. The trip includes arrival in Brussels, one night in Hurlen, Netherlands, two days in Switzerland, a Rhine River cruise, six nights in Kitzbahel, Austria. For more information call 397-1000, ext 277.

● BEST OF THE SOUTHWEST

City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation, in cooperation with Bianco Travel & Tours, is sponsoring a Best of the Southwest tour in February. The Southwest trip is a 10-day, nine-night trip departing Wednesday, Feb. 17, with a charge of $949 per person (based on double occupancy). The tour includes airfare, bus transportation in Arizona and Nevada, nine nights accommodations, sightseeing tours to Sonora desert museum, Old Tucson, Nogales, Mexico, San Xavier Mission, Tombstone, Grand Canyon, Hoover Dam, seven full breakfasts, one lunch, six dinners. For information, call the recreation office at 455-6620.

● WARSAW, USA

Warsaw USA is the destination for Wednesday, Feb. 17, when the bus leaves at 9 a.m. from the YWCA of Western Wayne County for a guided tour of Hamtramck, stopping at the Polish Art Center, shopping on Joseph Campau, munching paczkis and experiencing the architecture of Immaculate Conception Ukrainian Church and St. Florian Gothicining at the Golden Cuckling. Charge for luncheon and tour is $3 wood carvings and stained glass. D0 per person. Payment confirms reservation by Feb. 5.

● HAWAIIAN SHOW IN DAYTON

The Y Travelers of the Plymouth Community Family YMCA is offering an overnight trip to Dayton, Ohio, for an authentic Hawaiian Show in the country Feb. 20-21. The charge is $99 per person. For information call 453-2904.

● POTATO CHIP FACTORY

Canton Senior Citizens is sponsoring a one-day trip in conjunction with Bianco Travel & Tours to the Ballreich Potato Chip Factory on Monday, Feb. 29, at a charge of $19.50 per person. The trip includes bus transportation, a tour of the factory, lunch at Pioneer Mill restaurant, a visit to Senech Country Museum, and demonstration at King's Glass. For information call 397-1000, ext. 277.

● NABORS IN CONCERT

Jim Nabors in concert at the Westgate Dinner Theatre in Toledo is the destination for a trip taken Wednesday, March 2, by YWCA of Western Wayne County. With a brief stop for shopping at Westgate Village, travelers will have a buffet before the concert. Tickets are limited and will be offered on a first-come basis. The charge of $40 per person includes travel, buffet and concert.

● SPAIN

A trip to Spain is being offered by the Y Travelers March 4-12 for a charge of $799 per person. For an itinerary call the Plymouth YMCA at 453-2904.

● MYSTERY TRIP

Canton Senior Citizens are sponsoring a one-day mystery trip in conjunction with Bianco Travel & Tours on Monday, March 14. The charge of $17 per person includes bus transportation of about 150 miles roundtrip, coffee and donuts enroute, lunch, touring and shopping. Registration will begin Monday, Feb. 15. Since destination is a secret, travelers are advised to bring proof of US citizenship and shopping money. For further information call 397-1000, ext. 277.

● NEW MEXICO

The Y Travelers of the Plymouth Community Family YMCA are sponsoring an eight-day, seven-night trip to New Mexico March 16-23, 1988, at a charge of $699 per person. To sign up or for information, call 453-2904.

● SAN DIEGO TRIP

City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation, in cooperation with Bianco Travel & Tours, is offering a trip to San Diego, featuring the Lawrence Welk Resort Village. The 10-day/nine-night trip will depart Sunday, March 20. The charge of $959 per person (based on double occupancy) includes airfare and bus, seven days/six nights and two shows at the Lawrence Welk Resort Village, two days/two nights in Las Vegas, one day/one night in Palm Springs, Seaworld, San Diego Zoo, city tours of Palm Springs and San Diego, Harbor Cruise, Universal Studios. For information, contact the recreation office at 455-6620.

● WASHINGTON DC & GETTYSBURG

Canton Senior Citizens, in conjunction with Bianco Travel & Tours, are sponsoring a trip to Washington, D.C., and Gettysburg Friday, April 8, through Monday, April 11. The charge of $319 per person, based on double occupancy, includes two nights in Washington, D.C., and one night in Gettysburg, Pa., three dinners and one lunch, guided tours and sightseeing. Registration beigns on Feb. 15. A $20 deposit will hold the reservation. For information call 397-1000, ext. 277.

● IRELAND

The Y Travelers are planning a five-day, four-night trip in Ireland April 20-24 at a charge of $799 per person. For an itinerary call the Plymouth Community Family YMCA at 453-2904.

● GATLINBERG

A trip to Gatlinberg, Tenn., and a visit to "Dollywood" is planned for four-days and three-nights by the Y Travelers from June 17-20 for a charge of $329 per person. For information call 453-2904.

● ENGLAND-IRELAND HOLIDAY

City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation, in cooperation with Trip Masters Inc., will be sponsoring a 15-day England-Ireland holiday Sept. 17 to Oct. 2, 1988. The charge of $1,999 per person (based on double occupancy) includes airfare, bus, 13 nights hotel accommodations in England and Ireland, a musical in London, a medieval banquet at Bunratty castle, two half-day sightseeing tours of London, one half-day sightseeing in Dublin, one full-day sightseeing to Stratford and Warwick castle, Windsor Castle, Bleinheim Castle, ferry service from England to Ireland. For information, call 455-6620.

Program updates old tunes

"Then and Now" has been added to the broadcast schedule of WSDP (88.1 FM), the student radio station at Centennial Educational Park.

The musical program will be aired at 4:05 p.m. every weekday following "News File at Four."

"Then and Now" features closeups of musical artists as they sound today and sounded in past years.

"Basically it's a comparision between music and musical artists of today and from the past," said Bethann Gyorke, WSDP music director. "For example, the song 'Mony Mony' by Tommy James and the Shondells in the '60s and Billy Idol's cover 20 years later."

Dave Snyder, station manager, says the program is timely because of the number of current artists who are doing covers of older hits.

Help for diabetics

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Ficano seeks new term as sheriff



Robert Ficano seeks re-election

Wayne County Sheriff Robert Ficano has scheduled a press conference today to announce his re-election.

Ficano, 35, has been sheriff since 1983. He previously served as deputy county clerk and Westland city attorney.

A Livonia resident, Ficano graduated from Livonia Stevenson High School in 1970. He is a magna cum laude graduate of Michigan State University and received a juris doctorate from the University of Detroit Law School.

Long active in Democratic politics, Ficano served as 2nd District Democratic Party chairman from 1980 to 1982. The district includes Livonia, Plymouth and Plymouth Township.

Ficano, at the time an unknown outside of local circles, was appointed sheriff in 1983 after a dispute between former Sheriff William Lucas and a three-member county panel over the appointment process. Ficano, the panel's choice, was awarded the seat over Loren Pittman, Lucas' undersheriff.

As sheriff Ficano has fought for increased prisoner space at the county jail.

Then 30, Ficano was dubbed the "boy sheriff" generating much publicity because of his age. He was elected to the post the next year.

As sheriff Ficano has fought for increased prisoner space at the county jail. He lobbied for, and received, permission to place two prisoners to a cell. He has now filed with the Wayne County Circuit Court seeking triple bunking of prisoners.

Ficano was among the Democratic candidates who ran for county executive in 1986. Despite heavy union support, Ficano finished third in a four candidate race behind county executive Edward McNamara and former county commissioner Samuel Turner.

Though harsh words were exchanged between their campaign staffs during the executive's primary, McNamara and Ficano appear on better terms now.

McNamara has said he won't endorse any candidates in the primary race for sheriff.

Richard Novak of Livonia, Ficano's former undersheriff, is among the announced Democratic challengers for the post.

Conservative group raps Barns, Bankes

No Wayne County legislators earned perfect scores in the Michigan Conservative Union's recent ranking of state legislators, though two area Democrats ranked at the bottom of the group's rating system.

Reps. Justine Barns, D-Westland, and Maxine Berman, D-Southfield, were among 24 Democrats who never sided with the conservative advocacy group on any of the 10 issues upon which rankings were based.

Rep. Lyn Bankes, R-Livonia, was among three Republicans placed in the group's "hall of shame" for siding with liberal Democrats on several of the issues.

"I don't know what the issues were, and I don't take the rankings very seriously," Bankes said. "These are the same people who locked the Bush delegates out and wanted to charge the press to enter their district caucuses."

Bankes said she gives more credence to chamber of commerce rankings.

The Michigan Conservative Union rankings were based on how members of the state House of Representatives and the state Senate voted on 10 issues outlined by the group.

Included in the issues were how the lawmakers voted on state-paid abortions, farm subsidies in the People's Republic of China, tax increases on cigarettes, boosting drivers' license fees and spending $90 million for renovation of some prisons.

TOPPING THE conservative group's lists, with 100 percent voting records, were Republican state Sens. Doug Carl of Utica, Harmon Cropsey of Decatur, Norman Shinkle of Lambertville, Nick Smith of Addison and Jack Welborn of Parchment.

Representatives scoring perfect scores for the group were Republicans Margaret O'Connor of Ann Arbor, Michael Nye of Litchfield and Tim Walberg of Tipton.

The other Democrats who never sided with the group on any of the 10 issues include Michael Bennane of Detroit, Floyd Clack of Flint, Robert Emerson of Flint, Charlie Harrison of Pontiac, Morris Hood of Detroit, Teola Hunter of Detroit and Lynn Jondahl of East Lansing.

Also listed were Democratic Reps. Nate Jonker of Clio, Burton Leland of Detroit, Raymond Murphy of Detroit, Gary Owen of Ypsilanti, Nelson Saunders of Detroit, Debbie Stabenow of Lansing, Alma Stallworth of Detroit, Ethel Terrell of Highland Park, Juanita Watkins of Detroit and Joseph Young Sr. of Detroit.

The organization singled out Clack as "Michigan's Biggest Liberal of 1987."

Other Republicans included in the group's "hall of shame" include Rep. Susan Grimes Munsell of Fowlerville and Sen. Dan DeGrow of Port Huron.

MCU chairman Mark Koldys said it was a "special honor for Republicans who vote with the liberals on big spending bills and anti-family social programs."

The Associated Press contributed to this story.

S'craft to offer SAT workshop

Students preparing for the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) can attend a three-week workshop beginning 3-5 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 24, at Schoolcrafft College, Livonia.

The workshop features test-taking strategies and the specific SAT format. Students will practice on simulated test questions.

Additional information is available by calling the Schoolcraft Learning Assistance Center, 591-6400, Ext. 494.

Basketball game aids river cleanup

A benefit basketball game for Rouge River cleanup efforts will be held 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 13 at Bishop Borgess High School, off Plymouth Road, east of Telegraph, Redford Township.

The WJBK-TV, Channel 2, basketball team will play the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department team.

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Balancing care

Can we afford health?

SENIOR CITIZENS, like the rest of us, have been struggling in recent years to cope with rising health-care costs. That struggle intensified after the first of the year.

Under the traditional "insurance" method, senior citizens pay a monthly premium to Medicare, which pays 80 percent of most health-care expenses. The senior citizen pays the remaining 20 percent plus the costs of prescriptions, optical and dental care. (Indigent senior citizens who face major health costs, such as surgery, are covered by Medicaid.)

In recent years, Medicare supplement riders have been offered by HMOs to cover the 20 percent deductible, prescriptions, optical and dental care. Senior citizens paid so much a month ($10 to $40) for this Medicare Supplemental rider. The riders were a godsend to many retirees with high medical costs, such as prescription expenses of $50 to $600 a month.

UNDER THE supplemental rider approach, the government also made payments to the HMO insurance carriers.

In recent months, the government has reduced its subsidy to HMO carriers and premiums have been raised drastically. Some HMOs have dropped the Medicare supplement option entirely.

McAuley MediCare, which serves thousands of senior citizens in Wayne and Washtenaw counties, announced recently it is going out of the supplemental business in two years. Blue Cross/Blue Shield Health Care Network of Southeast Michigan, serving 10,000 senior citizens in metropolitan Detroit, is raising its premiums and supplying fewer medical benefits.

McAuley MediCare president Dr. Richard R. Dorr recently announced price increases effective Feb. 1, and said the Medicare supplement would not be continued in 1989. Health Care Network of Southeast Michigan is increasing monthly premiums to $55 for coverage now provided for $10.

A SIGNIFICANT number of Canton seniors are fearful and confused, says Dianne Neihengen, Canton senior citizen coordinator.

Many switched to the supplemental riders to have their prescription costs covered and for cheaper monthly premiums. But to do that, seniors had to give up their longtime physicians. Now, a year later, the premiums are rising significantly and options such as the prescription rider are being dropped.

Sharon Thomas, executive director of the Plymouth Housing Commission, also notes that HMOs lured seniors away from their previous carriers with the supplemental option and now hike costs while dropping coverage. "Seniors are getting an increase in Social Security but medical bills eat up most of that anyway," said Thomas. So any rise in insurance will be out of their pocket."

So many retirees have contacted their legislators that an informational meeting has been scheduled by U.S. Rep. Carl Pursell, R-Plymouth, for 1 p.m. Monday, Feb. 8, in Tonquish Creek Manor in Plymouth. State Sen. Robert Geake, R-Northville, plans to attend. Geake, whose district includes Plymouth and Canton, sits on the Senate Human Resources and Senior Citizens Committee. It's possible that Senate hearings could be scheduled to examine the matter, he added.

THE PROBLEM, carriers say, is that health-care costs are exceeding federal payments and customer premiums.

Spencer Johnson, president of the Michigan Hospital Association, says there was no past experience to guide the HMOs in what the costs would be. Likely many senior citizens began receiving health care that had been delayed before supplemental coverage because they couldn't afford the 20 percent deductible, he suggested.

In short, folks, the Reagan experiment to shift health costs for seniors from federal tax dollars to private business appears to be failing. Do we really want to reduce the level of federal spending at the expense of health care for retirees? What price are we willing to pay to reduce the deficit and/or balance the budget?

The supplemental riders were greeted with such enthusiasm by many senior citizens that the government should consider increasing its subsidy instead of reducing support. Let's get that message across Monday.

Soapy's way

Williams had his priorities

AS GOVERNOR for 12 years, G. Mennen Williams appointed dozens — if not hundreds — of judges, and he had a reputation for picking excellent ones.

As a state Supreme Court justice for 16 years, he reviewed the decisions of lower court judges and decided on disciplinary measures, when necessary.

One day during his last year on the high court, Chief Justice Williams visited the editors of Observer & Eccentric Newspapers to talk about how the courts were financed. At the end, we asked his advice on a practical problem — how to assess judicial candidates for endorsement, since they can't discuss specific cases and tended to talk in generalities.

FIRST, WILLIAMS said, he looked at their college transcripts. He wanted bright, educated minds in the courts.

The late Michigan statesman had a formula for assessing candidates for the bench.

Second, he looked for religious commitment. It didn't have to be any particular faith. The point was that a judge had to be answerable to something higher than human law.

Third, he looked for community service. It wasn't enough to be on bar association committees or make good money winning cases. There had to be a notion of public service.

That was how G. Mennen Williams, who died Tuesday at 76, picked judges. That was how he himself lived. That is what he taught us.

Not perfect

But our weather is better

INSTEAD OF griping about southeastern Michigan's weather, we ought to boast about it.

Southeastern Michigan economic development leaders should be constantly comparing our mild climate to the wretched excesses of neighboring regions.

Those hurricanes are on the Gulf. Those avalanches are in Colorado. That foot-and-a-half of snow fell on a Mississippi River metropolis with only three snowplows. Those forest fires threatening luxury homes during a drought are in California.

Floods are rare compared to many areas of the country because our 31 inches of precipitation are spread across all 12 months.

Droughts occur, but they're relatively mild.

Southeastern Michigan gets an average of 32 inches of snow per winter. Buffalo gets 88, Cleveland 50, Pittsburgh 47.

LAST SUMMER was a mite warm by our standards.

Southeastern Michigan economic development leaders should be constantly comparing our mild climate to the wretched excesses of neighboring regions.

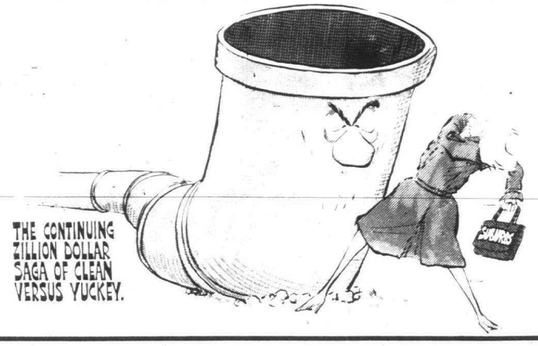
But consider the searing heat of the Great Plains and prairie states on the same latitudes as us. That was *heat*.

In places like Dallas, August is so wretched that you never hear a bird sing, a dog bark or a playing child shout outdoors.

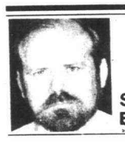
Our crop failures are far fewer than in most agricultural areas, thanks to the Great Lakes.

The only drawback is that the lakes give us more cloud cover than other areas. But we never said southeastern Michigan's climate is perfect. Just better than everyone else's.

The Return of SUPER SEWER



Drug combat team needs more funds



Steve Barnaby

WE ALL ARE about to get a lesson in what happens when you have a flyswatter to ward off an elephant. The sweat you work up doesn't do much to fend off the pain when the elephant steps on you.

In short, suburban Detroit's version of how to fight a losing battle against the nation's drug czars is about to be launched.

Called the Southeast Michigan Conspiracy Investigative Organization (SEMCO), this group will dedicate its time to going after the big shots in the drug business, the power brokers who manage to elude the otherwise fragmented police community.

Sounds like a great idea. Tastes like a great idea. Feels like a great idea. After all, we'll never get much of any place if all we do is arrest and rearrest the street addicts and pushers.

Unfortunately, the chances of this being very successful are about as good as your odds of winning the Michigan State Lottery. You've almost got to feel sorry for the 12-member force whose responsibility it will be to fight the drug war in the six-county metropolitan area.

THE NUMBERS alone are mindboggling. Twelve cops from the state police, local and county departments banding together in a war in which the other side has thousands of troops at its disposal.

Even more disheartening is the funding. A meager $750,000 in federal funds will support this project.

What a joke, a very bad joke. This funding comes from a national administration that is willing to spend tens of millions of dollars to fight an imaginary danger in Central America but is unwilling or unable to combat the real enemy within the borders of our own country.

Naturally, local law enforcement officials publicly express enthusiasm about the new venture. They know the problem is getting worse everyday as the drug use continues to rise and the profits continue to increase.

Anything is better than nothing. And a dozen cops dedicated to fighting the drug war is better than nothing — but not much.

OUR COMMUNITIES need more than this miserly sum and meager number to fight a multibillion-dollar industry — one of the largest in America.

Along the borders of this country the government is fighting drug importation by supplying helicopters to chase jets.

Now the feds have turned around and given us our flyswatter. As they say on the street it's nothing but chump change.

With a flyswatter this underfunded group is supposed to counter the resources of a highly financed drug world that pays lawyers a higher yearly fee than SEMCO is to receive in funding.

And it will be these lawyers who will delay and feint for years on end to keep their clients from being convicted. And even if this team is successful in getting one or two kingpins, those convicted will be replaced faster than the broomsticks cut in two by the sorcerer's apprentice.

from our readers

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School paper not a 'forum'

To the editor:

Your editorial opposing the recent U.S. Supreme Court decision, concerning student school newspapers, is a very serious disservice to every law-abiding citizen, and especially the youth of our communities.

We should all be thankful that five of the eight justices in the highest court of the land have for once come to their senses and ruled in favor of what is good for all Americans.

The court affirms that adults — be they parents, school newspapers sponsors, or administrators — have a definite responsibility to help students under their proper role in today's "sue-happy" American society.

By what stretch of the imagination can you interpret a student school newspaper as being a public forum? Students function under rules and regulations governing minors and, as such, many of the rights enjoyed by adults are restricted to students. Driving a car before attaining certain age and drinking liquor are two of the obvious. Similarly, students may write reports on a number of different subjects but pornography is inappropriate for the great majority of the school population. Students in school expect to have their developmental rights protected.

You overstep your bounds when you imply that school administrators may not fully comprehend journalistic principles and hence they should not be permitted to oversee editorial interpretation of the students and/or their sponsors. Students must understand whose auspices they publish the newspaper.

Let each one diligently strive to demonstrate responsible behavior in every endeavor. Our rights are best guaranteed by our responsibility to each other.

Paul Nastoff,
Plymouth

Offended by local attitude

To the editor:

What had begun as a lovely visit to your city last Tuesday ended on a sour note for my family.

After years of missing the ice festival we made a point this year of setting aside a day and making the drive to Plymouth. The weather wasn't great for the ice, nearly 40 degrees, but perfect for walking outside.

After seeing the sculptures and before heading home we decided to do some shopping in the many interesting looking shops. First stop and, unfortunately, last stop was the pink building that sells dolls and miniatures. I own a doll house and was finding many wonderful well-priced items when I overheard two women talking.

One, a sales clerk, one a customer, obviously residents. They were loudly and angrily discussing the festival. One said, "the town looked like hell!" with people and cars all over, and "things had just gone too far when you can't cross the streets in your own town." It gets worse. They couldn't understand why all the "Outsiders" were there. After all — "It's just ice, it's not gold!" This conversation went on and on and we outsiders got a blistering.

I was disgusted and angry and decided not to spend any money in that store and couldn't get out of there fast enough.

We weren't aware that the ice sculptures were a private show for residents only. Why do you advertise in newspapers and on television all over the state if it's only for the locals?

I've since calmed down and I know that these two small minds do not represent all the residents and merchants in your pretty town. But beware, they are out there and they are very vocal!

We didn't find the congestion the one woman referred to. Parking was ample, traffic moved smoothly, viewing the ice was easy. But there is one family that probably won't be back to Plymouth again. I find it very difficult to go where I know I'm not fully welcomed.

Cynthia Sommer,
Webberville, Mich.

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points of view

Gift cassette recalls famous Rogers speech



through bifocals
Fred DeLano

THE VOICE from the tape recorder, which was that of Will Rogers, didn't stimulate much laughter after all. Fact of the matter is, a particular segment of a 1931 national network radio show sounded in some ways like a self-inflated pundit on 1988's nightly airwaves.

"Comedy Superstars" is what this collection of six cassettes is called. Each tape runs 60 minutes. Besides Rogers, one can travel down memory lane with Jack Benny, Abbott & Costello, The Bickersons, Burns & Allen, and Fibber McGee & Molly.

Some of them are real leg-slappers. For years I wanted the entire Abbott & Costello script of "Who's On First?" and now I have it. Benny's lines with Mary Livingston and Rochester, plus Gracie Allen's zany retorts to the ageless Burns, are among other gems.

The full set was a delightful Christmas gift from the Lake Tahoe branch of the family and the enclosed poop sheet from the production company, Metacom Inc., of Minneapolis, led to believe it would be a riot of laughs. Rogers wasn't that funny.

WILLIAM Penn Adair Rogers was born in 1879 on a ranch near Oologah, Indian Territory (now Oklahoma). Both of his parents had some Cherokee Indian blood. He left the Kemper Military Academy at the age of 19 and became a cowboy. He was regarded as one of the greatest ropers of all time.

Before his untimely death in 1935, when a plane crash near Point Barrow, Alaska, wiped out both Rogers and Wiley Post, he had become a stage and motion picture star and gained fame as a homespun philosopher. In his shrewd, homely wittisisms, his targets often were politicians in general and congress in particular. This is part of that 1931 broadcast.

"We read in the papers every day of one or a dozen different problems that are supposed to be before this country. There's not really but one problem before the whole country at this time. It's not the balance sheet of the budget, not the League of Nations that we read so much about. The only problem that confronts this country today is that at least seven million people are out of work. That's our only problem.

"It's to see that every man who wants and is able to work is allowed to find a place to go to work, and also to arrange in some way to get more equal distribution of the wealth in the country.

"You hear a lot about prohibition, but that's nothing compared to your neighbor's children that are hungry. It's food, it ain't drink, that we're worried about today.

"Here we are in a country with more wheat, more corn, more money in the bank, more cotton, more of everything in the world, and yet we've got people starving. We'll hold the distinction of being the only nation in the history of the world that went to the poorhouse in an automobile.

"FIELDS ARE lined with granaries filled with grain. Now, if there ain't something cockeyed in an arrangement like that, then this microphone in front of me is . . . well, it's a cuss word, that's all. I say things will pick up in '32. That's an election year, and Republicans always see that things look good in an election year."

Well, my friends, five decades went by and doggone if some of his words don't have a renewed, familiar ring.

I got into the Rogers topic while trying to verify that it was Will who first said that what this country needed most was a good five-cent cigar. Maybe he did, maybe not, but I intended using it as a parallel to my own claim that the biggest need is a telephone in the bathroom.

This conclusion was reached while waddling to the kitchen phone a few mornings ago during "library hour" only to have the caller hang up just as I answered. Thank God no one filmed the scene.

Tight security kept GOP meet civilized



Tim Richard

Will history repeat with a squabbling GOP losing the 1988 White House race?

REFLECTIONS ON last weekend's Republican State Convention:

NO, IT wasn't a bloodbath. And I was outside the credentials committee room in the Grand Rapids hotel where there was supposed to have been a fistfight, and I sure didn't see any violence.

For a Republican fistfight, you'd have to attend the 1908 Bay City convention where the William Howard Taft delegates successfully bare-knuckled the Teddy Roosevelt delegates.

Bitterness? That's another matter.

Republicans admire lawyers the way Catholics admire saints. Republicans conduct committee debates like lawyers in court.

This was an amazingly well-run convention, given the advance knowledge that the group loyal to former evangelist Pat Robertson would take a walk and be joined by many of congressman Jack Kemp's loyalists.

Security was super-extremely tight. No one was going to let any (hrrumph!) outsider into the Grand Center meeting hall. That was because there were so many challenged delegations.

Usually, I don't bother getting press credentials for the GOP state conclaves — just flash my state Capitol card or a business card. Not this time. No press got no place, no how, without a green credential. It seemed bureaucratic, but in practice we newsfolks weren't hassled by the tall boys in the pinstripe suits or anyone else. Very civilized.

STRANGEST incident occurred Friday night in the 2nd Congressional District caucus, where Wayne County Commissioner Susan Heintz of Northville Township was asked to swear in caucus officers. She declined.

So the shocked leadership turned to state Sen. Bob Geake of Northville. He declined. Heintz and Geake contended the Kemp-Robertson faction from the Wayne County portion had been improperly elected and seated.

Caucus leaders turned to state Rep. Jerry Law of Plymouth, but he had skedaddled.

So they went to U.S. Rep. Carl Pursell of Plymouth. Now, Pursell is a George Bush buddy since 1979, at least. But surprise! He agreed to perform the ceremonial chore.

"Suzie and Bob had a problem, coming from the part of the district they're from," he told me afterwards, "but I run districtwide. I've done this lots of times."

Heintz and Geake were vindicated when the credentials committee tossed out the disputed Kemp-Robertson delegates.

IF GEORGE Bush becomes president, my money isn't in the State Lottery; it's on Carl Pursell to join the Bush administration as budget director.

That's not an inside scoop — just logic. Years ago Pursell told me the only reason he would leave Congress voluntarily would be to work for Bush.

A LOT OF Republicans were wondering where U.S. Rep. Bill Broomfield of Birmingham was last weekend. He wasn't at the convention, as he usually is.

A lot are wondering whom he's for. Broomfield is the senior member of the delegation and senior member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee. Folks were expecting a little leadership.

IT'S DIFFICULT to feel sorry for Michigan Republicans and the national embarrassment they suffered over split delegations and the near-takeover by the Robertson zealots.

Democrats learned their lesson in the 1970s after the McGovern fiasco. Democrats decided that no delegation could be chosen by a process beginning earlier than the election.

The Michigan Republican process began literally in May of 1986, some 2½ years before the presidential election date.

It is written: Those who fail to learn the lessons of history are doomed to repeat them.

Principal didn't violate rights



Rich Perlberg

THIS WILL NOT sit well with many colleagues. Witness our editorial position which directly opposes my own. But here goes anyways. I am not losing any sleep over a U.S. Supreme Court ruling that says a school principal can decide what is to be published in a student newspaper.

Am I out of my First Amendment mind? I don't think so. I would defend any journalist's right to publish a story. That's not at issue here. The high school students who saw their stories banned by a principal were not prohibited from publishing. They were prohibited from publishing in the school's paper. There's a difference.

Any publisher and/or owner I've worked for has had the right to tell me what I could and could not print. The fact that I've never been told not to publish a story is an endorsement for the type of people who generally run newspapers. That they choose to run that type of paper is their decision, not mine.

SOME PUBLISHERS run different types of papers. Not that long ago a downriver editor lost his job because he ran a newsworthy story about a plant closing despite his owner's edict to print only good news on the front page. In the 1970s an Upper Peninsula editor refused to run on his front page a couple of stories of questionable journalistic quality. The owner had ordered him to run the stories on page one. The owner won, the editor lost his job.

In both these cases the owner's journalistic values were skewed. Most newspaper people sided with the editor. But I don't recall a single First Amendment lawsuit filed or even considered.

It's similar with the high school principal who yanked two pages from his school's publication. There was absolutely nothing wrong with the stories. They were mildly controversial, but certainly appropriate topics for a meaningful high school paper to tackle. The principal was heavy-handed and in my opinion wrong for pulling the stories. But he had the right to do so.

Likewise, the superintendent had every right to overrule the principal, the school board could overrule the superintendent, and the voters could overrule the school board.

Here's what should have happened. The principal should have hired journalism teachers, considered to be competent, and then, other than the same supervision given other teachers, leave them alone to do their job. The principal chose not to do that. That's a decision I disagree with, but I just don't see the First Amendment violation.

keeping up with government

Looking for information about state government? The League of Women Voters has a toll-free telephone service (1-800-292-5823) that may be helpful.

The league's Citizen Information Center in Lansing offers to help people find out about such things as pending legislation, the state constitution, election laws, voting regulations or tax information.

The telephone is answered from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. weekdays.

The telephone service is paid for by the league's education fund. The League of Women Voters is a nonprofit organization that works to keep voters interested and informed about governmental issues.

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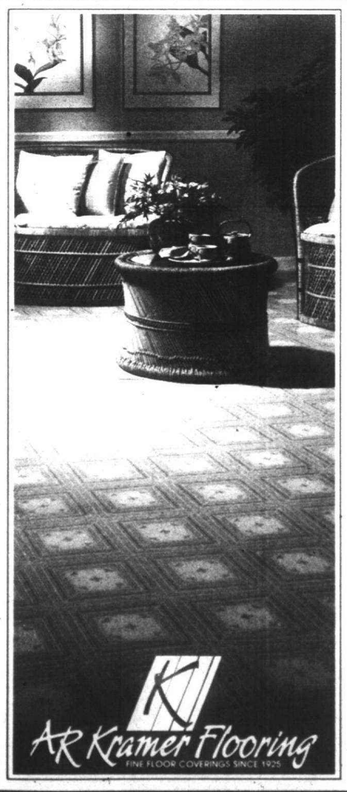

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Arthur Sippola



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House divided

Republican convention finds this couple on opposite sides

By Wayne Peal
staff writer

Talk about living in a house divided. That's what happened to one local family during Michigan's highly partisan Republican convention last week.

Arthur and Peg Sippola of Livonia sat on opposite sides during last weekend's convention in Grand Rapids.

Art, a delegate for New York Congressman Jack Kemp, sat on the main floor, eventually being voted a delegate to the national GOP convention in New Orleans.

Meanwhile, Peg, an alternate delegate for Vice President George Bush, sat elsewhere in the arena.

"It's not the first time we've been on different sides," Peg noted. "And we weren't the only couple on different sides."

In the Sippola household, however, marital common sense prevailed where politics failed as the state GOP's long-winding presidential nominating process unfolded.

"There was no bitterness, but there were a few times when we knew we had to back off," Art said. "We both feel strongly about our candidates."

Maybe there was some political fence-mending, too. Art was among the Kemp backers who split from a conservative anti-Bush coalition intent upon delivering the majority of delegates to former television evangelist Pat Robertson.

Despite lingering political differences Peg is looking forward to accompanying her husband to the national convention this August.

"We already have our itinerary of places to see and things to do," she said.

And while they're looking forward to a hot time, they expect the heat to be in the streets, not in the seats.

Postmasters eye window closings

Cutbacks loom, but it's business as usual so far

By Janice Brunson
staff writer

Area postmasters who are anticipating closing postal windows half a day each week in compliance with federal budget cutbacks say the move probably will have no adverse effect on consumers or post office employees.

Postal windows in Wayne and Oakland counties are expected to close on alternating half-days when consumer use at individual offices is lowest. Automated services now available in most post offices and contract stations now operating in grocery and drug stores throughout the two counties should provide adequate alternative service.

HOME and business mail delivery will remain unchanged and Saturday service will probably remain the same.

No specific action, however, has been approved at this time, according to Postmaster John Horne, who serves as division manager for the two counties.

Nor does Horne know when the cutbacks might be implemented. Other than an announcement by the U.S. Postmaster earlier this month that cutbacks are coming, Horne has received no formal directives.

"IT'S BUSINESS as usual for us. The only information we have is what we read in the newspapers," said Livonia postal superintendent Michael Gresock, who oversees the main post office on Merriman Road, a branch office on Middlebelt Road and three contract stations in Farmer Jack supermarkets.

"Nothing has filtered down to us as yet, no request to survey or to make any kinds of judgments (on the cutbacks) at all," Gresock said, adding closed windows means "more hands sorting and moving the mail faster to carriers."

Postmaster Ken Harris of Farmington Hills also has not received formal word on the closings but "we're sure it's coming down the road."

In the meantime, Harris has ordered surveys to ascertain when consumer use is lowest at the two post offices under his jurisdiction, the main office on 12 Mile Road in Farmington Hills and the main on Slocum Road in Farmington. "It's a preliminary study at this time."

Harris, who has been a postal employee 26 years, is also "watching our current expenditures. We have cutbacks every year, but usually toward the end of the fiscal year. This is the earliest (cutback) I can recall and half-day cutbacks haven't happened in a very, very long time."

The cutback is required under an appropriations bill for fiscal 1988 that President Reagan signed after weeks of wrangling with congressional leaders over a budget to comply with the Gramm-Rudman deficit reduction law. Postal cutbacks will total an estimated $1.8 billion for fiscal year 1988 which began Oct. 1.

A MORE formal study on consumer use is under way by Postmaster Tom Johnson, sectional manager for three counties, including Oakland County.

"We are currently reviewing operations in various cities and analyzing what day of the week is potentially best (to close), considering the dollar amount of sales and patterns of consumer use in each area. An important factor in our final decision will be what (other postal services) are available to the public," Johnson said.

Closing windows will have no adverse effect on career employees, Johnson added, explaining career employees are guaranteed 40 hours work in a six-day work week. Part-time and casual employees, people hired for 90-day intervals, supplement the career employee's six-day week.

The half-day closings will mean "a shift in employee hours, especially in overtime," which Johnson said now is substantial, and a possible decreasing need for the same number of part-time and casual employees.

Some 230 people are employed by the Birmingham Post Office, career, part-time and casual employees who work in the main post office, a branch office and a carrier annex, according to Birmingham Postmaster Frank Readus.

"At this time I cannot anticipate whether I will have less of a need for part-time or casual employees," he said, adding "unless I've received something in the mail this morning and just haven't got to it yet, I've received no formal notice of the windows closing."

SEMCOG postpones Rouge review

Even though the western Wayne Supersewer has been approved, communities are delaying their review of other parts of the Rouge River clean-up plan.

Review has been delayed on the combined sewer overflow storage areas deemed necessary to reduce Rouge pollution.

The Southeast Michigan Council of Governments was to have reviewed the overflow storage areas and other parts of the Rouge action plan Feb. 11 and March 10. Both review sessions have been postponed.

"It's a matter of giving everybody more time," SEMCOG chairman Lyle Van Houten said. "There's a lot of paperwork involved."

Cleaning the Rouge is expected to cost local communities a combined $2 billion over the next 20 years. Local estimates range as high as $8.1 million for Redford Township to as low as $284,000 for Plymouth.

Costs could be reduced. "There's three or four levels," Van Houten said. "It all depends upon how much pollution you want to keep out."

A tentative May 11 date has been set for review of the Rouge action plan, Van Houten said.

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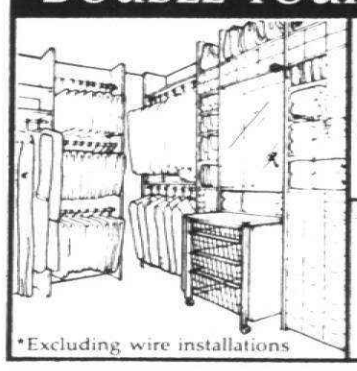

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Restrictions following cataract surgery are not as stringent as they once were. Normal activity can be resumed as early as the next day if the patient is comfortable. More strenuous activity is deferred for one month after cataract surgery.

For more information on this and other eye diseases, please contact The Coburn Clinic.



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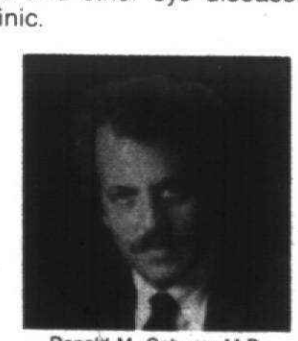

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She's grown accustomed to U.S. life

By Julie Brown
staff writer

For Fab Snage, news stories about unrest in the Middle East hit close to home.

Snage, a Plymouth Township resident, was born in Beirut and grew up in the Middle East.

"It's really sad," she said of the region's turmoil. "It's a place that was so beautiful, and they're just ruining it. It really makes me sad."

Snage, 34, remembers the Middle East as it was when she was a girl.

"So that's how I think of it. In my mind, it'll always stay the same."

Snage and her husband, Ed Snage Jr., are the parents of an 11-year-old daughter, Stephanie. Fab Snage is a Schoolcraft College student and a volunteer for the Huron Valley Girl Scout Council and other groups.



Plymouth Township's Fab Snage is a student at Schoolcraft College.

Snage graduated from the Lebanese Evangelical School for Girls. During her junior year of high school, she attended St. Mary's of Redford. She stayed with her aunt that year.

"At the beginning, it was really hard." That trip to the Detroit area in the late 1960s was Snage's first time in the U.S.

WHEN SHE was younger, Snage's family moved around the Middle East. Her stepfather worked as secretary to the Greek consulate. The family lived in Lebanon, Syria, "wherever they sent him."

Fab Snage met a number of Americans before she first traveled to the U.S. Beirut in particular was home to many Americans.

"So I really had a very good image of them. In my environment, people liked American people."

Snage hadn't had much English instruction before she came to the U.S.

"Less than first-grade level, I would say." Her first language was French, and her second language was Arabic. Where she lived, people spoke a combination of Arabic and French.

"It was very difficult with the English when I first came here."

The summer before she started classes at St. Mary's of Redford, Snage worked with a nun on English skills. The nun took Snage around to shopping centers and pointed out different objects.

That helped more than any classroom instruction could have, Snage said.

Snage was surprised that American high school students had so many elective classes from which to choose. In the Middle East, she'd become accustomed to a rigorous curriculum that included such subjects as math and geography, taught in French and in Arabic.

"I thought, these kids are so lucky."

SNAGE WAS surprised to find so much interest in environmental issues when she came to the U.S. in the late 1960s.

She was surprised by the interest in sports in the schools. She's also found that there's less male chauvinism in the U.S.

Snage returned to the Middle East for her senior year; she chose an English-speaking school, so she'd be able to maintain her English skills.

"I liked that school. It was very interesting." The Lebanese Evangelical School for Girls included students from such places as Kuwait and Saudi Arabia.

After graduation, Snage stayed in Lebanon for another year. She went to business school and studied shorthand and typing. The school's staff found a job for her to start that September.

Snage decided to return to the Detroit area to visit her aunt and others that summer.

"That's when I met my husband. I was only 19." The Snages got married shortly after that; Fab Snage didn't return to Lebanon.

Snage called her mother to tell her of the decision. Her mother said that was fine, provided that's what Snage wanted to do.

"She probably thought that was the best thing I could do."

Snage's stepfather died when she was 13. Her mother came to the U.S. in 1974 and lives in Dearborn Heights. Snage has cousins who still live in the Middle East, although she's not close to them.

THESE DAYS, Snage is busy with her classes at Schoolcraft College in Livonia. She plans to transfer to a four-year university, where she'll pursue a bachelor's degree in business administration. She'd like to attend the University of Michigan.

Snage started classes at Schoolcraft College in 1985. She'd also taken some classes at Madonna College in the late 1970s.

"I did OK, but I really had to struggle hard."

She's enjoyed her classes and has found Schoolcraft College well-suited to older, non-traditional students.

Snage's husband, Ed, has been supportive of her decision to go to college. He's vice president and general manager of a tubing company in Walled Lake.

"He is a very important part of my doing all the things I do." If she has homework to do, he's able to take over household duties.

"We share, just as much as we can."

Snage believes it's important to be able to care for her daughter.

"I really strongly feel that I should be home with her." Snage doesn't plan to work outside of the home while Stephanie is still at home.

Snage's volunteer work includes her role as Plymouth-Canton media representative for the Huron Valley Girl Scout Council. She's been active in Girl Scouts locally since 1982. Stephanie Snage, a sixth grader at West Middle School, is a Girl Scout.

Fab Snage was a member of the Girl Guide Association in first through 10th grade. Scouting overseas was different from Scouting in the U.S.

"The nuns were our leaders. Also, older Scouts would help them."

The emphasis was on singing and on day trips.

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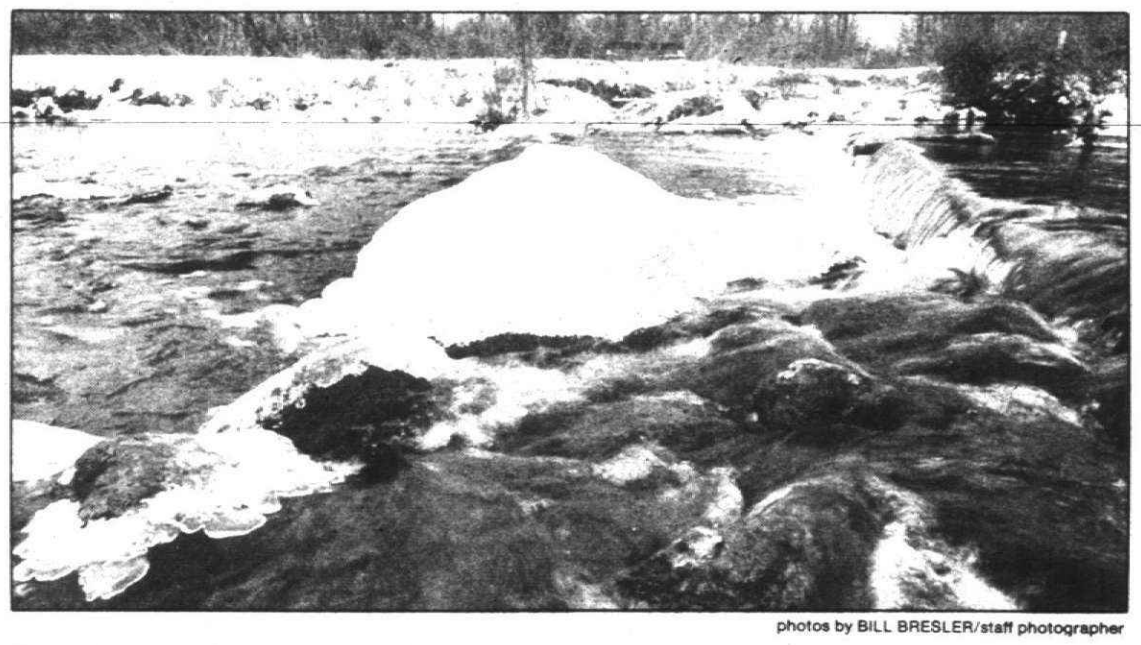
Fab Snage is a volunteer for the Huron Valley Girl Scout Council and for other groups.



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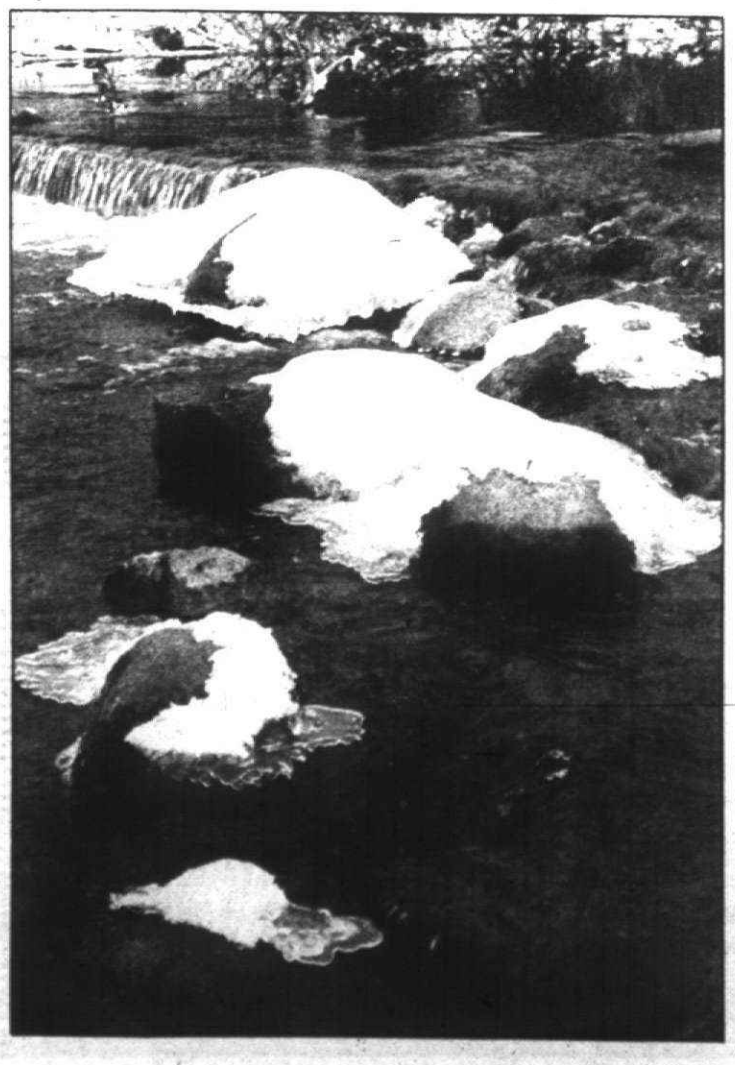
The trails at the Matthaei Botanical Gardens offer a variety of wintertime sights. The trails are open to the public from 8 a.m. to sunset daily.



Trails display beauty

"Plant and Animal Survival in Winter" will be the topic of a free nature walk, to be held Sunday, Feb. 7, at the Matthaei Botanical Gardens.

The nature walk will start at 2 p.m. and will last about 1½ hours. Participants should gather on the front steps of the conservatory at the gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro Road, Ann Arbor. Boots are recommended.

The nature walk is part of a series of monthly walks sponsored by the Matthaei Botanical Gardens. Docents (volunteer guides) will lead visitors along the nature trails of the gardens.

The University of Michigan Matthaei Botanical Gardens are at 1800 N. Dixboro Road, south of the Plymouth Road-Dixboro Road intersection.

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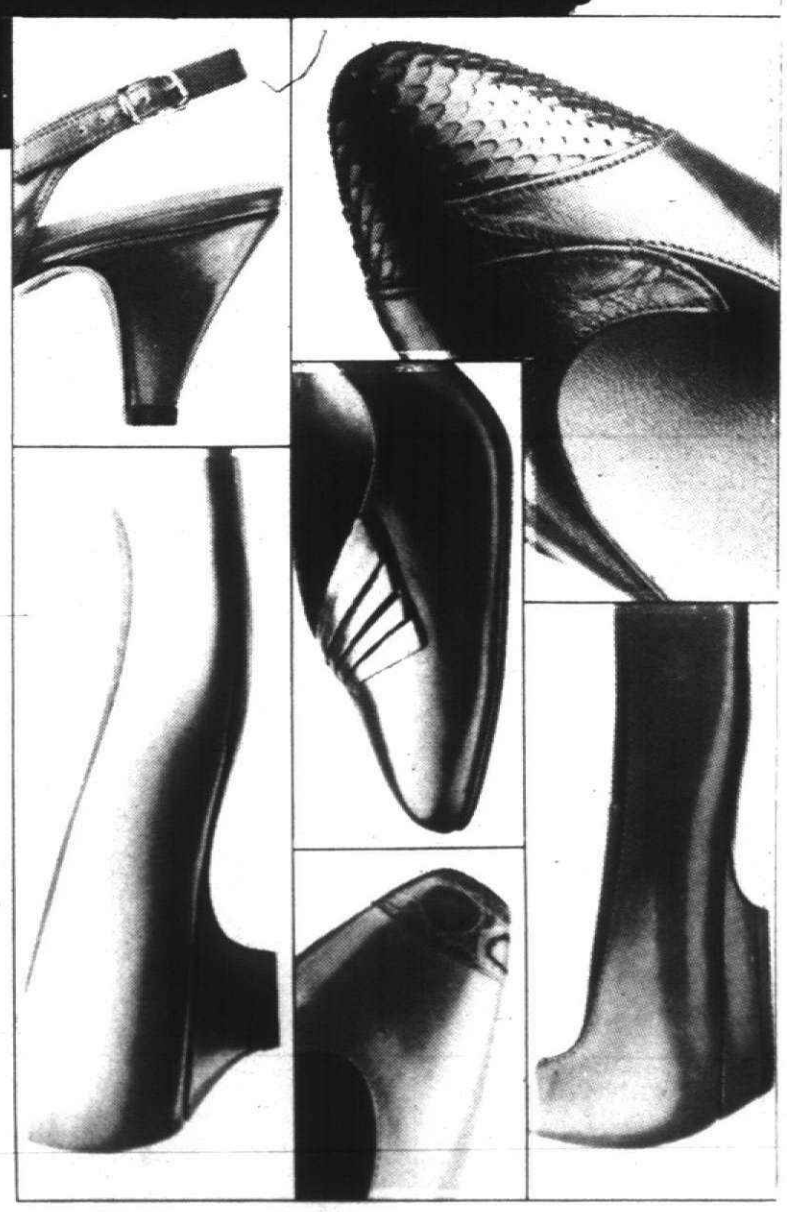

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Fab Snage plans to transfer to a four-year school, where she'll pursue a bachelor's degree in business administration.

She's at home now in the United States

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"We played games and sang quite a bit, and put on plays." Camp outings and badge work weren't emphasized.

Snage enjoys working with the Girl Scouts and with the adult volunteers and staffers. She'd like to work again as a troop leader.

"It's interesting. I like to do volunteer work."

Snage is a member of the Plymouth Symphony League, the fund-raising arm of the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra. She's also assistant to the Sunday school superintendent at her church, St. George Orthodox Church in Detroit.

"The volunteer work that I do is volunteer work that I like." That work will help her a few years down the road, when she's looking for a paid position, Snage said.

Ed and Fab Snage traveled to the Middle East in 1974. They'd like to go back again, possibly to Egypt, and take Stephanie with them. They're concerned about the unrest in the region.

"It's just so bad that you really cannot go."

Snage became a U.S. citizen on the Fourth of July in 1976. She'd find it hard now to live in another country.

"I'm just too used to it." She's Americanized "to the core."

Snage cooks mostly Arabic food. She continues to speak Arabic with her relatives.

"I think mostly in Arabic. I don't think in English."

She still finds English to be a difficult language to master at times.

"But I'm doing better than I used to."

clubs in action

● PLYMOUTH-CANTON PWP

Plymouth-Canton Parents Without Partners will hold a meeting and dance at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 4, at Stoyan's Inn, 36071 Plymouth Road, east of Levan in Livonia. There will be a speaker and general meeting, followed by a dance. Price is $2, $3 after 9 p.m. For more information, call 981-1041.

● WOMAN'S CLUB

The Plymouth Woman's Club will meet at 12:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 5, at the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 Church St. The program, "Let's Chat About Our American Presidents," will be presented by Helen Garber. Guests may attend the monthly meeting. The program is free of charge.

● FRIENDS LECTURE

Sylvia Taylor will be the guest lecturer at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 5, at the auditorium of the University of Michigan Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro Road, Ann Arbor. Her lecture, "Recovering Michigan's Endangered Species," is open to the public free of charge. The lecture, illustrated with slides, will address the management and development of Michigan's endangered species program. Taylor is a district wildlife biologist for the state Department of Natural Resources. The Friends of the Matthaei Botanical Gardens are presenting the lecture. For more information, call 763-7060.

● WESTSIDE II

Westside Singles II will hold a dance from 8:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Friday, Feb. 5, at the Livonia Elks Lodge on Plymouth Road east of Merriman. There will be a disc jockey. The dance is for those age 25 and older. Admission price is $4. For more information, call the hot line, 562-3170.

● DANCE AT CENTER

The Farmington Community Center will hold a 19th anniversary dance at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 6, at the center, 24705 Farmington Road, Farmington Hills. The dance will include wine, hors d'oeuvres, dancing and the music of the James "Knight" Nuckolls Trio. Ticket price is $30 per couple; tickets are available at the center. Early reservations are recommended. For more information, call 477-8404.

● NEWCOMERS DANCE

The Plymouth Newcomers will meet for a dance party from 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 6, at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Plymouth. Price is $15 per couple. A disc jockey will provide the music and will feature selections from the 1940s to the 1980s. Dress for the social event will be casual. For reservations or more information, call 459-4375 or 455-1053.

● OPEN HOUSE

The Plymouth Children's Cooperative Nursery School will hold an open house from 1 to 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 7, and Sunday, Feb. 21. The school is at Warren and Haggerty roads in Canton. Parents and children attending the open house will see the facilities and talk with teachers and board members. Visitors and preschool children may attend anytime during open house hours. Applications will be available for the 1988-89 school term. For more information, call Linda Hensley, membership chairwoman, 981-1385.

● NATURE WALK

The University of Michigan Matthaei Botanical Gardens will offer a free nature tour, "Plant and Animal Survival in Winter," at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 7. The gardens are at 1800 N. Dixboro Road, south of the Dixboro Road-Plymouth Road intersection, Ann Arbor. Docents will lead visitors along the four nature trails found in the 250 acres of the gardens. Charts will help visitors identify animal tracks in the snow by shapes and sizes. Docents will meet participants on the front steps of the conservatory at the gardens. The tour will last approximately 1½ hours. The walk is part of a series of monthly walks sponsored by the Matthaei Botanical Gardens. For more information, call 763-7060.

● BENEFIT EVENT

A benefit event for the Southeastern Michigan chapter, United Scleroderma Foundation will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 7, at the Monaghan Knights of Columbus Hall, 19801 Farmington Road, Livonia. Scottish music and dancing will be part of the entertainment. Donations will be accepted at the door. For more information, call 334-9860. Proceeds will support research. Scleroderma is a connective tissue disease.

● THREE CITIES

The Three Cities Art Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 8, at Plymouth Township Hall, 42350 E. Ann Arbor Road. The speaker will be

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anniversaries

Couple marks 65th anniversary



Raye Augustine, live in Illinois. The Cranes also have seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Leo and Iva Crane of Plymouth will celebrate their 65th wedding anniversary Feb. 11.

Leo Crane graduated from Michigan Agricultural College (now Michigan State University) in the early 1920s. He is a retired civil engineer.

Crane served for many years as project engineer for the Wayne County Road Commission, participating in the construction of the John Lodge expressway and Cobo Hall.

Iva Crane is retired from a lengthy teaching career in the Plymouth and Novi schools.

The Cranes have lived in Plymouth for more than 50 years. Their two children, Bently Crane and Lea

engagements

Jackson-Thomas



Howard and Patti Jackson of Garden City announce the engagement of their daughter, Diana Kathleen, to David Carl Thomas. He is the son of Carl and Linda Thomas of Canton.

The bride-to-be is a 1981 graduate of Garden City East High School and attended Henry Ford Community College. She is employed by Alrose Inc.

Her fiance is a graduate of Garden City West High School and the National Institute of Technology. He is employed by Smiley Kay Medical in Troy.

A November wedding is planned.









Healthy

Fitness isn't just for the younger set

By Julie Brown
staff writer

Those attending Monday afternoon's meeting of the 60-Plus Club got a good workout.

The meeting included a potluck luncheon and a Schoolcraft College presentation on "Fitness After 50." The presentation was given by Betty Andrews, assistant dean of educational services at Schoolcraft, and by Maud Piggot.

Piggot is the "Fitness After 50" instructor at Schoolcraft College and coordinates the Retired Senior Volunteer Program there.

"It's more important than ever for us to learn to take care of ourselves," Andrews told the seniors attending the meeting at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth.

Staying active physically and mentally allows seniors to stay in shape, she said.

"You need to move." Staying in good shape allows older people to be independent for as long as they possibly can.

PEOPLE ARE living longer these days, she said. That's partly due to genetic factors; childhood diseases also aren't as prevalent as they once were.

The 60-Plus Club meeting showed that seniors are living longer these days. A request for a show of hands by those age 80 or older produced a sizable response.

Those attending the meeting did a number of exercises in their chairs. Piggot, a retired nurse, demonstrated a variety of exercises.

Piggot decided to start taking the fitness class when she retired from nursing.

"I started taking the class. First thing I knew, I was running it."

Piggot has found that staying active has been to her benefit; staying at home all the time isn't something she'd enjoy.

In addition to teaching fitness classes, Piggot swims and walks regularly. She's found that staying fit means recovering more quickly from illness or injury.

It's best to check with your physician before starting an exercise program, Andrews said. Housework can be one form of regular exercise; walking indoors is another.

"Make exercise a habit." It's not essential to join a class, Andrews said, although doing so is enjoyable.

STARTING AN exercise program doesn't require an investment in expensive equipment, she said.

"You can see that you don't need any great piece of equipment."

The Monday afternoon presentation was one of many programs put together by the 60-Plus Club at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth.

"We try to get a variety of things," said Alice Fisher, club president. Travelogues and programs on financial management, including Social Security updates, have been presented at club meetings.

Programs on health and fitness topics are also presented. Fisher said. The seniors try to keep up on current topics; information is presented at club meetings that's helpful to the members.

"We wanted something different," said club member Marion Mathews. She and Hila Collins coordinate programs for the club.

Club members are interested in health and fitness topics, Mathews said.

clubs in action

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Louis Brohl from Madonna College. Dr. Charles Romen, a marketing specialist, will also speak. Their presentation will cover "Promotional Marketing Skills for the Artist." Guests may attend. Donation is $2.

● ROSE SOCIETY

The Huron Valley Rose Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 9, at the Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro Road, Ann Arbor. For more information, call Bob Romaker, 971-2088.

● YOUNG ARTISTS

The Plymouth Symphony Society is holding a Young Artist's Competition. A first prize of $1,000 will be made available through the Michigan Foundation for the Arts, the Plymouth Symphony Society will award two prizes of $500 each. All prize winners will perform in concert with the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra April 30. Preliminary auditions will be done by tape; live auditions for finalists will be held Saturday, Feb. 27, at Plymouth Salem High School. The competition is open to orchestral piano musicians who are high school graduates younger than age 26 as of Dec. 31, 1987. Wednesday, Feb. 10, is the deadline for applications and tapes. For more information, call Anthony C. Ruda, 397-8843. Applicants may also write to Ruda, 41481 Alleghany Drive, Canton 48188. An application and a $20 fee are required.

● AAUW PLAY

Tickets go on sale Wednesday, Feb. 10, for the annual children's play presented by the Plymouth branch, American Association of University Women. Tickets for "Jack and the Beanstalk" performances will be sold Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 10-11, in Plymouth-Canton elementary schools. On Friday, Feb. 12, any remaining tickets will be sold at The Rainbow Shop, on Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth, and at the Book Break, in the K mart shopping center in Canton. Performances are set 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. Group night will be Wednesday, Feb. 24, for Scouts, Indian Maidens and other groups. Leaders may order tickets by mailing a check (payable to AAUW, Plymouth branch) to: Group night tickets, 11370 Gold Arbor, Plymouth 48170. Orders should include the group's name, the leader's name and phone number, and the number of tickets requested. Ticket price is $1.50. Tickets may be picked up at the ticket office outside the Salem auditorium before the performance; leaders may also enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope with their orders. The deadline to order tickets is Friday, Feb. 12. No mail order tickets for other performances will be available.

● CARD PARTY

The Catholic Central Mothers' Club will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 10, for the annual Valentine card party. The party will be held in the cafeteria at Catholic Central High School in Redford Township. Price is $4 per person. Desserts will be served. There will be door prizes. For reservations, call Barbara Sullivan, 474-7868, or Sharon Knoph, 591-7715.

● BETHANY GROUP

Bethany Northwest will meet at 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 12, at Our Lady of Sorrows, on Power Road in Farmington. The speaker, Dr. Richard Todd, will discuss "Letting Go of the Past." Bethany is a Christian support group. Donation is $3. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call 477-9031 or 729-2743.

● CHARITY BOWLING

The annual charity bowlathon, sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Post 6695, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will be held at noon Saturday, Feb. 13. The event will be held at the Plaza Lanes, on Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth Township. Proceeds from this year's event will be used to help feed hungry people. Alice Fisher is chairwoman of this year's charity event. Bowlers and pledges are needed. Membership in the VFW is not a requirement for participants. For reservations, call Alice Fisher, 453-6144.

● MADONNA RECITAL

A recital for cello and piano will be held at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, at Madonna College in Livonia. The recital will feature Joseph Gurt, pianist, and Jerome Jelinek, cellist. The recital, open to the public, will be held in Kresge Hall on the Madonna College campus, I-96 and Levan Road in Livonia. Price is $3 for adults, $2 for students and senior citizens. For more information, call 591-5177.

● PHOENIX I DANCE

Phoenix I will hold a Valentine's dance from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 14. The dance will be held at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill at Venoy. The dance is for singles age 21 and older. Dressy attire should be worn. Price is $4. For more information, call Ruth, 471-1248.

● LAMAZE PROGRAM

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association will offer a Lamaze orientation class at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 15, at Newburg Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. This introduction to the Lamaze birth technique will feature a birth film, "Saturday's Children." Price is $1 per person, payable at the door. Advance registration is not required. For more information, call 459-7477.

● 50-UP CLUB

The 50-Up Club, St. John Neumann Seniors, will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 16, at the church, on Warren Road west of Sheldon in Canton. New members may attend. For more information, call Betty Gruchala, president, 459-4091.

● CHILDBIRTH CLASS

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association will offer a seven-week childbirth series starting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 16, at St. Michael Lutheran Church, 7000 N. Sheldon, Canton. Early registration is advised. To register, or for information, call 459-7477.

● GENEALOGY

The Western Wayne County Genealogical Society will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 17, at the Carl Sandburg branch, Livonia Public Library, 30100 Seven Mile Road. Speaker Michael Knes of the Detroit Public Library will discuss "Maps and How To Use Them." Admission is free of charge. For more information, call Max E. Spangler, vice president, 937-1055.

● BETHANY

Bethany Plymouth Canton will meet at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 20, at St. Kenneth's, on Haggerty Road in Plymouth Township. The speaker will be Andy Morgan. Price is $3. Bethany Plymouth Canton is a support group for divorced, separated and widowed people. For more information, call 421-1708 or 981-1365.

● SALAD LUNCHEON

The annual salad luncheon and fashion show, sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Post 6695, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will be held Saturday, March 19, at the VFW Hall, 1426 S. Mill, Plymouth. Ticket price is $4. Fashions for the show will be from the Sears store in the Livonia Mall. Tickets are available from Alice Fisher, 453-6144, and from most of the other members.

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New Morning classes planned

New Morning School in Plymouth Township is offering four Saturday "Discovery Days," scheduled to begin Feb. 27.

The "Discovery Days," for children ages 3-12, are enrichment classes in science, the arts and culinary skills. Each class meets for two hours Saturday morning or afternoon.

Classes meet from 10 a.m. to noon or from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Students enrolling for a morning and afternoon may bring a lunch and stay all day at no additional charge.

Class price is $32, plus a materials fee. If a parent wishes to assist in a class, that student will attend at no cost.

The "Discovery Days" includes:

● Cooking and Crafts

This class for children ages 3-5 will meet from 10 a.m. to noon. A number of no-bake recipes designed for children will be featured. Participants will experiment with food and non-food items in creating art projects.

● In the Land of Make-Believe

This class for children ages 4-7 will meet from 10 a.m. to noon. Favorite authors will provide the starting point for dramatics, crafts, cooking and creativity. Shel Silverstein's poem, "Recipes for a Stomach Ache," and other poetry will be used. Sock monsters, original recipes and other activities will be featured.

● Kites

This class for children ages 5-10 will meet from 10 a.m. to noon. A different kite will be built each week. Kites to be built include wind sock kites, box kites, diamond kites and dragon kites. Some kites will fly; others are decorative.

● Ceramics

This class for children ages 7-10 will meet from 10 a.m. to noon. Students will create figurines, animals and Easter crafts. They will learn about stains, dry brushing and glazes.

● Magic Class

This class for children ages 4-7 will meet from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Dancing beads, mysterious spinners and crystal gardens will combine magic fun and scientific concepts. Magic wands and tricks will also be featured.

● Dinosaurs

This class for children ages 5-8 will meet from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Students will learn about dinosaurs through a variety of hands-on activities. Books, puzzles, dioramas, fossils and other items will round out the teaching.

Early registration for Saturday "Discovery Days" is advised. To register, call the New Morning School at 420-3331 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. weekdays. A brochure is available from the school.

New Morning School is at 1450 Haggerty Rd., north of Schoolcraft Road in Plymouth Township.

The school is a state-certified parent cooperative for students in preschool through eighth grade. Fall registrations are being accepted.

School to offer science day camp

New Morning School in Plymouth Township will host a "Science Sampler" day camp Feb. 15-19, presented by the Novi-based Living Science Foundation.

Students age 5-11 can attend. They will learn about scientific principles through the use of their senses. Participants will choose their areas of interest by attending any combination of days.

The camp will meet from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday, Feb. 15-19. There is a discount for a second sibling who attends.

The camp's schedule is:

● Biology — Monday.

Students will study plants and will classify animals. Insect study, an ecology game and activities on animal senses will be included. Live animals will bring biology topics to life.

● Air and Space — Tuesday.

Students will watch videos of launches and descents. Live birds will be used to demonstrate principles of flight. Windvanes, balloon rocket "flights" and a portable planetarium will be featured.

● Dinosaurs — Wednesday.

Live reptiles will visit the class. Students will construct a large wooden skeleton of a dinosaur, use their dinosaur notebooks, make puppets and study fossils.

● Physics of Fun — Thursday.

Levers, ramps and pulleys will be featured, along with magnets, gyroscopes and other toys that teach.

● Sample Animal Safari — Friday.

Live animals will add to the fun as students "travel" to the Amazon, Australia, deserts and the ocean.

New Morning School is at 1450 Haggerty Rd., north of Schoolcraft Road in Plymouth Township. The state-certified school is a parent cooperative for students in preschool through eighth grade.

For a class description and fee information, call the school, 420-3331, between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. weekdays.

The school will also host a day camp, "Animal Safari," April 4-8.

new voices

John and Merilee LaFerla of Plymouth announce the birth of a son, Anthony James, Jan. 6 at Hutzel Hospital in Detroit. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Inman of Minneapolis, Minn., Sal LaFerla of Lantana, Fla., and Gladys Greif of Boston, Mass. Opal Inman of Grand Rapids is the great-grandmother. Anthony James has a brother, Joe, 11, and a sister, Margaret, 8½.

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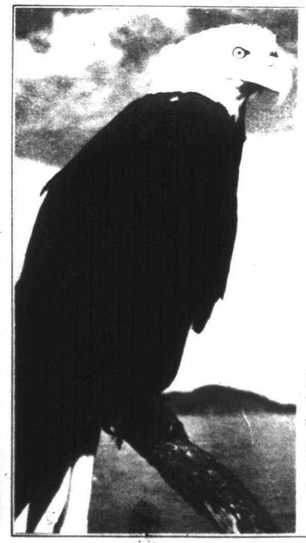

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● **FESTIVAL OF MUSIC**

The Farmington Community Center will continue its Festival of Music with a Sunday, Feb. 28, performance by the David Jorlett Chorale. Also scheduled to perform are the Detroit Concert Brass on March 20 and the Dennis Tini Quartet with George Benson on April 24. All concerts are presented at 7:30 p.m. Sundays and feature an artist's reception after each performance. At the Sunday, Feb. 28, performance, the David Jorlett Chorale will share the stage with Good Neighbors All, an instrumental group. Price of each performance reception is $13; a series subscription is priced at $30. For more information, call the Farmington Community Center, 477-8404. The center is at 24705 Farmington Road, north of 10 Mile Road in Farmington Hills.

● **CARD PROJECT**

The Plymouth Community Arts Council has invited artists to submit a 5-by-7-inch original sketch, photograph, watercolor, etc., of a familiar Plymouth winter scene. The work will be used for the 1988 Christmas card project. The artist whose work is selected will receive $100. The art work and all rights for reproduction will become the property of the PCAC. All proceeds from the project will benefit the council's programs. Deadline to submit entries is Tuesday, March 1. Deliver or mail art work (photos to: Plymouth Community Arts Council, 332 S. Main St., Plymouth 48170. For more information, call 455-3260.

● **GARAGE SALE**

The Plymouth-Canton Civitan Club will hold its annual garage sale Saturday, April 30, at The Gathering in downtown Plymouth. Donations of household items, furniture, clothing, toys, etc. are needed for the fund-raising event. For more information, call 425-2935 or 459-4609.

● **MUSEUM FUN**

The Plymouth Historical Museum is at 155 S. Main, Plymouth. It is open to the public 1-4 p.m. Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. Admission price is $1 for adults, 50 cents for those ages 11-17 and 25 cents for children 5-10. For more information, call 455-8940.

● **BEAUTIFIERS**

The Canton Beautification Committee meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Wednesday of the month at Canton Township Hall, on Canton Center Road south of Proctor. For more information, call Tillie Schultz, 455-6084, or Geri Wojcik, 459-4132.

● **CANTON TOPS**

The Canton chapter of TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets 6:30-8 p.m. Thursdays at Geneva Presbyterian Church, 5835 N. Sheldon Road, Canton. For more information, call 453-6543 or 344-8999 evenings.

● **NEW HORIZONS**

New Horizons, a mother's sharing exchange group, meets at 9:30 a.m. every second and fourth Friday of the month. Meetings are held at the First Presbyterian Church, 701 W. Church St., Plymouth. Child care is available. For more information, call Debbie 459-7721 or Kim 459-7465.

● **CORVETTE CLUB**

The Canton Corvette Club meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of the month at the Roman Forum Restaurant, 41601 Ford Road, Canton. The club is seeking new members. For more information, call 459-5732.

● **POLISH DANCERS**

The Polish Centennial Dancers of Plymouth-Canton and Livonia are accepting registrations for students age 3 through adult. Students will learn Polish folk dancing, American polkas and jazz and novelty numbers. Members will have opportunities to be in parades and to dance at festivals and community events. For more information, call 427-2885 or 464-1263.

● **SUPPORT GROUP**

The YWCA of Western Wayne County offers a divorce support group for men and women. The Phoenix group meets from 6 to 7:30 p.m. each second and fourth Monday of the month. Group meetings are held at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile, between Inkster and Middlebelt in Livonia. Group discussions will focus on personal needs, relationships, single parent concerns, legal and financial options. To register or for more information, call Tracy L. Tandy at the YWCA of Western Wayne County, 561-4110.

● **DIPLOMATS**

The Toastmasters International – "Diplomats" meet at 9:45 p.m. each Thursday in the banquet room of Denny's restaurant, Ann Arbor Road at I-275 in Plymouth Township. The group is for those who want to improve their public speaking skills, meet new friends and have fun. For reservations or more information, call 455-1024.

● **PLYMOUTH TOPS**

TOPS No. 238, Plymouth, meets Wednesdays at the Salvation Army, 9451 S. Main St., Plymouth. Weigh-in is at 6:30 p.m., the meeting at 7 p.m. Meetings end at 8 p.m. For more information, call 453-2658 or 453-2347.

● **CHILDREN'S NURSERY**

Openings are available for 3- and 4-year-olds at the Plymouth Children's Nursery, at Warren and Old Haggerty in Canton. Classes are offered one, two or three days per week. The cooperative nursery school offers parents the opportunity to participate in their child's preschool education. For more information, call Linda Hensley, membership chairwoman, 981-1385.

● **WRITERS**

Michigan Writers meets once a month to help published and unpublished writers sell their manuscripts. Serious writers of short stories, articles, books or screenplays may attend. For more information, call 455-7750, between 2 and 11 p.m.

● **PLACEMENT**

All employers may use the free job placement service of Plymouth-Canton Community Education. A number of current and former adult students with diverse skills and a desire to work are ready for referral. Employees have been screened and are available for full-time, part-time and seasonal work. For more information, call Elizabeth Barker, 451-6461.

● **PREVENTION**

The Plymouth Canton Council for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month. Meetings are held in the library of East Middle School, 1042 S. Mill, Plymouth. For more information, call Kathy Reilly, 459-2067.

● **TOUGHLOVE**

Toughlove meets at 7 p.m. Mondays at the Faith Community Moravian Church, 46001 Warren Road, at Canton Center Road in Canton. Toughlove is a self-help group for parents troubled by teenage behavior.

● **BALLROOM DANCE**

The Tuesday Night Ballroom Dance Club meets 8:30-11:30 p.m. Tuesdays at the Grotto Club of Ann Arbor, 2070 W. Stadium Blvd. Dance lessons are offered at 7:30-8:15 p.m. Live music is part of the fun; refreshments are served. Married couples and guests may attend. For more information, call 971-4480 or 475-7670.

● **CANTON HISTORY**

The Canton Historical Museum is at 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton. Museum hours are 1-3 p.m. Tuesday and 1-4 p.m. Saturday. Regular meetings of the Canton Historical Society are held at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information, call 397-0088 during regular museum hours.

● **CANTON JAYCEES**

The Canton Jaycees hold general membership meetings at the Fellows Creek Golf Course clubhouse. Meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month. They are open to the public. Fellows Creek is on Lotz, north of Michigan Avenue in Canton.

● **TOASTMASTERS**

Motor City Speak Easy, a member of Toastmasters International, meets the second and fourth Monday of each month at O'Sheehan's in the Highland Lakes Shopping Center, southeast corner of Seven Mile and Northville Road in Northville. Dinner is at 6 p.m.; the meeting at 7 p.m. Motor City Speak Easy welcomes people who want to improve their speaking skills. For more information, call 728-1349 or 349-8855.

● **OPTIMISTS**

Plymouth Optimist Club meets at 7 p.m. the first and third Mondays of each month at the Plymouth Hilton Inn, 14707 Northville Road, Plymouth. Plymouth and Canton residents may call 453-3425 for membership information.

● **CANTON LIONS**

The Canton Lions Club meets at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. Dinner meetings are held at the Canton Recreation Building, Michigan Avenue at Sheldon in Canton. For more information, call 981-1610.

Candy sale plans made

Detroit-area Camp Fire boys and girls will sell candy in the metropolitan area through Feb. 15.

The annual candy sale features five products priced at $2.50 each: peanut crunch, chocolate-covered mints, cashew caramel clusters, peanut butter delights, and assorted nuts with sesame sticks.

Friday, Feb. 5, and Friday, Feb. 12, will be "Downtown Sales Days." Camp Fire boys and girls will sell candy at several locations in the downtown Detroit business district.

They will also sell candy in neighborhood stores and take individual orders.

The annual candy sale is the largest fund-raising event for the Detroit Area Council. The sale is held to supplement United Foundation support. The money raised pays for programs, camping opportunities and services.

For Camp Fire girls and boys, the annual sale serves as a learning opportunity. They learn to plan for their club's financial needs, set goals for the sale and handle money. The Camp Fire youths also deal with the public, keep records and learn how to work together.

For more information, call 559-5840.

engagements

Neumaier-Brokas



Daniel and Grace Neumaier of Union Lake announce the engagement of their daughter, Laura Colette, to Gary Charles Brokas, son of Chuck and Shirley Brokas of Plymouth.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Ladywood High School, Livonia. She is employed at the Novi Hilton.

Her fiance is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and of Schoolcraft College. He is a student at Eastern Michigan University and is employed as an adult education instructor at Plymouth Canton High School.

An early January 1989 wedding is planned at Our Holy Family Church in Novi.

Chelian-Talbott



Sam and Elinor Chelian of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Pamela Ann, to James Lee Talbott Jr., son of Jim and Jan Talbott of Canton.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School. She is employed at the Moraine Child Development Center in Northville.

Her fiance is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School. He is employed at Central Locating Services Ltd. in Northville.

A mid-April wedding is planned at the First Baptist Church of Plymouth.

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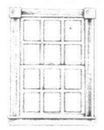

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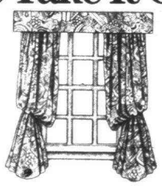

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engagements

Torrace-McCaffrey



William and Jane Torrace of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Tracey Ann, to Darrin McCaffrey of Canton, son of Lloyd and Holly McCaffrey of Clawson.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and of Eastern Michigan University.

Her fiance is a graduate of Eastern Michigan University. He is employed as a research chemist with Magni Industries in Detroit.

A mid-May wedding is planned at St. Francis Church in Ann Arbor.

Gore-Harreld



Mr. and Mrs. George L. Gore Sr. of South Houston, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol Denise, to Thomas Michael Harreld of League City, Texas, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Harreld of Plymouth.

The bride-elect is a graduate of South Houston High School. She is employed as an administrative assistant with M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute.

Her fiance is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School. He is employed as a harbor master with South Shore Harbour Marina.

A May wedding is planned at St. Bernadette's Catholic Church in Houston, Texas.

Petersen-Bartnicki



Dr. and Mrs. Robert Petersen of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen Ann, to Christopher Bartnicki, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bartnicki of Orchard Lake.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Our Lady of Mercy High School and of the Indiana University School of Nursing. She is employed as a registered nurse at the University of Michigan Hospital.

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Michael and Lauren McMillan of East Amherst, N.Y., announce the birth of a son, Kyle Lorin, Dec. 23 in Buffalo, N.Y. Grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Chatterley of Plymouth, Patricia McMillan of Milford and Bernard McMillan of Detroit.

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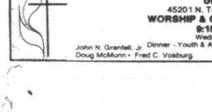

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Bishop's visit

Reisen to discuss Lutheran merge

By Debbie L. Sklar
special writer

The Resurrection Lutheran Church in Livonia will have a special guest speaker Sunday who will discuss recent national changes in the Lutheran church.

Milton Reisen, 50, a bishop in the eastern Michigan Synod of the new Evangelical Lutheran Church in American, will discuss the Jan. 1 merger of the country's three largest Lutheran denominations.

Reisen served as a parish pastor in Lansing and St. Clair Shores before becoming an assistant to the bishop in the Michigan District of the American Lutheran Church. He was elected an ELCA bishop last June at a special convention in Troy.

"In our worship Sunday, we will celebrate the birth of the ECLA and the continued work of the mission to which Christ called us," he said.

Three Lutheran denominations — Lutheran Church of America, the American Lutheran Church and the American Evangelical Church-AELC — merged of this year to form the ELCA.

The merger resulted in 11,000 congregations, totaling 5.5 million members, Reisen said.

"For us in the southeast Michigan segment, we are a synod — the number of congregations in a geographical area. We have about 158, with about 80,000 baptized members," he said. "Michigan used to be one geographical region and now we are divided into two."

'The merger has been a very positive reaction.'

Bishop Milton Reisen
Eastern Michigan Synod
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America



There are 11 counties in southeast Michigan called the Eastern Michigan Synod, he said. The remainder of the state is the Northwest Synod. There are 65 synods nationally, he added.

"IT HAS BEEN a long standing dream to get all the Lutheran synods, and it's a national expression of the church, under the general category of the Lutheran Church of America," he said.

Reisen said there were two major groups that didn't enter into the merger: the Missouri Synod and the Wisconsin Synod.

"I think one reason (for the merger) is the consolidation of effort, so we wouldn't be duplicating mission starts in the same area, and better cooperation in world mission and outreach."

Reisen also said that coordination between publishing houses, a decrease in staff and simply the desire to be together as a Lutheran expression of a major Christian denomination were all elements that affected the merger.

"The merger has been a very positive reaction," he said. "In fact, at the national conventions, the votes were overwhelming.

"Although a major problem has been merging three systems where there is different religions, policies and traditions, trying to learn how everyone operates and trying to figure out a way to accommodate everyone has probably been the most difficult thing to overcome."

He said a commission of 70 people was appointed by the merging bodies to formulate new constitutions, set new synod boundaries and do all the mechanics necessary for the Jan. 1 merger.

"Each synod then put together a transition key," he said. "It was composed of people from the three merging units to set up synod constitutions, make recommendations for synods to follow one and establish the start-up date."

Reisen said some of the tasks the new synod faces includes organizing cluster units, working on a comprehensive synodical strategy plan for priorities and goals and staffing the synod.

There was a previous merger in 1962, involving the LCA, ALC and the Missouri Synod, and this recent merger "is really a follow up to that merger," he said.

"It's more consolidation. The purpose of the synod is to deliver service to the local congregations."

Resurrection Lutheran Church is at 8850 Newburgh Rd., Livonia. For more information, call 427-9575 or 591-2134.

A marriage can endure with love



moral perspectives
Rev. Lloyd Buss

Sixty years ago this week, my parents were married. My father's parents, brothers and sisters, a few friends, a best man and a maid of honor were there with them as they committed their lives to each other in love and faithfulness.

My mother's parents did not live to see their youngest daughter married. They had died years before.

My parents have described their wedding as a simple ceremony that has lasted a lifetime.

Sixty years ago puts my parents on the eve of the Great Depression. Herbert Clark Hoover was nominated by the Republican Party for President in the summer of 1928, and in his acceptance speech he observed that the "wise policies of his Republican predecessors had brought the nation to its present happy state."

He asked the people of America to an even greater task . . . the abolition of poverty. "We are nearer to the final triumph over poverty than ever before in the history of any land."

My father was a clerk in a Chevrolet dealership when he was married. He could add long columns of numbers and not make an error in addition. The experience as office manager, parts manager, bookkeeper et al, would give him the necessary experience to move upward in the world of selling cars. He dreamed of owning a dealership.

FARMERS COULDN'T, and wouldn't, buy cars after 1929, and the dealership closed abruptly. There was no unemployment compensation, and the imminent birth of my sister prompted my parents to return to the life from which they had come. They rented land, and with two horses, a borrowed plow and disk, they began their second start.

In 1934, my parents bought a quarter section of prime farm land. In 1935 and 1936 they harvested two wagon loads of corn. The rains never came. A bookkeeper's error, however, sent my parents a "paid in full" receipt for the balance due the Federal Land Bank on their farm loan.

The very next day, my father drove more than 200 miles to return it and to correct their mistake. A grateful loan officer decided not to foreclose on my parents that year.

In 1937 the rains returned to nourish the land, and my parents began to replace the farm buildings. The farm had been for sale because it had been so neglected.

The first built were the barns for the cattle and the hogs and the chickens. The last building replaced was the house. My older sister was able to live in the new home one year before she left for college.

There were five children born in this union of marriage. One died in childbirth. Today there are 13 grandchildren. Each one of them has received from their grandmother an afghan, embroidered pillow cases and a counted cross-stitch wall hanging. The hands that milked cows, hoed gardens, canned fruit and washed clothes for all those years, simply could not be idle in later days.

TEN YEARS ago, there was a family celebration for the 50 years of married life my parents had shared. Uncles, aunts, cousins, friends and neighbors joined in the event. Today there are fewer uncles and aunts, and the rest of us know the providence of God by which we are allowed to live on.

My parents have been married for 60 years. Nothing else need be said for these words can express it all. Parents are what we need to be here. Married is what we are when we commit ourselves to another until death do us part. And 60 years is simply a time toward fullness.

It's not the wise policies of any political party that brings us to any state of happiness. It is the practice of love and life that opens the future to the dreams of the present. Some parents stand out from others in the unfolding of dreams that move from one generation to the next.

The Rev. Lloyd Buss is pastor of Abiding Presence Lutheran Church in Rochester Hills.

church bulletin

The church bulletin is published every Thursday in the Observer. Information for the church bulletin must be received in the Livonia office by noon the Monday preceding publication. Send information to Suburban Life section, Observer, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

● PASTOR RETIRES

The Rev. William Whitledge, pastor of St. Paul Presbyterian Church in Livonia for the past 27 years, announced his retirement recently at the church's annual meeting.

Whitledge and his wife, Virginia, will be leaving the Livonia area in September to live in Florida.

Whitledge has served as a member of the board of directors of the Livonia Family Y and is past president. He is the chaplain of the Livonia Fire Department and has served as chaplain at St. Mary's Hospital.

In the Presbytery of Detroit, he served as moderator and has chaired many of the major committees of the judicatory.

Virginia Whitedge was a librarian for the Livonia Public School for many years. Their children, Bill and Beth, are Livonia Bentley High School graduates.

● VALENTINE CONCERT

Westland Free Methodist church, 1421 Venoy Road, will present a Valentine dinner and concert Saturday, Feb. 6, in the church Fellowship Hall and Sanctuary. Dinner will be at 5:30 p.m. and the concert, featuring Burt Kettinger, will be at 7:15 p.m.

The Rev. Burt Kettinger, a bass-baritone soloist, is a gospel artist who recently returned from a month-long concert tour in China and Japan. He will also perform at the church's 11 a.m. service Sunday.

● CONCERT AT CALVARY

Johnny Hall, singer, composer and recording artist, will perform in concert at 6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 21, at Calvary Missionary Church, 29850 Six Mile, Livonia. Hall does 150 concerts a year and travels around the world.

● PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Our Lady of Grace Hall, Joy Road at Riverview, two blocks east of Telegraph, will have a pancake breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon Sunday, Feb. 14. Breakfast includes juice, coffee, milk, sausage and all-you-can-eat scrambled eggs, pancakes and french toast.

Proceeds from the event will be used for athletic programs at Our Lady of Grace.

● WARD WEST CLASSES

The extended classes and worship service at Schoolcraft College each Sunday has been nicknamed, "Ward West." Three adult classes are being given at 10 a.m. Sundays.

"Bereans Class," taught by John Holden is a Bible study class centered in the Gospel of John. "Families with a Purpose," taught by the Rev. James Killgore, focuses on the studies of Christian qualities. The Rev. Paul Hansen teaches a class geared toward parents of junior and senior high schoolers, "Parents of Teens." The classes are open to the public.

Worship services are at 11:30 a.m.

● RUSSIAN PROGRAM

At 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 9, the United Methodist Women will present a program on Russia, "A Faith For All Seasons," at St. Matthew United Methodist Church, 30900 W. Six Mile, Livonia. The speaker will be Kay Bogush, who was born in a small Russian village.

A Russian meal will be served including borsch and beef stroganoff. Tickets will be $5 for adults and $2.50 for children.

● WOMEN'S RETREAT

Aldersgate United Methodist Church will hold its annual minireteat for women from 9 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 20, at the church, 10000 Beech Daly, Redford.

Carolyn Bersche, a Bible teacher and lecturer, will be the keynote speaker for the retreat. Diana Sobieski, a frequent speaker at conferences and banquets, also will be speaking. Sobieski is co-founder of "Heart Ministry," a program that helps hurting women.

Jacqueline Edmonds, who had a Bible teaching ministry in California prior to moving to the Detroit area, will round out the program with her detailed, practical approach to the scriptures.

"Bear Fruit For God" is the theme for this year's retreat and is based on the 15th Chapter of John. Music will be supplied by Marilyn Parr Grenfell. Cost for the retreat is $7, which includes morning coffee, lunch and a book table. To make reservations, call Margaret Rodgers at 278-5428.

● CHURCHES MERGE

Fairlane Assembly of God in Dearborn Heights, the seventh-largest Assembly in the country, will merge congregations with Christian Community Church in Northville.

The churches will be known as Fairlane Central and Fairlane West. The merger will affect 4,500 people from both congregations. The merger came about after Fairlane was denied further building permits by the Dearborn Heights City Council.

Fairlane Assembly Central is at 22575 Ann Arbor Trail, Dearborn Heights. Fairlane West is at 41355 Six Mile, Northville.

● 35TH ANNIVERSARY

Faith Lutheran Church, 30000 Five Mile, Livonia, will celebrate its 35th anniversary with a series of events from Friday, Feb. 5, to Sunday, Feb. 14.

With a theme of "reunion," anniversary worship at 10:45 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 7, will be led by the Rev. Roger Schleef, pastor at Faith Lutheran from 1967 to 1982. Founding members of the parish will be recognized.

Anniversary worship on Sunday, Feb. 14, will be preceded by an organ recital at 10 a.m. by Martin Jean, minister of music. Leading the service at 10:45 a.m. will be the Rev. Paul Jaster, pastor at Faith Lutheran from 1977 to 1986.

Other anniversary events will include a dinner-dance at the Regency West in Redford on Friday, Feb. 5, a family night at the church on Tuesday, Feb. 9, and a potluck dinner after the service on Feb. 14.

For more information, call 421-7249.

● MUSIC MINISTRY

His Worksmanship, a group of young Christians who tour the Midwest under the direction of Ken Bowden, will perform at 10:45 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 7, at Riverside Park Church of God, 11771 Newburgh, near Plymouth Road. For more information, call 464-0990.

● SACRED MUSIC

The Wheaton College Concert Choir will present a program of sacred and classical music at 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia.

The 65-member choir consists primarily of students majoring in music and is directed by Dr. Paul Wiens. The current choir continues a long tradition of choral singing, dating back to its founding in 1934.

The year's tour program features selections by Gabrieli, Vaughn Williams and Mendelssohn as well as spirituals and choruses from Handel's "Messiah."

The choir has performed at state ACDA conventions, annual concerts at the Illinois Collegiate Choral Festivals and numerous concerts in the Chicago area.

● YWCA MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT

The Young Women's Christian Association (YWCA) will offer a marriage enrichment workshop from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 6, at the Downtown Branch of YWCA, 2230 Witherell, Detroit.

The facilitators for the one-day program are Linda Penton Dougan and William Dougan, who have been married for 15 years. Registration is $75 a couple and includes a continental breakfast, lunch and materials for both partners.

Preregistration is required. For more information, call 961-9220.

● ECUMENICAL PRAYER

The Christian communities of the Canton area will be participate in an ecumenical prayer service at 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 7, at the Christ Community Church, Ford Road, west of Canton Center Road.

Each year, Christians come together in late winter to pray for unity among Christ's churches, to experience the common faith they share and to learn how to grow closer to each other.

The theme for this year is "Love Casts Out Fear." Members of St. Michael Lutheran Church, Christ Community Reformed, Free Methodist, Geneva Presbyterian, Faith Community Moravian, Christian Missionary Alliance, St. John Neumann Catholic and St. Thomas A. Becket Catholic churches participate in this annual event.

The clergy of these communities will lead the congregation in prayers of praise, thanksgiving and reconciliation. The choirs of the participating churches will perform as a group.

● LUNCHEON

Church Women United of Suburban Detroit will have a carry-in casserole luncheon at 12:15 p.m. Friday, Feb. 5, at Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 10000 Beech Daly, between Plymouth Road and West Chicago. Martina Abbenseth of Germany, Fumiyo Morita from Japan and Mark Hietikko from Finland will be the guest speakers for International Students Day. Each student will tell about his/her homeland.

● FAMILY WEEKEND

Mike Breaux will discuss "Relationships on the Rock" as part of the Family Weekend Friday through Sunday, Feb. 5-7, at Memorial Church of Christ, 35475 Five Mile, Livonia. Breaux will speak at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday and at both morning and evening services on Sunday.

Music will be provided by Apprentice. On Friday, there will be ice cream sundaes. On Saturday, there will be roller skating in the afternoon, and fellowship and cake eating after the evening service on Sunday.

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● AMATEUR PERFORMERS

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

● WANTED: CIVIC RADIO HELP

Plymouth Area REACT Team is looking for members for emergency radio communication (no experience necessary) and other community programs. All residents from Plymouth, Canton, Northville and surrounding areas are invited. The group meets at 8 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at Plymouth Township Hall, Mill at Ann Arbor Road. For more information, call 455-9609 or 453-7641.

● 'RIDE WITH US'

Plymouth Area Citizens Team program is made up of volunteers from Plymouth and surrounding communities who patrol the Plymouth area. The organization is looking for volunteers to devote one night (four-five hours) per month to be the "eyes and ears" for the community. Those interested in going on an observation ride with a PACT member should call 459-2075.

● HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Volunteers are needed at the Plymouth Historical Museum. Are you interested in antiques and Plymouth history? Come in and visit your museum and see what's there. The museum needs volunteers for changing displays, helping in the gift shop, typing, printing, sewing and helping in the educational program for school children. Call 455-8940 or stop in from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday or Thursday to ask what you can do to help.

● IN-HOME CARE HELP

Volunteers are needed for in and out of home care for older adults. In-home care provides in-home relief for care-givers of the disabled or frail older persons. Out-of-home care is a supervised program at a day-care center, which includes social and rehabilitative activities in a group setting. Care is provided for older persons who need supervision when family and friends are not available. For information, call Plymouth Family Service at 453-0890.

● PROBATION VOLUNTEERS

35th District Court Probation Department is seeking volunteers to provide direct supervision of adult misdemeanor probationers. The only experience needed is an interest in working with people. Volunteers are needed to work between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. The number of hours per week and days per month are negotiable. Training classes now are being scheduled. Interested persons should contact the Probation Department at 459-4749.

● FISH NEEDS HELP

A Plymouth-Canton volunteer organization of neighbors helping neighbors is in need of volunteers to answer calls or drive on a once-a-month basis. For more information call FISH at 453-1110.

● CANCER VOLUNTEERS

Anyone willing to serve as a driver or in another volunteer capacity in the Michigan Cancer Foundation office on Main Street in Plymouth may call Barbara Bicking at 833-0710, ext. 348, or Catherine Cameron, ext. 245. Volunteer drivers last year logged more than 34,000 miles. Because radiation therapy and chemotherapy often require daily visits for several weeks, a patient often will have two, three or more drivers during the course of one week's treatment. Michigan Cancer Foundation is a Plymouth Community Fund/United Way agency.

● TRAINING MENTORS

Youth Development is a diversion program, in cooperation with the Plymouth, Plymouth Township and Canton Township police departments and Growth Works, for juvenile first-time offenders. The program is designed for both the youth and his/her parents as an alternative to the juvenile court system.

Growth Works trains volunteers to work on a weekly basis with the youth. The training covers communication skills, empathy listening skills, building and bonding relationships, alcohol and substance abuse, decision making, consequences of behavior, parenting skills, and crisis intervention. Training sessions totaling about 20 hours are open to all interested people willing to commit to at least six months of about three hours per week. For information, call Sue Davis, 455-4902 Monday through Friday.

● DELIVERING MEALS

Residents are encouraged to volunteer their time to deliver meals one day per week to the homebound elderly in the city of Plymouth and in Plymouth Township. Delivery takes about 1½ hours, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Drivers are needed Monday through Friday. Mileage reimbursement of 23 cents per mile is available. For information, call Louise Stern at 453-9703 between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. Monday-Friday.

● MCAULEY VOLUNTEER

Volunteers are needed at the Arbor Health Building in Plymouth, at McAuley health center in Canton, and at other Catherine McAuley health facilities.

Volunteers can work directly with patients or in non-patient contact positions. Weekday, evening and weekend hours are available. Complete orientation and training are provided for all volunteer programs. To sign up to attend an information meeting, or for more information, call the volunteer services department at 572-4159.

Volunteers also are needed from 12:30 to 5 p.m. the second and fourth Thursday of each month in the foot care clinic at Arbor Health Building on Ann Arbor Trail at Harvey in Plymouth. Volunteers greet and assist patients and help staff with non-medical tasks. Volunteers also are needed at the information desk from 9 a.m. to noon Tuesday and Thursday to greet patients and give directions. For more information call 572-4159.

● MEDICAL HELP

Henry Ford Hospital is looking for men and women 18 and older as volunteers at the Plymouth Center on Main Street east of Penniman. Needed are people with all types of skills to help with patients or to perform clerical and other tasks. Nurses also are needed for blood pressure screening. For information, call Kathleen Kernen at the volunteer services department at 593-8131 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

● TEEN VOLUNTEERS

Teens can volunteer year-round at Catherine McAuley Health Center and not just during the special summer program as in the past.

Teen volunteers can help out at the Arbor Health Building in Plymouth, St. Joseph Hospital, Mercywood Health Building, Maple Health Building and at Reichert Health Building working directly with patients or in non-patient contact positions during weekday, evening and weekend hours. Orientation and training is provided to all volunteers. For information, call the volunteer services department at 572-4159.

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To PAULA BARR and other interested parties

Unit No. E-231 was rented to Paul Barr on August 13, 1987. The contents of Unit No. E-231, at Your Attic of Canton, 2101 N. Haggerty, Canton, Michigan 48187 will be sold on February 29, 1988, at 10 a.m., to satisfy Your Attic of Canton's lien unless this lien is satisfied before the sale date. The items will be awarded to the highest bidder (minimum bid $100.00).

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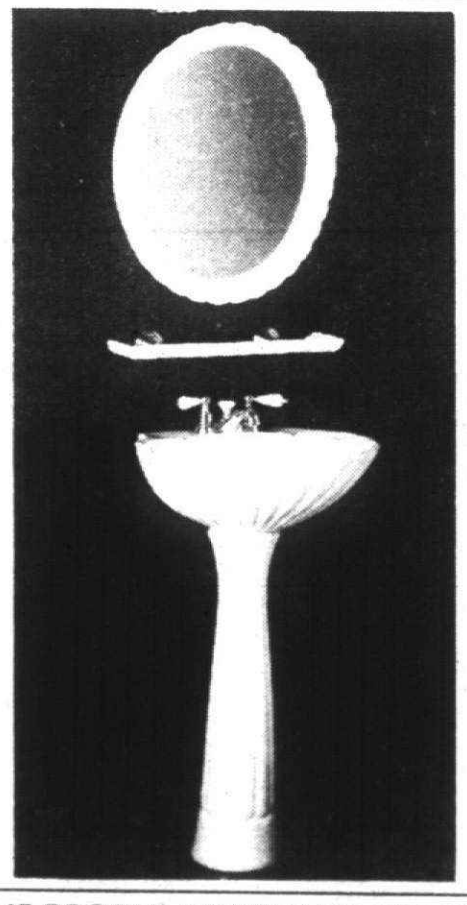
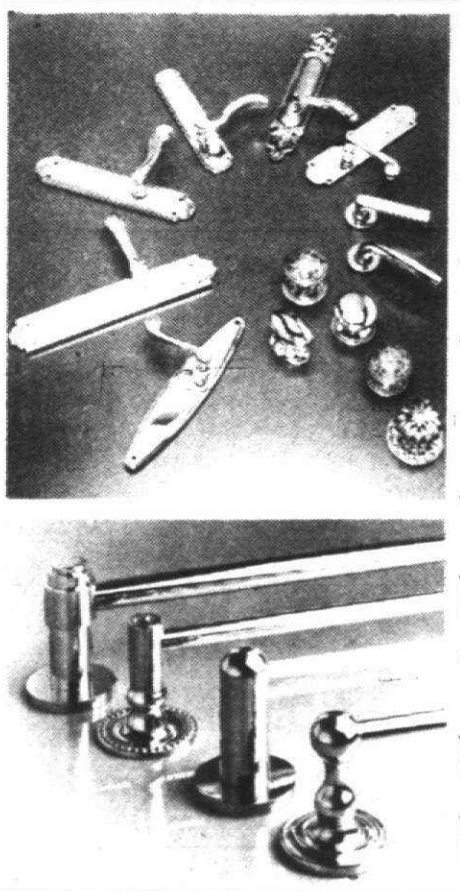

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Interiors

Offices that come to work

By Janice Brunson
staff writer

Flexibility is the driving force in today's office decor.

As costs for commercial space continue to soar and increasing numbers move into white collar positions, the resulting space crunch demands office design that is easily and cheaply altered.



RANDY BORST/staff photographer

Barbara Marini, a private commercial decorator, incorporated fuschia-colored neon light with brilliant greens and blues to create entry and display areas for The Athletic Supporter.

Large commercial clients constantly change office space, according to designer Janise Purcell of Carson Business Interiors in Southfield.

"Big clients continually reconfigure to suit their immediate needs. (Design) jobs are ongoing," said Purcell, citing Fireman's Fund Mortgage Co. in Farmington Hills.

Purcell has been working with Fireman's Fund for nearly four years, reshaping the office interior to accommodate additional employees and changing needs.

"One of the reasons we (commercial designers) are here is to fit the office environment to the individual at every level, from top to bottom. Clients know something is wrong and they come to us to fix it," Purcell said.

STUDIES ON EMPLOYEE productivity indicate that those working in environments tailored to individual jobs produce more than those laboring in dated bullpen environs.

The ideal situation is a work station containing some 15 separate components and outfitted with furnishings that "work" for the employee.

"Most people typically sit four to six hours a day and perform multiple tasks. They need a chair that supports all functions, a chair that thinks for them," said Robert Shapland of Steelcase Inc., a Michigan company that designs and manufactures office equipment.

The Sensor, a chair which Shapland said cost Steelcase $10 million to develop, "senses body movement and responds as though it were living," according to the Sensor brochure. Deluxe models include "bladders," or inflatable cushioning that conforms to individual body size and shape.

THE PREVALENCE of computers have changed the office landscape, calling for multi-use desks and tables that are larger and lower, indirect lighting to reduce screen glare and increased overhead filing cabinets.

"Paperless office" predictions of the past have not been realized, Shapland explained. Computers have also created a new area of concern.

"We can no longer ignore computer cables and electrical wires," said Jean Johnson of Carson Interiors. Former solutions, like using flat electrical wire under carpet, may be inadequate due to the sheer volume of office computers today. One of every two employees now uses a computer and estimates put the number at one in one by the year 2000.

"Floating floor" is a solution Don Brann of Rochester favors. Brann, who has owned Don Brann Associates for 20 years, said floating or raised floors installed one foot above a first floor are gaining in popularity for several reasons.

They provide hidden space for unsightly wires and cables, can be instantly accessed for repair and provide flexible placement of sockets and plugs for individualized use, according to Brann.

But installation can be expensive, costing nearly $6 a square foot for flooring with an unfinished surface.

THE STERILE business office environment is giving way to a homier look.

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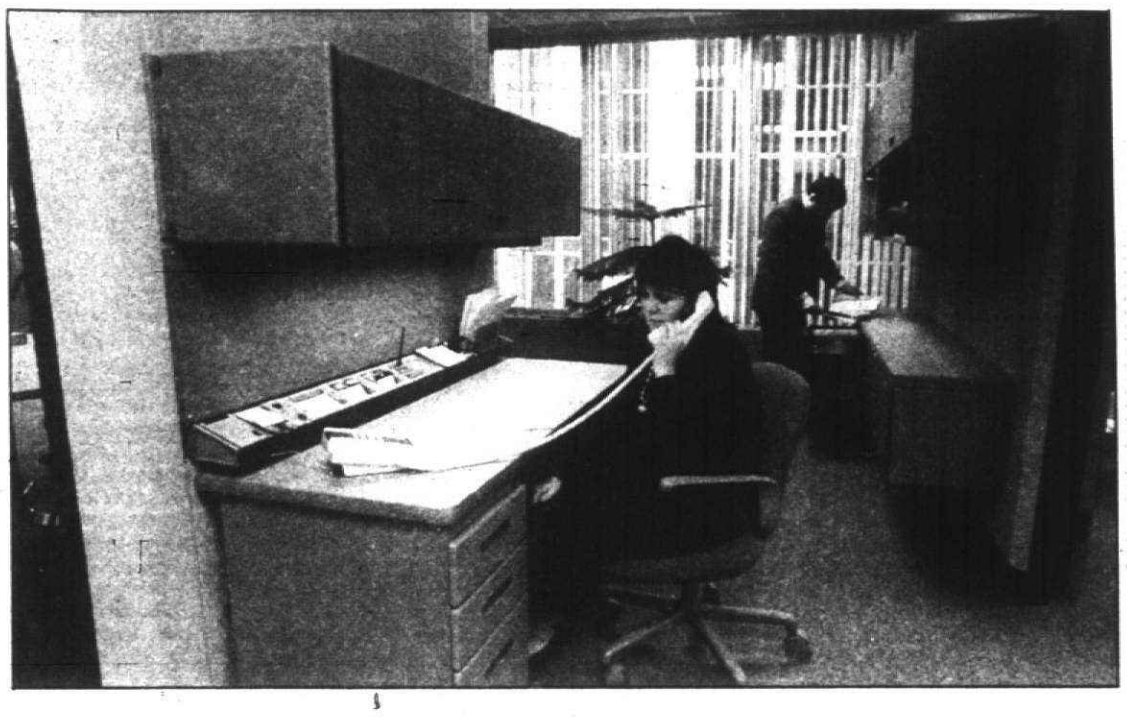

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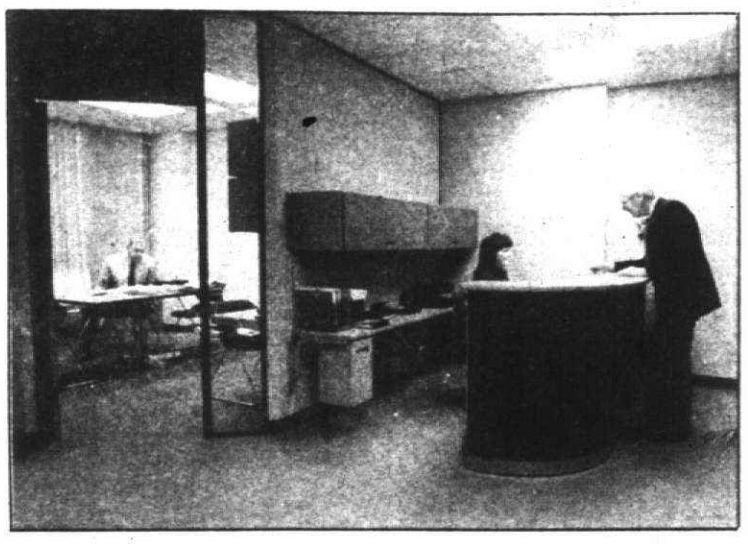

Today's office design reflects working conditions where most people typically sit four to six hours a day and perform multiple tasks. This U.S. Gypsum office was designed by Don Brann Associates.

Terminal woes

Computer anxiety deprogrammed

By E. Dale Lee
staff writer

Although the computer industry has been on a 30-year growth binge, there are still business people gripped with fright at the thought of dealing with a mainframe or microcomputer.

As the number of computers in the workplace has multiplied, so, too, have related service industries. Hoping to fill one void is Dr. Diane Dailey of Flint, who holds the hands of keyboard-timid clients of a Troy-based computer store to help them overcome their fear of computers. She plans a second business at 840 W. Big Beaver in Troy.

Dailey, who claims hers is the first U.S. foray into computer psychotherapy, said clients referred to her from the computer store, PC 1-2-3 of Troy, have all been permanently cured of the keyboard jitters.

A psychotherapist for a quarter century, Dailey began treatment about a year ago and has seen about 100 patients from small and mid-sized companies.

Dailey, who earned a doctorate in social work and psychology from the University of Michigan, has developed a treatment that includes hypnotism, personal psychotherapy and cassette tapes that command the listener to relax and learn.

Patients seeking to battle computer anxiety comprise about 5 percent of her practice, but she expects that percentage to rise at least 10 percent in 1988 if she can convince large corporations in the area that treatment of the problem has merit on a mass scale.

WIN PSAI, general manager of PC 1-2-3, said there hasn't been a great demand for the service, but he believes it's needed.

"From a marketing viewpoint, there are not enough customers to base a psychotherapy practice on, but the idea works," he said. "Our clients have said good things about it."

One of them tried group therapy before finding "the cure" at the hands of Dailey.

"I went to three psychologists to get over my anxiety problem, and they couldn't help me," said Fred, a UAW committeeman whose company computerized safety and educational programs for its workers.

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>
> *— Dr. Diane Dailey*

"It took me about three months of listening to relaxation tapes and talking with Dr. Dailey, but my anxiety problem has disappeared.

"I've learned my fears were not well-grounded. I can do things I never thought I could. I have confidence now, and I'm comfortable at the keyboard. I can function fine . . . now."

Dailey predicts a growing need for computer-based psychotherapy.

"One phobia is really the same as any other, and that's why I decided to give this a whirl," she said. "Some people are always fearful of computers at first and as a result have a tense reaction to them.

"Through psychotherapy, we tackle fearful thoughts and negative physiological reactions. So long as there are computers, there will be fear of them — but that fear can always be allayed."



SOME OF Dailey's clients come from businesses that want to calm their employees' fears, especially when a companywide computer system is installed that is far more sophisticated than the previous one.

"Workers who come in because their business requires them to do so and think they have the problem at hand cannot be helped with this method of psychotherapy," Dailey said.

"But with the proper attitude anyone can ovecome this fear. Performance anxiety, which is what 90 percent of the people who fear computers have, is the easiest phobia for any psychotherapist to treat successfully.

Earl, a retail business owner, agrees with Dailey's assessment of the importance attitude plays.

"You don't have to be a genius to operate a computer. You just have to realize it's something new you have no experience with."

According to Dailey, people who fear computers are:

- Afraid of making fools of themselves.
- Afraid of changes.
- Procrastinators who are able to learn but don't know it.
- Really believe they're not good at running a computer without proving to themselves that they've really tried.

"It's tough for somebody who's a success on the job to admit that he or she might not be perfect. But you don't need to be. Get functional and let your fingers carry you."

According to Dailey, students and executives are the most likely to be anxious about computers.

"Those who could use immersion transformation might be executives or students who are confronting increased competitive pressures from their computer-literate colleague," she said. "For many people, especially our parents' generation, entering the world of computers is as frightening as taking a space flight.

"The fear of computers can be a roadblock to success. But I believe just about everybody can become computer literate and succeed at what they wish."

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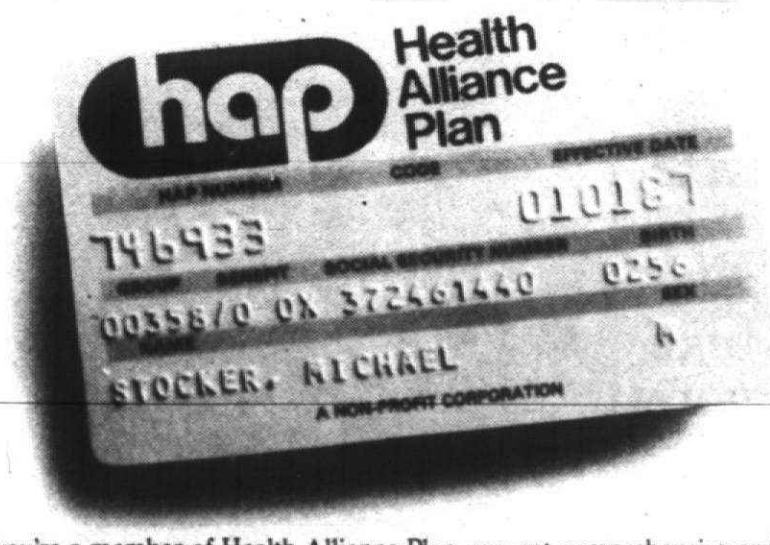

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Flexibility dictates modern office interiors

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Mark Trudeau, a designer for Brann Associates, believes "it is much more acceptable to create a residential feel in today's commercial space." Trudeau uses exotic woods like teak and rosewood to produce such an atmosphere.

Woods, according to Purcell and Johnson, are also used for status with managers who are increasingly finding themselves moved from private offices into space-saving work stations.

The residential feel in commercial decor is being felt in other ways.

The stark lines and colors of neoclassical design are giving way to jewel-tone colors, bright yellows, blues and greens, in patterns popularized by German and Austrian designers at the turn of the century.

Barbara Marini, a private commercial decorator who is a board member of the American Society of Interior Designers, incorporated fuschia-colored neon light with brilliant greens and blues to create entry and display areas and executive and secretarial offices for The Athletic Supporter.

Supporter, a company that manufacturers advertising specialties, moved from Livonia to Farmington Hills a year ago. Marini was given a $350,000 budget to transform a 16,000-square-foot warehouse into offices and a production plant.

"This has been a designer's dream come true," Marini said of the project, referring to the "whimsical" feel produced through a bold use of color, design, lighting and art. One wall displays dozens of colorful T-shirt prints, framed for display.

David Wilson, co-owner of Supporter is pleased with the outcome of the project. "Active-type, fun color is our business. Incorporating it in our own decor is a statement about us. We're telling buyers we know what we're doing and we do it well," Wilson said, adding customers have been impressed with the interior design of the company.

The trend, Brann feels, is to avoid the "plain Jane" look. But Purcell and Johnson agree that most large corporations will retain a safe "middle-of-the-road" look. But even that is becoming bolder.

Fabric patterns from as recently as last year, small geometric shapes, are now used as solids. Current patterns include larger and more varied shapes. It is unlikely that patterns used for commercial decor will ever be as "free" as those used in residential decorating.

THE CURRENT trend in architecture of structures toward the creative and unusual also affected trends in decor, according to Trudeau, pointing to the Rochester Knee and Sports Medicine/Therapy Center as an example.

The two-story complex has walls angled at 45 degrees in both primary entrances to the building, "resulting in an imbalance of space," Trudeau used "interior islands" to balance the area.

In keeping with the modern architecture of the building, the interior is decorated in a modern motif "which gets away from the clinical, sterile setting and tends to put the patient at ease," said Dr. James Huebner, co-owner of the facility.

business people

Addison Knight of Livonia received the Kerr Manufacturing Co.'s Hall of Honor award for service to Kerr and the dental industry. Before his retirement, Knight was manager of advertising and sales promotion with Kerr.

Mary E. Shiloff was named an administrative associate of Plante & Moran, an accounting and management consulting firm with offices in Southfield. Shiloff joined the company in 1980 as a bookkeeper and now serves as the chief accountant with responsibility for the preparation of internal financial statements and other internal accounting functions.

Steven Ezikian of Livonia was promoted to audit associate with Plante & Moran, an accounting and management consulting firm with offices in Southfield. Ezikian joined the audit staff in 1983.

Robert L. Fortune of Canton Township was appointed vice president and general manager of the Detroit branch of Video Trend Inc. in Livonia. Fortune had been with Technicolor Videocassette of Michigan Inc. (formerly CBS Fox Video) where he had been director of operations at the company's Livonia duplicating facility.

Dorothy M. Hanley was promoted to corporate controller of the Detroit branch of Video Trend Inc. in Livonia. Hanley joined Video Trend in 1986 as operations manager at the company's Chicago branch.

Chuck Mills joined the Michigan Group Realtors as manager of its Livonia office. He has 23 years experience as a real estate agent in western Wayne and Oakland counties. He spent the last 17 with the Harry S. Wolfe Co. of Livonia.

Mark M. Anderson of Canton Township was elected president of InterComm Associates Inc. of Royal Oak. Anderson had been an internal consultant on organizational change and development for the Ford Motor Co.

Theresa M. Faillace of Redford Township joined the Detroit law firm of Carson & Carson as an associate attorney. Faillace will practice general law in the areas of wills and estates, family law, real estate and personal injury. She has practiced in Detroit, handling personal injury and drug malpractice litigation since her admission to the Michigan Bar.

Dr. **Noel VonGlahn** and Dr. **Ali Rahmanian** were elected to new positions at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. VonGlahn is the new chief-of-staff. Rahmanian is chief-of-staff-elect. Other newly elected members are Dr. **Prasad Mikkilineni**, Dr. **Stuart Barak**, Dr. **Edwin Rennell**, Dr. **Zabeer Ahmad** and Dr. **Rodolfo Son**.

Diane K. Ojanen, daughter of Ruth and Cal Ojanen of Livonia, will be a technical writer with Miller Electric in Appleton, Wis. She graduated from Bentley High School in Livonia in 1983 and Michigan Technological University in 1987.

Kim Madeleine of Livonia was appointed supervisor of mixed media for Ameritech Publishing Inc. He was public relations director for



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Fortune



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Mills

Group 253 in 1985. Before that he was director of public relations at Manufacturers Hanover and for a real estate trade association.

Tony Gilmore joined Holcroft/Luftus in Livonia as sales manager-vacuum products.

Jack Titus joined Holcroft/Luftus in Livonia as product manager-vacuum products, with responsibility over vacuum products engineering and manufacturing. For the past 22 years, Titus has worked for Surface Combustion, most recently as product manager for the vacuum line at its Toledo facility.

George Bak of Livonia was named management supervisor for the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. account with Young & Rubicam Detroit. Bak had been management supervisor for the agency's Merkur advertising. He joined the company in 1982 as an account supervisor for Lincoln-Mercury.

Reid Harpster was named account executive of the month for December with Adistra Corp. of Plymouth.

Daniel E. Webb of Livonia joined the firm of KWS/Wordhouse & Associates in Plymouth. He is a registered investment adviser, finance educator, lecturer and accredited Dollarplan instructor.

Robert Hein was named mortgage loan counselor at DMR Financial Services Inc. in Plymouth. He had been a loan counselor for Plymouth Mortgage Corp.

Jack Bologna, president of Computer Protection Systems Inc. of Plymouth, will visit the Soviet Union in April as a delegate of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences.

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● FINANCIAL EDUCATION
Thursdays, Feb. 4 through March 3 — Financial education class offered 7-9 p.m. at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty, Livonia. Fee: $20. Information: 523-9277. Sponsor: Wordhouse & Associates.

● SELLING YOUR HOUSE
Thursdays, Feb. 4-25 — "Buying and Selling Your own Home" offered 8-10 p.m. at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty, Livonia. Information: 591-6400, Ext. 410. Sponsor: Schoolcraft College.

● INVOLVING EMPLOYEES
Thursdays, Feb. 4 through March 24 — "Developing Employee Involvement" offered 8-10 p.m. at 18600 Haggerty in Livonia. Information: 591-6400, Ext. 410. Sponsor: Schoolcraft College.

● BEGINNING KEYBOARDING
Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, Feb. 5 to March 31 — "Beginning Computer Keyboarding Using the Apple PC" will be offered 1-2 p.m. in Dearborn. Information: Mary Lou Spielman, 845-9645. Sponsor: Henry Ford Community College.

● IBM SKILLBUILDING
Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, Feb. 5 to March 31 — "Skillbuilding on the IBM PC" will be offered from noon to 1 p.m. in Dearborn. Information: Mary Lou Spielman, 845-9645. Sponsor: Henry Ford Community College.

● HIGH TECH
Fridays, Feb. 5-12 — "High Technology Awareness" offered 8 a.m. to noon at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty, Livonia. Information: 591-6400, Ext. 410. Sponsor: Schoolcraft College.

● SMALL BUSINESS
Monday and Wednesday, Feb. 8 — "Introduction to Record Keeping" offered 7-10 p.m. at 18600 Haggerty in Livonia. Information: 591-6400 Ext. 410. Sponsor: Schoolcraft College.

● RETIREMENT PLANNING
Tuesday, Feb. 9 — "Retirement Planning in a new Tax World" offered at 7:15 p.m. at the Alfred Nobel Library, 32901 Plymouth Road, one block east of Farmington Road, Livonia. Free admission. Information: Kristine Cannarile, 358-5000. Sponsor: Shearson Lehman Brothers.

● CASH FLOW
Wednesdays, Feb. 10, 24 — "Uncovering Hidden Cash: The Company President's Guide to Cash Flow Management" offered at the Novi Hilton in Novi. Fee: $395. Information: Lorraine Hendrickson, 1-487-0225. Sponsor: Eastern Michigan University.

● COMPUTER FUNDAMENTALS
Wednesdays, Feb. 10 through March 2 — "Computer Fundamentals" offered 7-10 p.m. at 36600 Schoolcraft in Livonia. Fee: $94. Information: 591-5188. Sponsor: Madonna College.

● RETIREMENT SEMINAR
Thursday, Feb. 11 — Free seminar on IRAs and IRA alternatives begins at 7 p.m. at the Hellenic Cultural Center, 36375 Joy, Westland. Information: 459-2402. Sponsors: Wordhouse & Associates Inc., Korn, Womack, Stern & Associates.

● REAL ESTATE WOMEN
Thursday, Feb. 11 — Commercial Real Estate Women Inc. meets for seminar 1:30-5:30 p.m. at Seven Mile Crossing, 38705 Seven Mile at I-275, Livonia. Non-member fee: $50. Information: CeCe Sharp, 962-0800.

● COMPUTER NETWORKING
Friday, Feb. 12 — "Introduction to Local Area Networking for Personal Computers" offered 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 18600 Haggerty in Livonia. Information: 591-6400, Ext. 410. Sponsor: Schoolcraft College.

● SMALL BUSINESS
Monday and Wednesday, Feb. 15 — "Financial Planning and Cash Flow" offered 7-10 p.m. at 18600 Haggerty in Livonia. Information: 591-6400, Ext. 410. Sponsor: Schoolcraft College.

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Nice tidbits fill book of automotive history



auto talk
Dan McCosh

When you pick up a book with the title "Love and Revolution: 101 Years of the Automobile," you might start wondering "101?" But Dick Wright already is explaining he started out to write a book called "100 Years of the Automobile," but by the time he finished it, and with all the proofreading, well, you know

Dick Wright once wanted to become a famous automobile collector like Tom Monaghan or Richard Kughn but was a little short of cash. So while Monaghan was bidding up the Bugatti, Wright was sweet-talking Indiana grandmothers out of such collectibles as a 1953 Chevy convertible, a 1962 Corvair, and a Hudson convertible.

He also worked for Automotive News for umpteen years where he did an annual version of "The Night Before Christmas" with twisted verse celebrating the year's automotive events.

KNOWING ALL this, when he says he wrote a book, you've got to read the book. Particularly when he drops a copy in your mailbox.

"Love and Revolution" turns out to be 103 pages long, which is about an evening's worth of breezy automotive history — the kind of history where Henry Ford is seen chasing the first car in Detroit on a bicycle. Where Byron T. Carter's death at the hands of a backfiring engine inspired the self-starter. Where William Durant lost $100 million in a day.

It's interesting stuff with the best parts culled from the early days when brash capitalists didn't pull punches.

IN THESE NUGGETS one finds solace in noting that nothing much is new after all. Henry Ford had farmers taking out equity loans to buy cars, just as your tax accountant is advising today. Reliability, fuel economy, power and prestige motivated car buyers since the start.

One sees the beginnings of the current environmental movement in the controversy over the use of leaded gasoline. The Tucker enterprise is an eerie prelude to DeLorean's.

It's even easy to see the spirit of today's women's movement in an ad for the 1923 Playboy.

The book's theme is the U.S. industry more or less dominant until the 1970s when someone invented the Japanese and things got tough. It's a common enough view of the history of the auto business viewed from Detroit, but it's also the book's worst flaw.

CLEARLY THE European and Japanese car companies didn't go to sleep from the day they invented the car to when the first World War II serviceman returned home with a Beetle.

The view ignores the effect of Europe's and Japan's auto industry on everything from the buildup of military might to sports car racing.

A closer look at the history of the auto business finds it intertwined from the start with the worldwide growth of heavy industry, plus two world wars and major strides in aircraft and technology.

You can find much of what made the 20th century tick by looking closely at its yen for mobility, and the passion never was restricted to the United States.

BUT THEN again, this isn't exactly "War and Peace." It's an evening's worth of good reading, likely followed by a couple of evenings of stories that start out, "Did you know ..." It's mainly a balanced, objective and entertaining read — with one exception.

You might notice, near the end, Wright slips in a caustic diatribe about the definition of "classic" by the Classic Car Club of America, how it's much too narrow and excludes several popular collectibles.

C'mon, Dick. You'll never get them to accept a 1953 Chevy.

Dan McCosh is the automotive editorial consultant for Popular Science.

Covered call options have pluses, minuses

Part II



finances and you
Sid Mittra

Last week we discussed the key features of a covered call option (CCO). This week we will discuss the advantages and drawbacks of this strategy.

Advantages

First, the option premium you collect improves your position, no matter what happens to the stock. For instance, suppose IBM is selling for $110 and you sell a CCO for $1100 or $11 per share. If the market price leaps to $125, the call buyer certainly wants to exercise his option to buy your shares at $110. Although the premium you already collected wouldn't cover the entire profit, it would certainly cover the majority of it. In this case, you would effectively sell the stock at $121 ($110 plus $11 call price) instead of at $125, not a bad bargain.

Second, CCO provides downside protection. If the IBM stock declines to, say, $100, the option will not be exercised. The $11 premium would give you downside protection, a potential loss of $10 per share would be wiped out by the gain you realized from the option premium.

Third, CCO can be used to generate a steady cash flow. So even if your stock is called away, you may want to own that stock again. That way, you can write additional covered calls and once again let your stock earn a premium. In fact, it is a good idea to develop a systematic call writing program to beef up the annual yield of your portfolio.

Fourth, you continue to collect the dividends during the entire life of the option you sold. This is necessarily so because you still own the stock and are entitled to the dividends.

Risks

First, CCO is an unbalanced contract. The buyer calls all the shots and you must abide by his decision. Covered call writing is therefore reactive. This arrangement may not be universally acceptable.

Second, the writer of a CCO bears the risk of a decline in the value of the stock. For instance, if IBM drops from $110 to, say, $80, and the option you sold on it is still valid, you may be forced to hold the declining stock and suffer a loss. This downside risk may however be limited by adopting the following strategy.

Say after you sold a nine-month IBM option at $110 the stock began to slide and has just hit $100. If you see further weakness in the stock, you could sell it at $100 and simultaneously put in a buy order at, say, $103. This means that if the price hits $103, you will have again bought 100 shares of IBM and would have no problem delivering the stock if it is called away. Alternatively, you could buy a call option yourself and limit your own risk of option writing.

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Minimize your past due accounts



focus: small business

Mary DiPaolo

For any small business that offers products or services on a credit basis, the problem of how to successfully manage past due accounts becomes a concern. Although every owner or manager is interested in converting accounts receivable to cash in a cost-effective and timely manner, it doesn't always happen that way.

This is especially true for companies that must regularly offer credit given the nature of their business or industry. Construction contractors, industry wholesalers and consultants represent just a few of the many organizational types that extend credit as regular industry practice.

THIS WEEK'S column focuses on some ways to help the independent business owner minimize his or her outstanding account status through proper planning, implementation and control procedures.

Before establishing a credit relationship with any new customer, business owners should initially require that each prospective account complete a credit application. The application should be structured to obtain a complete listing of all banks and lending institutions that the prospect does business with and include at least three customer or business references.

It then becomes the owner's responsibility to check all references or obtain additional information through a reputable credit reference bureau, such as Dun & Bradstreet or TRW. Taking the time to screen potential accounts in this way may help avoid the potential problems later on of outstanding account status.

NEXT, THE business owner should have in place an effective receivables management system to regularly track and monitor all account receivables. Unfortunately, many companies do not develop such a system until they have to and, as a result, jeopardize their ability to make good business decisions relating to projected cash flows, turnover ratios, financing capabilities and bad debt reserves.

The primary purpose of a good receivables management system is to avoid business judgment errors based on incomplete or erroneous information while improving the quality and turnover rates of any outstanding accounts.

SUCH A system allows a company to maximize its ability to identify collection trends and potential problem areas. It is recommended that business owners contact a qualified accountant or receivables management consultant to obtain the appropriate assistance when developing this type of internal operating system.

Any past due accounts should be handled immediately. The longer an account is left past due, the real value of the account will continue to decrease. And the longer it takes to collect on an account, the less likely that it will ever be resolved.

Mary DiPaolo is the owner of MarkeTrends, a Farmington Hills-based business consulting firm. She is also producer and host of the cable television series, "Focus: The Small Business Environment."

marketplace

● NEW AUTO DEALER
Good News Auto Network has opened at 35540 W. Michigan Suite 110 in Wayne. The telephone number is 721-7760.

● RALLY'S RESTAURANT
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● A&P FUTURESTORE
An A&P Futurestore opened at the intersection of Joy and Morton Taylor streets in Canton Township.

Send information for marketplace to business editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Deadline is Monday for publication in the coming Thursday issue. If your item is about something to happen several weeks in the future, it may be run more than once, space permitting.

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As space permits, the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers will print without charge announcements of class reunions. Send the information to Reunions, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. The date of the reunion must be included in the announcement along with the first and last name of at least one contact person and a telephone number.

● **ALGER**
The classes of 1900-1945 of Alger Elementary School, Detroit, will hold a reunion Saturday, April 23. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or write P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **ANN ARBOR**
The class of 1948 will hold a 40-year reunion Saturday, June 25. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or at P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **AVONDALE**
The class of 1976 will have a 12-year reunion Friday, April 29, at Petruzzello's in Troy. Organizers are looking for graduates. For information, call 465-2277 or 263-6803 or write Reunion Planners, P.O. Box 291, Mount Clemens 48043.

● **BERKLEY**
The class of June 1962 will have a reunion Friday, Feb. 12, at the Kingsley Inn. For more information, call 881-2898 or write Class Reunions, P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **BIRMINGHAM SEAHOLM**
The class of 1968 will hold a 20-year reunion Saturday, July 23. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or at P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **CLAWSON**
The classes of 1956-58 will hold a combined reunion Friday, July 15. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or at P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **BLOOMFIELD HILLS ANDOVER**
● The class of 1963 will have a 25-year reunion Friday-Sunday, Oct. 14-16, at the Kingsley Inn in Bloomfield Hills. For more information, call Rita Clevers-Ritter at 644-6400.
● The class of 1968 will hold its 20-year reunion Saturday, Nov. 5, at the Kingsley Inn in Bloomfield Hills. For information, call Shelley Shannon Mallon at 471-7899 or write to Gary Laskowski, 930 E. Lewiston, Ferndale 48220. Attention: BHHS reunion.

● **CABRINI**
The class of 1978 will hold a 10-year reunion Saturday, Nov. 26. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or at P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **CASS TECH**
● The class of 1958 will hold a 30-year reunion Saturday, Oct. 8, at the Roostertail in Detroit. Tickets, at $40 per person, can be bought from Kathy Quail at 939-4935 or Geraldine Adams at 861-6402.
● The class of 1968 will hold a 20-year reunion Saturday, Nov. 26, at the Westin Hotel, Detroit. For information, call Martina at 822-5605 (evenings), Pam at 885-2574 (evenings), and Jim at 543-7503 (days).

● **CENTRAL**
The class of 1943 will celebrate a 45-year reunion Saturday, Oct. 15. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or at P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **CHIPPEWA VALLEY**
The class of 1978 will have its 10-year reunion Saturday, May 14, at Emil's Quality House in Mount Clemens. The committee is searching for graduates. For information, call 465-2277 or 263-6803. Or write Reunion Planners, P.O. Box 291, Mount Clemens 48043.

● **CLARENCEVILLE**
● The class of 1977 is planning a 10-year reunion for Saturday, Feb. 13. Send name, address and telephone number to 19602 Antago, Livonia 48152. Or call 532-6999 or 478-4469.
● The class of 1978 is planning a 10-year reunion Friday-Aug. 19, at Holiday Inn Grand River and 10 Mile, Novi. Requested is a $10 deposit per couple. If you have information about fellow class members, call Kimberly Gault Youngquist at 592-1693.

● **CLAWSON**
The classes of 1956-58 will hold a combined reunion Friday, July 15. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or at P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **COMMERCE**
The January and June classes of 1938 will hold a 50-year reunion brunch at noon Sunday, May 22, at the Kingsley Inn in Bloomfield Hills. Classmates can call Virginia Pinto Watkins at 245-1883 to update the mailing list.

● **COOLEY**
● The class of 1948 is planning a 40-year reunion. For more information, call Richard Ward at 746-0700 or John May at 258-7373.
● The class of 1938 is planning a 50-year reunion Friday, May 20. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or at P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **CRESTWOOD**
The class of 1968 is planning a 20-year reunion for Friday, Sept. 30. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or write P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **DETROIT EASTERN**
● The class of 1941 is looking for classmates for a reunion. Write to P.O. Box 1362, Berkley, Mich. 48072.
● The class of 1958 is planning a 30-year reunion Friday, June 24. For information call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or write P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **FARMINGTON HARRISON**
Plans are now in progress for a 10-year reunion of the class of 1978. Classmates should send their name address, telephone number and preference for a summer or Thanksgiving date to Harrison High School Reunion, 1364 Field View Trail, Howell 48843.

● **FERNDALE LINCOLN**
The class of 1937 is planning a 50-year reunion for spring. For more information, call Pat (Price) Newton at 681-0963, Dorothy (Bone) Ager at 545-1233, Ruth (Kotowski) Kuxhaus at 542-4168 or Winnie (Hunt) Findlay at 643-7444.

● **GARDEN CITY EAST**
Class of 1968 is planning a 20-year reunion in the fall. Interested persons may call Leah Betts at 525-0793.

● **HIGHLAND PARK**
The class of 1958 will hold a 30-year reunion Saturday, Aug. 20. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or write P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **IMMACULATA**
The class of 1948 is planning a 40-year reunion Saturday, April 23. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or write P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **JOHN GLENN**
The class of 1978 will have a 10-year reunion Saturday, July 16. For more information, call 287-6820 or write Class of 1978, 23353 Clinton, Taylor 48180.

● **LINCOLN PARK**
The class of 1978 will hold a 10-year reunion. For information, call Bob Loveland, 425-6081, Mary Lamas, 287-6459, or Tim Peters, 244-2191.

● **LIVONIA BENTLEY**
The class of 1968 is planning a 20-year reunion Saturday, Sept. 24, at the Novi Hilton. For information, call Marilyn Creighton, 464-0579, or Gary Cutsy, 421-1412.

● **LIVONIA FRANKLIN**
The class of 1968 is planning a 20-year reunion for Saturday, Aug. 20. For more information, call Charlene (Cornett) Teeter at 261-3249.

● **LIVONIA STEVENSON**
The class of 1968 will have a 20-year reunion Friday-Sunday, Aug. 5-7. For more information, call Doug Steinhoff at 352-4295, Kathy Smith Gaynor at 547-3837 or Jim Bray at 981-2371.

● **MACKENZIE**
● The class of 1938 (January and June) is planning a 50-year reunion Saturday, June 25, at the Danish Club of Detroit. For more information, call Marion Teclu Brodie at 373-8414, Vera Koepke Rowden at 532-6375, Shirley Craig Young at 255-9824 or Margaret Humm Kasenow at 532-7395.
● The class of 1953 (January and June) is planning a 35-year reunion Saturday, April 23, at the Finnish Cultural Center in Farmington Hills. For information, call Pat at 291-1633, Carol at 534-3638 or Mickie at 591-3371.
● The class of 1968 will have a 20-year reunion Friday-Sunday, July 22-24, at the Westin Hotel in downtown Detroit. For more information, write P.O. Box 38312, Detroit, Mich. 48238 or call Leiha Tyler Johnson at 834-9450 or Elaine Bracken Davenport at 592-4350.

● **MUMFORD**
The class of 1978 is planning at 20-year reunion Saturday, July 30. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or write P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.
● The class of 1958 needs help in locating graduates for its 30-year reunion Saturday, Nov. 26. Call Hallie Roth Sterling at 356-[illegible] or Elaine Redlich Einstandig at 851-8559.
● The grad-izing classes of 1960, 1961, 1962 and 1963 will hold a combined 25th reunion celebration Friday, June 24, at the Warren Chateau Hall, 6015 E. 10 Mile, Warren. For more information or to make reservations, call 837-5880.

● **MURRAY WRIGHT**
The class of 1978 is seeking class members for a fall reunion. For more information, call 494-2553.

● **NORTH FARMINGTON**
The class of 1968 is planning a 20-year reunion. For more information call Lynda (Smith) Berg at 642-4229 or Colleen (Kowalski) Meloche at 652-2685 or at 393 Coldiron, Rochester Hills 48063.

● **NORTHVILLE**
The class of 1938 is planning a 50-year reunion for Saturday, June 25, at Genetti's. For more information, call Gwen Marburger at 349-0524 or Leona Leavenworth at 455-2523.
● The class of 1948 is planning a 40-year reunion for August. For more information, call Pat Herriman at 459-2729 or Grace Light at 349-1367.
● The class of 1968 will have a 20-year reunion Friday, Aug. 5. For more information, call Penny (Anchors) Irwin at 525-8644 or Ron Barnum at 349-8027.
● The class of 1978 is holding a 10-year reunion Saturday, June 25, at the Sheraton Novi. Send your address to Northville High School, 775 N. Center, Northville 48167.

● **OSBORN**
Information is needed about members of the class of 1978 for a 10-year reunion. Call 978-1132.

● **PLYMOUTH**
The class of 1938 will have a 50-year reunion Saturday, June 25. For more information, call Helen E. Shepard at 464-0384.

● **PLYMOUTH SALEM**
The class of 1973 is holding a 15-year reunion Saturday, June 18, at Weber's Inn in Ann Arbor. The price will be $25 per person or $45 per couple. For more information, call Sue (Bellmore) Mikail at 464-3126 or Sue (Hohnbaum) Nisch at 453-3441.

● **PONTIAC CATHOLIC**
Pontiac Catholic High School is seeking alumni from its founding parishes, St. Michael and St. Frederick Catholic churches. The school also is seeking alumni of its sister school of the '60s and '70s, Dominican Academy of Oxford. Forward information to Pontiac Catholic High School, Alumni Office, 1300 Giddings, Pontiac, Mich. 48055.

● **REDFORD**
● The class of 1964 will have a 25-year reunion Saturday, July 16. Anyone interested in attending, helping with the planning or knowing the whereabouts of other classmates, may call Ann Smedley at 689-8815.
● The class of 1968 plans a 20-year reunion Saturday, Oct. 1. Direct inquiries to Tan Line Suntan Center at 459-2207.
● The class of 1958 will hold a 30-year reunion Friday, Aug. 12. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or at P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **REDFORD UNION**
The class of 1958 will hold a 30-year reunion Saturday, April 23. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or write P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **ROBICHAUD**
The class of 1968 will hold a 20-year reunion Friday, July 15. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or write P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **ROCHESTER HIGH**
The Rochester High School Centennial Class of 1983 is searching for class members for its five-year reunion. Plans for the reunion, to be held Saturday, June 11, involve a weekend of activities including a banquet. For more information, call 651-5590.
● The class of 1968 is planning a 20-year reunion Saturday, July 16. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or write P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

● **ROYAL OAK**
The class of 1938 will have a 50-year reunion Friday, May 13. For more information, call 647-6400 or 398-4333.

● **ST. AGATHA**
The class of 1977 needs help in locating class members. Call Ann Donabedian at 455-4053 after 5:30 p.m.

● **ST. ANTHONY**
The class of 1938 is planning a 50th reunion in June and needs help locating class members. Call Margaret Scheier Monks at 777-3125 or Alice Schuck Werner at 886-7339.

● **ST. HENRY**
The class of 1968 of St. Henry Grade School is planning a reunion for Saturday, July 23, at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Lincoln Park. For more information, call Sandy Ungar Carns at 386-9510, Marguerite Szpaichler Randt at 277-2002 or Bev Lewis Chinavare at 381-4513.

● **ST. LADISLAUS**
The class of 1968 is planning a 20-year reunion. For more information, call Sue at 644-0486.

● **SOUTHEASTERN**
● The class of 1958 is attempting to call classmates for its 30-year reunion Saturday, Oct. 1. The reunion will be held at the Hoffman House in Warren. For more information, call Joe Gualtieri at 774-4600 or 885-1448.
● The class of 1938 is planning a 50-year reunion Friday, July 29. For information, call Class Reunions at 773-8820 or write P.O. Box 1171, Mount Clemens 48046.

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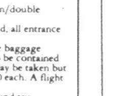

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LOST: Female Family Dog. Lab/Collie mix. Vicinity Silver Conchs/Grand River area, reward 644-1193

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LOST-Male German short haired pointer Jan 23rd in area of Inkster & 8 Mile area, reward. 358-1093

LOST: Schnauzer, old male, gray, shaggy, almost dead, blind, joggers - has a yellow collar Southfield Area. 356-2174

LOST: Small roller black male dog. Lahser Rd. 10 Childs pet Middlebelt/West Chicago 427-5036

LOST: Sunday, Jan. 24, grey, tan & white Female Collie, vicinity of Dan Dee Lane & Allen Reward. Marsha 525-4000

LOST: Tiger color male cat, has red collar. Vicinity W. Chicago, Harrison area. 522-1029 591-1515

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COUCH & Loveseat, brown tweed $125. Hide-a-bed, excellent condition, $175. Call after 3pm. 335-7715

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DINING SET, traditional, mahogany, table, 6 chairs, china cabinet & buffet, quality $1500 852-5018

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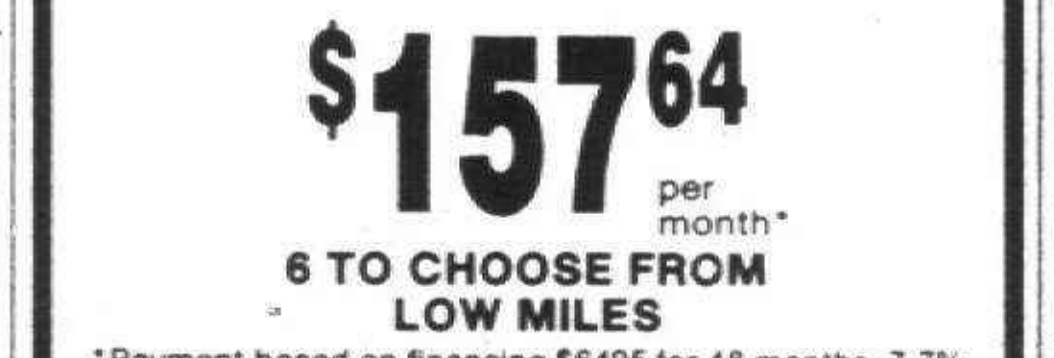

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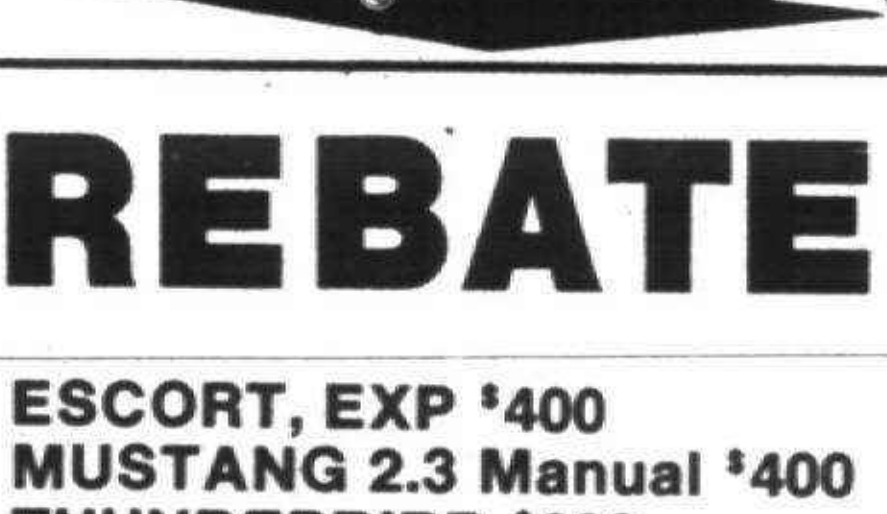

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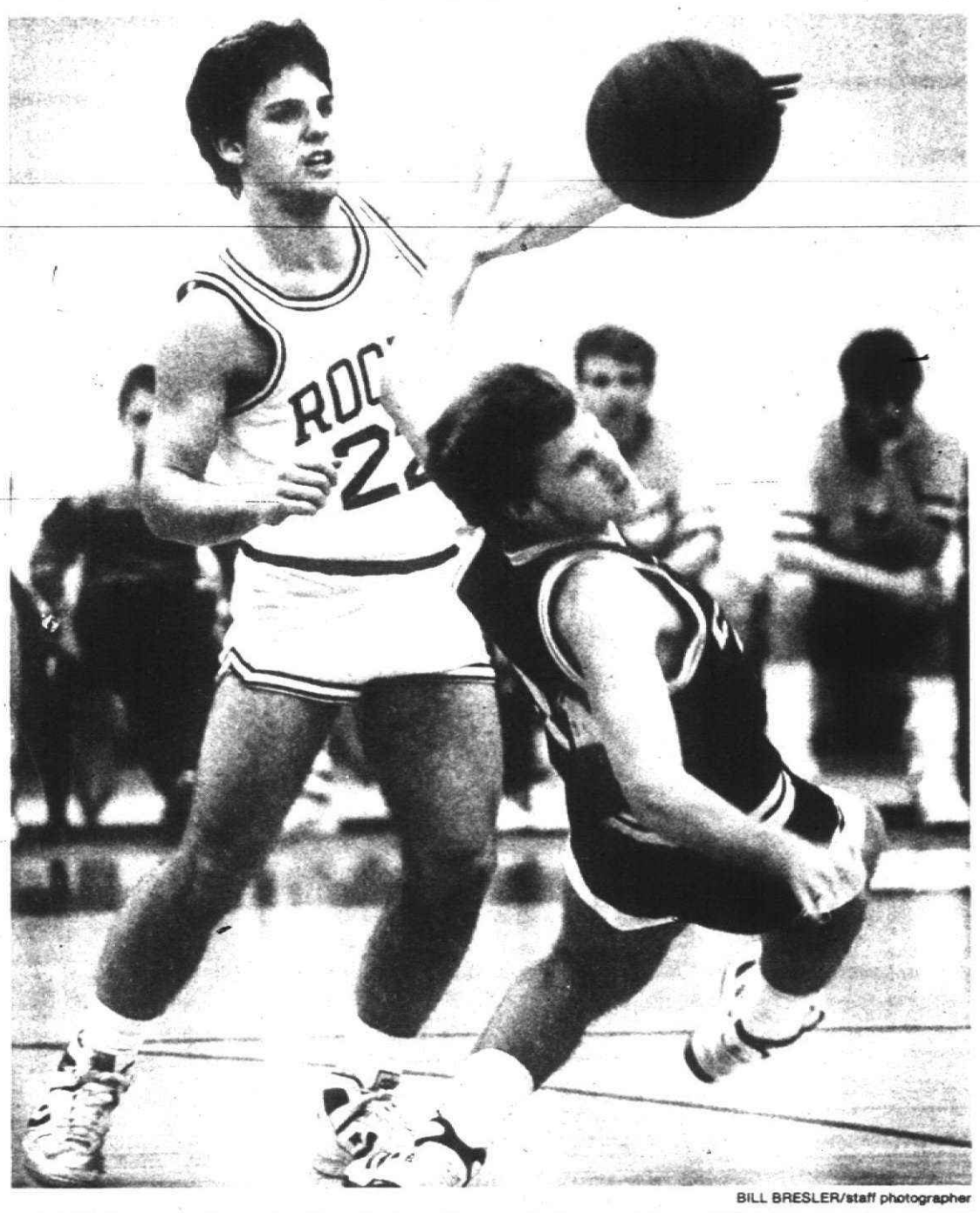

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Todd Marion was charged with a foul on this play after the 6-foot-1, 200-pound Salem player collided with Walled Lake Central's Rob Wolski as both raced toward the ball, sending the 6-foot-5 opponent crashing to the floor. Marion had 10 points to lead Salem's scoring.

Salem threatens, but upset proves elusive

By Dan O'Meara
staff writer

basketball

For three quarters of Tuesday's basketball game, it looked as if Plymouth Salem might do what no team has done this season: beat Walled Lake Central.

The Rocks recovered from a slow start to control the game until late in the third period, only to see the Vikings pull ahead in the finale and take home a 74-64 victory at Salem.

The win was Central's 12th straight without a loss and gives the Lakes Division leader a 6-0 mark. Salem is 3-3 in the division and 5-7 overall.

"In a sense, it was a down-to-the-wire game," Salem coach Bob Brodie said.

"Had they not knocked down some of those free throws and had we converted a few baskets, it could have gone either way. That's where Lady Luck comes into play."

THE LATTER was more evident in the last quarter when Salem's shooting percentage went down and Central went to the charity stripe a few too many times.

Besides being up against a good team, Brodie attributed the defeat to Salem's inability to run its motion offense, combined with turnovers in the third quarter and missed shots in the last.

"We thrive off that," he said of the Rocks' offensive pattern, "and we got stagnant in the third quarter and threw the ball away.

"And we had a lot of good scoring opportunities that didn't fall in the fourth quarter."

After Todd Marion, who led Salem with 10 points, sank two free throws following a technical foul on Central's Layne Herrington to tie the score at 49, the Vikings went in front to stay.

ROB WOLSKI hit a jumper and Herrington went the length of the court for a layup that put the Vikings on top by four heading into the final period.

Central opened the last quarter with a bang, too. Guard Scott Fernandez converted two Salem turnovers, and the Vikings had a 57-49 lead with only 40 seconds gone in the quarter.

The Rocks, however, bounced back just as quickly. Bill Anderson made a layup after a steal, and Keith Smith took a Viking turnover at mid-court in for another basket, cutting the gap to four again and causing Central to use a timeout.

But the Vikings scored the next seven points — five at the free-throw line — to take a 64-53 lead with 3½ minutes remaining.

Central was 25-of-33 at the line for the game, while the Rocks sank 13 of 21 chances. In the second quarter when Salem had the momentum, the Vikings scored seven of their last 11 points on free throws to stay within

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Chiefs get back on track

A few changes helped put Plymouth Canton's boys basketball team back in the winner's circle Tuesday.

The Chiefs were never really threatened at Walled Lake Western. By the first few minutes of the final quarter, they had constructed a 20-point cushion en route to a 63-53 Western Lakes Activities Association Western Division triumph.

"We changed up," said coach Tom Niemi, whose team improved to 10-2 overall and 5-1 in the division. "We started a different lineup and moved the ball better. We did some things better than the other night."

The "other night" was a forgettable one for Canton — a 57-55 homecourt loss to Livonia Churchill. Against Western, the Chiefs got balanced scoring in building a 14-10 lead after one quarter and a 34-26 halftime bulge. A 13-5 third-quarter advantage left Canton in command, 47-31.

Mitch Fyke did the bulk of the damage for the Chiefs, pouring in 20 points and grabbing six rebounds. Brian Paupore had 11 points and Matt Littleton and Roger Trice chipped in nine apiece.

Western (2-4 in the division, 3-8 overall) got 19 points from Wayne Parrs and 13 from Kevin White.

WESLEYAN 73, PLY. CHRIST. 68: Gary Swodling pumped in 27 points to spark North Branch Wesleyan past Plymouth Christian Tuesday at Pioneer Middle School.

The Eagles (3-8 overall) had an 18-14 lead after one quarter but Wesleyan surged ahead with a 23-13 second quarter. Plymouth Christian trimmed the deficit to five (54-49) after three periods but couldn't catch Wesleyan (9-5 overall).

Four players reached double figures in scoring for Plymouth Christian: Jeff Leach (19), Bryan Davies (15), Scott Burns (13) and Kevin Breier (10).

Rocks rout Falcons

Plymouth Salem met with little resistance Monday as Farmington failed to stop the Rocks' hitting attack.

Salem needed only 19 serves to accomplish a 15-2 victory in the first game, and the Rocks made it a clean sweep by winning the second, 15-8.

"When the ball came back over," Salem coach Betty Smith said, "we got it back (to the Farmington side) and usually put it down for a kill."

Meg Foley served three aces in the opener, and Roseann Sumpter, Asaka Motoyama and Laura Porterfield pounded three kills apiece at the Falcons.

The Rocks, 3-3 in the Western Lakes and 7-4 overall, got out to a 5-1 lead in the second game, and Smith decided to use the opportunity to substitute and divide the playing time.

Maria Wordhouse came off the bench to serve the last six points of the second game. Marci Thomas played well in the front row as a hitter, and Sue Stout and Joanna Wiklund excelled on defense, Smith said.

"Every game we pick out one thing to try and work on," she said. "Today it was trying to limit our coverage errors (when the opponent is spiking).

"Unfortunately, the opportunity wasn't there too much, but we're starting to dig a lot more balls than we were at the beginning of the season.

"We're coming along real well," Smith added. "We're still trying to peak at the right time."

FRANKLIN 15-15, CANTON 9-6: The Chiefs got off to a fast start Monday, but cooled off and never regained their early edge.

Canton shot out to an 8-1 lead in the first game, but the Chiefs bogged down at that point and Franklin started to come around.

"All of a sudden they started digging our hard hits, and we got frustrated," Canton coach Allie Suffety said.

Shannon Meath, the Chiefs' best attacker, drilled the ball at the Patriots several times, but they were able to dig the ball up and recover. Franklin came back to take a 9-8 lead and went on to win the game.

Meath had three of Canton's five kills, the lowest total of the season for the Chiefs. Alissa Huth and Meath had three service points each.

Canton, 3-2 in the Western Division and 3-3 overall, had no kills in the second game as the Patriots took a 4-1 lead and, after the Chiefs got within 4-3, pulled away to a 12-4 advantage.

"At this point, we have to realize our potential and start playing to it," Suffety said. "We have some good athletes, and the last few games we've been getting by on athletic ability. We have to get by being good volleyball players.



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Asaka Motoyama was one of three players with three kills for Salem as the Rocks rolled over Farmington in Lakes Division volleyball action Monday.

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Canton readies for league meet

Five of the nine wrestlers Plymouth Canton entered in the Lincoln Park Invitational placed among the top five in their weight classes Saturday.

Canton's Tom Flores was the runner-up at 98 pounds, suffering only his second loss of the season against 29 victories in the final.

Matt Keeler was third at 105, heavyweight Jerry French was fourth and Jim Crews (198) and Craig Rinke (132) finished fifth.

In the consolation final, Keeler defeated Darren Eghotz of Milford, who had beaten the Canton wrestler in the consolation final of the North Farmington tournament several weeks ago, 8-2.

"We figured we'd go over and get some good wrestling in — and we got it," Canton coach Rick Menoch said. "It was good competition, and we needed that going into the league and state meets."

The Western Lakes Activities Association will gather all of its teams Saturday at Westland John Glenn for the annual league meet.

Plymouth Salem, the only team to win the league championship in the WLAA's five-year existence, will attempt to defend its title once again.

wrestling



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Matt Keeler (top) had one of Canton's best performances in the Lincoln Park tournament, finishing third in the 105-pound division.

Falcons edge JG

Farmington scored an important Lakes Division wrestling victory Tuesday night — possibly the biggest in school history.

The Falcons, proving themselves to be among the powers in the Western Lakes Activities Association this year, knocked off Westland John Glenn 29-27 on the loser's mats.

The match was originally scheduled for last Thursday at Farmington, but it had to be postponed and moved to Glenn after a fire at Farmington High School.

The victory puts the Falcons, who beat Glenn for the first time, in a three-way tie for first place in the division with Plymouth Salem and Livonia Stevenson, all with 3-1 records. The Rockets fall to 2-2.

"It sure helps the program out," Farmington coach Al Beyar said. "Glenn and Salem have dominated the league for so long, it's nice to have someone else in there.

"I DON'T THINK anybody is a shoo-in for the league championship," he added. All WLAA teams will be together Saturday for the league meet at Glenn.

The Rockets won four of the first six bouts Tuesday, but they still had only a 13-12 lead over Farmington. All of Glenn's victories were decisions, while the Falcons overcame those losses with pins by Chris Gardiner and Steve Lee at 112 and 126 pounds, respectively. Gardiner pinned Glenn's Jim Pace in 5:22, and Lee pinned Dave Schaefer in 2:57.

Farmington led 20-15 after the 155-pound contest. T.J. Armstrong decisioned Jeff Allen 2-0 at 138, Todd Jacobs defeated Mike McKinney 7-1 at 145 and Mike Kelly battled Kraig Kuban to a 12-12 draw at 155.

Glenn moved in front 21-20 on Chuck Lauber's victory by default at 167, but Bill Lindbert's 6-5 decision over Dereck Tharp at 185 restored the lead to Farmington, 23-21. Tharp had beaten Lindbert earlier in the season.

Charles Wyatt's pin in 3:10 of the 198-pound bout locked up the victory for Falcons.

"You could go down the line and say almost all of them were big (wins)," Beyar said.

Farmington is 6-1- overall, the Rockets are 10-6.

Salem, Canton claim victories

Three of four events were won by Farmington gymnasts, but the dual meet went to Plymouth Salem Tuesday by a 122.7-116.0 score.

The Falcons' Jackie Daly won twice for the Falcons, finishing first in the vault (8.9) and the balance beam (8.4). Daly was also second in the floor exercise (8.4). Debbie Ford was Farmington's other winner, capturing the uneven parallel bars (8.3).

Salem's Amy Pastori had an excellent all-around meet. She won the floor exercise (8.7) and was second in vault (8.4) and bars (7.7). Her 32.6 all-around score was best in the meet; Daly scored 32.4.

Salem's Dana Holda had the third highest all-around score in the meet at 29.1, finishing tied for third in vault with teammate Jenny Krieger (8.0) and fourth in bars (7.2).

Other Salem top-four finishers were Debbie Popp, third in floor exercise (8.2) and fourth in vault (7.9); Debbie Drabek, third in bars (7.4); Sharon Way, third in beam (8.0); and Krieger, fourth in floor exercise (8.0).

The only other Farmington gymnast to crack the top three was Julie Lawton, who placed second in beam (8.1).

PLYMOUTH CANTON overwhelmed Farmington Harrison behind two victories by Mary Jo Charron, 132.15-99.4, Tuesday. The Chiefs' point total set a new team record and pushed their dual-meet mark to 5-1 overall, 4-1 in the Western Division.

gymnastics

Charron's wins came in beam — a school-record 8.95, breaking her own mark of 8.8 set last year — and floor exercise (8.8). Charron's all-around score of 33.35 was best in the meet.

Canton won all four events, with Darcy Gignac finishing first in vault (8.75) and Maureen McLean tops in bars (8.4). Gignac was also second in bars (7.8) and floor exercise (8.4), while McLean was second in vault (8.5) and third in beam (8.25).

The Chiefs swept the top three spots in every event but the vault, where Harrison's Jenny Rick placed third (8.4). Other top-three scorers for Canton were Heather Murphy, second in beam (8.85); Shannon Connell, third in bars (7.45); and Sharon Moran, third in floor exercise (8.2).

On Saturday, Canton and Farmington will be among the 13 teams competing at the Salem Invitational. Others include North Farmington, Westland John Glenn, Northville, Troy Athens, Freeland, Rockford, Vassar, Wayne Memorial, Royal Oak Kimball, Grosse Pointe North and the host Rocks.

Rocks bite 'Dogs

Plymouth Salem swim coach Chuck Olson wasn't sure what to expect when the Rocks traveled to Brighton for a Tuesday night meet.

"Everybody had been telling me they were down, but I took enough horses with me to make sure," Olson said.

As it turned out, Salem didn't need quite so much firepower, as they scored a 117-59 victory over the Bulldogs.

"We didn't swim nearly as strong a lineup as we have," Olson said. "I was surprised they were down as much as they are. They're usually a competitive team, but we all go through those times."

The Rocks, who are on the top side of the talent cycle and one of the best teams in the state, were led by Geoff Taylor, Ron Orris and Jeff Musson with two victories apiece.

swimming

OLSON ARRANGED his lineup so the Rocks, 8-2 overall, could get a comfortable lead early in the meet and give others on the 40-man roster a chance to compete in later events.

Taylor was on Salem's winning medley relay team and also won the breaststroke with a 1:07.6 time.

Orris was part of the medley relay, too, and placed first in the 50 freestyle (22.7). Dave Miller and Mike Hill were the other relay members, helping the Rocks record a 1:45.3 time.

Musson was a double winner in individual events, taking first place in the 200 and 100 freestyles with 1:56.3 and 52.8 times.

Olson said that Jon Hobgood, the butterfly winner in 1:00.1, fared well competing in that event for the first time.

Salem's Brian Barbee, Tim Akers, Fred Seidelman and Tom Johnson teamed up for a 3:37.5 time in a successful freestyle relay effort.

Novi downs Chiefs

Plymouth Canton recorded seven second-place finishes Tuesday, but not enough firsts to carry the Chiefs against visiting Novi, which prevailed 94-78 in boys swimming.

Canton fell to 5-3 overall and today will be host to Farmington Hills Harrison in a Western Division encounter.

Canton's only first-place finishes came in the diving and 100-yard breaststroke competitions. Brad Flowers' score of 249.5 won the diving, and Jeff Homan's time of 1:06.3 won the breast.

Homan also placed second in the individual medley, clocking 2:12.83. Tom Hone finished second in both the 50 free and 100 free in times of 24.29 and 52.88, respectively.

Mike Helmstadter's time of 1:57.55 earned him second in the 200 free, and Scott Swartzwelter finished second in the backstroke at 1:02.43.

Both relay teams for Canton — the 200 medley and 400 free — also finished second.

Members of the medley team that clocked 1:49.79 were Swartzwelter, Homan, Mark Levesque and Mitch Timberlake. The 400 team included Hone, Mike Lustig, Tim Edwards and Helmstadter.

clarification

Plymouth Salem swimmer Mike Hill was incorrectly identified as Mike Helmstadter of Plymouth Canton in a photo appearing on Page 1C in the Monday, Feb. 1, edition of the Observer. Hill, who is shown looking for his time on the scoreboard at the conclusion of the 100-yard freestyle, won the race with a 51.57 time.

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GIRLS B LEAGUE

	W	L
Knicks	7	0
Pistons	5	2
Celtics	4	2
Rockets	4	3
Lakers	3	4
Nets	2	4
Suns	2	5
Kings	0	7

Championship: Lakers 21, Celtics 20. Semifinals: Lakers 32, Suns 22; Celtics 30, Nets 22.

BOYS AAA LEAGUE

	W	L
Nets	4	2
Lakers	4	2
Celtics	3	3
Kings	3	3
Suns	3	3
Rockets	2	4
Pistons	2	4

Results: Nets 69, Rockets 56; Pistons 88, Lakers 73; Suns 56, Kings 52; Kings 81, Nets 71; Suns 74, Rockets 62; Lakers 63, Celtics 51.

BOYS B LEAGUE
AMERICAN DIVISION

	W	L
Raiders	10	0
Celtics	7	3
Knicks	5	5
Kings	5	5
Bulls	5	5
Pistons	4	6
Jazz	3	7
Suns	1	9

NATIONAL DIVISION

	W	L
Rockets	9	1
Nets	6	4
Heat	5	5
Sixers	5	5
Bears	5	5
Bullets	5	5
Lakers	4	6
Bucks	1	9

Results: Raiders 39, Celtics 38; Bulls 43, Knicks 41; Kings 46, Jazz 32; Pistons 47, Suns 25; Rockets 60, Sixers 18; Nets 47, Hawks 36; Spurs 60, Lakers 57; Bullets 51, Bucks 40.

The Pacers and Rockets have locked up regular-season championships in their respective divisions. The post-season tournament starts Saturday, Feb. 6.

BOYS A LEAGUE
NATIONAL DIVISION

	W	L
Jazz	9	1
Pistons	9	1
Spurs	5	5
Lakers	4	6
Bulls	2	8
Kings	1	9

AMERICAN DIVISION

	W	L
Celtics	9	1
Rockets	8	2
Suns	6	4
Bucks	3	7
Nets	2	8
Knicks	2	8

Championship: Celtics 51, Rockets 48. Third round: Celtics 78, Pistons 56; Rockets 88, Jazz 72. Second round: Pistons 92, Lakers 74; Rockets 64, Spurs 54.



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Salem sophomore Jeff Gold protects the ball from Central's Scott Fernandez. Gold scored seven points in his varsity debut Tuesday, but the Rocks couldn't pull off the upset against unbeaten WLC.

Upset eludes Salem

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one at halftime, 39-38.

SALEM WOULD have needed Lady Luck's assistance to pull out a victory in the final minutes, but the Vikings allowed the Rocks just enough opportunities to keep alive the hope of an upset.

Marion canned a three-point field goal and a free throw for a 70-64 score, but Wolski, who scored a game-high 23 points, and Mark O'Hanlon finished the game with free throws.

"It's tough to make that come back that late in the game," Brodie said. "You're never happy when you lose, but I see some improvement in aspects of our game and we're going to continue to teach."

Herrington added 17 points, O'Hanlon 14 and Dave Nelson 10 for Central. Smith scored nine for Salem, and sophomore Jeff Gold had seven in his varsity debut. Scott Hale and Craig Marshall added six apiece.

Gold, whom Brodie brought up from the junior varsity to bolster the team's situation at guard, had five points in the first quarter to spark the Rocks after they found themselves down 16-7.

"I THINK WE had to give another guard the opportunity and get him ready," said Brodie, adding he hasn't been happy with the team's guard play. "We've been too inconsistent."

Gold's perimeter basket started Salem's rally. He followed with a free throw and took a pass underneath for a layup. Pat Rzepecki and Marion also scored and suddenly the Rocks had tied the score, 16-16.

"His quickness helps us out there," said Brodie of Gold. "We need somebody to take over the leadership position on this team, and the best position for a leadership role is the guard position.

"I think he's able to handle that," he added. "If I didn't think he was able to I wouldn't have brought him up. He's a varsity soccer player, so he's used to it."

Salem outscored Central 10-2 during one stretch of the second quarter to lead 32-29. Marshall, who had key baskets during that surge, converted a steal to give the Rocks a 39-38 lead at the half.

Raiders bury Ocelot cagers

By C.J. Risak
staff writer

In the closing seconds of the first half of Saturday's men's basketball game pitting the elite of the Eastern Conference — Oakland Community College — against the drudges — Schoolcraft College — OCC scored easily to push its advantage to 11 points.

That's bad, considering SC's bench and OCC's tendency to wear down, then wear out opponents in the second half. But before halftime arrived, matters got worse for the Ocelots. A quick turnover, an inbounds pass to the Raiders' Derrick Williams, and a three-point swish from the corner made it 47-33.

That's when the buzzer sounded. It might have been SC's death knell; the Ocelots never got closer than the halftime margin, getting a lesson in transition basketball from the only-too-eager-to-teach Raiders in absorbing a 96-68 defeat at SC.

"They scored on all of our turnovers," said Ocelot coach Dave Bogataj, whose outmanned team slipped to 7-14 overall and 1-10 in the Eastern Conference. "Hey, they're a good basketball team. And at one time, I had three kids on the floor who never played high school basketball."

THAT KIND of inexperience made it easy for OCC's veterans like guard Carson Butler, who scored 11 points and dished out a single-game school-record 18 assists (former record: 15 by Butch Finnegan, 1970). SC had 10 second-half turnovers, and after the majority of them there was an easy OCC basket.

We showed nice teamwork," said OCC coach Lynn Reed. "So many times, after a team gets a big lead, the team concept breaks down."

Nothing broke down for OCC for long. The Raiders — 16-4 overall and 9-2 in the conference, one loss behind Highland Park CC — started slowly.

They hung in there and made it tough on us," Reed said of SC. "I thought our intensity was lacking early on."

Williams got the Raiders on track. The 6-foot-5 sophomore forward scored 22 first-half points; he finished with 26. Sam Smith added nine in the first half (13 in the game) and Reggie Williams had eight (12 overall). Eric Butler netted 11 points for OCC.

SC was once again paced by Steve Hawley, who scored 28 points. Ladson Tait added 14 and 10 rebounds, and Brad Ridgeway collected 12 points.

OCC hosts St. Clair CC at 7:30 p.m. Saturday. SC travels to play the Grand Rapids Baptist junior varsity at 5:30 p.m. Saturday.

Saints JV steamrolls Schoolcraft

Another game, another loss for Schoolcraft College's mens basketball team. And this one, according to coach Dave Bogataj, was "very embarrassing."

No wonder Bogataj has resorted to posting signs in the foyer of the athletic building, asking for "a few good men" to come out and join the team.

No such help was forthcoming Monday, when Siena Heights junior varsity blasted the Ocelots 114-75 at SC.

"It was the worst game we've played all year," said Bogataj. "I don't know why."

The Saints were shorter than the Ocelots but outrebounded them 38-23, including a 21-8 advantage on the offensive boards. Siena Heights was also deadly from three-point range, making 12-of-24 (eight-of-16 in the first half).

Steve Hawley's 36 points and six assists topped SC. Forward Ladison Tait had 12 points and center Brad Ridgeway scored 10, but the pair combined for just eight rebounds. Andy Stephens contributed eight points and nine boards.

Top scorers for Siena Heights were Dana Franklin with 30, Nick Langenderfer with 25 and Steve Moore with 23. Moore had seven three-pointers.

SC, now 7-15, plays at Grand Rapids Baptist Saturday.

SC women post upset over OCC

By C.J. Risak
staff writer

What a difference a player can make. And on Saturday at Oakland Community College, Schoolcraft College coach Jack Grenan knew exactly how to take advantage of his advantage.

OCC, unbeaten through 19 women's basketball games (8-1 in the Eastern Conference) and ranked among the top NJCAA Division II teams, was hurting. Starting center Regina Woodard (from Bloomfield Hills Lahser) was out with a bruised knee.

Against a tough inside team like SC that spelled trouble. And that's what the Lady Raiders got, as SC pounded out a 58-50 upset victory at OCC.

"We knew going in we had two girls inside against basically just Woodard," said Grenan. "When she didn't play, it helped us that much more."

But OCC did not roll to 19 straight wins on Woodard's inside play alone. It took a strong defense and a patient, nearly error-free offense (just nine turnovers) by SC to secure the victory.

"We switched defenses every other possession," said Grenan. "We played really patient, the most patient we've played all year. The kids finally stuck to a game plan."

OCC LED 32-30 at the half. The game remained tight, with the spread never more than three points, until the final five minutes. From the seven-minute mark on, Grenan decided to go strictly inside to Sharon Miller and Penny Piggott, and it worked.

Miller excelled, turning in one of her finest performances of the season. The 6-foot-1 center netted 16 points, grabbed 21 rebounds and blocked four shots.

SC led 56-50 with less than a minute left, but left the door open for the Lady Raiders by twice missing the first shot in one-and-one free throw situations. OCC couldn't capitalize, however, twice missing field goal attempts.

Finally, with 18 seconds left, Tammy Adkins iced it for SC with two free throws. Adkins had an outstanding game, pouring in a game-high 18 points, including three-of-five three-pointers in the first half. Darlene Bazner added 10 for SC.

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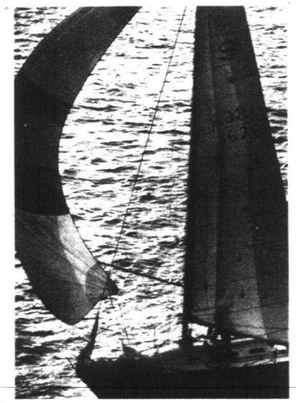

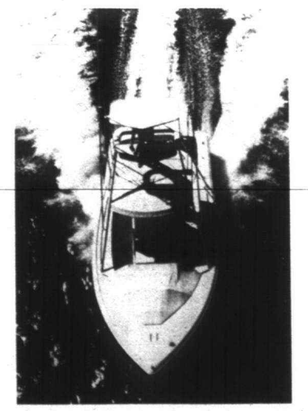

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In answer to your first question, you should absolutely see a doctor before starting an exercise program.

It has been suggested that all people, especially over 35 years of age, should visit their doctor for a routine checkup each year. This is because, from the mid-30s on, physiological problems such as the incidence of hypertension, heart disease and the effects of smoking begin to take their toll.

During your annual doctor's visit, he should check cardiovascular fitness. A routine EKG test is very helpful in determining your fitness level. Assuming you are healthy, knowing your fitness level before starting an exercise program is very helpful. Ask your doctor to explain about your cardio fitness.

Our cardiovascular system's endurance is defined as the capacity of the heart to deliver blood to our working muscles. The term cardiovascular fitness is simply a measure of our cardio capacity.

One of the important elements of total fitness is the measurement of the ability of your heart and blood vessels to carry oxygen to your muscles. A fit person's lungs, blood vessels and muscles work much more efficiently and easily during exercise than do those of an unfit person.

If you plan to attend an exercise program in a reputable studio or club, make sure to talk to the teacher and know exactly what you are getting into (a description of the intensity level of the class). I highly recommend a good beginner-level exercise class. If it is weights you want, be careful not to work with too heavy a weight.

In regards to the second question about working out during your period:

Of course, if you feel all right, by all means work out during your period. In fact, if you are the type to experience cramps, working out will help the cramps go away.

I believe you should keep your life as normal as possible during menstruation. We women should not become victims of our monthly cycle. I hear many women complain of PMS (premenstrual syndrome); exercise has proven to help.

Your last question on how many times to exercise per week is a common one.

My question to you is, "What is feeling good?" Exercising three times a week is passable for a person starting a program. Four times a week is even better for cardiovascular, weight control, burning fat, etc. Some people need to exercise five to six times per week.

We people are exercise-aholics. It is like a fix; we get our healthy high and feel good all the time.

(Myrna Partrich, co-owner of The Workout Company of Bloomfield Township, is happy to answer any questions readers may have regarding exercise. Please send your signed letters to: Sports Department, Myrna Partrich, 1225 Bowers, Birmingham 48012.)

Taxpayers can help wildlife



outdoors

Bill Parker

IT'S THAT time of year. The time people dread most. Not because hunting season is drawing to a close. Not because Old Man Winter is caressing the state with his icy fingers. And not even because the holidays are over and there won't be another holiday for months. It's worse than all of that. It's tax time.

Now don't worry, this isn't a column about taxes. I'm not going to waste this space trying to explain new loop holes or tax breaks. And I promise not to mention earned income, dependents or dividends. In fact, the only thing income tax and this column have in common is the Michigan Department of Natural Resources' Nongame Wildlife Fund (line 35 of your Michigan state income tax return).

Signed into law in 1983 by Governor Blanchard, the Nongame Wildife Fund is made up entirely of volunteer contributions, mostly from citizen contributions from state income tax returns.

The funds support the Nongame Wildife Program which is aimed at preserving populations of desirable non-game wildlife species (wildlife which is not hunted) and their habitat, and increasing people's enjoyment, understanding and appreciation of plant-and wildlife resources.

THE FOUR-YEAR revenue from the fund is close to $2 million. Last year the fund received $670,000 from Michigan income tax refund donations. Nearly 116,000 people made contributions to the fund, the most in its history. These numbers are fantastic. Without them the fund would be non-existent. But let's face it, 116,000 is a small fraction of the total number of state income tax returns. And it's not like you have to give up your entire return. Donations of $1 to $5 are great.

We had a good year (in 1986) from income tax donations," said Dick Lehman, Public Affairs Coordinator with the Nongame Wildife Fund. "Donations were up about one-third from previous years, which is very encouraging. If you multiply $1 of $2 by 110 or 115,000 it really adds up."

THE NONGAME WILDLIFE Fund provided the financial support for better than 30 projects statewide in 1986. Projects ranged from field tests to control predation of piping plover eggs, to bald eagle banding and research. The fund also provided support for such projects as the evaluation of the lake sturgeon population, a wildlife observation tower and nature trail in Manistee County, completion of the Manual of Michigan Ferns, and several tree work shops on the construction of bluebird nest boxes including one workshop held in Rochester Hills. (The bluebird nest box workshops are scheduled again this year. One will be held March 13 at the Rochester Hills Municipal Building. Call 656-0990 for details).

Two of the biggest projects financed by the fund are the development of the Breeding Bird Atlas and the Natural Features Inventory.

The Breeding Bird Atlas is approaching the fourth year of a six-year effort to pinpoint the distribution and abundance of 280 resident birds species in Michigan.

The Natural Features Inventory is a survey of natural plant communities and unique, undisturbed habitats, such as prairies and wetlands, on a county-to-county basis.

FINANCING FROM the Nongame Wildife Fund provided the foundation on which the Peregrine Return Project was built. Peregrine Return is a project designed to establish 10 nesting pair of the endangered peregrine falcon in Michigan by the year 2000. On July 6, 1987, five baby peregrines were placed in a nesting box on the top of the 35-story Gardian Building in Detroit. Five more baby peregrines are scheduled to be released in Detroit this summer and again in 1989. The other sites included in the plan are Grand Rapids and Bergland in the Upper Peninsula.

Volunteers from the Michigan United Conservation Club, the Sierra Club and the Detroit Audubon Society also assisted in the inaugural peregrine release. Lehman was quick to point out that volunteer help is needed in many projects supported by the Nongame Wildife Fund.

"We're not just after donations, explained Lehman. "We need people to get involved. We need their help. We need people to report sightings of loons, eagles and purple martins. People working on the Breeding Bird Atlas need assistance in locating many species of birds across the state. The volunteer help with the peregrine project last summer was very helpful and I'm sure we'll need help again."

Anyone wishing to donate to the Nongame Wildife Fund can do so through their Michigan tax return form (line 35) or by direct donations to Nongame Wildlife Fund, P.O. Box 30180, Lansing 48909. Volunteer information may also be obtained at this address.

sports shorts

● UMPIRES NEEDED

Canton Softball Center Umpire Association is accepting applications for the 1988 slow-pitch and fast-pitch softball seasons.

There will be a mandatory meeting and clinic on Saturday, Feb. 20. New umpires (male and female) and those interested in becoming umpires should call 483-5600 between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

● SOFTBALL MEETING

There will be a meeting for managers of men's and women's softball teams on Saturday, Feb. 27, at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd.

Managers of the men's teams will meet at 10 a.m., women's team managers at 11 a.m.

Topics to be discussed include entry fees, registration dates and times, contract requirements and residency requirements.

For information, call the Canton Parks and Recreation Department at 397-5110.

● BABE RUTH TEAM

Any boys between the ages of 13 and 15 who are interested in playing baseball for Georgetown, a new addition to the Plymouth-Canton-Northville Babe Ruth League, should call George Garis at 981-2093 regarding tryout information.

The next practice will be Saturday, Feb. 20, at the Salvation Army building on Main Street in Plymouth. The team is sponsored by Earl Keim Georgetown Realty.

● BROZEK A BRONCO

Tami Brozek, a freshman from Canton Township and member of the Western Michigan University women's track team, finished eighth in the 400-meter dash with a time of 1:01.15 at the Eastern Michigan Invitational on Saturday, Jan. 23.

Brozek, a graduate of Dearborn Divine Child High School, also was a member of the fifth place 1:600-meter relay team that was clocked at 3:59.3. No team scoring was recorded at the meet.

● BADMINTON

A group of recreational badminton players have resumed competition at Plymouth West Middle School 7:30-10 p.m. every Tuesday night.

The standard of play varies from intermediate through advanced levels. Some ex-national champions participate but beginners who previously have only played the game in their backyards are welcome since coaching is available.

Anyone interested in playing should call Kit Henderson at 474-4992 during office hours or make an appearance at the school gymnasium any Tuesday night. Players should have their own rackets.

● SKI TRIP

The Canton Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring another teen ski trip Friday, Feb. 5, to Alpine Valley Ski Area.

All transportation and supervision is provided by the recreation department staff. Teens without their own equipment are welcome, as Alpine Valley has rental equipment available.

The fee is $10 with your own equipment, $17 without. All fees must be paid upon registration and space is limited. The group will leave at 5 p.m. and return at 12:15 a.m.

Individuals must register in person at the recreation department at 1150 S. Canton Center, Canton. Call 397-5110 for further information.

outdoors calendar

IMPORTANT DATES-EVENTS

● Feb. 5-7 and 12-14 — Southeast Michigan Camper and RV Show in the Coliseum and Dairy Buildings at the Michigan State Fairgrounds.

● Feb. 5-7 — All-Canada Fishing, Hunting and Vacation Show at the Fairlane Manor in Dearborn.

● Feb. 6-14 — The 30th Annual Detroit Boat and Fishing Show at Cobo Hall.

● Feb. 7 — Winterfest, sponsored by the Clinton River Muzzleloaders. Winterfest is a primitive marksmanship competition open to all individuals who shoot cloth-patched round balls in muzzleloading arms with open iron sights. Competition will be held at the Shelby Township range beginning at 9 a.m. For details, call 286-4903.

● Feb. 7 — Plant and Animal Survival in Winter, a nature program about the winter survival of plants, animals and insects, will be offered at the University of Michigan's Botanical Gardens in Ann Arbor. For information, call 763-7060.

● Feb. 10 — Late Canada goose season ends in southeast Michigan.

● Feb. 19-28 — Detroit Outdoorama '88, Sports and Travel Show, featuring product displays, U.S. and Canadian vacation outfitters, seminars, clinics and more, will be held at the Michigan State Fair Grounds.

● March 1 — Fox season ends in all zones.

● The 1988 State Park motor vehicle permits are available at all 86 Michigan State Parks and Recreation Areas. An annual permit costs $10 and covers vehicle entry into all 86 Michigan State Parks. The permits are also available through the Department of Natural Resources Information Service Center, P.O. Box 30028, Lansing 48909, phone 517/373-1220.

METROPARKS

● Saturday Morning Stuff, a monthly nature program for children ages 6-12, will be offered at 10 a.m. Saturday at Stony Creek, near Romeo.

● Nature's Prints and Patterns, a nature program in which participants will explore ways to use nature's original patterns to enhance craft projects, will be offered 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Kensington, near Milford.

● What About Dinosaurs?, a program with slides, a discussion and fossils, will be offered at 2 p.m. Sunday at Kensington, near Milford.

● Winter Wildlife Survival, a discussion and outdoor walk to look at winter survival techniques of animals, will be offered at 2 p.m. Sunday at Stony Creek, near Rochester.

● Snowshoe rental is available weekends only at Indian Springs. Cost is $3 for four hours plus a $1 insurance fee. One dollar will be returned when the snowshoes and bindings are returned undamaged. For information and trail conditions, call 685-1561.

● The 1988 Metropark annual vehicle permits are on sale.

The permit costs $10. $5 for senior citizens. The permit is required to enter any of the 13 Metroparks serving Oakland, Wayne, Macomb, Livingston and Washtenaw counties.

Daily permits, which went on sale Jan. 1, will cost $2 each for vehicles and boats.

No permits will be sold through the mail. For more information, contact the Metroparks at 1-800-24-PARKS.

OAKLAND COUNTY PARKS

● Cross-country skiing for the blind will be offered Saturday at Glen Oaks Golf Course. For details, call 858-4944.

● Cross-country ski clinics for the visually impaired will be offered Feb. 13 at Glen Oaks beginning at 11 a.m. For details, call 858-4944.

● Downhill & Equestrian Ski School, a cross-country ski clinic for all ages, will be offered Saturday at Addison Oaks and Independence Oaks (weather permitting). For details, call 625-0877.

● Hook, Line and Sinker, a nature program in which participants will learn the basics of ice fishing, will be offered at 1 p.m. Saturday at Independence Oaks, near Clarkston. Participants should bring an ice fishing pole, bait, hooks and a bobber.

● Family and Friends Ski Night, a night of winter activities including free skiing with 1.5 miles of lighted cross country trails, free lessons, equipment rental, ice skating, sleigh rides and more, will be offered Thursday at Addison Oaks beginning at 6 p.m. For more information call 858-0906 or 693-2432.

● Oakland County Parks annual vehicle permits are available by mail for the first time. Cost of the permit is $14 (a $2 savings off the regular price of $16) for Oakland County residents who order the permit by mail before March 31. Non-county residents will also receive a $2 discount off the regular price of $26.

To receive a mail-in coupon to purchase the permit call 858-0906, Monday-Friday, during regular office hours.

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the week ahead

BOYS BASKETBALL
Friday, Feb. 5

Light 5, Lexus Garden City (United Methodist Recreation Center, 5pm)
Lutheran Northwest at Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 7:30 p.m.
Livonia Stevenson at Wsld. John Glenn, 7:30 p.m.
Northville at Ply. Canton, 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Salem at N. Farmington, 7:30 p.m.
Farmington at W.L. Central, 7:30 p.m.
Farm. Harrison at W.L. Western, 7:30 p.m.
Garden City at Livonia Franklin, 7:30 p.m.
Redford Union at Edsel Ford, 7:30 p.m.
Redf. Thurston at Dearborn, 7:30 p.m.
Wayne Memorial at Lincoln Pk., 7:30 p.m.
Northlanes at Clarenceville, 7:30 p.m.
Redf. Catholic Central at Redf. Bishop Borgess, 7:30 p.m.
Brother Rice at Lahser, Detroit, 7:30 p.m.
St. Agatha at Det. St. Hedwig, 7:30 p.m.
Calvary Christian at Detroit Waldo, 7:30 p.m.

PREP HOCKEY
Wednesday, Feb. 3

Liv. Stevenson vs. Southfield-Lathrup at Livonia Edgar Arena, 6 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 4
Liv. Churchill vs. Liv. Franklin at Detroit Skating Club, 6 p.m.
Liv. Stevenson vs. Southfield-Lathrup at Southfield Ice Arena, 6 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 5
Liv. Churchill vs. Wyandotte at Livonia Edgar Arena, 6 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 6
Liv. Churchill vs. Trenton at Redford Ice Arena, 8 p.m.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS
(Places 1-4)

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112 — Patrick Sampayo (Agonac) dec. Mike Lewis (Glenn), 4-2; 3 Kevin Brown (W.L. Central) dec. Chad Gehringer (Western), 7-3.
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126 — Rob Glasgow (N.B. Huron) dec. Dave Ferguson (Garden City), 5-2; 3 Jeff Brewer (Ply. Salem) dec. Pat Hoot (Glenn), 2-0.
132 — Rob Mangus (Glenn) dec. Greg Kadzai (Agonac), 5-2; 3 Jeff Heuer (W.L. Central) dec. Dave Dragseth (Salem), 8-7.
138 — Kirk Kuvaka (Agonac) dec. Paul Hall (N.B. Huron), 8-6; 3 Wayne Mouton (Harrison) dec. Jeff Ames (Agonac), 4-1.
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198 — Mike Sanchez (Glenn) dec. Bill Mathews (Garden City), 9-1.
Heavyweight — Mike Williams (Glenn) pinned Tony Balazinski (Agonac), 1:40.

JOHN GLENN ROCKET WRESTLING TOURNAMENT
TEAM STANDINGS

1. Westland John Glenn, 144 points; 2. New Boston Huron, 134; 3. Dearborn, 89.5; 4. Howell, 88.5; 5. Garden City, 76; 6. Saline, 75; 7. Walled Lake Central, 70; 8. Ann Arbor Huron, 62.

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swimming rankings

OBSERVERLAND BOYS
BEST SWIMMING TIMES

The following is a list of the top Observerland boys swimmers in Plymouth-Salem coach Chuck Hoyt's 200-yard medley relay and 400-yard freestyle relay. Times should be reached 4:15-5:30 p.m. weekdays or 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday at 455-4447.

MEDLEY RELAY
(state qualifying time: 1:43.99)

Plymouth Salem	1:44.0
Redford Catholic Central	1:44.4
Livonia Stevenson	1:45.0
Livonia Franklin	1:47.1
Plymouth Canton	1:48.1

200-YARD FREESTYLE
(state qualifying time: 1:43.19)

Ron Grimes (Salem)	1:44.6
Jim Vik (Farmington)	1:46.3
Troy Shumate (Catholic Central)	1:46.6
Duane Filippo (Stevenson)	1:47.5
Joe Saunders (Stevenson)	1:50.4
Mark Paplanski (Churchill)	1:52.1
Mike Lapeyre (Stevenson)	1:52.9
Jeff Mosson (Salem)	1:53.5
Brian Fitzgerald (Harrison)	1:54.1
Jordy Greenstein (N. Farmington)	1:54.2

INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY
(state qualifying time: 2:05.39)

Ron Grimes (Salem)	2:01.0
Joe Saunders (Stevenson)	2:01.9
Mark Paplanski (Churchill)	2:05.1
Troy Shumate (Catholic Central)	2:06.3
Andy Jacobs (Catholic Central)	2:07.4
Scott Farabee (Harrison)	2:09.0
Tony Albert (Stevenson)	2:09.1
Brad Rowe (Farmington)	2:11.6
Brian Fitzgerald (Harrison)	2:11.7
Geoff Taylor (Salem)	2:11.7

50-YARD FREESTYLE
(state qualifying time: 22.69)

Jon Teal (Catholic Central)	22.2
Jim Vik (Farmington)	22.3
Mark Paplanski (Churchill)	22.9
Mike Hill (Salem)	23.0
Joe Saunders (Stevenson)	23.2
Mac Sims (John Glenn)	23.2
Jeff Whitehead (Harrison)	23.2
Duane Filippo (Stevenson)	23.3
Bill Mathews (Catholic Central)	23.4
Adam Krauser (Farmington)	23.4

DIVING

Mark Miller (John Glenn)	253.0
Kevin Kolack (Salem)	233.2
Carl Johnson (Harrison)	227.5
Brad Flowers (Canton)	223.2
Scott Stachelski (Churchill)	215.0
Joe Bush (John Glenn)	213.4
Jim Aden (Stevenson)	201.8
Lee Lieberman (N. Farmington)	199.1
Pat McMarrinan (Salem)	179.9
Chris Jones (Stevenson)	178.1

100-YARD BUTTERFLY
(state qualifying time: 55.59)

Joe Saunders (Stevenson)	53.4
Ron Grimes (Salem)	53.8
Jim Vik (Farmington)	55.1
Troy Shumate (Catholic Central)	55.2
Mark Paplanski (Churchill)	55.9
Bryce Anderson (Canton)	56.3
Scott Farabee (Harrison)	56.8
Andy Jacobs (Catholic Central)	56.9
Jim Kovach (Catholic Central)	57.6

Fred Seeberger (Salem) 1:7.6

100-YARD FREESTYLE
(state qualifying time: 49.79)

Jim Vik (Farmington)	48.4
Jon Teal (Catholic Central)	48.6
Mike Hill (Salem)	49.6
Duane Filippo (Stevenson)	50.1
Joe Saunders (Stevenson)	50.9
Bill Mathews (Catholic Central)	51.3
John Hyrke (Salem)	51.3
Mark Paplanski (Churchill)	51.5
Mike Hill (Salem)	51.7
Matt Hopson (Catholic Central)	51.8

500-YARD FREESTYLE
(state qualifying time: 4:55.39)

Ron Grimes (Salem)	4:54.2
Jon Teal (Catholic Central)	4:54.6
Mark Paplanski (Churchill)	4:56.4
Mike Lapeyre (Stevenson)	5:03.7
Jeff Bridgeford (Salem)	5:04.4
Steve Tuttles (N. Farmington)	5:05.4
Matt Hopson (Catholic Central)	5:05.6

100-YARD BACKSTROKE
(state qualifying time: 57.79)

Joe Saunders (Stevenson)	57.1
Mark Paplanski (Churchill)	57.4
Tim Krueger (Catholic Central)	58.6
Jeff Bridgeford (Salem)	58.7
Dave Meier (Salem)	59.3
Mark Gregory (Stevenson)	59.4
Jeff Whitehead (Farmington)	59.9
Mike Hopkins (Catholic Central)	1:00.2
Matt Hopson (Catholic Central)	1:01.0
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Ron Grimes (Salem)	1:03.8
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Mark Paplanski (Churchill)	1:04.3
Jordy Greenstein (N. Farmington)	1:04.8
Mac Sims (John Glenn)	1:04.5
Jeff Homan (Canton)	1:05.7
Brian Canton (Stevenson)	1:05.8
Geoff Taylor (Salem)	1:05.9
Tony Albert (Stevenson)	1:06.7
Danny Knipper (N. Farmington)	1:07.8
Andy Jacobs (Catholic Central)	1:07.8

400-YARD FREESTYLE
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Redford Catholic Central	3:21.7
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Livonia Stevenson	3:24.2
Farmington Hills Harrison	3:25.5
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(Wednesday, Feb. 10)

CLASS A

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At Garden City: Westland John Glenn, Detroit Edsel Ford, Ferndale and Garden City.

At Ypsilanti: Wayne Memorial, Adrian, Bedford, Ypsilanti and Ypsilanti Lincoln.

DISTRICT FINAL SITES
(Saturday, Feb. 13)

At Temperance-Bedford: Pre-District winners from Garden City and Ypsilanti.

At Plymouth Salem: Pre-District winners from Southfield, Plymouth Salem (No. 2) and Plymouth Salem (No. 3).

At Walled Lake Western: Pre-District winners from Walled Lake Western.

REGIONAL FINAL SITE
(Saturday, Feb. 20)

At Plymouth Salem (D): District winners from Plymouth Salem and Walled Lake Western.

STATE FINAL SITE
(Friday-Saturday, Feb. 26-27)

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(Wednesday, Feb. 10)

At Madison Heights Lamphere: Livonia Franklin, Farmington Harrison, West Bloomfield, Southfield, Redford Union and Lamphere.

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● COMEDY CLUB
Joey's Comedy Club in Livonia presents Bill Thomas, through Feb. 6; Tony Brown, Feb. 10-13; Norma Zager, Feb. 17-20, and Leo Dufour, Feb. 24-27. For more information call 261-0555.

● 'RUMPELSTILTSKIN'
Maplewood Community Center will present "Rupelstiltskin" by the Ann Arbor Goodtime Players at 6 p.m., Tuesday, Feb. 9, in Garden City. Pizza dinner will be served at 6 p.m. following the live musical comedy version of "Rumpelstiltskin." Tickets are $3.50 and may be purchased in advance only at Maplewood Community Center, 31735 Maplewood.

● SINGING CONCERT
The Detroit-Oakland County Barbershop Singing Chapter will present its 49th annual four-part harmony show titled "Let's Get Away from It All" at Livonia's Clarenceville High School at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Feb. 12-13. Featured performers will be two quartets: Classic Collection, an international champion barbershop quartet, and Yesteryear Quartet, comedy quartet. Also on the program will be Gentlemen Songsters, 50-man chorus. Tickets are $8 and may be purchased by phoning 646-7375 or 647-4807.

● NEIL SIMON
Alpha Psi Omega, the Central Michigan University honorary theater fraternity, presents the Neil Simon comedy "The Prisoner of Second Avenue" at 8 p.m. through Saturday, Feb. 6, at the Moore Hall Kiva on campus in Mt. Pleasant. Thomas Kesling of Livonia is the play producer and president of Alpha Psi Omega. Tickets at $2.50 for students and senior citizens and $4.50 for the general public are available at the Bush Theatre box office from noon to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday. For reservations call (817)774-3874.



Yesteryear is one of two quartets featured when the Detroit-Oakland County Barbershop Singing Chapter of the SPEBSQSA presents its annual show Friday-Saturday, Feb. 12-13, at Clarenceville High School in Livonia.

● COMEDY REVUE
Prock's Restaurant is introducing the David O Comedy Revue at 8 and 10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 12, and Saturday, Feb. 13, in Clawson. The first performances will feature Rudy Barker, a comedian-impressionist. Cover charge is $5.

● QUATRO DUO
Michael Quatro on keyboards and vocals and Connie Cocquyt on vocals perform Thursdays at Bobby's Country House in Livonia. The twosome is newly wed. They flew to Las Vegas, where they were married. The Michael Quatro Duo also appears Fridays-Saturdays at Park Place in Grosse Pointe Park and Sundays at the 1940 Chophouse in Detroit.

● JAZZ SOUNDS
The International Institute in Detroit offers a series of Thursday night concerts celebrating Afro-American History Month, beginning at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 4, with Earl Van Riper featuring Marcus Belgrave. Other concerts are at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 11, Howard Armstrong from the film "Louie Bluie" featuring Ralphe Armstrong on bass; 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 18, Marcus Belgrave Ensemble, performing New Compositions by Lawrence Williams; 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 25, Harold McKinney, Carl Temple in an evening of gospel and jazz. Tickets are $12.50 in advance and $15 at the door. For more information, call 361-3594 or 331-2106.

● 'PAINTING CHURCHES'
Ann Arbor Civic Theatre on Main Street presents "Painting Churches," a contemporary drama, at 8 p.m. Feb. 4-6, 11-13, at the Ann Arbor Civic Theatre building. Tickets are $5. Thursday evening tickets are two for the price of one. For ticket information and reservations, call 662-7282.



Connie Cocquyt, vocalist, appears with her new husband in the Michael Quatro Duo playing Thursdays at Bobby's Country House in Livonia.

● ECLIPSE JAZZ
Eclipse Jazz continues a series of "meet the artist" events. Jane Ira Bloom, Lester Bowie and Ahmad Jamal each will offer a free lecture and demonstration of their experiences with jazz at the School of Music in Ann Arbor. The schedule is Jane Ira Bloom, 3 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 11; Lester Bowie, 4 p.m. Friday, March 4; Ahmad Jamal, 4 p.m. Saturday, March 19. For more information, call Eclipse Jazz at 763-0046.

● PERFORMANCE
The Detroit Artists Market is featuring a performance "The First Time We Met" at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 7, in Detroit. The event including members of RC 22 will present a theatrical performance of unrelated and spontaneous action with some participation by the audience. A reception to meet the performers and discuss the work will be held following the event. A $2 admission will be charged. For reservations, call 962-0337.

● BAKER'S LOUNGE
The Christopher Pitts E.M.X (Experimental Music Exploration) will appear at 9:30 p.m. Friday-Sunday, Feb. 12-14, at Baker's Keybord Lounge in Detroit. The E.M.X. includes Detroit-area musicians Ken Cox on piano, drummer Danny Spencer, bassist Jack Dryden and Christopher Pitts, saxes. New to E.M.X. is bassist Dryden, a Birmingham native and Berklee College of Music graduate who has spent the last eight years in New York. Cover charge is $5. For more information, call 864-1200.

● 'H.M.S. PINAFORE'
Gilbert & Sullivan's operetta, "H.M.S. Pinafore," will be presented at 8 p.m. Feb. 9-14, with matinees at 2 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Feb. 13-14, at the Music Hall Center in Detroit. Gilbert & Sullivan Discount Day with special discount tickets and a champagne afterglow for all Detroit-area Gilberts and Sullivans will be at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 10. For ticket information, call the Music Hall Box Office at 963-7622.

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Big stage
Stars to glitter, live at the Omni

By Ethel Simmons
staff writer

WHEN SUPERSTAR Wayne Newton opens the new Omni Star Theatre in Livonia on Thursday, Feb. 25, the audience of showgoers will see a Las Vegas revue in a totally revamped setting.

Gone will be most reminders that this used to a movie theater, the Mai Kai, which showed its last movie in January. In place of the big screen will be the big stage.

"We'll have a sky blue cyclorama — not a curtain — that can project colors and lights on it," said Joseph Vispi, producer and artistic director. Vispi, formerly with the summertime Star Theatre of Flint. Vispi is now on board at the Omni for a year-round schedule of concerts, Broadway musicals and comedies, and other performances.

Referring to the backdrop, visible on the opening series of concerts by show-business greats, Vispi said, "Instead of a black curtain, the shows will be dazzling and colorful."

NEWTON IS bringing his whole 28-piece orchestra; the Jive Sisters, his backup singers; and an opening comic to the Livonia facility, for a full-blown Las-Vegas-type show, the Omni's producer/artistic director said.

"There will be a fog machine, a laser light show and rain effects," he said.

Vispi and general manager Ed Morelli, both busy on the premises, one afternoon last week talked about the renovation of the Mai Kai into the Omni. Vispi provided a tour of the theater, now in a bare-bones state.

"The gum has been scraped off the seats, so to speak," Vispi said. "Seats are being reupholstered in a beautiful blue velvet. The carpet, a blue print, is being cleaned of popcorn and Coke of the last 25 years."

He pointed out that the Omni first opened in 1962 as a Nicholas George Theatre. When George's movie theaters were sold to AMC, the Mai Kai was not part of the package because it was outdated, with only a single screen.

But this was good luck for the owner of the Omni Limousine Service, Ed Morelli, who decided the theater would be a great setting for live stage shows.

MORELLI DESCRIBED his business in Plymouth as "the limousine service of the stars." He said many of the stars are personal friends of his, and he sometimes rides with them and the driver.

For the last 22 years, Morelli has operated about 10 different clubs in the metropolitan area, including Ma Bell's in Belleville and the former Michigan Palace (the old Michigan Theatre) in Detroit.

"You get to meet these people over the years," Morelli explained. "Wayne Newton became a friend. I needed someone to open the club — a big star. He (Newton) said, 'Livonia! That's a new one on me.'"

Vispi said the 1,400-seat theater, with seats all on one floor, is "a lovely intimate theater. The last row is only 100 feet from the stage, which is very unusual in a theater."

Although the Mai Kai was built as a movie house, Nicholas George had the foresight to plan for the possibility of live stage shows, he noted. There's an orchestra pit, also very unusual in a movie theater, Vispi said.

"THE STAGE has a proscenium that is 65-feet wide and 40-feet deep, with wing space of 18 feet on each side."

However, the theater did not contain enough voltage for the Omni, and a lighting system needed for live concerts and musicals also was added. "We have a whole new lighting dimmer system," Vispi said.

A special stage floor has been prepared for dancers. Backstage, there are all new curtains and many other changes. Four new dressing rooms have been built, extending the original structure. All work is expected to be completed a week ahead of Newton's arrival. Then, a dry run will test the sound and other equipment.

"I have been to many cities opening new venues, but I have felt the most enthusiastic response from the public here," Vispi said. "We have sold over 1,000 season tickets (out of 1,400 seats times five shows, equaling 7,000 seats).

A total of 5,000 tickets have been sold for 15 busloads of theatergoers for Saturday and Sunday matinees. "We've now sold 40 percent of the tickets," Vispi said. Tickets have been sold to people living as far away as Canada, Indiana, northern Michigan and Ohio.

SEASON TICKETS will be available till Feb. 13.

"It's right here in our own backyard," Vispi reminded of what the new Omni season offers Detroit-area residents. "Ann Arbor is coming in droves," he said.

Vispi said the original inner lobby featured glass with curtains. This has been replaced by a solid wall and double doors, to provide quiet. A new ladies' room and outer powder room and a men's room are being done. Both will have attendants.

In the outer lobby, Morelli continued the story of the renovation which, he said, cost close to a half-million dollars. Forty thousand dollars was spent on new draperies alone.

Mirrors and photographic blowups of the stars will decorate walls and doors leading to the inner lobby. "I didn't want horizontal seams," he said about the mirrors, which are 12 feet high and 6 feet wide.

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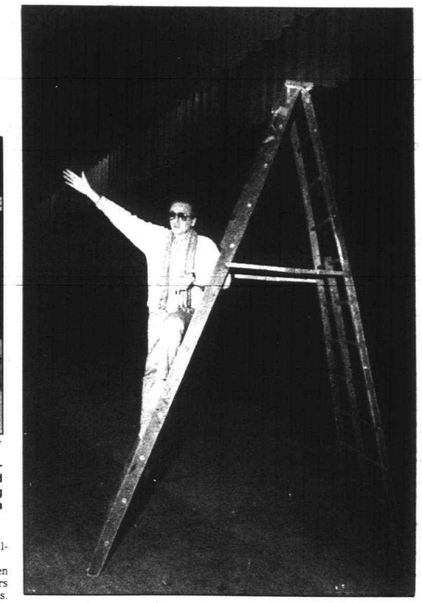
STEVE FECHT/staff photographer

With only a few more weeks to go before remodeling is completed and the the premier season begins, general manager Ed Morelli pauses in the lobby of the new Omni Star Performing Arts Theatre in Livonia. His foot rests on the last of the lava rock from the theater when it was the Mai Kai movie house.



From an onstage perch, Joseph Vispi, producer and artistic director for the Omni, points out changes to the interior of the theater. Although built as a movie house, the old Mai Kai planned for the future possibility of live stage productions. Its big stage and orchestra pit was already available for the Omni to use.

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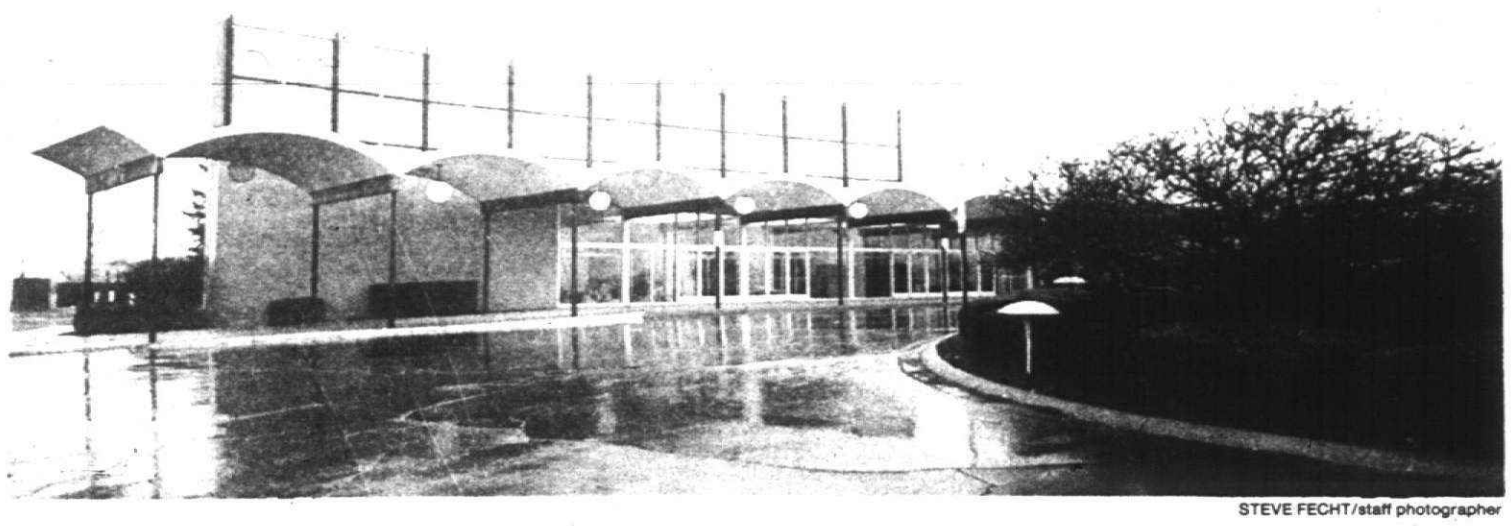

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Facade of the Omni Star Theatre, at Plymouth and Farmington roads, has been brightened up but not otherwise changed. Eight dressing rooms, a press room and hospitality room are being added to the structure. The parking lot has been restriped. Relandscaping will be done in the spring.

Stars shine, live on stage

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"We hope to do many Broadway musicals and comedies with Hollywood or TV stars, as well as concerts," Morelli said. The four new dressing rooms already are outmoded. "They're not enough for book shows. We can go up two stories. When we're done, we're looking at eight dressing rooms. Also, a big press room for press conferences and a big hospitality room for friends of the star or for dignitaries, to visit with the stars."

HE SAID the theater's full name is Omni — taken from the name of his limo service, Star — for the stars, and Performing Arts Theatre — because they want to present many kinds of performing arts. "I bring in all the talent," he said.



Ken Thomas of Detroit cleans the bare floor with hot water and soap. The blue print carpeting is out for cleaning, and all 1,400 seats are being reupholstered in blue velvet.

Omni offering variety of fare

At $28.75 per ticket, Wayne Newton and his full Las Vegas Extravaganza the week of Feb. 25 will be the highest-priced ticket on the new Omni Star Theatre series.

Tickets for other concerts in the series range from $19.75 to $22.50. Booked are Jerry Vale and Patti Page with full orchestra, the week of March 3, $19.75; the McGuire Sisters and Jack Jones with full orchestra, the week of March 10, $19.75; Donald O'Connor and Debbie Reynolds, the week of March 17, $22.50; Bobby Vinton, the week of March 24, $21.75; a new attraction (along with guest star), to be announced this week, replacing Lou Rawls who canceled, the week of April 7; and the Temptations, with guest star to be announced, $22.50.

Newton will give six performances: Thursday-Saturday at 8 p.m., Saturday-Sunday at 4 p.m. and Sunday at 7:30 p.m. Other shows will each run for five performances — Thursdays-Saturdays at 8 p.m. and Saturdays-Sundays at 3 p.m. Shows will be 2½ hours in length, including a half-hour intermission.

Season tickets at $135 are available by calling the Omni box office at 422-6664. Individual tickets are available at the box office amd Ticketmaster locations including AAA and Hudson's.

The first series ends April 24, and the second series begins with Tom Jones, April 28 to May 1, followed by Dionne Warwick and the Spinners, June 2-5. More attractions will be announced. Tickets go on sale in April.

FROM JUNE through part of September, the Omni will do a season of shows, a mixture of concerts and Broadway musicals and comedies. Shows will be presented every other week, so people can buy tickets and still spend some weekends on other activities or on vacation trips.

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Builder tags middle part of market



Open kitchen, which comes with all appliances except refrigerator, has a lot of appeal, builder Howard T. Keating III reports.

By Corinne Abatt
staff writer

If target marketing is the name of the game in residential building, then Howard Keating III is hitting the bull's-eye with his newest endeavor.

His company, Keating Community Homes, Inc., plans to build 1,200 houses this year for people earning between $25,000 and 45,000, who are now living in apartments, mobile homes or older, used houses.

Operating on what he calls the "scattered lot" principle, Keating has a crew buying lots in existing neighborhoods in northern and western suburbs such as Farmington Hills, Rochester, Troy, Brighton, Howell, Orion, Oxford, Waterford, Commerce, South Lyon and West Bloomfield.

Models are expected to be constructed in many of these communities soon. The lots range in size from 60 by 120 feet to 130 by 200 feet. He said some of the lots near Upper Straits and Middle Straits lakes come with lake privileges.

Keating is offering two models of what he has named the CETCH home. Pronounced "ketch," it stands for cost-effective, technically constructed, handcrafted home. Translated, that means the house — base price about $70,000 including lot — is fabricated in Indiana, shipped here and assembled on the lot in one day. Then, presto, the house is ready for occupancy.

A house like this used to be called a pre-fab. But the connotation doesn't really fit. Keating said his two floor plans, 1,200 and 1,400 square feet, are based on several years of research into what buyers want — three bedrooms, large, well-appointed kitchen, two full baths, jacuzzi, plush carpeting, skylights (optional), cathedral ceilings, walk-in closet in the master suite, linen closet, two wash basins in the master bath, sliding glass door walls, fireplace (extra), cedar siding, wood insulated windows, oak cabinets and six-panel doors. Dishwasher, disposal and range are standard features as is the plush carpeting throughout the house. Basement, garage, decks, porches and stereo system are extras.

What this adds up to is an attractive, affordable, starter home that was test marketed in West Bloomfield last year.

"We feel there's a 28,000 buyer backlog in the metropolitan area," he said. "We've done extensive studies . . . . According to our estimates, there are 100,000 apartments in metropolitan Detroit and two-bedroom townhouses in West Bloomfield are renting for $1,200. Our maximum production is 40 houses a week."

He said he will be closing on 30 houses in the next couple of weeks. His cost schedule shows that based on a $7,000 down payment on a $70,000 house, the monthly payment on a 30-year fixed rate 11 percent mortgage would be $544. He will also take 5-percent down and other types of mortgages.

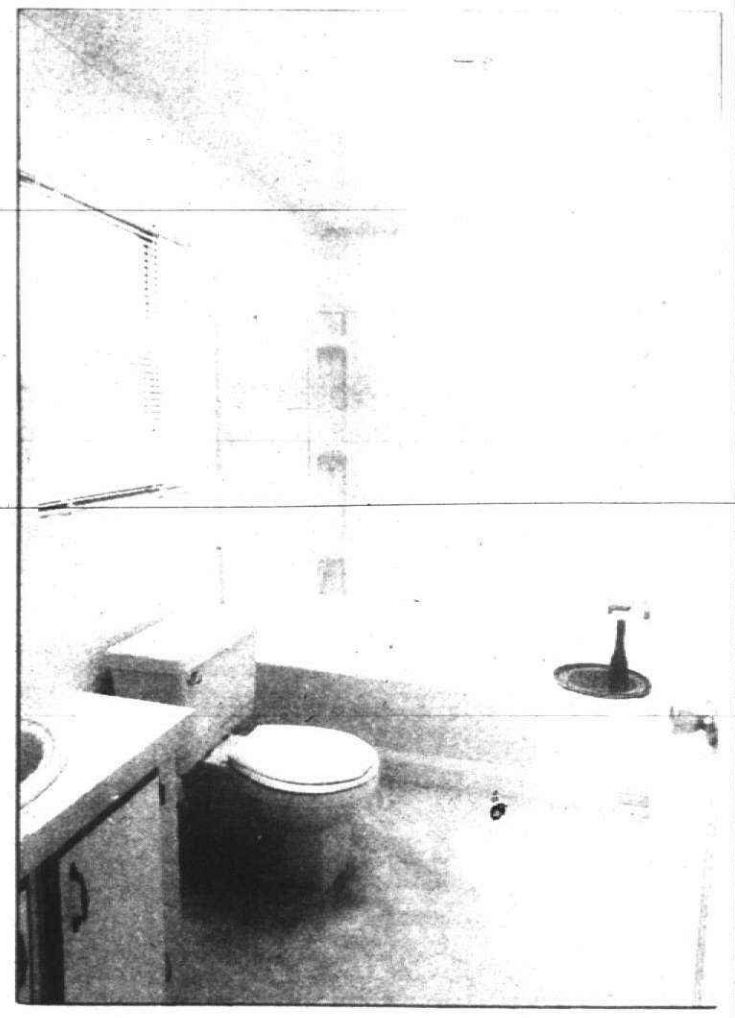
Keating has been independent from his family's real estate business for several years. And while there's no way to copyright his designs, he said others would have have a difficult time trying to duplicate his process and resources.

For information on where models may be seen, call 334-8860.



Family room of the second model was furnished by Bobbie Lambert of Holiday Interiors of Bloomfield Hills. It is black and white with bold splashes of color. Beyond the archway is the linen closet and two bedrooms. The master bathroom, at far left, has a large Jacuzzi tub and a second sink beside the one at the corner.

Staff photos by Dan Dean



Artist finds niche in house renderings

By Helen Esper Olmsted
special writer

On sunny days, Janet Sandison of Rochester may be seen snapping pictures — not just any pictures, but photos of historical homes and buildings.

But on the really chilly days of winter, you'll find her in front of her living room fireplace sketching from the photos or if her sketching is finished, rendering them in watercolor.

Sandison, who strives for detail, said, "Whether I am just taking pictures or doing the actual rendering, I fine the light about eight o'clock in the morning and two o'clock in the afternoon the most exciting. I was greatly influenced by the lighting in the works of the French impressionists."

Sandison said her only architectural training was the walking tours of historical buildings she went on while attending Cass Tech and later in art school. But, she said, "I can always rely on my husband to lend

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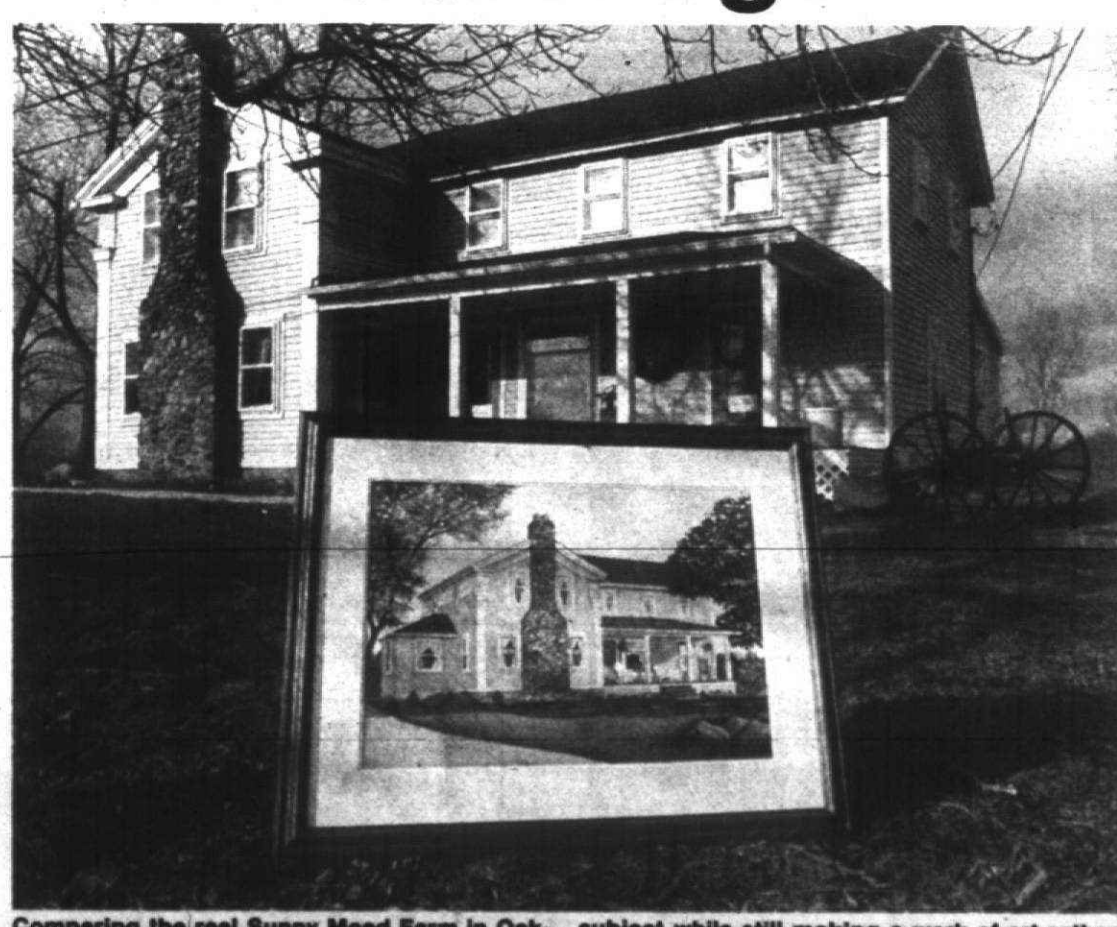
Staff photos by Camille McCoy



Janet Sandison holds her painting of the Ragge house in Rochester.



Comparing the real Sunny Mead Farm in Oakland Township and Janet Sandison's painting of it illustrates how much she respects her subject while still making a work of art rather juan a simple copy.



artifacts

David Messing

Looking at 'realism'

WELL, IT happened. I'm 40 years old. And I did lose some of the weight I vowed to lose. But the word "some" does not seem to go with the word "vow." Maybe my vow to lose weight by the age of 40 was, therefore, a "semi-vow" or a "kind-of-vow." I was fortunate, however, to have been over overweight when I was married 20 years ago. So now I can say, "I still weigh what I weighed when I got married."

But, oh — is that weight in different places. And to be realistic, it doesn't get any better. One of my lectures on anatomy is on aging and after I describe the aging process, as a joke, I always add, "It's not a pretty sight."

It's probably not much fun to be realistic when it comes to our age but it sure is fun in our artwork. Before I begin listing some of the basics of realism, let me first state my position on the subject. Realism is the goal until it is reached, after which one should never be satisfied. Rather, expression is the new venture. Realism can at some point become boring because it is bound to reality where expression can never become stagnant because it is spiritual.

FIRST OF ALL, understand that realistic drawing, painting or sculpting is primarily the work of the mind and eyes and is only carried out through the work of the hand. The hand must learn to obey and faithfully carry out what the mind has taught the eyes to look for.

We artists, when frustrated, break our pens and pencils and bang our fists as if our hands were disobedient to rendering. When, in reality, what we see is not understood enough and the message to the hand is garbled.

Now, this is getting pretty heavy. Let's put it another way. Learning to draw or paint realistically is simply learning to look. Remember the word "look" is defined as "to study (or search out)" and to merely "see" by definition means to "to use vision." Too many artists just see and never learn to look.

Now I must emphasize the word "learn." How to look with the eyes of an artist can be taught. Those who seem to be gifted have the ability to look but still need technical training to use their gift. I have seen the drawings of "gifted" people who feel no need for art training. After I look through a dozen or so beautiful pencil and pen drawings, I ask "Why no watercolor or oil, or sculpture etc.?" Gifted artists still need to learn how to use art materials.

WELL, NOW THAT I've gotten that off my chest, let's start with my first step toward realism: the reduction of lines. Take, for example, the outer edge of the newspaper you are reading now.

Now look at the sawtooth edge going across the top of the paper and the clean edge on the sides. Ask yourself, "Why do I see this? Is it because of an outline?" and, of course, the answer is no. You see the edge of the paper because it is a different color than the background. The paper is also a different texture than the background.

Let's look at something else. Let's say it's your thumb against the newspaper. Again, there is no outline around your thumb. So in your drawing, painting and sculpture, try not to depend on lines on the paper, canvas or in clay to define any shape. This will automatically give you a big boost toward realism.

Surprisingly enough, the reduction of lines works well even in a linear medium such as pen and ink. After you ink the main shapes, you can cross hatch or stipple the outlines away and give the effect of shades of grey.

I will continue this topic in my next article but until then, watch also for color changes or shades of grey on your subject.

Remember, too, that all color changes. A red car does not appear to be red all over. There are reflected colors: white and pink highlights, deep red to brown-shaded areas, and etc. Shapes don't have to be as big as a car to show color changes. If you are working in only black and white, then the same holds true for shades of grey.

Dave Messing has been an art teacher for 10 years. He is the owner of the Art Store & More in Livonia. He welcomes comments and questions from readers. Send those to him in care of this newspaper, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, 48150.

briefly speaking

● PASTEL/WATERCOLOR WORKSHOPS

Three workshops are being offered by the Visual Arts Association of Livonia, all to be held on Saturdays in Febuary.

The first will be one in pastels from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 13. Also offered will be a two-session Create-a-Painting workshop from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Feb. 20 and 27, and Carol in Costume, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. March 19. The classes are held in Jefferson Center, 9501 Henry Ruff Road, Livonia. For more information, call 464-6772.

● TALENT SEARCH

Auditions will be held from 1-3 p.m. Saturday at Oakland University Dance Division for area youngsters interested in the School of American Ballet, founded by legendary choreographer George Balanchine.

● POSTER WINNERS

Winners as well as other entries in the Livonia Human Relations Commission's Brotherhood Week poster contest will be on display in the Livonia City Hall lobby from Feb. 8-22.

● BALLETS PLANNED

Children's Ballet Theatre of Detroit will present "Peter and the Wolf" and "Soirees Musicales" in Garden City High School at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, March 5.

In addition, the Detroit Chamber Ballet, a newly formed company comprised of CBT alumnae and other dancers up to 17 years of age, will be making its premiere performance with "Chopin Variations."

Tickets are $3 for children 12 and under and $4 for adults and will be available at the door. For more information, call 274-4178.

● ZAPPA! CONCERT

The University Dance Company, noted for its innovative performances, will present a concert featuring the music of one of pop music's most outrageous characters, Frank Zappa, in a show entitled, simply "Zappa!."

Performances will be at the Power Center in Ann Ann Arbor from Feb. 11-14. Tickets are available at the League ticket office, located in the Michigan League Building on the University of Michigan campus. Tickets are $9 and $6 for reserved seating with student seating available at $4 with ID. To charge your tickets by phone, call 764-0450.

● BENEFIT CONCERT

A major concert production to benefit the AIDS Task Force of the Catherine McAuley Health Center will be presented at 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 6, in Rackham Auditorium, Ann Arbor. In cooperation with the University of Michigan School of Music, the evening will showcase specialists on period instruments including representatives from Ann Arbor's American Baroque Ensemble and Ars Musica, the Baroque Orchestra, as well as guest musicians from Boulder, Bloomington, San Francisco, Boston and New York City.

Tickets are $12 and $8 for students and senior citizens and are available from the Michigan League ticket office, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Tickets will also be available at the door. For more information, call Michael Lynn at 484-4297.

● ANTIQUE SHOW

The 24th annual antique show of St. John's Episcopal Church will take place at the church the weekend of Feb. 11-13. The show is recognized as one of the foremost antique shows in the metropolitan Detroit area. Among the 30 dealers who plan to exhibit, one will feature a selection of wicker, including some unusual Victorian pieces.

The church is at 115 S. Woodward at 11 Mile Road. Show hours are 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday and Friday, and 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday. There is ample free parking. Admission is $2.50. A continuous buffet lunch and dinner will be available.

● VALENTINE'S DAY WORKSHOPS

The Detroit Historical Museum will offer two craft workshops featuring Valentine's Day themes at the museum, 5401 Woodward Avenue in Detroit on Saturday, Feb. 13.

The first will be a heart-shaped basket workshop directed to students 14 and older scheduled from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. There is a $10 advance registration and advance registration is required.

The second is a parent-and-child valentine workshop in which a special valentine memento will be created. The workshop runs from 1:30 p.m. until 3:30 p.m. Admission is free.

To register or to receive further information on either workshop, call 833-1263.

● WOMEN PAINTERS EXHIBIT

The Detroit Society of Women Painters and Sculptors will have their showing at the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association from Feb. 6-27. The exhibit will feature works of approximately 40 members and will be juried. The art association is at 1516 S. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham, Evergreen at 14 Mile Road. For more information, call 644-0866.

Cranbrook PM classes start

The mood, art and culture of Paris in the '20s, great art collections and an orientation for an eight-day photographic journey to Ireland will be explored during "February classes sponsored by Cranbrook P.M.

"Paris in the '20s . . . the Never-Ending Party," a three-week course beginning at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 8, features a lively look at the people and events, geniuses and crackpots whose erupting creative energy in 1920 Paris became the talk of the art world. Featured lecturer will be Hope Palmer, professor of art, Henry Ford Community College and adjunct art historian, Detroit Institute of Arts. Fee is $27.50 for the series, or $10 for a single lecture.

Art historian and critic Ruth Rattner, who is director of Art Advisory Services, will give a three-week course entitled "Great Art Collections . . . An Inside View" beginning at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 10. Highlights will be a survey of the backgrounds, personalities and tastes of several of this century's important collectors: Lydia Winston Malbin, the Fords and the Rockefellers. Also included will be ideas on what their passionate pursuits have meant in our own lives. Fee is $27.50 for the series, or $10 for a single lecture.

An orientation for an eight-day photographic tour to Ireland coming up in June will be conducted by photographer/teacher/writer Monte Nagler at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 11. Included will be tips on how to capture your visual experiences in the beautiful south of Ireland on film to produce a memorable photographic treasure, which can be used as a model for other experiences you may wish to document. For more information and tour brochure, call Cranbrook P.M. at 645-3635.



condo queries

Robert M. Meisner

Q. I have read recently about site condominium projects, and I may wish to develop the acreage which I own now as a condominium if I can avoid the plat act. What has been your experience in this regard?

A. Site condominiums are being developed, particularly in Oakland County, without very much opposition from the local municipalities. There is, of course, the question of whether or not a site condominium is an attempt to circumvent the plat act but there is some authority in the condominium statute that would support the basis for a site condominium. However, there are numerous problems that can attach to the development of a site condominium which are not normally the case in a regular condominium. It is extraordinarily important, therefore, that you insure that the condominium documents provide the developer and, thereafter, the association with architectural control over the nature of the condominum units constructed. More on this in future columns.

Q. A co-owner in our condominium has allowed her dog to run loose in the common areas. There is a prohibition against all dogs in the condominium. The board has, with limited exceptions, vigorously enforced the dog restriction. The only exception was because of health reasons of one (1) co-owner. Can the board now enforce the restriction?

A. Of course each case depends upon tis circumstances, but it would appear that if the board consistently enforced the bylaw restriction then a slight variation from the policy, because of extraordinary reasons, should not prevent the board from effectively pursuing the claim against the dog owner and, if necessary, obtaining injunctive relief. While selective enforcement of the documents is, per se, invalid, there are degrees, of course, of selective enforcement depending upon the circumstances, and a court may well find in behalf of the association.

Robert M. Meisner is a Birmingham attorney specializing in condominiums, real estate and corporate law. Questions should be directed to Robert Meisner, 30200 Telegraph, Suite 467, Birmingham, Mich. 48010. This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal opinion.

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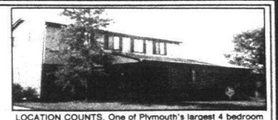

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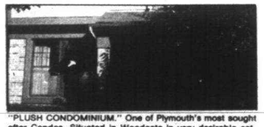

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Pianist Joseph Gurt (left) and Jerome Jelinek, cellist, will be presented in concert Sunday, Feb. 14, at Madonna College in Livonia.

Cello-piano featured in Madonna concert

A duo recital for cello and piano will be held at Madonna College, Livonia at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, featuring Jerome Jelinek, cellist and Joseph Gurt, pianist.

The Jelinek-Gurt duo will perform Beethoven's "Sonata in C Major, Opus 102, No. 1;" Samuel Barber's "Sonata, Opus 6," and Chopin's "Sonata in G Minor, Opus 65.

Jelinek has performed in Europe, Canada and the U.S. As a member of the University of Michigan School of music faculty since 1961, he has enjoyed success as soloist, chamber musician and teacher.

Gurt came to this country from Australia and has been on the faculty of Eastern Michigan University since 1967. He has performed extensively in the U.S. Canada, Israel and Australia. He has recorded for the Musical Heritage Society and with Jerome Jelinek on Composers Recording Inc.

Admission to the recital in Kresge Hall is $8 for adults, $2 for students and senior citizens. For information, call 591-5177.

New 'Restore' a natural complement

By Earl Aronson
AP-Newsfeature

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"The high protein makes the difference," said Ringer, whose father, Judd, founded the company in 1962. "We're providing 60 percent of the protein, with Mother Nature, grass clippings and compost providing the rest."

Slow release assures there will be no plant burning, Ringer said. "It can be used with seed in spring and fall, more often for problem lawns. Results are faster with more frequent and heavier applications."

UDO E. SCHULZ, head of the company that reorganized in 1986 to manufacture all-natural lawn and garden items, described Turf Restore as "an environmentally safe, completely natural soil conditioner whose microorganisms help break down organic materials into nutrient forms usable to grass plants. By improving the soil environment, it fosters healthier grass growth, reduces thatch and inhibits lawn disease."

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— Robert Ringer

Mark S. Robinow, a vice president of the company, says a 4-year study at Michigan State University showed Lawn Restore (9-4-4) to be the only all-natural product that "effectively eliminates causes of necrotic ring spot, fusarium and other patch diseases when used on a regular basis."

The Arnold Palmer Golf Management Co., which operates courses in many areas across the United States, has endorsed Restore.

James Ellison, superintendent of the Bay Hill Club in Orlando, Fla., described it as "one of the most impressive materials I've ever used. Forty days from first application on our putting greens, we saw remarkable improvement in turf density and color, with less evidence of any disease."

The two newest products are Shrub Restore (7-6-5) and Tree Restore (8-6-4). "The lawn food," Ringer said, "builds up the quality of sand or clay soils with its high concentration of organisms that multiply by billions. There are 100 million per gram. We describe the action as the good guys vs. the bad guys; in other words, disease pathogens vs. beneficial organisms."

RESTORE REDUCES lawn maintenance by getting rid of disease and thatch, and reduces the use of fungicide, Ringer said. "You might have to cut the grass a bit more often because it grows better. The color is better and a lush lawn holds moisture better."

When using the product, not only are grass and thatch problems eliminated, but there is no chemical runoff to cause pollution, he said.

The company also produces Grass-Patch to start grass fast in bare spots, Fusarium-Patch to repair disease damage, and Dis-Patch, for spot lawn disease treatment.

Apply Restore when the temperature is 50° or higher, then water lightly to send the food into the soil and activate the microorganisms.

"Lawn Restore is not an instant cure," Robinow said. "It has proven successful when used as a program."

Chinese New Year observed

Masks, puppets, lanterns and cut-outs will be included in the "Festival of Chinese Folk Arts" exhibition, now on display through Monday, Feb. 29, at the University of Michigan-Dearborn Mardigian Library.

Chinese folk artists manifest their love for the natural surrounding of their lives in cut-outs of elegant flowers, birds and animals. Most of the cut-outs are handmade by peasants and folk artists to decorate their own homes and to bring a touch of beauty into their lives.

The Chinese New Year — which occurs Feb. 16 — is celebrated by displaying lanterns, which come in dozens of shapes and sizes. Many have a special significance in Chinese culture, bearing pictures for prosperity or simple good wishes for the new year. It is also common practice for people to light a lantern in front of statute of a particular god or goddess when praying for something.

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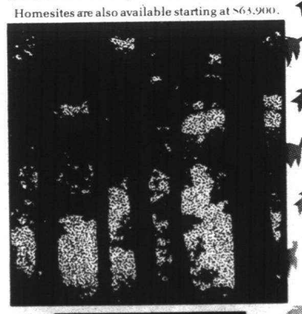



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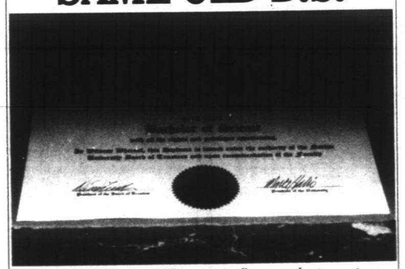

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Artist discovers historical niche

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perspective to my work, when he has time in the evenings or during the weekends."

Charles, her husband, is a good source of artistic input he is a General Motors architectural engineer, currently working on the Saturn Plant

SANDISON, WHO STUDIED art on a scholarship at Ringling School of Art in Sarasota, Fla., once had her sights set on a career as a commercial artist. However, she was married shortly after finishing her art training, and her career, if not completely abandoned, was at least put on hold for several years. "I opted to stay home and have a family," she said.

Sandison's three sons — Steve, Charles and Ronald — are not without talent, either. Steve is attending the University of Michigan. Charles, an eighth grader, is involved in creating board games, and Ronald — a budding artist — won a trophy in 1986 from Detroit Edison for a safety poster he designed.

Once her sons were old enough to fend for themselves, Sandison decided she wanted to do something with her talent and training. She said she wasn't sure which course to pursue, although she had leafleted for advertising agencies and once illustrated a book for adolescents.

When asked what made her decide on renderings for a career, she said, "I always enjoyed sketching historical buildings. I can imagine the stories behind the people who lived or worked in them. I am sure there is a lot of sadness as well as joy behind those old walls."

She said she has recently became fascinated with red barns. To her, they seemed to be a trend setter. Her sisters, who are crafters, were embroidering and doing crewel work of red barns. They were selling almost faster than they could produce them.

"But before I got too involved in trying to get commissions for red barns, I rendered a couple of barns to exhibit. I was accepted in a Michigan-judged art show and was delighted when the renderings sold."

One of Sandison's earlier commissions was a rendering of historical Sunnymead Farm, now owned by an Oakland Township family.

WITH NEW FOUND COURAGE, Sandison has decided to go into business on a full-time basis. Although her specialty is watercolor, she also works with pen and ink and creates menus for restaurants.

"But, I like rendering historical homes, churches and buildings best of all. I think I have finally found my niche in the art world," she said.

Her renderings are usually 15 by 24 inches or 30 by 35 inches, but she will do special sizes on request. Prices vary according to size and detail. All of the renderings are matted, but framing is left up to the client.

"I am amazed at the number of husbands or wives who give a rendering of their home to their spouse for a birthday or anniversary gift. I also get calls for pen and ink sketches of churches and houses on Christmas cards," Sandison said.

To contact Sandison, call 651-6564.

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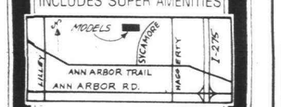

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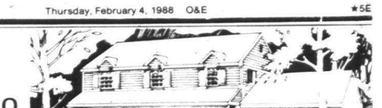

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4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, dining room, spacious family room with natural fireplace, 1st floor laundry, finished basement with rec room, move-in condition. $129,900.
CENTURY 21
SUBURBAN
455-5880 464-0205

Superb Family Home
Start spring right in this bright, clean and cheerful 3 bedroom 1½ bath brick colonial, beautiful new neutral carpeting throughout, mantled brick wall fireplace, wood bookcases in family room, no-wax floor in kitchen and foyer, tasteful wallpaper, many wood accents and decorator light fixtures. Extra insulation, large walk-in closet and bath complete the master bedroom. $99,500. Ask for:
GENE DUNN
COLDWELL BANKER
459-6000

3 BEDROOM COLONIAL-1½ baths, family room, 2 car attached garage, schools, many extras. Good location. $85,500. After 5pm 981-0172

314 Plymouth

Almost Perfection
inside this 4 bedroom 2½ bath colonial with den. You'll find Berber and plush newer carpet, crown moldings, 7 x 4 ft. pantry, custom drapes and blinds, ceramic foyer, wet-bar in family room and full finished basement. Outside includes - professional landscaping, underground sprinklers, brick patio and walks, large rear porch, the list goes on and on. $174,900. Call:
DIANA SCHIAVI
COLDWELL BANKER
459-6000

BEAT
The Springtime
price includes new carpet, vinyl, all brick home within walking distance to town, churches and schools. Features - large fenced and treed yard, garage, updated kitchen, bath, furnace, finished basement and gorgeous hardwood floors. $89,900.
COLDWELL BANKER
420-2100 464-8881

BRING ON THE CROWDS
There's plenty of room here for all to enjoy. Whether it be a holiday party, a formal dinner, or a quiet, cozy evening for 2, this gorgeous home is bound to fit the bill. There's privacy in the master bath, the convenience of a 1st floor laundry, and warmth of a fireplaced family room. Don't miss it! $164,900
HARRY S
WOLFE
474-5700

BY OWNER. Plymouth Twp. 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2 baths, finished basement, large lot, 2 car garage. $99,500. 455-2774

CITY OF PLYMOUTH FIRST TIME OFFERED! Especially clean and updated home! 3 bedroom, 1½ bath ranch, attractive floor coverings, 3 bedrooms, 1st floor laundry, 1 family room, newer roof, large 2½ car garage, and enclosed rear yard. $79,900.
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Realtors
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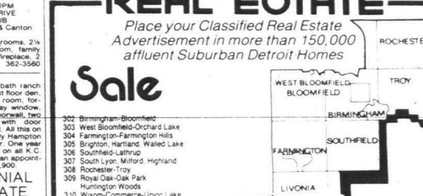

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314 Plymouth

COMFORT & CONVENIENCE
Beautifully decorated & maintained. Features large country kitchen with breakfast nook, basement, 1st floor den, large porch, & deck $92,900

EXCEPTIONAL
4 bedroom, 2½ bath family home close to town. 2 fireplaces, central air, formal dining room, brick patio, finished basement. Must see! $109,500

CAPE COD CHARM
3 bedroom, 1½ bath home featuring newer carpet & window treatments, updated & new plumbing in bath & lav, hardwood floors, finished basement. $113,500
Wm.
DECKER
455-8400

CONVINCINGLY WELL BUILT
CAPE COD with a distinctive front, brick exterior, and aluminum covered exterior trim. Oversized setting off Penniman avenue on a lovely tree lined street. Wet plaster crown mouldings are very impressive to the eye. Living room with fireplace, formal dining room, a country kitchen, a wonderfully enclosed summer porch, 2 bedrooms down, 2 large bedrooms up, 2½ baths, full basement, and oversized 2½ car detached garage. An enclosed rear yard. FAULTLESSLY MAINTAINED $129,900.
ROBERT BAKE
Realtors
453-8200

FIRST OFFERING! A picturesque tree lined street in the enduringly popular neighborhood off Penniman presents an impressively updated two story. There are 3 bedrooms, a study, formal dining room, a remodeled kitchen and bath, a butler's pantry, full basement with newer furnace, a lovely large deck overlooking an enclosed rear yard, covered front porch, and 1½ car garage. Sun filled rooms combined with talented interior design skills. $109,900.
ROBERT BAKE
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453-8200

JUST OFF SHELDON, this impeccable Wing Colonial boasts a spectacular wooded setting, sprinklers, Central Air, and aluminum covered exterior trim. Inside, there are 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, formal dining room, family room with fireplace, 1st floor laundry, finished basement, and attached 2½ car garage with a work shop. DON'T DELAY! $119,900.
ROBERT BAKE
Realtors
453-8200

314 Plymouth

COUNTRY LIVING
CITY CONVENIENCE
Unique custom colonial with 4½ acres on beautiful N. Territorial Rd. (4 miles W. of Plymouth). Built 1979 immaculate 2,000 sq. ft. with 4 large bedrooms, 2 baths, country kitchen, cathedral ceiling in living room, full basement, 24X26 attached garage, first floor laundry & charm of an English Country Home! Newly built 24X36 horse barn, 3 pastures, and 16X24 2 story cement floor shed. Call for more details. Priced with water & electric. Salem Twp., Plymouth Schools, Plymouth mailing. Near 5 golf courses, 1 Mile from M-14 freeway. Jump on paved roads. $189,900
HOOD REAL ESTATE - 455-3949
OR LISTER - 459-5144

MINT CONDITION - custom built 2 bedroom ranch in a great in-town location. Finished basement, updated kitchen and bath. Don't miss this one! $85,900.

STATELY 5 bedroom, 3 full bath colonial in desirable Hough Park. Enjoy the open spaciousness of this fine home with its close proximity to parks, schools and downtown. $218,500

MUCH SOUGHT AFTER Lakepointe Village colonial. Immaculate and meticulously maintained. 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, family room with fireplace, 2 car attached garage. $129,900.

WELL MAINTAINED 3 bedroom home. Large lot 55x145, zoned light industrial. $59,900
CALL MARDA BENSON,
RE/MAX Boardwalk 459-3600

NEW CONSTRUCTION
ROYAL TREATMENT Rich elegance in exclusive Beacon Meadows sub. 3250 square ft. custom colonial with a balcony bridge, overlooking a vaulted great room. Many premium features like a whirlpool master bath, oak tung and grame flooring, 90% efficient furnace, gourmet island kitchen with a Jennaire cooktop. A real showplace $319,550
HARRY S.
WOLFE
421-5660

NEW ON THE MARKET! A double sized lot (132 x 174) flatters the exterior of this well located City of Plymouth Cape Cod recently embellished with extensive new appointments. 3 bedrooms, 1¼ baths, living room with fireplace, mellow wood floors, formal dining room, a large 22 x 16 family room overlooking a private enclosed rear yard, many Andersen windows, basement, and an oversized 2½ car garage with a work shop. DON'T DELAY! $119,900.
ROBERT BAKE
Realtors
453-8200

314 Plymouth

ON A QUIET COURT OFF ANN ARBOR TRAIL
brick front Colonial with an expansive tile foyer and striking open wood staircase. 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, formal dining room, family room, family room with hospitality bar and fireplace, a parquet floor in the study, 1st floor laundry, side entrance garage, automatic trim sprinklers, and Central Air. $213,000.
ROBERT BAKE
Realtors
453-8200

ONE-OF-KIND
5 bedrooms including in-law suite with separate kitchenette and lavatory, library with wet-bar, finished walkout basement with jacuzzi, sauna, 2 fireplaces and much more $294,900.

FAMILY LIVING
In this spacious 4 bedroom colonial with library and 1½ baths, walk to town, close to schools and shopping, home warranty $89,900.
CENTURY 21
SUBURBAN
455-5880 464-0205

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
1097 CHESTNUT-PLYMOUTH
(S) Ann Arbor Trail; (E) Haggerty
Immaculate 3 bedroom, 1½ bath colonial. $119,900
Wm.
DECKER
455-8400

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
9097 HACKEBERRY, PLYMOUTH
JUST S. OF Ann Arbor Rd. and W. of Lilley (take Revere Dr. off of Lilley to Hackberry). Wonderful 3 bedroom 1½ bath ranch situated on a wooded ravine lot. Complimented with a 20 x 16 wolmanized deck, central air, 2 car attached garage, full basement, electronic thermostat, natural fireplace in family room, large country kitchen and decorated in soft neutral tones. Modestly priced at $117,500.
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Realtors
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OPEN SUN. 2-5PM
Prestigious Trailwood Colonial
Carefully maintained by original owner with immediate occupancy 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, family room with fireplace, first floor laundry, formal dining room, central air $162,900. 11829 Canton Center Rd.
Call Kathy Barker
REAL ESTATE ONE
455-7000



LIVONIA • 6 Mile & Newburgh Area
Custom built 4 bedroom colonial, 2½ baths, newly renovated kitchen, formal dining room, large family room with fireplace, 1st floor laundry, central air, insulated windows, close to shopping and schools. $146,900
Call Carol Higley or Cheryl Spain
553-8860
THOMPSON-BROWN

315 Northville-Novi

"ABOUT"
an acre, approximately 2500 sq. ft. with open ceilings walk out to wrap around deck, large bedroom with walk in closets, ready for you to do your own decorating & finish work. Immediate possession. Only $134,999.

PAMPERED RANCH
3 bedroom, finished basement & freshly decorated in neutral tones. Newer windows & steel-entry doors. Extra super garage $98,500.

TASTEFULLY
decorated & clean 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch with fireplace. Situated on ½ acre. Hardwood floors, well maintained. Basement & Anderson windows. $119,500.

BETTER THAN NEW HOME!
Move-in condition. Premium lot with wooded views. 3 bedroom 2½ bath colonial with great room, large country kitchen, formal dining. Quick & neutral decor. $137,900. 348-0466

BY OWNER - Walk to town. A beautifully maintained 3 bedroom, 2½ bath, family room, doorwall to deck, 2 fireplaces, 1st floor laundry, 2 car attached garage. Priced right at $139,900. 348-3639

HILLTOP SETTING

CROSSWORD PUZZLER

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35 Fish trap
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315 Northville-Novi

RANCH-3 bedroom, 2 baths, formal dining, fireplace. Must see! $124,900.
ERA - COUNTRY RIDGE 474-3301

SHARP 1½-LEVEL in Meadowbrook Glens. Move-in condition. Living room with fireplace, 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, family room. Neutrally decorated. $95,500. Call Marda Beskow
Re-Max Boardwalk 459-3600

Touch Of Class
Open floor plan lends itself to entertaining and relaxing. Quality built 3 bedroom brick ranch has 2½ baths, kitchen-sitting room arrangement, great room and formal dining. For the meticulous! $169,900
ERA
Orchard Hills 737-2000

316 Westland Garden City

Better Than New
A superior home - improvements include newer windows, Bryant furnace and central air. Florida room overlooking beautifully landscaped and fenced yard. Offering - 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, attached garage and a spacious family room. Call
SYLVIA KEOUGH
COLDWELL BANKER 420-2000

BY OWNER; 3 bedroom brick ranch; large kitchen, finished basement with extra bedroom, 2½ car garage, central air, thermo windows, many extras. $89,900 525-1032

CUTE & COZY
3 bedroom cape cod; newer vinyl siding with aluminum trim, newer thermo windows, updated kitchen with country kitchen with lots of cabinets. 2½ car garage. $48,000
CENTURY 21
SUBURBAN
455-5880 464-0205

EVERYTHING IS QUALITY in this 3 bedroom brick ranch with finished basement, country kitchen, 2 full baths, Andersen windows, extra insulation, super decor, central air, and many, many more. Call for appointment. 454-9906.

THIS 3 BEDROOM BRICK RANCH offers ample table space in country kitchen and dinette. A 2 car garage, tiled basement and low traffic area are bonuses with this home in the Livonia School District. $57,500. (424)

COUNTRY-FRESH RANCH in wooded setting on deep country lot. 3 bedrooms, full basement, central air, family room and 2 car garage. Family room decor throughout! $69,900. (350).

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316 Westland Garden City

SOLID COMFORT
Beautiful 3 bedroom brick and aluminum ranch with finished basement, central air, 2 car attached garage with opener, newer vinyl windows, 1½ baths, some appliances. $56,000

EASY MAINTENANCE
Extra special 3 bedroom brick ranch with 1½ baths, updated kitchen with newer carpeting, Franklin fireplace in living room, gas fireplace in basement, wood stove in garage. A must on your list. $42,900.

REDFORD
W. of Beech, N. of 6. Just listed. $3000 down. 3 bedroom, natural wood trim, plaster wall, hardwood floors, full basement, natural gas fireplace, newer roof, new aluminum trim. $58,900

CENTURY 21
COLE REALTY 937-2300

LAND CONTRACT
3 bedroom all brick ranch, 2 full baths, finished basement, fireplace in an all brick area of Garden City. Assume low payment terms, 5% contract and save on closing costs. $55,900.

CENTURY 21
J. Scott, Inc.
522-3200

Maintenance Free
Brick and aluminum 4 bedroom ranch, 2 full baths, large lot, finished basement. Only $57,500. Call now.
CENTURY 21
Your Real Estate 525-7700

Nice Assumption
Very attractive 3 bedroom brick ranch, doorwall to 13 x 7 wood deck, country kitchen, 2 double closets in master bedroom, ½ bath in basement, less than $14,000 to assume, move-in condition. $54,900.
CENTURY 21
Your Real Estate 525-7700

OPEN SUN. 2-5
34051 Tonquish - S. of Warren, E. of Wayne. Grab it quick. This is right! 2,000 sq. ft. 4 bedroom brick colonial with family room and fireplace, dining room and game room. 2½ baths, 2 level deck with pool, 1st floor laundry and more. See it to believe it at $99,900.
COLDWELL BANKER
478-4680 261-4700

317 Redford

BEGINNERS BONANZA
Almost too good to be true. 1982 built 3 bedroom ranch in central Redford. Full finished and carpeted basement with half bath, large and lovely kitchen, central air. 1st to see will buy $24,900
HARRY S.

WOLFE
421-5660

BY OWNER 3 bedroom brick ranch, clean. Move in condition. By appointment only. $51,900
535-4586

Clean & Affordable
Spotless 3 bedroom with finished basement, fireplace, new windows, new steel doors, newer carpeting, new appliances, ceiling fan in master bedroom, neutral decor, full ready to move into. $51,900. Ask for.
ELLIE PALMER
COLDWELL BANKER
420-2100 464-8881

STRETCH OUT - in this spacious 3 bedroom ranch on double lot. 2½ attached garage, finished basement, large kitchen with doorwall to deck, country setting in city. $54,900

HANDYMAN - Investors, $15,000 for 1 bedroom aluminum ranch. 66x628 lot. Needs considerable work. Former home, 2 car garage & updated windows, sold as is.

Century 21 COMMUNITY
522-6410

SURREY HGTS. SUB
Cozy 3 bedroom ranch, most desirable subs - 3 to 4 bedroom brick and aluminum, tri-level, colonials and ranches. Priced from mid $40,000. Newer roof and gutters, dining-L, off living room, finished basement. $48,500.
CENTURY 21
SUBURBAN
455-5880 464-0205

WESTLAND
Ford & Wayne Rd. area
2 bedroom/1 bath ranch; $44,900
2 bedroom/family room; $47,900
4 bedroom/attached garage$52,900
Call Today!
Earl Keim West
522-2101

WESTLAND
Half acre, just reduced, very spacious, remodeled 2 bedroom home with new kitchen, new roof, new carpeting & refrigerator, new carpet & thermo windows.
Earl Keim West
522-2101

WESTLAND-Livonia - schools. Ann Arbor Trail/Merriman, 3 bedroom, 2½ bath, family room, basement. Hardwood floors. $63,900. 326-7585

WESTLAND - 3 bedroom colonial, dearborn schools. Extra large family room in basement. Lots of living space. $79,900 721-2625

317 Redford

A BARGAIN
Plymouth & Telegraph - Just listed beautiful 3 bedroom bungalow, finished basement, updated kitchen, newer carpeting, Franklin fireplace in living room, gas fireplace in basement, wood stove in garage. A must on your list. $42,900.

REDFORD
W. of Beech, N. of 6. Just listed. $3000 down. 3 bedroom, natural wood trim, plaster wall, hardwood floors, full basement, natural gas fireplace, newer roof, new aluminum trim. $58,900

CENTURY 21
COLE REALTY 937-2300

A BREATHING ROOM
comes with this up to date brick ranch. Featuring, an updated kitchen, fireplace, large kitchen, den, dining room, full basement and 2 car garage. $55,900.
HARRY S.

WOLFE
474-5700

VALUE PACKED
Just listed! Beautiful 3 bedroom, 1½ bath broadfront brick ranch. Desirable Livonia location. Features include spacious country kitchen, quality finished basement, lovely beautifully landscaped yard with 2½ car garage. $66,900.
CENTURY 21
Today 261-2000

GORGEOUS
Beautifully decorated large 3 bedroom brick, huge kitchen with built in oven & range, fabulous family room with fireplace, covered patio, 2 car garage.
Century 21
CASTELLI 525-7900

318 Dearborn Dearborn Heights

CUSTOM RANCH
reflects an owners true pride in their home. The huge 19 foot kitchen is set up with the gourmet mind, generic. Corian counters, Oak cabinets and microwave for starters. Other features include master bath, family room, central air, and 2 car attached garage just to mention a few. Don't miss it $104,900
HARRY S.

WOLFE
474-5700

N. DEARBORN HEIGHTS, 3 yr. old custom 3 bedroom contemporary, 1½ story home. 1,800 sq.ft. Central air, attached 2 car garage, fireplace in great room. Must see. $111,900 563-0256

N. DEARBORN HTS. - 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2½ car garage, all new finished basement, 2½ baths, excellent condition. $77,500 565-4223

OPEN SUN. 1-4
2933 Academy - S. of Michigan Ave. E. of Telegraph. Super 3 bedroom 2 story colonial, neat & clean...nice room in finished basement could be 4th bedroom. Newer carpeting, new roof on garage. Quiet neighborhood! Priced right! This one won't last
COLDWELL BANKER
478-4660 261-4700

318 Dearborn Bloomfield

ASSUMPTION - AVAILABLE on this beautiful 3 bedroom all brick home, within walking distance to town. Newly decorated, family room, family room overlooks wood deck with private backyard. Wonderful neighborhood for children. One of the best neighborhood's in Dearborn. $47,900. 1153 Buckingham. $215,000. No agents. Appt. only. 562-6442

BEVERLY HILLS near Birmingham town. 3 bedroom charmer, glass room, 2½ baths, finished basement. $124,500 No agents. 642-1834

WESTERN COLONIAL - 3 bedroom brick ranch. Basement, 2 car garage, large birmingham schools. Assumable $93,900. Great location! 544-7800

OWNER, Birmingham. Prestige 4 bedroom, 2½ baths, coved ceilings, hardwood floors, new kitchen, new Andersen thermo systems, on spacious landscaped lot. Must see! $298,500. 646-1904

BIRMINGHAM - A beautiful down-town country English Style, 3 bedroom, possible 4th bedroom, studio/office. Formal dining room, fabulous kitchen with fireplace fire place in living room. Attached garage. Large corner treed lot. $245,000. 352-5111

BIRMINGHAM. immaculate 2 bedroom ranch, finished basement. Beautifully landscaped. Owner selling! $91,500 540-9197

Birmingham - New Listing
In the highly acclaimed Midvale/Seahorn area. Charming, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial with fireplace, screened porch & large family kitchen. Ideally located for commuters! Priced at $239,500 Ask for

Jaye Waples
REAL ESTATE ONE
646-1600 647-3815

BIRMINGHAM/PEMBROKE Park-3 bedroom, 1 bath, brick ranch, fireplace, air. Formica with ceramic counters, decorator colors, move-in condition. $119,500.

BIRMINGHAM. W. Beverly Hills - Wonderful Cape Cod, living room with fireplace, formal dining room, country kitchen, 3 bedroom, 2 full baths, finished basement, family room, 2 floors thru-out, 2½ car garage, all for $143,900. Ask for Jaye Waples 642-9852

BIRMINGHAM - 2 bedroom, 1½ bath, brick ranch, fireplace, air, formica counters, 2 car garage. $79,900

BIRMINGHAM - 2 bedroom, 1½ bath, brick ranch, fireplace, air, formica counters, 3 bedroom, 2 full baths, finished basement, 2 car garage. $114,900

BIRMINGHAM - 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, brick ranch, fireplace, air, formica counters, 3 bedroom, 2 full baths, finished basement, air conditioned, move in condition. $99,500. Call between 9-5 645-5839

BLOOMFIELD HILLS $219,000.
4750 Dower. 4 bedrooms, 3 full baths, beautiful family room, 2,200 sq. ft. kitchen has everything. Many recent contracts, no brokers. Call between 9am-5pm. 540-7437

BLOOMFIELD HILLS. 4 bedroom. Immaculate! Immediate occupancy, updated. Full basement. N. of Long Lake. Prime. OPEN Sat-Sun 1-4. 562-0906

BLOOMFIELD HILLS Open Sunday 2-5 2939 Vinsetta. Just off Long Lake, enter on Chamberlain. Gracious 3 bedroom colonial with 3 fireplaces on acreage. Also featuring, sunken family room, library, huge basement and much more. $249,900
COLDWELL BANKER
642-2400

BLOOMFIELD HILLS LIVING RANCH
OPEN SUN. 2-5
5763 Burnham Ct. Quarton, E. of Telegraph. Freshly decorated 3 bedroom, 2½ baths, family room, study, library, dining room, 2 way fireplace, central air, plumbing (new) Carpeting drive. $129,900 851-9770
ERA RYMAL SYMES

BLOOMFIELD HILLS
Open House Sat.-Sun., 2-5
$239,000.
Sale by owner. 1853 Long Lake Shores Dr. Best buy in prestigious neighborhood. 3 bedroom, 2½ baths homes. Four bedrooms, 2 plus 2 baths. Formal living and dining rooms, new kitchen, plus breakfast area, family room, plus den/study/library redecorated. Storage room plus 2 car garage. Beautiful landscaped pool area, access to all sports Upper Long Lake. Call after 7PM for appointment
BLOOMFIELD HILLS

IDEAL BLOOMFIELD LOCATION. All roads lead to this perfectly maintained 5 bedroom, 3½ bath brick colonial contemporary on private cul-de-sac. cathedral ceilings, neutral decor. All new carpeting and so much more $164,900.

NEW CONSTRUCTION IN FOX-HORAH HILLS. Move into one of traditional and contemporary design. Sky lights in great room, kitchen, breakfast room. Cathedral ceiling in master bedroom, 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, foyer & hall. Much more. $198,500.

CENTURY 21
MJL CORPORATE
TRANSFEREE SERVICE
851-6700

BLOOMFIELD - NW of Franklin Rd. & Lone Pine. 3 bedroom, 2½ baths, 3 fireplaces, finished walkout basement, 1½ acre, central air, new kitchen. $210,000.
646-8937 or 646-1026

BY OWNER. Nottingham Forest 4 bedroom, 2½ baths, beautiful yard, family room with fireplace, immediate occupancy. $299,000. 644-7314

CAPE COD - 3 bedroom, 1 bath, hardwood ceilings, included sun porch, walk to schools, fireplace, 2 car garage. Open Sunday, 1-5 Opposition Park on Ridge. $150,000. 569-5260

City Of Bloomfield Hills
Enjoy the epitome of gracious living in this newly updated 4 bedroom colonial. Newest of most all major systems. Entertain formally in elegant Living room and Dining room or informally by fireplace in cozy Family room. Kitchen is a gourmet's delight. Priced to sell at $359,900. Call Today!

Anne Bouch
REAL ESTATE ONE
644-4700

GREAT FAMILY NEIGHBORHOOD Immaculate 3 bedroom colonial. Bloomfield Hills schools. 1st floor laundry, family room fireplace, deck, 2½ car garage. Must see! $159,900
MJL CORPORATE TRANSFEREE SERVICE
851-6700

302 Birmingham Bloomfield

IN-TOWN CONTEMPORARY
On a private cul-de-sac. Vaulted ceilings, skylights, hardwood floors, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, central air, fire & security systems, private Lanai & beautiful landscaping. $239,900
Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm. 961-4910

MAKE YOUR HOME SEARCH a pleasant experience. Call Dave Beatty, Weir Manuel Snyder & Rader 851-6700 or 647-6999

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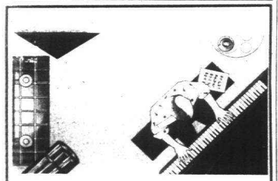

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410 Flats

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