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## Kosteva seeks state probe of sewer project

staff writer

The Western Township Utilities Authority, which runs the Plymouth, Canton and Northville sewer project, could be investigated by the state.

State Rep. James Kosteva, D-Canton, on Tuesday asked state House Speaker Lewis Dodak to approve a review of the multi-million dollar project. Approval could come this week. The probe would consist of state house staff

members reviewing spending on the project, the procedures used to handle the contracts and a look to see if the state laws governing utility authorities should be changed.

This is a state level review at this time. We're not trying to cast aspersions on the project," said

Authority member Tom Yack, Canton Township supervisor, reacted to the proposed probe, saying: "We're an open book. We're willing to share with the world the inner working of the authority. We have nothing to hide.

BUT WHILE THE proposed probe would be handled by state house staff members, the results could be turned over to the state Attorney Gener-

"All I'm trying to do is to have some folks take a good look at some of the serious questions raised in an article in the Free Press," said Kosteva.

A story in Saturday's Detroit Free Press con-tended that the area's 98,000 residents will pay \$94.5 million for a sewer system, but could\_have joined the Wayne County Super Sewer Project for \$25.5 million.

The story also alleged that \$30 million is being spent on non-construction costs and that \$11.5 is going to contracts with people who have connecwith local officials.

Meanwhile, Western Wayne Utilities Authority members held a meeting on Tuesday to refute the allegations made in the story. Authority members include Tom Yack, Canton Township supervisor, and Gerald Law, Plymouth Township supervisor.

Yack and Law disputed the figures, saying that the \$25.5 million estimate was based on an assumption that Canton and Plymouth townships would receive 55 percent of the money from a federal grant.

"We don't qualify for the grant," said Yack.
The grant is for communities that need sewers right now, not for secondary growth.

He said Canton needs sewer capacity for future

with the Wayne County project.

Both Yack and Law said there's another factor

involved, and that's clean water.
Basically the way the Wayne County/Detroit system works is that rain water becomes mixed with raw sewage during storms and because the sewage treatment plant doesn't have enough capacity, the sewage and rain water is dumped into either the Rouge or Detroit Rivers.

When the Western Townships Utilities Authority project is done, all the water from Plymouth, Canton and Northville will be treated at a plant in Ypsilanti, Yack said. None of the water will be dumped untreated into rivers.

BUT WHILE AUTHORITY members contend there are no problems with the project, Kosteva. "There are questions in the public's mind."

Some of those questions revolve around the in-volvement of one local election official and the relatives of two others.

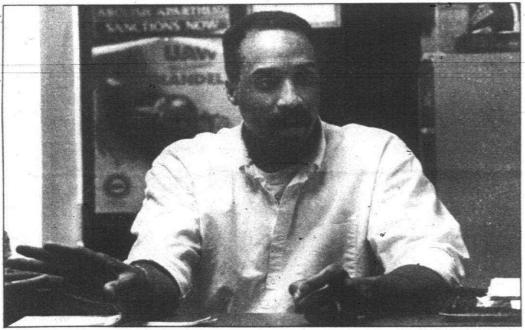
They are Robert Law, the brother of Gerald Abe Munfakh, Plymouth Township trustee; and John Breen, the brother of Maurice Breen, former Plymouth Township supervisor and now a

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BILL BRESLER/staff photograpi

Elizabeth Bryl asks sewer authority members about allegations of cronyism on the project.



which represents workers at the GM Powertrain plant in Ypsilanti, wonders if the Arling-

Mike Leslie, vice president of UAW local 735, ton, Texas, plant will still be there in five years. The local is located in Canton Township.

## Willow Run closing hits about 500 area residents

By M.B. Dillon staff writer

As General Motors employees still reeling from the news that Ypsi-

of the The closing of

Willow Run

lanti's Willow Run

plant will close picked their hearts up off the ground Tuesday, the Canton community hoped for the best. Estimates are

that as many as 500 Willow Run assembly plant

act figure isn't available, township and chamber of commerce officials

say. It's also not known how many Canton residents work for automotive suppliers and other small businesses serving the auto industry.

"How do you measure this? Obviously, the downsizing of GM or any company is a painful experience for those that find themselves being eliminated or terminated," said Canton Supervisor Thomas Yack. "Hopefully, most of the individuals will find spots in existing GM facilities.

"(GM CHAIRMAN ROBERT) Stempel did say they are going to try to do a lot of it through attrition. Hopefully they are able to accomplish that

"The key will be how many can find jobs at other GM facilities in the

area. Until we know the answer to that question, we will be hard put to measure the effect. If the number is great for those unable to find placement, it may have an immediate impact on housing. There'd be more

houses for sale. Mike Leslie, first vice president of Canton Township's UAW Local 735, was present when Willow Run employees from Local 1776 met at his local on Michigan Avenue Monday.

None of the Canton local members work at Willow Run, though many of their spouses do, he said

"I expected their work force to be throwing rocks. They threw a few, but they threw them all at Bush Stempel and GM," Leslie said. "They are real angry, but they seem pretty

Hazen Hiller, president of the Canton Chamber of Commerce and owner of Master Lighting on Ford Road, doesn't foresee "a whole lot of

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## Site in south Canton picked for new school

Months of speculation concern ing the location of a proposed ele-mentary school ended Monday with the Plymouth-Canton school board's approval of an agreement to purchase land in south Canton.

The vacant 14-acre site is on the west side of Sheldon Road at Proc-

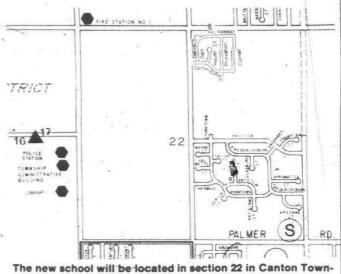
The district is paying GGC Development Associates \$350,000 for the land, which has been found to contamination-free and wellsuited for school construction, according to Ray Hoedel, associate superintendent for business and op-

THE DISTRICT WILL build a second school on a site already owned by Plymouth-Canton Community Schools in the Sunflower subdivision on the south side of Warren between Canton Center and Beck roads.

It was hoped both schools - to be financed with funds from the \$59 million bond issue approved by voters last year — would open in

Plans are being revised to open the 15-acre Warren Road site in Glengarry subdivision a year later, school officials say.

"Barring strikes or other problems, our intent is to open the Sunflower school in the fall of 1993,"



The vacant 14-acre site is on the west side of Sheldon Road at Proctor Road.

said Hoedel. "We've owned that for many years and have done the survevs pretty well on time."

meeting has been scheduled with construction manager Barton Malow to discuss the amount of time needed for planning and when the district can expect to open the second elementary. Both schools

## Cops nab phone 'hackers'

Two Plymouth Salem High students are suspected in computer fraud including the re-routing of phone bills and credit card fraud.

Apparently they were directing the phone bills elsewhere," said Plymouth Township Sgt. Jim Jarvis.

The U.S. Secret Service and Michigan State Police are investigating the activities of the 16-year-old Canton youths, who were questioned Sunday by Plymouth Township police.

Police arrested one youth after investigating a report of someone throwing rocks at security lights at the AT&T tower at 5770 Napier Road.

Officers found an unoccupied car parked east of the tower, entered the grounds and found one of the vouths hiding behind some equipment. He tried to flee but was captured, according to Plymouth Township police.

In completing the search, officers found the building was broken into, apparently to get access to AT&T computer files.

The township police department seized technical manuals from the car allegedly used by the youths, and

wire cutting and splicing tools and latex glove Both youths were released to their parents. The inves-

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coordinates Suburban Life

Suburban Life sections for the Wayne County editions of the Observer & Eccentric will now be coordinated by editor Susan Mason.

Mason has worked at the O&E for six years. She previously coordinated the Suburban Life sections in Livonia, Redford, Westland and Garden City and worked as a general assignment reporter in Westland, Livonia and Redford.

A graduate of Wayne State University, Mason lives in Westland with her husband, Bob.

Before coming to the O&E, Mason worked as

editor of Associated Newspapers in Wayne. She has received awards for feature writing and lifestyle section from the National Newspa

per Association and the Suburban Newspaper As-

A journalist since 1972, Mason would like to hear from Plymouth and Canton readers. If you have ideas for stories for Suburban Life, please contact Mason, 953-2131.

Calendar items which previously appeared in the Suburban Life section will now run in our reg-ular news section and will be coordinated by Jeff Counts, community editor. These items should be dropped off or mailed to Counts in the Plymouth-Canton office, 744 Wing Street in downtown

## Kosteva seeks state probe of sewer project

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Wayne County Commissioner. Law belongs to a law firm that represents Canton, Plymouth and

Northville townships and gives legal advice about the sewer project. John Breen, an attorney, was involved in the sewer project as a land acquisition specialist. Breen defended his role in the project on Tuesday saying he has the background to work on such a project.

Abe Munfakh works for an engi-

to approve the project.
At the Tuesday meeting, Law and

Law and Yack also said that the authority was hampered in getting work done because they couldn't contract with any firms working on Wayne County's Super Sewer project, saying that such contracts

professional services.

quested probe will address the sub-Yack defended the contracts with Breen, Abe Munfakh and Robert the three, even though they were not done on a bid basis. They said the

"We have to make the authority authority isn't required to bid out for accountable for making contracts with relatives," he said. "This has put a cloud over the project. An investigation won't remove the cloud but it will ensure that the authority is going through the bidding process rather than just making individual

## Law says rates won't rise

Plymouth Township Supervisor

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Gerald Law responded Tuesday at a township trustees meeting to charges that a joint sewer project

will double residents' sewer rates. "The rates are not going to double, they're not going to go up at all," Law said.

About 20 township residents concerned over the charges attended the trustees meeting, intending to pose questions to Law and other trustees over charges that \$11.5 million in contracts related to the Western Townships Utilities Authority had been awarded to people with connections to township officials.

WHILE A PUBLIC comment section was on the agenda, Law said he would only discuss the charges related to the WTUA project after the

"I'm telling you why I'm not going to allow it tonight," Law said. Of a report that rates would bedoubled, Law said "that's totally erroneous, those are wrong computa-

The report, he said, "has created quite a controversy among my sen-

spective (house) buyer and reassured them," he said, and a prospective de

this topic and create a

- Gerald Law

Saying further public discussion could "create rumors," Law added "We will not discuss this topic and create a circus. "We will get information to our

citizens in the township on what the truth is," he said, in the monthly township newsletter and possibly in a public hearing on the matter. Brought before the trustees to speak Tuesday was Ken Kunkel, of

the Plante and Moran auditing firm

several other Michigan communi-Before citizens, Law questioned Kunkel about current water-sewer rate increases the city of Detroit is passing on to township residents -

25 percent over the next 3 years. I think for communities to get to gether is an effective way to handle this "Kunkel said Plymouth Canton "I might add that's very cruel," he WTUA as a response to lack of control over water and sewer rates set

'We will not discuss

Tom Yack, Canton Township supervisor and sewer authority member, explains spending on the sewer project. At center is Gerald Law,

Plymouth Township supervisor and a member of the authority. Betty Lennox, authority administrator, is at left.

'The reason there is such suspicion of these people (trustees) is they do things like shut down public conversation about an important issue," said Mike Stankov, one of the residents attending the meeting.

Another township resident, Bob Zaetta, said reports that WTUA rewhich works for the township and lated work had gone to trustee Abe Munfakh and former township supervisor Maurice Breen's brother John was "the part that stinks."

> Zaetta said, adding elected public officials should face questions during

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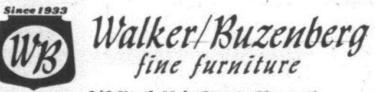


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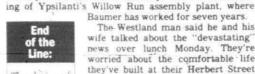


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## Closing dashes hopes of worker, wife

David Baumer fell short of the American Dream. And he's disillusioned, angry.

Baumer and his wife Kathleen, who's 51/2 months pregnant with their first child, saw their hopes fade Monday when General Motors Corp. announced the clos-



The Westland man said he and his wife talked about the "devastating" news over lunch Monday. They're they've built at their Herbert Street My wife started crying. I hate to

Baumer has worked for seven years.

see a pregnant woman cry," Baumer, 33, said Monday afternoon, shaking his head as he stood inside the UAW Local 1776 hall in Ypsilanti. He wore a GMC-logo cap with a UAW button pinned to it.

Baumer didn't suffer alone. The same grim look could be seen on the faces of GM workers from Garden City, shuffled through the doors of the union hall Monday af-

Only hours earlier, they had felt secure in their jobs. They wondered why the company had brought in 5,000 hot dogs, potato chips and pop for the 4,014 workers, if

They knew that GM planned to close either their plant or the one in Arlington, Texas. But they believed they could win what U.S. Rep. William Ford, 15th District Democrat, called "a degrading bidding war pitting American workers and American communities against

MOST AGREED with Livonia resident Bob Harlow, Local 1776 president, who suggested that President George Bush pulled some political strings for his home

"We think it's politics, and we got the raw end of the deal." said Raymond Rubin, 42, a Livonia resident and 25-year GM employee. "It's a shock - definitely a

Rubin said he may retire to Traverse City with his wife. "But you feel sorry for the people who have young Like Wayne resident Dan McCarty, 33, a 13-year GM

worker who has a 6-year-old son and a 9-year-old daughwhat he planned to tell his family when he went home Monday. McCarty said, "I'll have to tell them that we're going to have to cut back on a lot of

McCarty's family already had made some sacrifices, fearing what became reality Monday. When his daughter celebrated her recent birthday, he said, "It was hard to tell her that our plant might shut down, so I couldn't get her everything she wanted for her birthday.

McCarty had taken on a part-time security job to boost the family income. "But it really don't pay enough



Members of Willow Run UAW Local 1776 leave a union meeting in Canton Township where union representatives discussed options follow ing GM's announcement that the plant would close in 1993.

LIKEWISE, STEVE Marinkovski, a former Garden City resident who now lives in Saline, doubts that he earn a living with the catering business that he started 16 years ago to supplement his income.

'A lot of people are losing their jobs. That's no good ness or any business," Marinkovski said. He and his wife Polly, a part-time restaurant worker, have a 17-year-old son and two daughters, ages 9 and 18. Nobody expected our plant to be closed," he said. "

Some Willow Run workers held out hope that the GM plant, which makes full-size cars such as the Chevrolet Caprice sedan, might be kept open for another GM product line, even though company officials said the plant would close next year.

'It's not over 'til it's over," said Rubin of Livonia. Other workers appeared hopeful that they might be able to find GM jobs in Texas or Ohio - anywhere

AS MONDAY afternoon wore on, many workers left the Ypsilanti union hall-for a rally at another hall in Canton Township. Placards were being waved: "No More American Jobs Lost" and "Willow Run. It Builds

It builds quality Baumer, the Westland man who will be a father in 31/2 months, already knew that. "I do quality work for the company," he said. "But I guess that don't mean anything anymore."

## 'It's a damn shame' Union members lash out at Bush

Several GM workers shook their heads and grumbled when a Toyota pulled into the parking lot of the UAW Local 1776 union hall Monday afternoon.

"That's a damn shame," one worker muttered Angered by the pending closing of the Ypsilanti Willow Run plant where they work, union members lashed out at President George Bush and hailed the "Buy American" campaign that came too late for them.

General Motors Corp. also came under fire from some workers for deciding to close Willow Run, instead of a plant that it had been pitted against in Arlington, "Our parents built this country, and it's a damn

shame that George Bush is running it into the ground," said David Baumer, 33, a Westland resident and sevenyear Willow Run employee. (See related story.) Baumer and other GM workers from Observer com-

munities blamed Bush for American job losses, saying the president hasn't acted to stop Japan from "dumping" its cars on U.S. soil. They predicted a backlash as 'We're going to have to get these people out of office

who are letting this unfair trade situation continue," said Leonard Fergueson, 56, of Wayne, a 31-year veteran of Willow Run. "George Bush is in trouble in Michi-Fergueson defended GM products and said he bought a 1991 Caprice. "If I hadn't had faith in our product, I

wouldn't have bought it," he said. THE WORKER'S sentiments were echoed by U.S. Rep. William D. Ford, whose district includes Ypsilanti as well as Westland, Garden City, Canton Township and part of Livonia, but Ford took aim at GM managem

"The men and women who work hard at Willow Run producing good quality cars deserve better treatment than to have their livelihood and their future pulled out from under them," he said in a statement. "It isn't their fault that General Motors is hurting. They and their families shouldn't be made scapegoats for misguided management decisions.'

Analysts rated Willow Run higher than Arlington for quality and production costs, Ford said. The decision to

close the Ypsilanti plant "will produce one more reason for the Michigan workers who made GM into an industrial giant to break faith with the company," he said. Many GM workers accused Bush of intervening on behalf of the Texas plant, located in his home state.

'We've got a good workforce. The facts just don't add " Baumer said Ford questioned why GM, with 125 automotive plants in Michigan and one in Texas, would "add another 1,000 costly miles to the parts supply line.

DESPITE THE anger directed toward Bush and GM, most workers on Monday stood behind the "Buy American" campaign. Every piece of clothing I've got on is American-

made." Baumer said Monday, standing inside the Local 1776 hall in Ypsilanti. "If it ain't American, I don't buy it. I've been trying to get my neighbors and friends to get in on it." A Westland businessman, Bruce Lindstrom, also

shared his feelings and memories about the planned Willow Run closing. Lindstrom, a Livonia resident, used to manage a Taco Bell restaurant about a mile from the plant. Lindstrom, now manager of a Taco Bell on Wayne Road near Hur er, said he feels bad about the closing. "Many (workers)

were there a while. I had seen their faces daily While working in Ypsilanti Township for nearly three years, Lindstrom recalled that about 30 percent of his restaurant's customers were GM workers. "We used to deliver to the plant when worker

couldn't get out," he said. Lindstrom believes that GM waited too long to make cutbacks. The company had to make a business decision, but it's the employees who suffer, he said.

AMID THE crushing disappointment of Monday's announcement, many GM workers wondered aloud about "I don't know what to tell anybody to do. I don't know

"I can't believe what happened. But I was looking for a job when I got this one, and I'll be looking again. I'm a

## Area unemployement rates running below state average

was 5.2 percent with 1,175 jobless.

The city of Ypsilanti registered an 8.4 percent jobless rate, or 1,250 unemployed in December, and an an-nual jobless average of 8.9 percent, The latest unemployment figures available from the Michigan Emor 1,275 jobless workers. ployment Security Commission show Ypsilanti Township's December he jobless rate in Canton Township

in December was 4.6 percent, well unemployment rate was 10.4 percent below the state's 8.9 percent average. That translates to 1,050 jobless nual average in Ypsilanti Township was 11 percent with 3,050 unemworkers. Canton's annual average In Superior Township, the Decem-

In Plymouth, the jobless rate was ber unemployment rate was 7.4 per- 3.5 percent, with 175 residents lookcent with 375 jobless. The township's ing for work. Plymouth's annual avannual unemployment average was erage is 3.8 percent, with 200 job-

ployment rate was 3.8 percent with 425 unemployed. The annual average in the township was 4.3 percent with 475 unemployed.

Norm Isotalo, MESC communications representative, said the agency with 2,950 jobless workers. The an- is staggering under its heaviest

> increase with the Willow Run closing and the other closings," he said.



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### Community Corner

This week's question:

Do you think the closing of General Motors' Willow Run plant will affect the Canton community or you personally?

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'I'm sure it will affect the community itself. It will affect a lot of people more than they think. A lot of affected too.

- Kim Cummins



in the Ypsilanti-Ann Arbor - Rosanne Jacobs

'I'm in business for nyself. The better times are, the better times are for my business and me. don't like to buy a newspaper and see pictures of people crying. - Warren Haley

Wayne

'I think it will have a big effect on business. I work

our area, especially the economy and the state's for a motor oil company. Any closing of a GM plant welfare program. A lot of these people will be out of will have a big impact on our business and brunt of the burden until they find other jobs.



'I'm retired from GM. This will have an effect on definitely. A lot of people are going to be hurt. There are a lot of cars that won't be bought. - Karl McNulty

## 500 area residents face loss of Willow Run jobs

ferent ways. "About 4,000 workers and families The closing of Willow Run

take the real hard hit."

End of the Line:

going to be tough on you," said Hiller. "We're cushioned somewhat lanti. That's where they're going to Time will tell just how the real es-

Preschool centers are located at

have to wait and ride out. Nobody welcomes this. This is something you start working to protect yourself from 10 or 20 years before it happens so that it never happens Hiller said. "You have to keep building relations between management,

THE SCRIPT FOR this scenario was written 30 years ago, Hiller said "It all goes back to when the automotive companies were trying to get their costs down, and were

The Japanese and Germans showed up, and the next thing, we were involved in a world market. Associate broker Lana Olson of

personally

Canton foresees a good outcome in the housing market. "They're talking about the Flint V8 plant closing and moving a lot of

those people to the Romulus GM

plant. If you work out I-94, Canton "It seems to be a popular area. I don't know if all 4.000 Willow Run employees will be moving to Texas

coming into the area. It might work Overall, I don't see a lot of gloom out pretty well. Canton and Plymouth offer very easy expressway access to Romulus. A number of Romulus residents

enhancing the real estate picture, Ol "The one thing we don't want to see is a real strong buyers' market again, because we don't have the appreciation.

are upgrading to the Canton area,

Olson said 350 homes currently are for sale in Canton. "That number next year is likely to be 400. That

and doom impact in real estate, as long as interest rates stay relatively

Ruth Clevers, president of the

Western Wayne Oakland County As-

sociation of Realtors, is hopeful ad-

verse impact on real estate will be

offset by a new use for the Willow "I would hope that that location is looked at by other industries to keep people working there," said Clevers

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STREET WISE s proximity to highways and the is for smart people airport should be a big plus, she said.

## Soviet breakup is class topic Prof to examine the 'why' behind turmoil

With tension mounting in the former Soviet Union, Dwight Lang is updating the course materials for his Madonna College March seminar on the region - by the

With massive protests against Russian President Boris Yeltsin. and equally massive counterdemonstrations in his support, Lang is striving to keep course materials

"Newspapers are our textbook," Lang said.
One thing is clear, last year's

lesson plan has been scrapped. End of the Communist era, and formation of the Commonwealth of Independent States, stunned the

How it happened has already been documented. But for Lang, a sociologist, the key question is

"We're trying to interpret what ind themselves insecure in their jobs," Misztal said. "You have to happened within a framework, Lang said. "We're looking at the show you're better than your friend and that breaks the social region, its history and culture to see why things happened as they

Yes, he said, there was a second Russian revolution. But it wasn't at all like the one in 1917. Despite substantial and highly-"THIS WAS really a revolution

"ORDINARY PEOPLE don't care for politics, they want a pleasant life."

enough, according to a fellow pro-

Intellect and ideology will only

ting Madonna professor Mariusz

As in Poland, a less restrictive

economy may help goods become

more plentiful, but it cannot guar-

for people to understand," said Misztal, an English language spe-

There were often five people for

one job. We didn't have unemploy-

On-the-job competition became

Suddenty, overhight, people

a new, unwelcome, presence

"This is the most difficult thing

carry a revolution so far, said vis-

fessor who lived through similar

hange in eastern Europe

formation of Poland.

life is even harder in the former Soviet Union than in Poland. "I was inside the Moscow

McDonald's," he said. "It is true the lines were long, but most peo ple just wanted to take a look inside. Lunch would cost them a week's salary."

Misztal, who witnessed the trans-Whatever happens, Lang said the Cold War is over. That for Ex-Soviets are already learning some of the same bitter, ironic leshim, is the most significant went n a year of extraordinary events.

"To me, the greatest thing that reduction of the nuclear threat Lang said. "For me, a member of the baby boom generation, that's especially significant. I can remember the air raid drills we used

to do in school."

As the threat of U.S.-Russian onfrontation dims, Lang said both nations must reassess their place in the world.

"We are going to have to determine where we stand, particularly n relation to the Third World, Lang said. "Already there's the fears of two superpowers aligning hemselves against the Third World."

Even though changes swept Mi khail Gorbachev from power Lang still respects the former So-

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"What's amazing to me is that

through the (Communist) system and yet still realize the changes that needed to be made," Lang said. 'He will go down in history as one of the most significant fig-

ares of the 20th century." Seventeen people signed up for Lang's course last year, when Gor bachev was still in power. A greater number is expected this year.

One adult student in another of my classes told me she was going to bring her teenáge daughter with "Lang said "There seems to be tremendous interest, especially

If Americans are more interest ed than even in the formerly Comnunist nations, the opposite is also

Western-style intellectual freedom is an intoxicating prospect, Misztal said, perhaps the only fac tor strong enough to convince peo ple their personal upheaval serves a greater purpose.

To have that, to be free to think and say what you want - that is something that is very, very

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are involved, and we know that Texas is going to have to put on another shift to handle the work," he said. "I can easily see 1,000 families being transferred to Texas. If 500 or more take early retirement, that'll be 2,000 families affected, though throughout all of GM there will be all kinds of job bumping.

terested in registering their children

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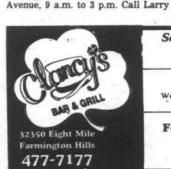
14, from 9 a.m. to noon in Rooms 133 and 136 of Canton-High School. The doors will open at 8:30 a.m. The program is offered on a first come, first erved basis to all residents of the Plymouth Canton Community School

to 5 p.m. Call Shari Dames, 455-9300, ext. 122. CANTON Wednesday, March 18 - Tri City Assembly of God, 2100 Hannan Road, 3:30-9:30 p.m. Call Sharon Chefan, 326-0330.

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cal Supply, 45755 Five Mile, 11 a.m.

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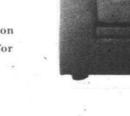
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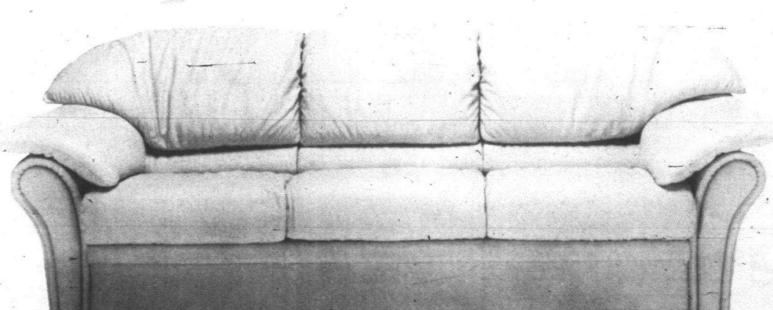
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## Man for the missions

tines' Wyandotte-based mission director

## He raises funds to help poor areas of Africa

traveled in January to Pallottine posts in Kenya

staff writer

In the 1960s, the work of Patrick Sheehan, now a retired milkman living in Dearborn, was not lost on Mike Sullivan of Farmington Hills.

ca - a thank you "for his tremendous contribu-A native of County Cork, Ireland, Sheehan founded and for years coordinated a Detroit-area dinner dance to benefit an Irish order of missionary priests called the Pallottine Fathers.

Founded in 1835 by the Italian St. Vincent Pallotti, the international order now has 135 priests and lay brothers dedicated to mission retreats, propagating the faith, directing schools and coland acting as chaplains to the armed forces, hospitals and institutions.

Much of the Pallottines' work is done in poor areas of Africa - a continent that's intrigued Sullivan since he began raising money for the

ALONG WITH a group of other Detroit-area residents, Sullivan has hosted a benefit dinner dance, held every October at Burton Manor (formerly Roma Hall) in Livonia. Sullivan also started a raffle that in conjunction with the dinner dance has raised close to half a million dollars

Sullivan, who opened Waterville Construction risiting Africa, and expressed interest in going. "I thought he'd forget all about it, but he

they're happy. They have their own way of life." zania, came home counting his blessings. He also gained a new appreciation for the Pallottines'

> FROM NAIRORI Kenya where their flight landed, the visitors drove south over hole-filled nud roads in land rovers to Galapo, Tanzania, the Pallottines' African headquarters. There, Sullivan saw one of the biggest invest-

Sullivan, who spent most of his 18 days in Tan-

edication, and the beauty and rugged life in Af-

nents the Pallottines have made with Detroiters' dollars - five tractors. With members of the Maasai tribe, the Rev. John Kelly farms 1,000 acres, said Sullivan, longtime chairman of the Detroit St. Patrick's Pa-

"His main objective is to feed people. They grow maize, which is like corn, and beans. Fain Farmington Hills in 1978, heard last year that have famine, and if we don't have famine, we a group of Pallottine priests from the U.S. was have a drought. He said if he had the gaurantee

of water, things would be dynamite.'

and home, for the majority, is too far away, said

Along with a few others, Keogh and Sullivan Sullivan.

Sullivan.

They work in the fields until 6:30 at night. Then they sit under a tree in the dark. There's a Sullivan was a guest of the Pallottines in Afri- cook who heats up maize in a hig pot on a fire. To

drink, there's tea and water. "There are just a couple of little sheds, and a hard-trip. The people there really struggle, but hut for the foreman. The other men sleep on the roof of a galvanized building on an old rug," said

> A VISIT to the local pub is out of the question for most Maasai - a beer costs the equivalent of "Fr. Kelly is building a large storehouse out of

blocks they're making with cement, sand and water. Their hope is to put up enough beans and maize to survive a drought." Kelly hopes for measured success. "He said if he made it (the farm) too successful, the govern-

Plymouth's Judy Ciatti has worked on the Paiine dinner dance with Sullivan for several years. She Sullivan earned this trip to Africa.

ment would probably take it away," said Sulli-

'Mike was instituted the \$100 raffle tickets and people said,'It will never work.' But he's her told me, 'If we don't have a drought, we made it work, even during the recession. He has time to charity. The Pallottines' motto is 'The charity of Christ urges me on.' That's what urges The laborers, who earn \$1.50 a day, live on site Mike on. He really does believe in it, and when he didn't," said the Rev. Stephen Keogh, the Pallot- during planting season because hours are long, believes in it, he really works hard," Clatti said.

## Fine arts competition slated

Thursday, March 5, and Friday, March 6, in the Canton High School Little Theater.

Thursday's performances in vocal nusic, instrumental music and dance will begin at 4:15 p.m. Friday's performance beginning at 3:45 talents of Plymouth Canton area stum. will feature the piano competi- dents.

cil will be sponsoring the Damaris dents will be performing each day Student Fine Arts Competition on During both performance sessions the visual art and creative writing entries will be on display in the ad joining hallway.

Three small group sessions will be

held. Catherine Philbin, a senior ad-

missions counselor at the University

of Michigan, will discuss "Finding

Carina Gainer of Schoolcraft Col-

lege will present "The Community

College Experience" in the Canton

High School library's viewing and

listening room 8:10 p.m. and 8:45

career services at Eastern Michigan

University, will discuss "The Jol

Should You Be?" The session will be

held 8:10 p.m. and 8:45 p.m. in the

For more information, contact

the Appropriate College." The ses-

p.m. in the Canton cafeteria.

The public is invited to attend the

## Interviews set for manager hopefuls

as interim city manager will be in- to be the new manager in Madison terviewed by the city council at a Heights, had recommended that the

Maplewood Community Center. The candidates, Henry Graper and Gary Kuckle, have already had a screening interview with a threecommittee comprising Mayor Jim Plakas and council members Mary Jane Schildberg and Ray-

public meeting Saturday, March 7 at council find an interim manager to permanent replacement is found.

> Now working in Sault Ste. Marie, Graper is known in the area, having served as Plymouth city manager until 1989. He had been active in pro-

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ing businesses into the city.

At the end of his tenure in Plymouth, there was some controvery reserve for three to six months until a garding expense accounts stemming rom restaurants and bars. Follow ing a state audit, Graper repaid several thousand dollars to the city. Graper had previously worked for Garden City as a urban renewal pro-

the last six years working in the private sector. Currently, he does con

The first interview is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. with the second at 11 a.m. Plakas didn't specify the order in which the candidates would be in terviewed. The meeting will be held gram consultant during the 1960s

Coldwater city manager and spent

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## Students take a look at life in next century

The Centennial Educational Park specialist at Ford Motor Co. and a counseling department will present Business-Education Partnership Preparing to Live and Work in the Committee, along with Bernadette list Century," a program for high Larkin of Manufacturers National school juniors and their parents, 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 11, at Plym-Bank, will present "What Employers Will Look for in the Future." That outh Canton High School, on Canton sentation will take place in the Center, south of Joy in Canton.

The program is sponsored by the Canton cafeteria. CEP counseling department and the Eastern Michigan University Career Services Center in cooperation with Schoolcraft College, the University of Michigan and local employers. sion will be held 8:10 p.m. and 8:45

"The junior year is when most students become motivated to start planning for post-secondary opportunities" said June Swartz a counselor at Plymouth Salem High School. "The workshop continues to grow each year. Last year, more than 400 students and parents participated and we expect even more this

Canton High School cafeteria with introductions, an explanation of the junior's timetable and a calendar of

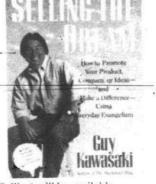
Following the introductory remarks, John Lankford, a training counselor June Swartz, 451-6600.

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While many corporations - no-

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- State Rep. Bill Keith

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Educators and business should provide vastly expanded job training to prepare high school students for the world of work - "a seamless transition from high school to further education or the world of

The proposal comes from state Rep. William Keith of Garden City and the top State Capitol Democrat, House Speaker Lewis Dodak of Birch Run. Keith led Dodak's reer-Technical Education, which submitted its recommendations

They blister high schools' "general" track as useless, equating i with dropping out. They advocate preparing every student - girls, for the world of work, a tries give students paid hands-on experience half the week. They go change that will require "redefining the purpose of education

Phil Power, chairman of Suburban Communications Corp. and, a University of Michigan regent, put is stamp on the report: "The focus of education must be on the achievement of 'compentencies and 'mastery of skills' that students will need in the 21st century. We can no longer afford to graduate students based on 'seat-time

KEITH, A trade school gradutably General Motors - have exate, is a former school board presitensive training programs, Keith dent and 19-year legislator Keith admires Germany's vocacomplains that they're not part of an overall system available to evetional-ed system, in which indusWithout such a system, Keith said, "our standard of living, individual earning power and economc stability may fall behind that of

The report mentions House Bill 4165, which calls for expanded vocational training. Co-sponsors are Keith and Rep. Glenn Oxender, R-

A LONGER school year - 200 days versus the current 180 -should be in store for Michigan students, the report says. It echoes the recommendation of Donald Bemis, former superintendent of public instruction, to add five days year for four years The report notes:

"In the 1950s, the U.S. had the longest school year and the longest school day of all the countries. To day, studies show we have the shortest school year and the shortest school day.

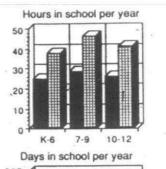
"In Japan, high school students attend school 242 days a year, 41.5 hours a week and some 30 days of teacher in-service is required over and above the 242-day school year the U.S., our students attend school 180 day a year, 26.2 hours a

NO COST figures were included

Funding cannot be addressed without understanding what exists today and what will be needed in the future," says a key recommen dation. A state cabinet - appoin ed by the governor and legislative

## Time spent on Education

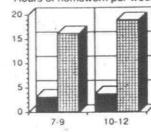
**United States VS Japan** 



what job skills are needed and how

well existing programs meet the

need before new costs can be



the committee. Among other

Oak vocational ed teacher; Renee

Bruce Stine, AFL-CIO.

mbers were Betty Ong, Royal

inning for Ford Motor Co., and

In 1991, the foundation awarded 174 grants nationwide, totaling \$62.9 nillon. Grant recipients included Michigan organizations which were awarded a \$10.4 million

The Angela Hospice Care Center, grounds in Livonia, will be a 24,000 square-foot facility designed to care or the terminally ill in southeaster

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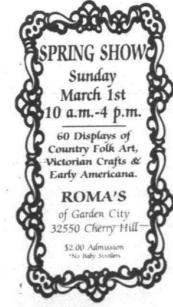
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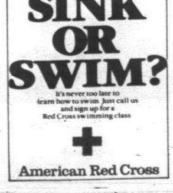
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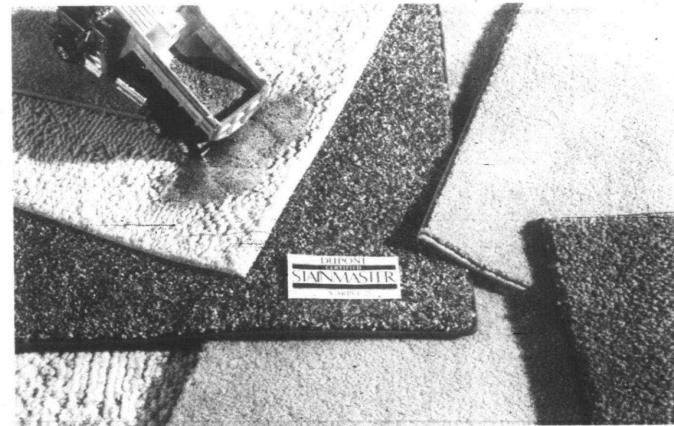






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'Crickets," 397-5110.

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· Come Little Children Center,

• The Discovery Learning Cen-

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ter, 45678 Helm, in a Metro West In-

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through kindergarten, 455-5490.

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town Plymouth, preschool through Central Middle School, 451-6656. • Plymouth Canton Montessori New Horizons for Children School 459-1550 Learning Center, 45801 West Ann

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• PLUS Preschool, Central Middle School, free program for 4-yearolds, register now for 1992-1993 school year, 451-8656. • St. Michael Christian School

Canton, registration for 3-year-old But GOP insiders say that "if preschool through second grade is March 2-13, 459-9720 • St. Peter Lutheran Day School.

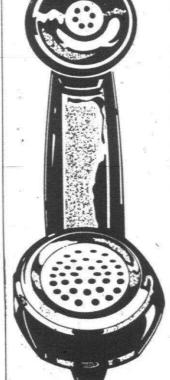
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NOTICE NOTICE

Notice is bereby given that on the 11th day of February, 1992, pursuant to provisions of Act 31 of the bubic Acts of Michigan, 1948, as amended ("Act 31"), the following Articles of Incorporation of the harter Township of Plymouth Building Authority were adopted by the Township Board of the Charter township of the Township of Plymouth, County of Wayne, State of Michigan. The right exists to question se incorporation of the Charter Township of Plymouth Building Authority in a court of competent jurisdiction within 80 days after the date of filing of certified copies of such Articles of Incorporation with the lichigan Secretary of State and the Wayne County Clerk.

These Articles of Incorporation are adopted and executed by the incorporating unit, being the Charter ownship of Plymouth, County of Wayne Michigan, for the purpose of creating a Building Authority, ursuant to the provisions of Act No. 31 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1948 (First Extra Session), as mended (the "Act").

ARTICLE I The name of this Authority is the "CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BUILDING AUTHORITY"

ARTICLE III

The purpose of this Authority is to acquire, furnish equip, own, improve, enlarge, operate and maintain buildings, automobile parking lots or structures, recreational facilities, stadiums, and the necessary site sites therefor, together with appurenant properties and facilities necessary or convenient for the effective use thereof, for the use or benefit of the Charter Township of Plymouth. County of Wayne, Michigan (the "Township")

The Authority shall be a body corporate with power to sue and be sued in any Court of this State. It shall have a corporate seal. The corporate limits of the Authority shall be the same as those of the Township. The Authority shall possess all the powers necessary to carry out the purpose of its incorporation and those incident thereto. The enumeration of any powers herein shall not be construed as a limitation upon its general powers unless the context shall clearly indicate otherwise.

ARTICLE V

The Authority shall continue in existence until dissolved pursuant to law Provided, that it shall not be dissolved if such dissolution would operate as an impairment of any bond or other contract. In the event of such dissolution, the title to any property then owned by the Authority shall pass to the Township. ARTICLE VI

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The fiscal year of the Authority shall commence on the first day of January, in each year, and end on the thirty-first day of December following.

For the purpose of accomplishing the objects of its incorporation, the Authority may acquire property by purchase, construction, lease, gift, devise or condemnation, and for the purpose of condemnation, it may proceed under the provisions of Act No. 149 of the Public Acts of 1911, as now or hereafter amended, or any other appropriate statute. ARTICLE VIII The Authority shall have power to enter into a contract or contracts with the Township, whereby the Authority will acquire property to be used by the Township and will lease the same to the Township for a period not to exceed lifty (50) years. The consideration specified in such contract or contracts for such use shall be subject to increase by the Authority, if necessary, in order to provide funds to meet its obligations. Provided, that such increase shall not require the Township to pay more than a reasonable rental for the

For the purpose of defraying all or part of the cost of acquiring, improving, and enlarging any building or buildings, automobile parking lots or structures, recreational facilities, stadiums, and the necessary site or sites for the property, together with appurlenant properties and facilities necessary or coevenient for the effective use of the property, furnishing and equipping the same, or refunding outstanding honds as provided in section 11k of the Act, the Authority, after execution and delivery of a full faith and credity general obligation construct of lease, as provided in the Act, and pursuant to ordinance or residual continuous and accordance or residual continuous accordance or residua

The powers of the Authority shall be exercised by its governing body which shall be known as the Commission" and shall coasist of five (5) members to be appointed by the Township Board of the Township, each of whom shall bold office for a term of three (3) years, except that the term of one (1) of the Commissioners first appointed shall expire on Decomber 51, 1992, the term of two (2) of the Commissioners first appointed shall expire on Decomber 51, 1993, and the term of two (2) of the Commissioners first appointed shall expire on Decomber 51, 1993, and the term of two (2) of the Commissioners first appointed shall expire on Decomber 51, 1993, and the term of two (2) of the Commissioners shall be appointed for a full three (3) year term beginning on Jamasry 1 of the first year of the term and expiring on Decomber 31 of the fast year thereof. Each Commissioner shall serve during the term for which he or she was appointed and thereafter shall his or her successor is appointed. No member of the Township Board of the Township shall be eligible to appointment or membership on the Commission. The members of the Commission shall serve without compensation but the Commission in its discretion may authorize the payment of the authorize the payment of the authorize the payment of the Commission shall are done as are approved by the Township Board of the Township. The first mormbers of the Commission shall need for the purpose of the first day is Janasary in each appointment and thereafter the Commission shall meet for such purpose on the first day in January in each year which is not a Spturday. Sunday or legal holiday, at 16 a.m., at the Township Hall or such other usual

commission and notice thereof served personally upon all members, at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to the time of holding of the meeting and in accordance with the Act. No appointment to the Commission and no election of an officer of the Commission shall be deemed to be invalid because it was not made within at the time specified in these Articles. Any member of the Commission may be removed for cause at a time by action of the Township Boaru of the Township. Any officer of the Commission may be removed any time by action of the Commission.

In event of a vacancy on the Commission, the Township Board of the Township of shall fill the

All meetings of the Commission shall be conducted at a public meeting held in compliance with Act No 287 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1878, as amended ("Act 287") Public notice of the time, date and place of the meeting shall be given in the manner required by Act 287. Meetings of the Commission shall be held at such times and places as shall be prescribed by resolution of the Commission. Special meetings of the Commission may be called by the Chairperson or any three (3) members thereof, by serving written notice of the time, place and purpose thereof, upon each member of the Commission personally, or by leaving it at his or her place of readence at least twenty-four (24) hours, prior to the time of such meeting, or by depositing the same in a United States post office or mailbox within the Township, at least seventy-two (72) hours prior to the time of such meeting, enclosed in a sealed envelope properly addressed to him or her at his or her home or office address, with postage fully prepaid thereon Special meetings of the Commission at which all members are present shall be deemed to be valid even though no written notice thereof may have been given as above provided. Any member of the Commission has wave notice of any meeting either before or after the holding thereof. A majority of all members of the Commission shall be required for a quorum. The Commission shall act by motion, resolution or ordinance for the passage of any motion, resolution or ordinance there shall be required the affirmative vote of three (3) members thereof. The Commission shall have the right to adopt rules governing its procedure, provided the same are not in conflict with the terms of any State statute or of these Articles. The Commission shall keep a pournal of its proceedings which shall be signed by the Chairperson and Secretary. All votes shall be be given and anys. The journal shall show how each member worde. Each member shall be required to vote upon all motions, resolution and ordinance in which he or she has any persona All meetings of the Commission shall be conducted at a public meeting held in compliance with Act No 267 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1976, as amended ("Act 267") Public notice of the time, date and

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The Chairperson of the Commission shall be the presiding officer thereof. In the absence or disability of 
—the Chairperson the Vice Chairperson shall perform the duties of the Chairperson. The Secretary shall be 
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be designated by the Commission, and all checks or other forms of withdrawal therefrom shall be signed by 
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for officers of 
the Commission shall have such other powers and duties as may be conferred upon them by the Commission.

The Commission shall have power to secure all necessary services to carry out the functions of the Authority and to fix the compensation therefor. The Commission shall submit turble Township Board of the Township an annual report of its financial transactions, which report shall be open to public inspection at all reasonable times. ARTICLE XV

ARTICLE XVI

These Articles of Incorporation, upon their adoption by the Township. Board of the Township, shall be executed in duplicate for and on behalf of the Township by the Supervisor and the Clerk of the Township. Said duplicate executed copies shall be delivered to the County Clerk of Wayne County, who shall file one of said executed copies in his or her office and the other with the Secretary of the Authority, when selected The Township Glerk shall cause a copy of these Articles of Incorporation to be published once in The Physmostic Observer, a newspaper circulating within the Township. The County Clerk of the County of Wayne shall file one (1) printed copy of these Articles of Incorporation with the Secretary of State of the State of Michigan and one (1) printed copy thereof in his or her office, attached to each of which printed copies shall be his or her certificate setting forth that the isame is a true and complete copy of the original Articles of Incorporation on file in his or her office, and also the date and place of the publication thereof. This Authority shall become effective upon the filing of one printed copy of the Articles of Incorporation with the Michigan Secretary of State.

The Township Board of the Charter Township of Plymouth, State of Michigan, County of Wayne, has adopted these Articles of Incorporation by the affirmative vote of the majority of its members etect, and in witness thereof hás caused the same to be executed for and on behalf of said Township by the Supervisor and the Clerk of the Township, this 11th day of February, 1992.

## Honigman may challenge Pursell

A battle could be brewing between state Sen. David Honigman and U.S. Rep. Carl Pursell for the Congressional seat held by Pursell since

"It's been a boyhood dream of nine to run for Congress," Honigman said, adding he was considering

Honigman wasn't specific about which district he would choose - his West Bloomfield home would most likely be placed in a district featurield, R-Birmingham, as its incum-

Honigman runs it would most likely three terms in the state House.

LaVallee had earlier sa Pursell-Honigman primary

could be perhaps the most-watched state race. Redistricting could be the key to whether it happens. The GOP's own redistricting plan

shifts the balance of Pursell's 2nd District seat from the Ann Arbor/ Hillsdale area to western Oakland County, Farmington Hills and Novi, along with the Walled Lake/Milford area, would be added to the district

"IF YOU you look at it, it's a large ortion of Honigman's state Senate district." Oakland GOP executive director Jim LaVallee said.

Pursell, 59, is a member of the House Appropriations Committee. Honigman, 36, is in his first state

Senate term. He previously served Oakland County residents.

dates for 1992.

than 15 years ago.

LaVallee had earlier said he

ubted Honigman would be a 1992

Both Pursell and Broomfield have

Pursell, R-Plymouth, is already

mpaighing in western Oakland

thwestern Oakland communities

"I think that could be a factor in

Though Pursell once represented

in the state Senate, that was more

his (Honigman's) decision," LaVallee

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into this election," Pursell spokesman Gary Cates said. "Obviously, this would be a pretty heavily Republican district and he does go in as the incumbent. As for any other candidates, we'd have to wait on redis-

would pit Pursell and Broomfield in a district stretching from Plymouth

State Sen. David

dream to run for

Congress. A

Honigman (right) said

it's been his boyhood

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Rep. Carl Pursell said

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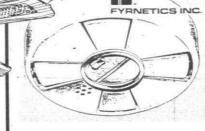
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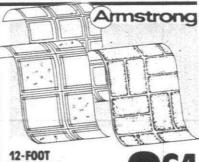
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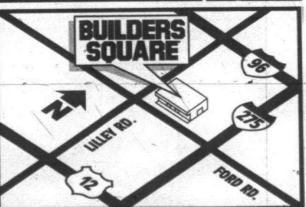
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#### Volunteer

ouise Bradley, a volunteer in the Plymouth
Canton school district for 20 years, was
recognized as an outstanding volunteer
on Monday by the school board.
Bradley was honored with the Extra Miler

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Volunteers In Public Schools Award, which was established by the I Care Committee and the school board to recognize volunteers.

The volunteer work done by Bradley has been at Gallimore, Fiegel and Field elementary schools. She has worked in the media centers and other areas of the schools.

Also, Bradley is a member of the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra and has demonstrated the cello in classrooms. She has also directed craft

#### **Skating DARE**

ARE, an anti-drug program, will hold its Plymouth-Canton DARE Skate-A-Thon on Saturday, March 7, from 6 p.m. until 11:30 p.m. at the Skatin' Station in Canton.

All students are eligible to participate in the event, which is a fund-raising effort for the program. Students are being asked to solicit \$50 in pledges to DARE.

The sheets are availabe at the city of Plymouth Police Department and at the Skatin' Station.

Each participant will receive a T-shirt and

pizza.
For more information, contact the DARE office at 453-3492.

## Viva Canton

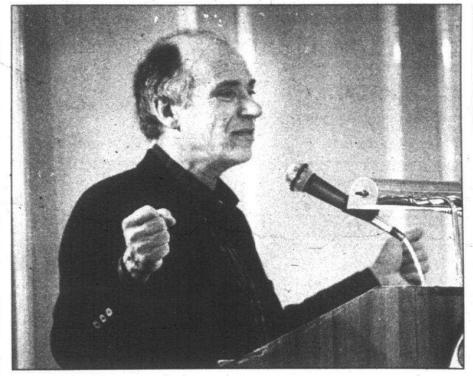
t. Thomas A'Becket Church, 555 S. Lilley,
Canton, will host a Las Vegas Night on
Friday from 7 p.m. until 1 a.m. at the
church. The proceeds from the event go
to the church's building fund. For more
information, contact Larry Bell at 397-8629.

#### **Canton vets**

he Canton Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6967 will hold its monthly meeting on Monday, March 2, at 8 p.m. at the Mayflower Lt. Gamble VFW Post. 1426 S. Mill.

The post is sponsoring a bingo party for the veterans at the Ann Arbor VA Hospital on Sunday, March 8, and is looking for people interested in helping with the event.

For more information, contact Sam Migliore at 459-8027 or Jack Runkle at 451-0718.





BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Jay Levinson, left, helped business people find the guerrilla in themselves. Bob Roderick, above left, and Russ Webster, above right, listen to the marketing message.

## Marlboro ad creator leaves 'em smokin'

By Kevin Brown staff writer

How best to shake the monkey of business failure from the back of downtown

Plymouth business people? Bring in a "guerrilla."

Jay Levinson, creator of the "Marlboro Man" ad campaign and author of a successful series of books on "Guerrilla Marketing," brought his message before more than 100 business people Tuesday.

THEY GATHERED TO attend a seminar hosted by Levinson at the Mayflower Meeting House in Plymouth. The seminar came at a time when some downtown business closings have some people worried about the future of downtown.

To emphasize the importance of marketing, Levinson recounted how Marlboro cigarettes had once been sold to women.

"They wanted to change the perception it was more masculine," he said, recounting the beginnings of a successful ad camTips offered by Levinson included: Offering free brochures, keeping the business neat and organized, running contests and sweepstakes to gather names for mailing lists and practicing good telephone answering manners.

paign featuring photos of cowboys and "Marlboro country."

Compared to a big ad campaign, guerrilla marketing, Levinson said, requires "time, energy and imagination."

He featured 100 different "weapons" or approaches.

"And the more you use, the better,"

Levinson said.

Among 15 he said "are tied for first place" was pursuing a focused marketing plan.

"It should last 10 to 20 years, something that guides all your efforts," he said.

Owners and staffers of a business should know its niche or position. "When people hear about your store, what's the very first thing that enters their mind?" Levinson asked. A business should also develop a logo, to better remember the firm by.

Items with small impact add up, Levinson said, such as using a pleasing stationery over one not as good. "When you multiply these things by 100, it has an impact on your business."

He urged store owners to have hours of operation to please customers, rather than owners, and suggested opening on Sun-

Among other suggestions, Levinson said:

Offer free brochures, as 25 to 33 percent of those who take them use your business.

 Sloppiness around the store suggests you run your business that way.

 Running contests and sweepstakes helps a business owner gather names for mailing lists.

• Good telephone answering manners encourage sales.

Give free samples, seminars and clinics.

 Work hard in community projects, and people will say "You must work hard in your business," Levinson said.

 Send thank-you notes within 48 hours of a sale, and maintain contact with customers who buy from you.

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#### THURSDAY

CANTON SENIORS: Canton Parks and Recreation Services will have a St. Patrick's Day Dinner from 12-4 p.m. March 16 at Mayflower Meeting House. Tickets are available at the Canton Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Avenue Canton. 397-4444.

residency requirements. 397-5110. and shut-ins. PLYMOUTH YMCA: Register now for YMCA classes: Women's Self Defense Rape Prevention, Sell

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> FUTURE TRIPS: The City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring trips: Ameri-Flora "92" in Columbus, Ohio, three days, May 27-29; Frankenmuth, April 8: America's national parks, 11 days, June 13-23; and Glacier National Park and Sun Valley, 11 days, Aug. 4-14, 455-6620.

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lessons at Riverview Highlands Ski Johnston at 348-1280 for more infor-Area. Call Canton Parks and Recre- mation. Also, 397-5110. ation at 397-5110. No residency re-

MENS BASKETBALL: Canton 459-9485. residents may register now for recreation night basketball at Eriksson Elementary School gym. Call Canton Parks and Recreation Services at

AEROBIC FITNESS: Classes are held at St. John's Episcopal Church, Faith Community Church and Canton Parks and Recreation at various times during the week. Call Sue

AEROBICS: Exercise classes are offered at First Presbyterian Church f Plymouth. Child care available

CO-OP PRESCHOOL: Willow Creek Cooperative Preschool, located in Geneva Presbyterian Church in Canton has begun registration for alumni and Geneva church members. The general public may register March 2, 9:30-11:30 a.m. For further information, call Lori at 454-

SELF HELP: Families Anony-

mous meets 8 p.m. Thursdays, St. John Neumann Church, 44800 Warren Road, Canton, 453-2811.

SUPPORT GROUP: Plymouth Family Service offers a group for women trying to cope with being a single parent, limited financial resources, feeling isolated and various other concerns. Meetings are from 4-5:30 p.m. every Monday at Field Elementary School, 100 S. Haggerty Road in Canton, Meetings are confidential. For information call 453-0890. Child care available.

#### MONDAY

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CABINETMAKERS SINCE 1969

Parents - not Gov. Engler's ad-

ministration - should decide

whether the Michigan Education

lege-bound children, House Demo-

by then-Gov. James Blanchard.

'My bill mandates an annual open

James Kosteva, D-Canton,

There are absolutely no sound lege tuition. Some 55,000 contracts reasons why the MET board has have been sold, and 1,300 youngsters failed to open up enrollments," Kosare actually attending college under MET guarantees. His bill also would allow the MET board to raise rates for pre-paid col-THE TRICK to funding MET was lege tuition contracts to be set no the spread between tuition rate

jority floor leader Pat Gagliardi, D-

There's little hope the Republican-

Under MET contracts, parents

other relatives or employers pre-pay

years to a Michigan university. The

18, the child is assured fully paid col-

led Senate will pass the measure and

less that Gov. John Engler will sign

rummond Island.

Kosteva said, "So be it."

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higher than the weighted average of growth and interest earnings.

Trust is a good or bad deal for col- it. If MET becomes a political issue

enrollment period for MET," said a youngster's tuition for two or four

sponsor of the 1988 program signed Treasury invests the money. At age

ert Bowman, earnings were pro-DEMOCRATS served notice they jected to increase at nearly 8.8 perplan to make MET a political issue cent a year compounded while tui-by announcing Kosteva's bill in tions were projected to increase at House Speaker Lewis Dodak's con- only 7.3 percent, a spread of 1.5 per-Visit the DeGiulio Kitchen & Bath Showrooms

But the MET board says long-term nterest rates are the lowest they've been in decades while universities

are threatening double-digit tuition been to use "middle-class families" at the top of every news release or hikes as state aid wanes. announcement, and Tuesday's announcement was no exception. "LET THE market decide," re-

Kosteva bill seeks annual open enrollment for MET

plied Kosteva. "The demand for higher education has not diminished. At least offer residents the opportunity to invest.' Gagliardi scoffed at the sugges-

tion interest earnings were too low. "The state Treasury's own people are making double-digit returns (on pension fund investments). All the flation big houses - show me one that didn't make 18 percent over the last capping tuition would not be a litmus few years."

Democrats said MET is superior boards at the Democratic State Con-MET with a savings bond program. Under Blanchard's treasurer, Robsumers?" Kosteva asked. "MET is a gan, Michigan State and Wayne

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o Engler's suggestion of replacing vention. The parties nominate two candidates each electionfor the What benefit is that to con- boards of the University of Michi-

DODAK'S political strategy has

MET was designed to help ensure

that middle-class families can afford

Dodak also is pushing a proposal

to cap tuition increases, at Michi-

gan's 15 state universities and 29

community colleges at the rate of in-

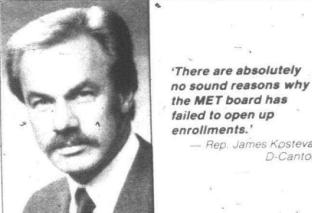
But both Dodak and Kosteva say

higher education for their children,'

said Kosteva's prepared statement

'MET is tax free," added Gagliar-"With his (Engler's) bond issue,

any issues between the parties.



State universities. Rarely are there said Kosteva, "not holding candi dates' feet to the fire" over tuition "Our goal should be affordability," increases.

Rep. James Kosteva,

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#### obituaries

#### ANDERSON

Services for Anna W. Anderson, 93. of Westland were Thursday, Feb. 20, at Schrader Funeral Home. Buri-

al was in Riverside Cemetery. Mrs. Anderson was born Jan. 23, 1899, in Eskil Stuna, Sweden. She died Monday, Feb. 17, in Westland. She came to the Plymouth community in 1921 from Detroit. She came to he United States in 1919. She became a U.S. citizen July 2, 1928. She was a homemaker and member of the First Presbyterian Church of

Mrs. Anderson is survived by one nephew. Bengt Fall of Sweden; one niece, Briggetta Erickson of Sweden; and friend, K. Nils Peterson of Plymouth.

Services for Joseph W. Barnett, Lutheran Church in Livonia.

1925, in Toledo, Ohio. He died Saturday, Feb. 15, at Greenery Extended Care. He was employed as a lab technician at an auto industry. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge.

Mr. Barnett is survived by his

wife, Ann Barnett of Canton Township; two daughters, Cherly Barnett and Kimberly Van Dyke; one son, Mark Barnett; two grandchildren; three sisters; and one brother. The Rev. William Lindholm, of

LEGAL NOTICE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE NOTE: The Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth has established a Public Hearing to hear the request of Damone/Andrews Associates, Inc., to establish an Industrial Development District for Parcel B in outh Corporate Park. The legal description is as follows:

Part of the N.E. 4 of Section 21, T.1S., R.8E., Plymouth Township, Wayne County, Michigan, being more particularly described as beginning at a point distant S. 00° 45' 01" W., 2643.79 feet from the North ¼ corner of said Section 21, said point being the center of said section 21; thence N. 48° 58' 01" E., 388.94 feet; thence N. 01° 30° 36° E., 537.15 feet; thence N. 89° 43' 19° E., 330.69 feet to a point on the West line of "Metro West Industrial Park No. 3 Subdivision", as recorded in Liber 101, Pages 23-26 of Wayne County Records; thence along said West line, S. 01° 30' 36" W., 779.03 feet; thence S. 86° 44' 24" W., 617.55 feet thence S. 86° 41' 46" W., 164.53 feet; thence 127.02 feet along the arc of a curve to the right (radius = 400.00 feet, delta = 18° 11' 42", long chord bears N. 84° 12' 23" W., 126.49 feet); thence N. 86° 41' 46" E., 289.44 feet to the point of ning. Contains 317,611 square feet of 7.29 acres and subject to any ease

The board of Trustees will meet at 7:30 p.m., in the Meeting Room of the Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Wayne County, Michigan 48170. Phone Number: 453-3840. Ext. 224.

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66, of Canton Township were Wednesday, Feb. 19, at Holy Cross Mr. Barnett was born Sept. 20,

was in Riverside Cemetery.

three daughters, Lois E. Merriman Holy Cross Lutheran Church, officiof Plymouth, Helen Loveless of Maryland and Elizabeth Hunter of

ated the service. Arrangements were made by R.G. & G.R. Harris Funeral Home in Garden City.

HELEN MERRIMAN

Services for Helen Merriman, 92 of Plymouth were Saturday, Feb. 22, at Schrader Funeral Home. Burial Mrs. Merriman was born May 29.

1899, in Goldfield, Colo. She came to the Plymouth community in 1937 from Royal Oak. She was a homemaker and former employee of Minerva Dunnings in Plymouth. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and was a past member of the V.F.W. Auxiliary. Mrs. Merriman is survived by

The Rev. John N. Grenfell Jr. officiated the service. Memorial contributions may be given to First United Methodist Church in Plymouth.

ANDY PENTA Services for Andy Penta, 37, of Plymouth were Tuesday, Feb. 24, at Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic

Church. Burial was in Parkview Me-

Florida; one son, Robert Bowden of

Harbor Springs, Mich.; 14 grandchil-

dren; 17 great-grandchildren and

two sisters, Mary McKee of Indiana

and Elizabeth King of Royal Oak.

morial Cemetery in Livonia. Mr. Penta was born April 5, 1954, in Dearborn. He died Friday, Feb. 21. in Ann Arbor. He came to the outh community 13 years ago. He was a graduate of Garden City High School and attended the Uni

versity of Michigan for one year. Mr. Penta is survived by his mother, Jacqueline Wagner of Plymouth; father, Andy Penta of Florida and two brothers, Robert Penta of Plymouth and Eric Penta of Dear-The Rev. James Wysocki officiat-

ed the service. Arrangements were made by Schrader Funeral Home. GRACE M. THOMPSON

Services for Grace M. Thompson, 45, of Canton Township were Feb. 26 at St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Canton.

Mrs. Thompson was born Dec. 11, 1946 in Royal Oak. She died Feb. 23 Canton from Westland 14 years ago. She was the principal at Kinlock School in the Crestwood School Sys-

tem in Dearborn Heights and was a nember of the Crestwood Mixed Teacher Bowling League, The Curriculum Council and Gifted Studen Program in the Crestwood School District. She received a bachelor's degree from Michigan State and master's degree from Eastern Michigan University. She was a member St. John Neumann Catholic

Mrs. Thompson is survived by her parents, Erma and James M. Thompson Sr of Plymouth: one brother, James M. Thompson Jr. of Houston, Texas; two nieces and one The Rev. George Charnley offici-

ated the service. Memorial contribuin Canton Township. She moved to tions may be given in the form of Mass offerings or to the St. John Neumann Building Fund, 44800 War ren Road, Canton 48187.



AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE PLYMOUTH

SECTION 1. An ordinance to amend Chapter 111 of Title IX of the Code of the City of Plymouth by deleting

d Section 2 of Act No. 8 of the First Extra Session of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1933 (McL. 436.1 seq., MSA 18-971 et seq.), as asmended.

3) Control means any form of regulation or dominison including a possessory right.

4) Controlled substance. A controlled substance as defined now or hereafter by Article 7 of Act No. 68 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1978 (MCL. 333.7101, et seq., MSA 14.15 (7101) et seq.).

5) Harass is defined as any repeated verbal or non-verbal conduct which is specifically intended to righten, embarass or anger the person or persons who are the object of such conduct or which the serson accused has reason to know is likely to produce such reactions, or as any repeated verbal communication which, by its very utterance, inflicts injury or tends to incite an immediate breach of he peace.

the peace.

(i) Minor means a person not legally permitted by reason of age to possess alcoholic liquor pursuant to Section 33b of Act No. 8 of the First Extra Session of Public Acts of Michigan of 1933 (MCL 436-33b, MSA, 10-1004 (2)), as amended.

(7) Parting Area - includes that portion of the property designated for parking of motor vehicles, and

(?) Parking Area - includes that portron of the property ossignates for parking of motor venicles, and the adjacent property inoccupied by structures.

(8) Person - includes, unless a contrary intention appears, public and private corporations, co-partnerships and unincorporated or voluntary associations.

(9) Public Place as used in this Chapter shall mean any street, alley, park, government-owned or government-controlled building, any place of business or assembly open to or frequented by the public, common hallway or public room of any dwelling of greater than two units, and any other place which is open to the public view, or to which the public has access.

b) Engage in any physical light in any public place. Provided units section seals to epply sporting events.
b) Wilffully make or assist in making any noise or diversion which disturbs or tends to disturb, the peace, quiet good order or any meeting, gathering or congregation or lawfully assembled, whether religious, political or otherwise, or to persist in disturbing the peace and orderly conduct of any meeting of a public body or any meeting open to the general public by any conduct or communication which, by its very existence, inflicts injury or tends to incite an immediate breach of the peace or which prevents the peaceful and orderly conduct of such meeting after having been clearly informed that he or she is, in fact, unreasonably causing such a disturbance.
6) Persist in disturbing the public peace and quiet by loud or aggressive conduct, having once been clearly informed by persons affected that he or she is, in fact, unreasonably causing such a disturbance, provided, however, that notice need not be given when such persons affected reasonably believe that to do so would constitute a risk to their personal safety.
1) Will four (4) or more persons, act in concert, to wrongfully engage in violent conduct and thereby intentionally or recklessly cause or create a serious risk or causing public terror or alarm. Nor shall a intention of the property of the pr

(11) Wila four (4) or more persons, act in concert, to wrongfuily engage in violent conduct and thereby intentionally or recklessly cause or create a serious risk or causing public terror or alarm. Nor shall a person intending to cause or to aid or abet the institution or maintenance of a rick, do an act or engage in conduct that urges other persons to commit acts of unlawful force or violence, or the unlawful burning or destroying of property, or the unlawful interference with a police officer, pose officer, or a member of the Michigan National Guard or any unit of the armed services officer, as desired to the lawful performance of his duty.

(12) Engage in any intentional touching of another's naked, intimate parts, in a public place.

(13) Make any indecent exposure of his or her person in any public place.

(14) Use indecent, obscene or vulgar l'aingauge in the presence or hearing of any woman or child.

(15) Swim or baths in the nude in any public place.

(16) Urinate or defecate on any public riseret or sidewalk or on the floor of that part of any building open to the public or any other place in view of the public not specifically designated for that purpose.

(17) Spit on any street or sidewalk, or in any public carrier upon the floor, seal, or walls thereof, or upon the floor, walls, stairs, or seats of any public building or place of public assemblage.

(18) Wander about and beg in the streets, or from house to house, or alt, stand or take a position in any place and beg from passersby, either by words, gestures, or by the exhibiting of a sign.

tion or possession is permitted.

No person shall knowingly give or furnish any alcoholic liquor to a person under twenty-one years of age, except upon authority of, and pursuant to, a prescription of a dully licensed prescriber. Provided the provisions of this section shall not apply to a person related to a minor as a parent or guardian, or to a person placed in the position of a parent by a parent or guardian of the minor, or to legally protected religious observances, educational activities, or medical treatments.

2) Permit or suffer any place occupied or controlled by him or her to be a resert of noisy, botsterous, or disconderive persons.

(22) Permit or suffer any place occupied or controlled by him or her to be a resert of noisy, bottsterous, or disorderly persons.
(23) No adult having control of any residence or preemises shall allow any alcoholic liquor or controlled substance to be possessed or consumed at the residence or premises by any minor where the adult knew or reasonably should have known that any alcoholic liquor or controlled substance was in the possession of or being consumed by a minor at the residence or premises, and where the adult failed to take reasonable steps to prevent the possession or consumption of the alcoholic liquor or controlled substance at the residence of premises. Provided the provisions of this section shall not apply to a person related to a minor as a parent or guardian, or to a person placed in the position of a parent by a parent or guardian, or the minor, or to legally protected religious observances, education activities, or modical treatments.

court.

55 Accost, entire or solicit a child under the age of 16 years, with intent to induce or force said child to commit an immorral act, or to submit to an act of sexual intercourse, or an act of gross indecency, or any other act of depravity or delinquency, or shall suggest to such child any of the aforementioned

ORDINANCE NO. 92-4

CITY CODE BY AMENDING TITLE IX CHAPTER 111 SECTIONS 9.121 and 9.122

SECTION 1. An ordinance to amend Chapter 111 of Title IX of the Code of the City of Plymouth by deleting current Sections 9.121 and 9.122 in their entirety and adding new Sections 9.121 and 9.122. SECTION 2. The current Sections 9.121 and 9.122 are hereby deleted.

SECTION 3. New sections 9.121 and 9.122 hereby adopted are to read as follows:

(1) Adult means a peson 17 years of age or older.

(2) Alcoholic Liqueor means any beverage containing more than one-half of one percent of alcohol by volume. The percentage of alcohol by volume shall be determined in accordance with the provisions of Section 2 of Act No. 8 of the First Extra Session of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1933 (MCL 436.1 at sec. MSA.318.71 et sec. MSA.318.71

(10) Residence or Premises means a motel room, hotel room, home, apartment, condominium or other dwelling unit including the curtilage of the dwelling unit or a hall, meeting room or other place of assembly whether occupied on a temporary or permanent basis, whether occupied as a dwelling or specifically for social functions and whether owned, leased, rented or used with or without compensation.

Commit an assault, or an assault and battery upon any person.
 Jostle or roughly crowd persons in any street, alley, park or public building.
 Knowingly harass any other person, visit or otherwise communicate with any person repeatedly, or cause the same to be done for the primary purpose of harassing such other person or his or her family.
 Telephone any other person or cause any person to be telephone for the purpose of harassing or molesting or threatening such other person or his or her family, or their property, whether or not conversation ensures, areas for statements.

molesting or threatening such other person or his or her family, or their property, whether or not conversation ensues, except for telephone calls made for legitimate business purposes.

5) Knowingly send or deliver or make, and for the purpose of being delivered or sent, to part with possession of any letter, postal card or writing containing any language with or without a name subscribed thereto, or signed with a fictitious name, or with any letter, mark or other designation, with the intent thereby to cause annoyance, shock, or threaten such person or with a view of intent to extort or gain any money or property of any description belonging to another.

5) Discharge any firearm in the City, except when lawfully acting in the defense of persons or property.

modical treatments.

(4) By any act, or by any work, assist, aid, abet, encourage, contribute toward, cause or tend to cause any
minor child under the age of 17 years, to violate any provision of this chapter or to become neglected
or delinquent so as to come, or tend to come, under the jurisdiction of the purealle division of the
probate court, as defined in section 3 of Chapter 12s of Act No. 288 of the Public Acts of 1938, and any
amendments thereto, whether or not such child shall in fact be adjudicated a ward of the probate

acts.
50) Engage in prostitution or solicit or accost any other person in a public place for the purpose of inducing participation in an act of prostitution.
27) Transport any person, for consideration, to a place where the business of prostitution, gambling or the illegal sale or use of liques or constrolled substance is carried on, for the purpose of enabling such person to be a customer of any such business.

(28) Knowingly attend, frequent, loiter, operate or be an occupant or inmate of any place where prostitution, gambling, the illegal sale or use of intoxicating liquor or narcotics, or any other illegal or immoral business or occupation is permitted or conducted.
(29) Keep or maintain a gaming room, gaming table, or any policy or pool tickets, used for gaming, knowingly suffer a gaming room, gaming table, or any policy or pool tickets to be kept, maintained, played, or sold on any premises occupied or controlled by him or her, conduct or attend any cock fight

or dog light.

Knowingly obstruct or resist any member of the police force or fire department in the discharge of his or her lawful duties or fall to obey the lawful order of said officer, knowing him or her to be a member of the police force or fire department.

Fall to accurately identify himself or herself when requested to do so by a police officer after the Fail to accurately identify himself or herself when requested to do so of a pouce orincer arter to efficer observes that person commit a civil infraction or when the officer has probably cause to believe the person has committed a misdemeanor outside the officer's presence. Provided that under circumstances where a police officer has good reason to believe, but does not have probable cause that any individual has committed or is about to commit any unlawful act, said officer may ask the individual to identify himself or berself and explain his or her presence on the scene, but failure to respond to such questioning shall not constitute no offense under this section. Provided further, it is section shall not be construed to affect any obligation to respond which is otherwise imposed by law.

where the service called for is not needed.

Collect or stand in crowds or arrange, encourage, or abet the collection of persons in crowds for illegal purposes in any public place.

To stand, sit or recline in one place or to move slowly about or conduct himself or herself in any public.

or join with one or more other persons in a public place, if the accused knows or should know

that, singly or together with others, he or she is unreasonably obstructing the free and uninterruped passage of the public along any street or sidewals, provided that this paragraph is not to be interpreted to conflict with the regulations of the National Labor Relations Board regarding picketing in labor gent or servant of either, without lawful authority neglect or refuse to depart therefrom agent or servant, or entirer, without lawful authority neglect or refuse to depart therefrom.

No person shall enter upon any private property or private parking area, either in a vehicle or on foot withou the express or implied permission of the owner, lessee, occupant, or agent. Provided, this section shall apply only to property that is fenced or enclosed, and maintained in a manner to exclude intruders, or posted in a conspicuous manner against entry. It shall be prima facia evidence that a property is posted in a conspicuous manner, if a maintaine letter height on the posting sign is two cliniches and the sign is located to enable a reasonably observant person to observe not less than one (4).

sign at any point of entry upon the lands. A complaint for violation of this section may be made by th

9) Enter any enclosed or unenclosed vegetable garden or orchard located within the city without th

 Enter any enclosed or unenclosed vegetable garden or orchard located within the city without the consent of the owner, tenant or agent, and there cut down, injure, damage, destroy, eat, or carry away any portion of said garden, including any growing thing, crop, trees, timber, grass, seed, soil, fertilizer, water supply, tool, implement, fence, or any other protective device or any other thing used for the development cultivation, maintenance and use of the aforesaid gardens or orcharda.
 Open or wrongfully tamper or meddle with any motor vehicle. Provided this section does not apply to lawful acts or individuals in an emergency situation.
 Knowingly take possession of and ride or take away any bicycle, moped, snowmobile, or motor vehicle without the express or implied permission of the owner.
 Willfully destroy or damage, or in any manner deface, destroy, or injure any property of another, or any public school building, or any public building, bridge, fire hydrant, alarm box, street light, street sign, or shade tree, belonging to the city, or make or post hand bills on, or in any manner mar the walls of any public building, or any fence, tree, or pole within the city, or take, or meddle with any property belonging to the city or remove the same from the building or place where it may be kept, placed, standing, or stored, without authority from the City Manager or other official custodian of said

property

3 Willfully and maliciously destroy or injure the property of another.

4) In any public place within the city, throw or hurl at or towards any building, window, public or private streetlamp, moving vehicle, or at or towards any person, animal or thing, any ball of snow, mass of snow packed together, piece of ice, stone, piece of block or wood or any solid substance whatever or hrow any object from any moving vehicle, if the accused knows or should know that damage to person or property, or alarm, which may foreseeably produce damage to person or property, is likely

to result.

(45) Commit the offense of larceny by taking any property of another without lawful authority, claim or right, with the intent to permanently deprive the owner of lawful possession.

(46) With the intent to defraud and to permanently deprive the owner of property, use false pretenses, or false representations, to induce another person to voluntarily relinquish both possession and title to

(47) With the intent to defirate and to permanently deprive the owner of property, use tause presents, or faise representations, to induce another peons to voluntarily refinquish possession of property.
(48) Fraudently convert for his or her own use, or wrongfully apply to a purpose other than that for which it was delivered, the property of another delivered to him or her.
(49) While occupying or acting in a fiduciary relationship, (specifically, but not limited to, agent, servant or employee of another, or as the trustee, ballee or custodian of the property of another) wrongfully convert or appropriate property or money in his or her possession, by virtue of that relationship, to his or her owns use, with the intent to defand sind without the consent of the principal.

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or her own use, with the intent to defaud and without the consent of the principal.

Do any of the following in a store or in its vicinity:

a) While a store is open to the public, alter, transfer, remove and replace, conceal or otherwise misrepresent the price at which property is offered for sale, with the intent not to pay for the property, or to pay less than the price at which the property is offered for sale.

b) While a store is open to the public, steal property of the store that is offered for sale.

c) With intent to defaud, obtain, or attempt to obtain, money or property from the store as a refund or c) With intent to defaud, obtain, or attempt to obtain, money or property from the store as a refund or exchange for property that was not paid for and belongs to the store.

(51) Buy, or be in the poissension of, receive or aid is the concealment of any stolen, embezzled or converted money, goods, or property, knowing the same to have been stolen, embezzled or converted. Any person being a dealer or collector, who fails to make reasonable inquiry, that the person selling or delivering any stolen, embezzled or converted property has a legal right to do so, or who buys or receives any such property which has a registration, serial or other identifying number, altered or obliterated on any external surface thereof, shall be presumed to have bought or received such property knowing it to have been stolen, embezzled or converted; provided, however, that this resumption may be rebutted by prodf.

SECTION 4. Repeal. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed only to the extent necessary to give this ordinance full force and effect.

SECTION 5. Seviags. All proceedings pending, and all rights and liability existing, acquired or incurred, at the time this ordinance takes effect, are hereby saved. Such proceedings may be consummated under and according to the ordinance in force at the time such proceedings were commenced. This ordinance shall not be construed to alter, affect, or abate any pending prosecution, or prevent prosecution hereafter instituted under any ordinance specifically or impliedly repealed or amended by this ordinance adopting this pending regulation, for offenses committed prior to the affective date of this ordinance, and new presecutions may be instituted, and all prosecutions pending at the effective date of this ordinance may be continued, for offenses committed prior to the effective date of this ordinance, under and in accordance with the provisions of any ordinance in force at the time of the commission of such offense.

SECTION 6. Severability Classe. Should any word, phrase, sentence, paragraph or section of this ordinance be held invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining provision of this ordinance shall remain in full force and

Made, passed, and adopted by the City Commission of the City of Plymouth, Michigan this 18th day of Pebruary, 1992.

SECTION 7. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective on the 11th day of March, 1992.

Publish February 27, 1992

ROBERT L. JONES, Mayor LINDA J. LANGMESSER City Clerk

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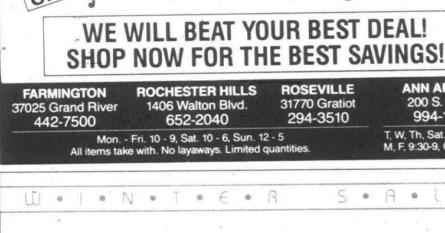
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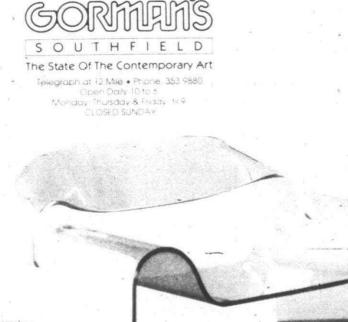
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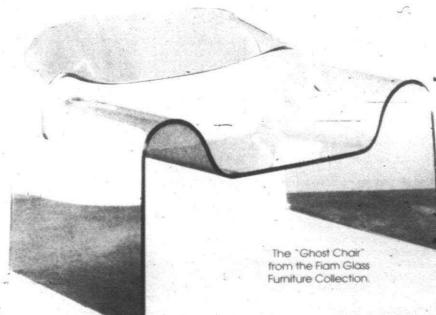
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Selimi convinced Chrysler to turn his lemon into lemonade.

## **Auto hopes**

## Canton man sticks with van

T WAS A pretty small event in the scope of things, but just maybe, we can hope, it's a harbinger of things to come. It all started when Nick Selimi of Canton

thought he had a lemon in his 1990 Plymouth Voyager. He complained to Chrysler Corp. about the van's performance. There was some wrangling

back and forth between the Canton hairdresser

and the auto company Whether it was a lemon or not is one of those

things we'll never know for certain. But it all ended well recently when Selimi walked into Fox Hills Chrysler in Plymouth and bought a new van. Chrysler bought back the old one for \$15,700 and Selimi bought a new one for

To us, the buying back of the van by Chrysler and the seriousness with which Selimi's complaints were taken send a message to the American public that auto makers are changing the

FOR TOO LONG, folks headed for the nearest apanese car dealership when they thought they had received the shaft from American car makers. That's why the Selimi story is so significant. And it takes on added importance this week with the General Motors announcement of mas-

sive plant closings, including the nearby Willow Run plant. That closing next year will have a dramatic effect on Canton's future. It's time for all of us to invest in our own fu-

tures, and buying an American car is the best

## **Ends soon**

## Losing bus system isn't smart

7 HEN IT comes to SMART, our regional bus system, we feel as though we're ringing a firebell in the night. And, figuratively speaking, our firefighters seem to be ignoring the alarm, engrossed instead in a spirited game of fire hall

The fire metaphor, we think, is not misused when discussing the Detroit area's critically ill

A burning crisis looms: metropolitan Detroit would become the only major urban area in the nation without a regional transit system if the Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transit dies of acute "deficit-itis" as planned on March 27. The suburban transit systems suffers from a \$7.7-million deficit.

Now, we've said it before, but it bears reiteraion: It would be just plain dumb to allow SMART buses to disappear from our streets.

Although it makes the auto barons and used car salesmen snicker and smile, such a public transportation crisis would be a terrible blow to an area that doesn't really need that kind of kick deep chasm that has divided city and suburb the in the groin right now.

SOME 35,000-40,000 people will be looking for and let's not forget the 500 or so SMART employees who would lose their jobs.

So, with a transportation disaster just a month away, the lack of concern you'd think would be shown by those public officials who have been elected and appointed to protect the public from just such disasters is ominous.

So is the lack of solutions you'd think would be offered from the finest political minds of Lansing and the city and township halls of southeastern Michigan. There's been no hell-raising at the county commission meetings. And blistering editorials in the big-town newspapers are non-exis-

No, if something isn't done soon, SMART will die a quiet death. With the exception of James Aho, SMART's acting general manager who resigned Monday, the truth is that very few of our movers and shakers care very much about SMART or its customers. Aho charged that the threatened shutdown was a political game in

which the pawn was a regional bus system. But there seems to be a general impression that bus riders are just a bunch of misguided fools who don't have the means or inclination to

buy and drive automobiles to work, or wherever. Imagine that! People who'd rather not drive to work! Such people are damn dangerous in this

SMART'S REAL problem is that it's just a lit-Now, if SMART were a man, a rich man, perA burning crisis looms: Metropolitan Detroit would become the only major urban area in the nation without a regional transit system if the Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transit dies of acute "deficit-itis" as planned on March

haps a junk food baron who just happened to own a professional sports franchise, officials at every level of government would absolutely be going through hoops to help him prosper. Depend on it. And the big-tow

What little serious discussion there has been on saving SMART (the bus line) has been clouded by the foul feelings of distrust drifting up from this past quarter century.

A merger of the Detroit and suburban bus systems is needed to save SMART, transit officials other rides to work, or wherever, if SMART dies, have told us. Such a merger seems like a good

Some Detroit officials have opposed the merger because they don't want their tax dollars (\$40 million to support the city system) to support something that helps suburbanites.

And so many suburbanites, spouting the "Let's-buy-a-car" mentality that has been grafted onto their minds over the years, are always suspicious of anything linked to big, bad Detroit. The subbies also might point to low ridership as an excuse for letting the system die.

ACTUALLY, A merger of the two bus systems makes a lot of sense - and city and suburban residents should be taxed equally to support it. Overall, service certainly would be upgraded and in time more people would ride.

The taxes used to support the new mega-system could come from varied sources. It could be a property tax, a license plate tax, a sales tax. Sure, people are taxed to death these days (or at least they'll tell you they are), but the burden would be shared among all in the six-county

metropolitan area. As we have pointed out before in this space there is a price to be paid for having a good transit system. But our region is already paying the price for not having a good system. Notice, please, the decay in the central city and the

gridlock in suburbia. But most costly of all is the human price of being locked in place. It's time someone answers



## 'Averaging down' has little room for quality

flurry of proposals to equalize funding between rich and poor school districts is that it will hurt the good schools and gain little or nothing in the poor ones

It's called "averaging down." Both Democrats (whose ideology of equality usually leaves little room for quality) and Republicans (who complain ceaselessly about taxes without wondering what they get us) are about to compound their past errors v setting in motion wholesale averaging down in our schools.

Of course, variations in per-pupil pending between rich and poor districts are both large and inequitable. Some districts in the Oakland County office belt spend more than \$8,000 per child; some rural districts, well Indeed, most school districts

served by this newspaper have property values (and, therefore, per-pupil expenditures) well in excess of the Michigan average.

called "Robin Hood" school finance law hurts local communities so bad-. The tax-base sharing law takes half the growth from industrial and above-average districts and distrib-

been stalled in court. It can pay salaries and benefits for 10-19 low niority teachers. For the losing districts, class sizes

have increased. Special programs

like computer education, music, art

and foreign languages have been

slashed. Morale is poor and declin-

Worst of all, there is no particula reason to believe that the poorer districts are necessarily going to show any improvement in their educationthinly spread additional money.

This is so because Michigan's totally archaic way of looking at education - that dollars spent, by defi nition, determine educational achievement - provides us no way of setting outcome standards for money moved by the Robin Hood

Indeed, to reduce educational quality in rich districts while showing no necessary increase in others is very close to a classic negative sum game: Everybody's worse off.

take yet another step. Earlier this month, he startled commercial property taxes in most observers by proposing to shift \$466 million the state now pays for teacher Social Security taxes into Farmington, straddling the I-696 the school aid fund. Since this would and I-275 freeways, would have lost rub salt into the wounds of rich disomewhere between \$400,000 and tricts (excluded from state aid), he

development." You further stated that denying McDonald's was "like

trying to close the gate after the

cows have gotten out. Ford Road

isn't going to get any better with one

less fast-food restaurant." Cooling

down development was never an is-

sue in considering McDonald's re-

quest. The board relied exclusively

upon the special land use require-

I also strongly reject the Observ-

er's position that because of current

Road development, too many strip

centers, traffic congestion, poor sig-

nage, dense housing patterns, poor

construction, limited landscaping,

tions to the master land use plan,

zoning ordinances, DDA, beautifica-

the current board of trustees and the

ordinances in its denial.

our community.

Philip Power

offered as a sop to repeal the Robi

Seeing an opening, Democrats in the Legislature are proposing to move \$450 million in state-paid teacher pensions to the aid fund. And struction. Robert Schiller, has made it clear that further "reforms" are high on his agenda

All this would be fine if a realistic accurate and widely accepted way existed to measure just what chiliren actually learn in schools and to make sure that level of learning overall does not fall when people tinker with funding.

Otherwise, all we will have is an amazing and improbable alliance between Engler and the Democratic NOW GOV. John Engler wants to liberals in a redistributionist theory of school finance that sacrifices real learning on the altar of statistical equality of funding.

> ompany that owns this newspaper. His award-winning column

#### from our readers

#### McDonald's should be kept out

To the editor I would like to respond to the many factual errors and omissions your Feb. 13 editorial. 'McDonald's - Canton deserves a

You erred in stating that Canton denied McDonald's request based on Canton's contention that there was too much development. In fact, the Canton Board of Trustees voted on March 13, 1990, to deny McDonald's etc.) we should not strive to improve request for Special Land Use (this our community through modificaprovision provides communities with

greater discretion in reviewing uses and site plans) because McDonald's did not satisfy all the special land You stated that with the adoption of the 1990 zoning ordinances (an extensive upgrading of the Township's zoning ordinances that took more

adopt) a fast-food restaurant could not be built. The truth of the matter is that a fast-food restaurant is permitted, but it must be physicallypart of a larger structure. Incredibly, you were incorrect in stating that Canton filed suit in 1987 and should drop its suit. The facts who will ultimately convince a judge

are that McDonald's twice has filed suit against Canton, with the latest give in to threats and intimidation suit being filed in 1990. Your biggest misstatement of fact was that Canton's goal in turning

## Art event

in Plymouth is how the business community supports the community When the Plymouth Community Arts ments in the 1980 and 1990 zoning Council decided to run another Michigan Art Show concurrently with the Ice Festival, we were hard pressed circumstances (disorganized Ford to find a downtown location. One might have thought with all the vacant stores around it wouldn't be a problem. It was a problem! Saxton's Garden Center (not vacant!) very generously allowed the PCAC to utilize their front showroom for our ionce for them but they certainly didn't act that way. We thank them tion efforts and the like. I know that,

Bon Homme presented a beautiful, aggressive program of improving delicious luncheon for us when our judge, DIA assisant curator Mary For more than three years efforts Stephensen, spoke to the group about have been directed at planning for

the future and improving current Heide's flowers supplied us the circumstances. Our efforts have not always been well received by those lush green plants to soften the "gal-They even delivered and in the development community who picked up the plants. do not share our objectives. From In short, these people helped to time to time there will be some who

place it has always been! Thanks to

and will continue to be the delightful

Doris Chatterley Janet Campbell Co-chairs, Michigan Art '92

#### down McDonald's was to "cool down Canton Township Supervisor - Observer & Eccentric Newspapers

wish to challenge our philosophy and

decisions. And there may be some

to grant them their project. But to

would be to give up on efforts to im-

Thomas J. Yack

prove our community.

Steve Barnaby managing editor Susan Rosiek assistant managing editor Dick Isham general manager Mark Lewis director of advertising Fred Wright director of circulation

Suburban Communications Corp. Philip Power chairman of the board Richard Aginian president

points of view

## **GM** loses sight of its roots

This mentality hurts democracy

of influence. I've encountered that those two cities can maintain cross-

WE WERE DRIVING BACK from "up north" early Monday when we heard the news over the radio.

euphoria and back to reality.

Relaxed from a weekend of skiing and eating whitefish in a northland still blanketed by more than a foot of snow, it jolted us out of our vacation

General Motors, that blue-chip giant of American companies General Motors, tied to Detroit like the film industry is to California . General Motors, once upon a time the staff of life for my grandfather's Cleveland, Ohio, die casting plant asked in all of this is: Why did GM

hoped was unthinkable. It included the historic Willow Run Assembly Plant with its more than 4,000 employees in its previously announced emmitment to close and scale back It selected the Ypsilanti facility

analyzing Southfield's rich multicul-

tural makeup and speculating on

its harmonious heterogenity. To run

can cite personal evidence that por-

solve, and the solution depends on

whether the powers that be will stop

hoarding their power and instead

democratically share leadership re-

Last year I was an applicant for

Southfield and Oak Park - a com-

munity adjacent to Southfield which

is at a similar cultural crossroad. I

was granted interviews for neither

post, which wasn't entirely surpris-

never made contact with the Lansing

applicants for both jobs, and I

sibilities and control.

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ships are less than receptive to this he's uncontrollable

endencies in

that city's chances for safeguarding member from one of those districts

commentaries of this nature re- to the query of a member of my for-

puires a certain courage, because I mer Rochester board as to why

tions of our mostly suburban reader- said, "Oh, we wouldn't hire him -

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**Judith Doner** Berne

the other. It also elected to close three more plants and scale down two others in southeast Michigan, affecting a total of 9,100 employees.

Is there no special feeling for the people and area where General Mo-

make southeast Michigan bear so

The hurt extends beyond whether

STILL, THE comment of a board

continues to trouble me. Responding

hadn't been interviewed, that person

me, and I suppose that whenever this

happens I should take it as a compli

the Rochester assistant superinten

dency, it was only because there

and fear that were trying to crush

both my multicultural initiatives and

I'm not really an unreasonable

sive among some people in positions.

agency they retained to screen can-kind of mentality too many times, cultural cooperation will presage the

ation on his dad's side of the family which hasn't made a living in an His grandfather, his father, his uncles all were skilled workers - tool

and die makers on the line. You share the hurt simply because ou grew up in Detroit - where "girls" could sit cross-legged on the curb and call out the makes of

You share the hurt because you

still look up at the Uniroyal billboard, remembering how as a voungster you were proud and fascinated as the numbers changed while you drove by, reflecting the cars coming off the production line. (They change too slowly these days to see in a drive by.)

And you share the hurt because Japanese car after the last three GM

and it's symptomatic of everything

that's counterproductive to the dem-

Ironically I doubt that they would

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DEMOGRAPHIC projections be

ond the year 2000 dictate that cities

ike Southfield and Oak Park are

multicultural harbingers of Oakland

County's future, Michigan's future

and America's future. How well

son I applied in the first place.

John

its biggest taxpayer.

YOU THINK THIS WAY about Ypsilanti, a town you only know be cause it's adjacent to Ann Arbor It's a town which can't afford to lose a Chinese restaurant, much less

General Motors said it made the cuts needed to reorganize without regard to politics, that the decisions were based on internal plant and employee considerations and not ment incentives. Speculation s that GM wanted to force a showdown with the UAW over work rules

But it's also clear that GM made he decision despite its roots - ignoring the plight of the already reel ing motor city and its people.

Judith Doner Berne is assistant anaging editor for the Oakland

tal arena that everyone will be en-

homogenous havens remaining for

racists and other xenophobes to hide

out in, nor will there be any rightful

place for fearful and undemocratic

We have to teach our children -

and our adults - that there is no

afraid. As we Americans approach

the 21st Century, we're on the glori

ous brink of fulfilling the harmoni

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There will be no exceptions, no

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ace or appearance don't seem to e factors. Sixteen to 86, boys to nen, teenage lovers in each others'

laps, fuzz buster phone jockeys and lue-haired, bridge-playing grandmas all share the same space aloof, n another world, determined never signal their intentions as to

know now! What is it about metro

Detroit drivers anyway? Why in

the name of all that is rational d

e their turn signals?

where they plan to steer their 3,000 pounds of freedom. IN THE COURSE of a week producing Transition, I average 90 miles a day on this area's highways. It's a rare day that doesn't have me driving the Lodge, I-696, I-75 or the Jeffries Freeway, someimes all in the same day. That amount of time in a car can cause our mind to wonder about a lot of ings. Lately, I've been wondering

after dodging yet another car

ehind this peculiar Detroit regionl affliction of refusing to drive with common sense. The other day the light bulb years ago. E pluribus unum - out arne on. Maybe I'd hit on the answer. Could it be that metro De-John Telford, a Rochester Hills roit drivers don't want to give anything away? Play it close to the sistant superintendent in the Rovest? Could it be just another Deroit survival tactic? If no one knows what you're liable to do next, won't they have to give you a wider berth? You know what I controversial for his programs



the majority of motorists refuse to Jeffrey The circumstances don't seem to natter. Lane changes, right turns, highway merges, U-turns, break-downs or slowdowns. The people

Going my way?

Better signal!

ly different-looking individual ac ing erratically, you give him space who drive this region's freeways at ight? You move over one of two speeds (rubberneck or breakneck) appear more willing to en think of the alternatives. I

share a prize ring or hotel room with Mike Tyson than to lift their difference, apathy, laziness, ignoinger to push the turn indicator. rance. Which would you prefer From what I can see age, sex, u think the Detroit area driver alone that of his fellow driver, that it matters not one whit if they kill omeone by their negligence? Laziness? Are the drivers

southeast Michigan so unmotivated bothered to lift that lever? Ignorance? Is it possible that

ey don't know what the signal is IT'S GETTING to the point that

the rare occasion a driver actuily uses a turn signal, I don't trust or punch the accelerator and zoom past-the point of uncertainty. No. I think the theory holds mer

Maybe it is fear that drives is a curious Detroit survival tactic whose driver didn't signal the car Perhaps it is this population's feat was coming my way - just what is and the growing legions of those who would "work for food" that forces these motorists to erect a wall of unpredictability. Keep it all

I'd like to get these thoughts out f my head. I have to know now metro Detroit drivers anyway? Jeff Miller, a Southfield resi-

dent is executive producer and Transition, airing at 8:30 mean, like when you're walking a.m. Saturdays on WXON-TVdown the street and see an obvious- 20 and at 7 p.m. on Mondays.

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## Blame the "other guy for GM's move

staff writer

No one in Lansing is sure why General Motors decided to move 4,000 jobs from Ypsilanti to Texas. But if Michigan government is to blame, the other guy's political philosophy is at fault.

Gov. John Engler got no advance warning and was asked for no concessions by the No. 1 automaker, but the Republican leader warned, "We've got to cut our taxes if we're going to cut our job losses. . If our answer is tax shifts and tax hikes, it's a done deal: Our jobs will take a hike to Texas.

Big labor blamed the governor. "Texas Gov. Ann Richards and her Democratic administration worked with all parties to keep the Arlington plant open," said AFL-CIO president Frank Garrison.

"Gov. Engler chose not to get in-volved. I think Michigan would have fared better in this competition if we had an activist, pro-job creation state government such as

we had under Jim Blanchard," Garrison said.

SEN. GEORGE Z. HART, D-Dearborn and a former Ford worker, said everybody was wrong. "We in America have been said everybody was asleep at the wheel. That goes for the Big Three.",

Hart, whose district includes Garden City, ridiculed the "buy American" notion because so many components — such as electrical parts, headlights, engine parts and tires - come from

\_ "One reason Arlington (Texas) won out was its close proximity to where components are made. Hart told the Senate.

GM will consolidate assembly operations now performed in the Willow Run plant in Ypsilanti Township at Arlington. The job loss will spill into western Wayne

County.
"I don't have a residential breakdown," said Rep. James Kosteva, D-Canton, whose district lies immediately east of Willow Run,

"but we're in close proximity."
"It'll hurt a lot," said Rep. Justine Barns, D-Westland, "maybe more than Canton. We (Westland) are a little older and have more factory workers. A former officer at the (UAW) local at Willow Run lived in my district until he re-

SEN. LANA Pollack. D-Ann Arbor, said, "I'm not sure why GM left," but she was sure Ypsilanti Township wasn't to blame.

"When other communities fought GM's property tax chal-lenges, Ypsi Township stepped aside, right or wrong, and let GM challenge. It (GM's departure) is not about property taxes or unemployment compensation," Pollack

"We hear the same old call from Republicans," said Sen. Virgil Smith, D-Detroit - "'Unshackle business and they'll lead us to prosperity.' Well, you see how much prosperity we have. Unfettered, unrestricted business is not very good."

Sen. John Cherry, D-Clio, whose

district will feel the loss of 4,000 jobs with a Flint engine plant clos ing, blamed politics.

Michigan had the cost advantage. Willow Run should never have been compared to Arlington. Cherry said. While calling on GM to explain its choice, Cherry was sure there was political fault in Michigan: "It's cooperation, not political warfare, that helps Tex-

TWO REPUBLICAN senators from border counties insisted Michigan's high costs were to blame

"The enemy is us," said Sen. Nick Smith, R-Hillsdale County "Abatements (to industry) didn't begin to offset the high property taxes in Michigan. Our unemployment tax is excessively high. With workers comp, we're overzealous in our effort to take care of work-

"The House Democratic property tax plan would take away the capital acquisition deduction. We have overzealous regulation,

## UAW will hold march for jobs on March 14

When unemployed Ford Motor Co. workers marched against hunger 60 years ago, the event ended in tragedy. Five men died as police used tear gas, water hoses and bullets to disperse the crowd.

In that aspect, the 60th anniversary march, Saturday, March 14, will be different. No incidents are expected as UAW workers hold their 1992 March for Jobs.

But UAW leaders say hunger and joblessness, the conditions that prompted the 1932 march, are once again a major problem.

"Our demonstration on March 14 isn't just a memorial march, it's also part of a struggle to restore the American dream, to renew our commitment to good jobs, social justice, health care for everyone and an end to hunger, UAW Local 600 President Jim McNeil said. "America's hard-won sense of middle-class security is rapidly disappearing as non-union, minimum wage jobs re-

Dearborn-based Local 600 is sponsoring the march, though members of other area locals are also expected to participate.

The event will include dedication of a historic marker at the starting point of the 1932 march. A grave marker will be placed in Woodmere Cemetery, Detroit, honoring Curtis Williams a black man killed in the 1932 march but denied burial with the other fatalities.

Speakers are scheduled to include Bishop Thomas Gumbleton of the Archdiocese of Detroit, Detroit Councilwoman Maryann Mahaffey and UAW regional director Bob King, among others.

The event, however, is also expected to be a show of UAW solidarity and strength in this election year.

'In too many ways we have been slipping backwards, and it's time to draw the line," McNeil said.



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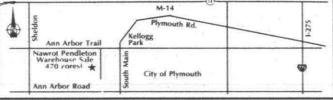
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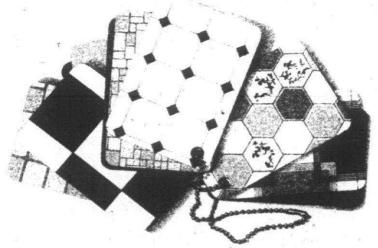








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## No surprises as Rocks end campaign 9-0

By Dan O'Meara staff writer

The final tabulation of scores Monday indicated Plymouth Salem was nearly five points better than rival Plymouth Canton in girls gymnastics.

1-ranked Rocks, who scored 143.45 and finished the dualmeet season undefeated at 9-0, have demonstrated numerous times they are the best team in Observerland and arguably the state.

Accepting that fact, perhaps the real bottom line is there were only winners in this meet, pitting two of the finest high school programs in Michigan against each other.

While Canton coach John Cunningham would be among the first to label Salem a great team, the Chiefs, who scored an otherwise impressive 138.60, have stood in Salem's shadow but been quite successful themselves, finishing with an 8-3 record.

"I THINK both of us did well," Salem coach Becky Martin said. "Both are good teams and I can't even imagine if both were together (as one combined team)

The top-ranked Rocks, who were 6-0 in Western Lakes Activities Association meets and Canton 4-2, have won every invitiational they've entered. But the No. 3 Chiefs have also won an invitational and been second

twice and fourth once behind Salem. 'I tell the kids 'No other team in this school district is third in the " Cunningham said. "We're happy that Salem is No. 1, and we're

## gymnastics

"I'm just pleased to be where we are. I'm pleased for the kids, I'm

pleased for the team and I'm extremely happy with what they've done this year. With the outcome virtually

predetermined, given the ability in gymnastics to project based on the known capabilities of the athletes, both teams had as their objective to improve individual skills in preparation for the major competitions ahead.

"I think they're pulling together all of their tricks and maintaining where they're at," said Martin of the Salem gymnasts. "They're trying to get a few extra tenths by making their routines a little bit better."

THE FIRST of the big meets takes place tonight when the Rocks attempt to win their third consecutive WLAA championship at Westland John Glenn.

"From what I've heard, some schools are on vacation and some of their girls are out of town," Martin said. "Most teams are using this as a qualifying meet. My anticipation is

The regional meet will be Saturday, March 7, at Canton and the state final Friday, March 13, at Trenton. As those dates approach, the Rocks appear to have adapted



BILL BRESLER/staff photographs

Sarah Makins of Salem placed second on the balance beam Monday and compiled a 35.20 all-around score.

well to their top-ranked status, and beating defending state champ Muskegon Mona Shores twice has no

"Unless they put pressure on themselves, I think they're pretty confident in what they can do," Martin said. "Having won all our meets, I think takes some of the pressure

"I think right now we have to keep up at practice, work hard and do our best. I don't want to say we're a better team (than Mona Shores). We're doing really well for ourselves. All the girls are doing really well this year, and I'm happy to see them doing so well."

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## **Bonnett wins** crown; Salem keeps 4 alive

By Bill Parker staff writer

Dan Bonnett likes the thought of wrestling at home Saturday in the Class A state regional tournament at Plymouth Salem.

But the Salem senior admits he has enjoyed the success he's experienced this year at Walled Lake Western High School

Two weeks ago Bonnett captured the Western Lakes Activities Association championship at Western, and he won a district championship in the same gymnasium Saturday. The top four finishers in each weight class at the Western district advance to the regional at Salem.

Wrestling regionals at home will be great," said Bonnett, who owns a 37-1 record. "A lot more of your friends come out and cheer you on when it's close to home. It gives you a little extra pride to wrestle at home, a little more motivation."

BONNETT HAD all the motivation he needed Saturday as he stormed through the 125-pound bracket with four pins. Only one other wrestler in the tournament -Western's 103-pound Rob Fritz won all four matches by pin.

Bonnett opened the tournament with a pin over Brighton's Chris Robertson in 2:13, then followed with a pin over Western's Eric Bagalay in 47 seconds. In the semifinals, Bonnett pinned Farmington's Jon Duff

Bonnett met Northville junior Matt Allison (2783) in the finals in a

#### wrestling

match that was a repeat of the WLAA championship. The result was the same this time around as Bonnett stuck Allison in 2:21 to win his second district championship in as many years. In the league final, Bonnett pinned Allison in 1:35.

"Today was basically like league," Bonnett said. "I beat the same guy by pin in the finals last week. But I couldn't have done it without a good workout partner like Scott Martin (third at 119 pounds). He makes me work hard.

"Last year I won districts but missed out at state. Hopefully, it will be different this time.

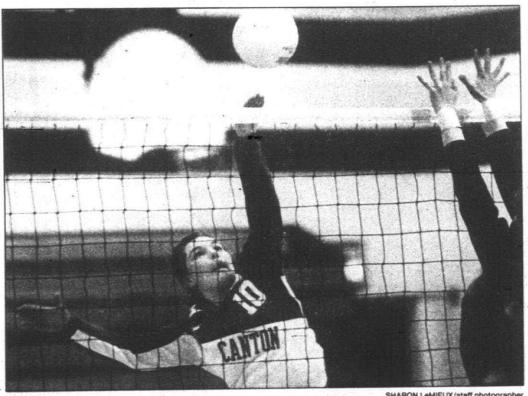
Bonnett was just one of five Observerland wrestlers to win a dis-trict championship and one of 24 who qualified for the regional tour-

JOINING BONNETT at the regional will be teammates Martin, a senior with a 37-6 record; junior Dan Phillips (14-13), who placed sourth at 130; and junior Phil Hayes (24-8-2), who placed fourth at 189.

WLAA champion Farmington and third-place league finisher Westland John Glenn will each send four wrestlers to the regional.

Junior Mike Reeves paced the Rockets by winning a district cham-

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SHARON LeMIEUX/staff photographer

Karrie Drinkhahn was an emotional leader, as well as key attacker, for the Chiefs in their five-

## Canton gains momentum; Spartans dominate Rocks

By Dan O'Meara staff writer

Plymouth Canton picked up some momentum heading into the Western Lakes Activities Association volleyball playoffs by beating host Farmington Hills Harrison in five games

The Chiefs won the odd-number games 15-11, 15-12 and 15-13 while Harrison won the evens 16-14, 15-13.

Canton finished the regular season at 5-6 in the league, the Hawks 4-7. league tournament will be played Saturday at Livonia Churchill with pool play beginning at 9 a.m.

"Our goal was to be playing our best volleyball at the end of the season, and I think that's what is happening for us," Canton coach Jacqueline Getz said.

"IT WAS hard having the last league game when we're on winter break, but the gir played well. We

## volleyball

practiced in the morning and had them up and moving, and I think that

Harrison had some good hitters, especially junior Julie Heist, but the Chiefs got at least a partial block on numerous hits and played good defense in the back row.

"Jenny Davis had some excellent digs, which gave us a spark early," Getz said. "(The Hawks) were not hitting as hard at the end of the match, and I give a lot of the credit

to our blockers.' Michelle Metzger, Karrie Drinkhahn and Tina Schaefer also played well for Canton, Getz said.

"MICHELLE METZGER came on

and played real well in the front row. She had some aggressive net play, blocking as well as hitting, and Tina Schaefer had some good spikes,

"I think Karrie Drinkhahn is playing well for us all the way around. Her back row and hitting have improved; plus, she has a lot of intensity. One of our problems is keeping our intensity for five games, and Karrie does a good job of keeping the other players in the game men-

Davis also played a solid overall game, and her passing and hitting have improved, Getz said.

SERVING ERRORS were the difference, Harrison coach Ron Shortt said. The Hawks missed 19 serves as opposed to just four errors by Can-

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Livonia Ladywood captured its third Operation-Friendship title Mor lay, defeating Detroit Public School League champion Central 15-11 and

The match, pitting the PSL and Catholic League champions, was

played at Harper Woods Bishop Gallagher. Junior Liz Gunn paced the Ladywood attack with nine kills and eight

assists. Junior Mary Jo Kelly contributed seven kills, 13 assists and two

Senior Michelle Wilson and freshman Renae Rozell each added two

aces, while junior Andrea Putti recorded two blocks. Senior Valerie Ad-

zima chipped in with two kills and six digs.
"Central is well coached by Matt Dixon," said Ladywood coach Tom

Teeters, whose team is 35-6-5 overall. "It was a good match. They (Cen-

The Zebras clinched at least a tie for the Wolverine A League title

Senior Mary Kay Mazurek served five aces and and junior Lateefa

On Saturday, Wayne captured the 10-team Lake Orion Invitational,

efeating Troy High in the championship final, 10-15, 15-11, 16-14.

Wayne earned a spot in the finals with a 15-1, 15-5 triumph over Bur

In pool play, Wayne defeated the host Dragons (15-2, 15-2), Troy

Senior Vicki Rohraff was Wayne's top hitter on the day with 47 kills an

Stevenson's Teresa Sarno made sistent all the way, and that made it

good on 16 of 17 hitting attempts, easier for Patty (Diamond) to set the

while teammate Lori Baily added 15 ball to our hitters. Everybody was

JUNIOR SETTER Patty Diamone

added eight kills on 13-of-14 hitting. Junior front row specialist Julie

Martin contributed seven kills on 11

of 13 tries, and junior Karen Groulx

colle led six kills on nine of 12 at

overcame that with exceptional de

fense." Cagle said. "We made 40 de-

fensive passes. Our passing was con-

We missed 12 serves, but we

Athens (15-11, 15-5) and Royal Oak Dondero (15-6, 15-0). The Zebras also

(rai) lacked the big hitting, but they were a very good passing team."
WAYNE MEMORIAL is on a roll.

Moore contributed three kills in 12 attempts to spark the winners

Monday with a 15-6, 15-3 win at Monroe.

split with Birmingham Groves (15-4, 9-15).

'INSTEAD OF attacking the ball

on her sets, we sent over a lot of free

balls or over-head hits. You can't

free-ball a team like Stevenson. If

you do, they're going to start slam-

had just two good digs and seven

of 16. The two combined for 18 kills.

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ming the ball down your throat."

Suffety said.

only seven errors. She also had 20 solo blocks.

The Rocks had just 18 kills in the tempts

Wayne is 12-0 in league player and 31-8 overall.

Senior Jannel Hemme had eight digs, one block and two aces.

Stevenson rocks Salem

## Alpena rips Schoolcraft

Whatever propellant supplied by two regular season-ending wins proved woefully inadequate to Schoolcraft College's women's bas-

The Lady Ocelots didn't know until late Saturday night if they would qualify for the state tournament. Their final regular-season game was last Wednesday (Feb. 19) - they defeated Delta CC - so their fate was to be decided by others.

SC qualified, filling the sixth and final Eastern Conference berth with a 4-10 league record. That meant the Lady Ocelots would travel to Alpena CC Monday to play the Lady 'Jacks.

One could argue they decided against making the trip. SC coach Jack Grenan probably wouldn't dispute it - not after witnessing Monday's humiliating 101-63 defeat.

"Everything that got us to the playoffs, they forgot," said Grenan of his team's play. "Mental toughness got us there, but they forgot it.

SC'S SHOOTING was horrendous 26-of-75 from the floor (35 percent) 10-of-19 free throws (53 percent) and 1-of-10 three-pointers (10 percent). Alternately, Alpena converted 7-of-10 threes (70 percent) and had six players in double-figures, with two others scoring eight.

Grenan was unable to provide a definite reason for his team's poor play. "They worked so hard getting the playoffs, then they didn' find out they were in until late Saturday night . . . I just think they were ionally spent by the time they got there.'

Having only one day to prepare didn't help; neither did the six-hour drive to Alpena on game day. Dana Hudson's 16 points was best for SC now 14-15 overall. Sis Guth had 14 and Jen Audet 10. Donna Gal-

li, the conference's leading scorer at 22 points a game, was held to nine. The Lady Ocelots will travel to Sinclair CC in Dayton Ohio for the NJCAA Region 12 Tournament Tues-

Southfield foiled the Plymouth Salem

game plan Wednesday, and the result was

a 65-56 victory in a makeup basketball

Southfield, exploiting its edge in quick-

ness, did most of its scoring on layups and occasionally a transition basket to

to take perimeter shots, but the Blue Jays

were able to work the ball inside where

he chances for success were much great

"That was just the opposite of what we

worked on," Salem coach Bob Brodie said, adding Southfield had quick, pene-tration guards in Hasani Gardner and James Harris. "Therefore, they got a lot

before the game and at halftime. It's one

hing to talk about it and another to do it

Terry Lowe scored 15 points to lead Southfield, and Gardner and Harris had

14 apiece. Vince Ball added seven and

harles Turner six.
Brandon Slone came off the bench to

began substituting in the first

score a game-high 22 points for Salem af-

half to try to get his team going. James Head finished with 19 points and Mike

After scoring eight unanswered points

midway in the first quarter to lead 10-3, the Blue Jays were ahead the rest of the

getting it done," Brodie said. "The guys we rotated onto the floor actually did

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game for the host Blue Jays.

By Dan O'Mears

staff writer

## shorts

#### CANTON GYMNAST

Shay Murphy of . Canton, a nember of the Blake Acronauts of the Blake Gymnastics Centre n West Bloomfield, placed on vault and floor exercise in the Inernational Pizza Classic at the Rochester Training Center.

14 games in eight days scheduled on their trip Murphy, competing in the Level-10 Senior Division, scored south; when they return home March 10, they'll probably end up back indoors practicing for awhile before traveling to Ohio Northern for 9.425 to place fourth on vault and 9.325 to place third on floor exgames March 21-22. But it doesn't matter. The season is here, and Madonna coach Mike George couldn't be happier.

The Acronauts won the team hampionship with a score of

cy rules will be discussed. For in-

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ers Ted Lindsay, Alex Delvecchio

and Dennis Hextall will hit the ice

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The ex-Wings will square off

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four will be admitted free. For

Brodie, also unhappy with the lack of

novement on offense, went to his bench. Slone answered the call and single-

handedly kept Salem in the game in the

first half, scoring 15 of the team's 17 sec-ond-quarter points with four field goals

the bench," Brodie said. "He's a smart player. He knew the type of defense they

were playing and how to get the back-

door cuts, not dribble and get the good

Salem got within six points late in the

econd quarter (29-23) and the third (42-

But Southfield shot 69 percent in the

finale, hitting nine of 13 attempts, to

maintain a safe lead. Harris had eight

points in the fourth quarter. The Blue Jays made 28 of 53 shots overall, Salem

"We felt we were much quicker and

could get the foul or penetration to dish

off for a basket," Southfield coach Harry VandenBrink said. "When they ran that 3-

2 trap, they played into our hands, be-

cause once we get the ball into the lane

first round of the Western Lakes Activi

ties Association playoffs Friday night at

home against Westland John Glenn.
Southfield, the Southeastern Michigan

Association co-leader, improved to 14-4

overall with big games Friday and Tues-

day against SMA contenders Troy and Ferndale.

potential. That's what bothers me. We didn't represent our league very well. We just have to put this one behind us."

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it's either a layup or 5-foot jumper." Salem is 11-6 overall heading into the

"He's a good, solid player to bring off

and 7-of-7 free-throw shooting.

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SOFTBALL NEWS

He has good reason. All but two players from last season's 32-20 team are back, which means he Crusaders are in position to challenge for the NAIA District 23 championship. Considering this just their fourth year of exis-

Beach, Fla.

The snow hasn't stopped. The temperatures aren't yet halfway to ideal for baseball. But Ma-

donna University is going to get started anyway,

on its longest road trip of the season - to Cocoa

The Fighting Crusaders open their season Sun-

day playing St. Michael's and Widener. They have

• Canton Parks and Recreation Services will conduct informational meetings for its men's women's and coed slow-pitch

GEORGE ISN'T ready to accept any backslaps for a job well done just yet, however. "We're much improved," he admitted, "but it won't be softball leagues on Saturday, Feb. 29, in the Canton Township Adnistration Building, 1150 S.

Canton Center Rd. The men will meet at 10 a.m. the women at 10:30 a.m. and the coed teams at 11 a.m. Entry fees, nament; Madonna finished third. registration schedules, contracts/ ter requirements and residen-

in the infield. Four infield starters return: seniors Sean Maloney at first base and Jeremy Krol (from Garden City) at shortstop, junior Joe Brusseau (Redford Bishop Borgess) at second base and sophomore Jeff Pendell (Livonia Churchill) at

Crusaders begin baseball season

Brusseau is coming off an all-district season: He batted .363 with eight doubles, four triples, eight home runs and 33 runs batted in. Pendell had a strong season, too: 319, 11 doubles, two

homers, 29 RBI But Krol (.239, 19 RBI) and Maloney (.229, two homers 23 RBI) are looking to rebound after ackluster years. George has delivered a message to the entire team: There's a lot of talent on the bench, and he won't hesitate to summon it.

Senior Kevin Learned (Plymouth Canton) filled n adequately for Krol at short when he was hurt last season, hitting .297. An excellent utility player, Learned and sophomore George Leung could both fill in at first base as well.

BEHIND THE plate, George will call upon junior Steve Coffell (Garden City/Borgess), who is returning from an injury after serving as a starter in '89 (.290, 11 RBI) and '90 (.250), and sophomore Chris Gajewski.

THE OFFENSE, George said, will be there: "I think this team is very confident in its offensive ability," he said. "If they're down three or four uns, they won't worry."

With the added power provided by Kugelman and more speed in freshmen back-up infielders Ryan Cull and Mike Murphy, the Crusaders could outscore last year's team - which averaged more

But it's the pitching that will carry them to a district title. The 1991 staff compiled a 3.58 earned run average; returning senior righthanded starter Chris Kloc (Thurston; 6-5 won-loss record, 2.52 ERA, 64 strikeouts in 75 innings) was certain his season's would be better. Kloc himself is one good reason to accept such

a prediction. So is senior lefthander Mike Hocking (Borgess; 6-2, 2.84) and sophomore righthanders Louie McKaig (Southfield-Lathrup; 6-2, 3.37), Rob Kowalski (Plymouth Salem; 4-1, 6.52) and Mike Coleman (1-3, 4.00).

AND THERE'S more. "This is the area of the team we've improved the most," said George. His nost promising additions are junior transfer Dennis Hamilton, a righthander who was on scholarship for football at Central Michigan before deciding to put his 88-mph fastball to work for Madonna. "He's probably going to pitch a lot of inn-

The lefthanded Kugelman is also expected to contribute plenty on the mound. So is freshman righthander Chad Wrona.

In the bullpen, Raptis (3-1, 2.91) and sophomore Sean Henkel (Livonia Stevenson; 1-1, 3.84), both-

George plans to use six starters; he has eight yying for those spots and 13 pitchers on his staff. Which is good reason for optimism. "This is a good team," the Crusader coach said. "By far, it's

Now all the Crusaders need do is prove it on the



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Dawn Clifford of Canton achieved a career- high score in all-around competition Monday

#### gymnastics

een Plymouth Salem (143.45) and Plys th Canton (138 60) in the Phase III gvi

with a 34.45.

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Bars: 1. Sofios (PS), 9.3; 2. Hopson (PS), 9.1; 3. Rennolds (PC), 8.7; 4. Mak-ins (PS), 8.6; 5. Clifford (PC), 8.45; 6. Tedesco (PC), 8.25; 7. Laura Anderson (PC) and Gonyea (PS), 8.2.

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## Chiefs polish routines

Team depth again was a factor in helping Salem defeat Canton, ac-cording to Martin. The Rocks, who were 3.25 under their school-record team score, had the top four scores on vault, three of the top five on bars balance beam.

Salem's Courtney Gonyea was irst on vault (9.55) and beam (8.9), Alvsia Sofios had the best score (9.3) on bars and Melissa Hopson tied with Canton's Kim Rennolds on floor, both with 9.25.

SOFIOS WAS the top-all-around competitor and compiled a 36.15 total, adding fourth on vault (9.4), sixth on beam (8.45) and tying with Gonyea for third on floor (9.2).

"They're capable of getting those scores, so I'm not really surprised," Martin said, adding Sarah Makins had her highest all-around total (35.20).

"Gonyea (on vault) has been scoring that well. She has been pretty consistent. We tried a few new things on bars, and Alysia really had a nice routine. Autumn (Bunch) had a

really nice floor." Canton had a number of personal bests, including a pair of nines by Jenny Tedesco on vault and floor. Dawn Clifford recorded her highest

"All in all, I was real pleased with the meet." Cunningham said. "Our floor is going to get stronger. We're practicing stuff that's going to show up when we get to state. We're improving, which is exactly what I hope to see, and have been through all the meets."

Cara Stillings of Canton achieved All-American status on beam, leading the Chiefs in that event with an the score she needed to reach the required average of 8.4 over five meets, including two invitationals. CANTON HAS six All-Americans

Rennolds, Kim Lewke, Tedesco and Clifford as all-arounders, Laura Anderson on bars and Stillings on

"Kim Rennolds has been exceptional, and the other three all-arounders have been stepping up behind Cunningham said. "They really have been working as a team." Canton's Julie Bak scored 7.85 on

ault Monday and became the 10th Canton girl to qualify for the regional. The Chiefs now have 10 qualified on vault, nine on floor, six on bars and beam.

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eam effort. The top seed in the WLAA tournanent is Walled Lake Central (11-0) followed by the host Chargers (10-1), Stevenson and Salem. "We hope the other Plymouth Sa-

lem shows up." Suffety said. "This might have been a good game for enson to start their fire. We hone we can rekindle ours. THE ROCKS played the second

"Other than that, it was a pretty

close match," he said. "All season

we've been improving on not missing

serves, and then I don't know wha

Shortt agreed Canton's play on de

ense also was a factor, adding Har-

rison had more attacks (139) than the

their defense played well," he said

up and staying in the game.

three-game defeat instead.

do anything to stop them."

and is 31-13-6 overall.

They did a good job of picking them

PLYMOUTH SALEM had hoped

end the regular season with a vic-

vonia Stevenson, but the host

In a match to determine the No. 3

tory Monday over perennial power

Rocks were stunned by a decisive,

in the WLAA tournament, the Spar-

tans breezed to 15-3, 15-5, 15-7 victo-

game," Salem co-coach Allie Suffety

hard. (Coach) Lee Cagle had gotter

them really fired up, but we didn't

play and stand 29-9-7 overall. Ste-

venson ended at 9-2 in WLAA duals

just took off," Cagle said. "We were

really pumped up because we knew

it was an important match. We know

playoffs) so we wanted to make a

statement. It was a tremendous

we may see them again (in the

The Rocks finished 8-3 in league

said, "Stevenson played very, very

"We played our absolute worst

"We spiked the ball a lot more, but

Chiefs.

and third games Monday without setter Caryn Tatteron, who began the match but was too ill to continue She had nine sets and one assist in the first game.
"That really hurt us, because she

does so much for us," Suffety said 'In turn, it jolted our team to where we were unorganized and looked confused on the floor." Salem was forced to play Julianna

DeLaRocque from a hitting position

o setter, but the Rocks were never able to get in sync. That took away one of our better passers and hitters, and then our hitters were not really used to her setting," Suffety said. "That caused

a timing problem.

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#### any cakewalk. There's five of us (in the district). The big bat in the lineup belongs to 6-foot-3, who could win it. It's going to be a dogfight." Last year, Madonna finished second with a 14-7 245-pound Ernie Bowling, the team's designated hitter. Bowling rolled over opponents, making the record, behind Spring Arbor (37-18 overall). ings for us," said George." all-district team with a .370 average, 14 doubles, Spring Arbor also won the four-team district tour-16 homers and 54 RBI. Six players are vying for spots in the outfield. Catching the Cougars won't be easy, they've graduated just four seniors. Still, Madonna has Returning are sophomore Bill Terski in left field (.343, two homers, 22 RBI) and junior Rich Roy some advantages. As George remarked while examining his (Livonia Clarenceville) in right (.270, 18 RBI). Atrighthanders, are the closers. team's record from 1991: "Maybe we lost some of tempting to replace graduated all-district player those games (in the district) because we didn't Mike Wozniak in center are senior Kevin O'Conner (from Redford Thurston, .243, 23 RBI) have the depth, the experience." The Crusaders have it now: seven seniors, inand sophomore T.C. Raptis (.313). Two others who are bound to get playing time cluding two returning all-district players and a the best team we've had at Madonna." are sophomore Rich Blomberg (292, 18 RBI) and pair of standout pitchers. "We expect a lot out of our seniors, we give them a lot of responsibility," freshman Jeff Kugelman (Canton), a transfer from Ohio State who slugged five homers during Stock EVERYTHING FOR **Erb** 1\_LUMBER ASK US! lichigan's Largest Supplic of Quality Lumber and Bailding Materials SAVE ON ALL **VANITIES IN STOCK** EVERY STYLE! EVERY SIZE! TE EVERY FINISH AND EVERY BRAND IN STOCK! CHOICE OF CREDI TO SOFF game. Salem fell behind 16-8 at the end of one period and 33-25 at halftime. "We had to stop the penetration, and their league." Brodie said. "They're a more didn't play to our west side league against their league." Brodie said. "They're a more didn't play to our west side." ROUND **FRONT** CHINA TOILET LASCO Aqualine FIBERGLASS TUB STEEL LAVATORY 9999 • 60° x 30° x 15° 9999 • Right or left available 2499 · Self-rimming · 4" center Faucet Extra

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## Blaznek's goal forces tie, 3-3

When Joe Blaznek was playing Pee Wee hockey, his goal with 14 and gave his team the state Pee Wee championship. "That was the biggest goal I've

ever scored," the junior forward Blaznek's second-biggest goal of his life occurred with just :03 left on the game clock Tuesday, giving Redford Catholic Central a come

from-behind 3-3 tie with host Trenon at J.F. Kennedy Ice Arena. With Shamrocks goalie Mike Brusseau pulled for an extra attacker, Trenton failed to clear the puck out of its own zone. Blaznek stopped the puck at the blue line and let go of what looked like a seemingly harmless wristshot.

The puck bounced and fluttered past several players before banging off the goal post and in the net behind stunned Trojan goalie Jim Blackledge. Pat Casey and Bill Baaki recorded assists on the goal. "I just wanted to get the puck on net and hoped for a tip in or a re-

Trenton, ranked No. 2 in Class A. fell to 10-1-3 in the Michigan Metro circuit. CC, rated No. 5 in Class A, mproved to 8-4-1 in the Metro and 14-4-2 overall. The Shamrocks also avenged a 3-0 defeat to Trenton suffered last month.

"IT'S A GOOD come-from-behind effort," CC coach Jack Gumbleton said. "We skated harder this

## CC skates to victory over GPN

Redford Catholic Central skated past visiting Grosse Pointe North a Michigan Metro Hockey League encounter Saturday at the

The game was scoreless until the Shamrocks reeled off three goals during a 53-second span late in the second period.

Mike Kasper broke the ice at 11:45 of the second from Mike-Giordano and Pat Casey. Thirtyfive seconds later, Marc Lorelli connected from Scott Johnson and Bill Baaki. And only 18 seconds after that. Johnson scored from Matt Gorski and Lorell.

The Shamrocks added two more goals in the final period - Mike Seiler (from Vic Stesiak) and Lorelli's second of the night at 13:58 from Tom Denton and Gorski).

Jamie Ronayne went all the way n goal for CC, blanking North on

#### hockey

We had a slow pace in the first

"There's some revenge, but i also picks us up some going into the playoffs," Blaznek said. "We know we can give a good effort against

Blaznek's goal capped a CC rally that began with the Shamrocks trailing 3-0. Junior defenseman Brian Ronayne got the Shamrocks going with an unassisted power play goal at 9:26 of the second period. Ronayne stole the puck from Chris Toth and whistled a 15-foot slap shot past Blackledge.

CC capitalized on a two-man advantage 5:34 into the third period when Baaki backhanded a loose puck through Blackledge. After Blackledge made an initial save, the rebound lay in front of the net before Baaki's backhand. Blaznek and Casey drew assists. Casey's two assists give him a league-lead-

Cumbleton was pleased with his team's performance and hopes it carries into the post-season state

"WE CAN'T get overconfident and look ahead though - we still have two games left," Gumbleton said. "I think it will give the team... more confidence now that they know they can come from behind. "If we want to hustle and do the hings we're supposed to do well,

like checking, we can be in a game with anybody.' Trenton opened the scoring a 3:49 of the opening period. After CC failed to clear the puck, Brusseau made a save on a shot from the blue line and then another save on the rebound. But Trenton made good on its third chance as Joey Chappelle poked the puck into the net. Brian Gilpatrick and Matt

The Trojans made it 2-0 at 11:35 on an unassisted shorthanded goal senior forward Sean Slater Trenton outshot CC 15-5 in the first period and held a 31-24 advantage

Trenton scored its second short handed goal of the game 3:40 into the second period as Damian Fred erick took a Chappelle pass and found the left lower corner of the net past Brusseau.

"Usually giving up two short-handed goals would deplete a team." Gumbleton said.

THE TROJANS could have led by more if not for Brusseau's ex

"I have to give credit to Brusseau," Gumbleton said. "He's been steady all year. He gave up the first goal, which was lucky, and then the shorthanded goal. He didn't have a chance on either

## CC fares well in district

Rocks put 4 wrestlers in regional

Reeves stuck Farmington Harrison's Mark Rebtoy in 1:25 in the Redford Catholic Central will be well represented in Saturday's ind opening round and followed with a ridual regional wrestling tournament at Plymouth Salem. in over Salem's Pete TenBroeck in

pionship in the 152-pound weight

3:12. He stuck South Lyons' Jason

earned a 3-2 decision over Novi sen

hampionship match.

or Tony Scappaticci (25-3-2) in the

After a scoreless first period in

the final, Reeves picked up one point

for an escape early in the second. He

took a 3-0 lead with a takedown

tournament last year and second at the regional, but he developed blood

poisoning and didn't wrestle at the

"I WORKED MY butt off last

summer and had a lot of people help-

ing me," Reeves said. "I didn't want

to make the same mistake (a loss) I

made last year. He (Scappaticci) was

a tough opponent. I went out to wres-

Rocket wrestlers joining Reeves

at Salem include senior Tom Pace

(29-5), who placed second at 103; sen-

ior Mike Mancini (28-6), who placed

second at 112; and senior Shane Hall

Farmington will be represented at

Matt Siskosky (30-8) who placed

senior Jon Duff (26-5), who placed

1), who placed second at 160; and

enior Rvan Adams (28-4), who

Jason Peterson won the heavy

weight championship and will lead a

trio of Garden City wrestlers to Sat-

urday's regional tourney. Peterson

(24-2), the Northwest Suburban

League champ, lived up to his top

seed by winning his first three

Chiefs defeat

Traverse City

Plymouth Canton returned home

from Traverse City with its eighth

dual-meet victory in girls gymnas-

The Chiefs (8-3) scored 134.5 and

Canton's Kim Rennolds had the

top scores on vault (9.05), uneven

pars (8.75) and floor exercise (9.3),

and her all-around total of 34.20 was

all-arounders with Kim Lewke tak-

ing second (33.95), Dawn Clifford

ourth (32.1) and Jenny Tedesco fifth

Lewke won the beam competition

with an 8.65, tied with Clifford for

fourth on floor (8.65) and was fifth on

Tedesco was second on vault (8.9)

and beam (7.75) and third on floor

(8.75). Clifford was sixth on bars

Other high placers for Cantor

were Laura Anderson, third on bars

(8.5); Adrienne Brenner, seventh on

beam (7.45); and Kim Wagenschutz,

vault (8.65) and bars (8.0).

The Chiefs had four of the top five

tics Saturday

the host team 130.95.

the best of the day

fourth in the heavyweight division

third at 125; senior Mike Pallo (30-5

placed fourth at 171.

(28-8), who placed third at 145.

tle and just tried to hit anything that

noments later, then held on for the

Brown in 5:33 in the semifinals and

CC had seven qualifiers for the upcoming after posting three first laces, a pair of seconds, one third and a fourth last weekend at the The top four wrestlers in each weight class moved into the regional. Coming away with firsts for the Shamrocks were Phil Bache (130

unds), Jason Krueger (160) and Dan Kelly (171). Krueger, 39-2 overall, and Kelly. 39-2-1, weren't surprising winners ut Bache was.

'He's a junior and has only won one tournament (the Catholic League) and has done a complete 180-degree turnaround from the beginning o he season," CC coach Mike Rodriguez said. "He's one that believes, and shows in his performance. Some of our people are coming around naturing a bit. Kelly and Krueger have been consistent all year, but to ave some juniors and seniors come along is rewarding."

Bill Lamb (103) and Mario Scicluna (112) also reached the finals before Dan Rieple (152) won his consolation match to finish third, while teammate Mike Madden (135) earned a fourth.

Brown (32-3) was pleased with the

hampionship after placing third at

"I was concentrating more this

The Raider senior pinned Harri-

son's Tom James in 1:34 in his open-

ing match and tied up Salem's Chris

He earned an 11-3 decision over

Brighton's Tom Williams in the

semis and beat Livonia Franklin's

Fred Vargas (28-7) in the finals 9-2

in a rematch of the WLAA league

league title with a 5-1 decision.

championship match. Brown won the

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little concerned, because I just wres-

tled him last week in the league fi-

last year's district meet.

my feet." Brown said.

He stuck Livonia Stevenson's John Jared Lawrence. Hull in 29 seconds, flattened Northville's John Gatti in 1:04 and pinned Farmington's Siskosky in 3:52. In the ship match, the Cougar year. I was thinking a lot more on junior edged Howell's Art Cunnings (24-5-1), 1-0. Peterson scored the decisive point with an escape in the

second period. "He was a pretty strong kid," adnitted Peterson after winning his first district crown ever. "I was just trying to keep him down. Now I hope o place in the top four at the regiongoing to take six hard minutes of

GARDEN CITY wrestlers joining Peterson at the regional competition will be junior Mike Dzendzel (17-9). who placed fourth at 112; and senior Chris Gorak (23-4), who placed sec-North Farmington finished the he did He's real good on defense and district tournament with a pair of today he waited for me a little

NOY

champions in Marcus Brown and more.

2 when he won a championship in the f60-pound weight class. Lawrence pinned Garden City's Rodney. Haw kins in 1:39 in the opening round of competition. He stuck Glenn's Andy Boguszewski in 4:19 in the second round and earned a 4-2 decision over Mike Shanlikian of Livonia Churchill

n the semifinals. The junior grappler found himself facing a familiar opponent in the finals - Farmington's Pallo (30-5-1) Entering the finals, Lawrence and Pallo had squared off four times this season, with Lawrence winning three of the matches. The other match ended in a draw. Saturday's result was all too fa-

miliar as Lawrence prevailed with a decision. Lawrence won the WLAA championship a week earlier with a 7-2 victory over Pallo. "Actually, we're fairly good friends." Lawrence said. "It's tough wrestling him so many times. I don't

like to know anything about my guy

know each other pretty well." Seven other Observerland wres tlers also qualified for the upcoming regional Churchill, Franklin and Canton will send a pair of wrestler

Churchill junior Damian Taucher (24-10) placed fourth at 119 pounds or teammate Mike Shanliki an (20-14) placed fourth at 160. Franklin senior Fred Vargas (28-7) finished second in the 140-pound

bracket, and Patriot senior Aaron Shakarian (30-5-1) placed third at Canton junior Dan Phillips (13-14-0) placed fourth at 130 pounds and will represent the Chiefs at the regional tournament as will 171-pound

Junior Dave Gloetzner (23-10 be the lone Harrison representative.

senior George Young (31-3), who fin

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CLASS A DISTRICT INDIVIDUAL WRESTLING RESULTS (Feb. 22 at Wailed Lake Western)

(Top four quality for regional)

Heavyweight: Jason Peterson (Garden Hy) decisioned Art Cunnings (Howell), 1-0, onsolation final: Pat Moli (South Lyon) work y default over Matt Siskosky (Farmington) 103 pounds: Rob Fritz (Walled Lake Westmi) pinned Tom Pace, (Westland Johnsenn), 503 consolation: Lee Southard Walled Lake Central) dec. Rob Wendel

112: Andy Fritz (Walled Lake Western

**OBSERVERLAND BESTS** 

Karl Kozicki (N Farmington) Randy Teeters (Redford CC)

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wrestling

145 Craig Larson (Brighton) dec. Kevin Kiebba (Howell), 4-2, consolation: Shahe fall (Westland John Glenn) won by default Travis flacqua (Walled Lake Western) 152' Mike Heeves (Westland John Glenn) dec Tony Scappatico: (Novi), 3-2; consola-tion: Enck Lockridge (Brighton) dec. Jason Brown (South Lyon), 8-6 160; Jared Lawrence (North Farmington) dec Mike Pallo (Farmington), 5-2; consola-tion: Bob McKinney, (Howell) dec. Mike

BEST OBSERVERLAND

Following are the top area gymnastics scores. Schools eligible for the list are Physicuth Salem. Plymouth Canton, Westland John Glenn. North Farmington, Livonia Clarence

ille and Farmington Canton coach John Sunningham will compile the weekly list. Coaches should report updates to him in the

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Courtney Gonyea (Salem) Kim Rennolds (Canton)

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171: Scott Sucart (Brighton) pinned George Young (Plymouth Cariton), 3:41 consolation: David Gloetzner (Farmingtor

Shaw (Brighton), 7-5, consolation: Aaron Shakarian (Livonia Franklin) deg. Phi ation: Rodney Ritsema (Brighton) dec.

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lation: Anthony Salciccollii (Groves) def. Tory Adkins (Troy): 16-4 Bill Lamb (Redford Catholic Central), 2:34 consolation: Chad Brunner - (Kimball) dec Brian Brian Beauchamp (Athèns), 5-4. 112: David Morgan (Ferndale) dec Mario Scicliuna (Redford Catholic Central), 19-7. consolation: Wike Van Patten (Troy) dec. Jerry Smith (Southfield), 9-5. 119: Derek Moscovic (Brother Rice) printed Chris Velluz (Troy), 2:56: consolation: largo, Cartin (Sterring Heights), dec. (Inc.)

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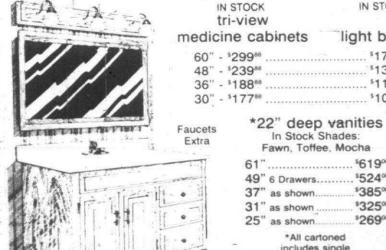
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By M.B. Dillon

F YOU'RE a Rosemary Clooney fan vou'll be interested t hear what's happening 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 10, at Mercy High School in Farmington Hills. The big band star will appear in a

benefit concert accompanied by the

award-winning Wayne State University Jazz Band under the direction of Matt Michaels. Also on the marquis will be the high school's singing and dancing Mercyaires directed by Larry

"AN EVENING with Rosemary Clooney and Friends" will include a post-concert dinner at Mercy Center where patrons will have a chance to

-Serving as honorary chair of the event will be Ford Motor Co. chairman Harold Poling. Teevens, who is directing the Mer-

cyaires for the 31st year, said concert-goers are in for a treat. 'To have Rosemary get rave reviews in the New York Times for singing in the Rainbow Room, and to read that her next concert is at Mer-

sang with Clooney's sister Betty. ROSEMARY CLOONEY began singing with big bands in the '40s, and quickly joined the ranks of Doris Day, Jo Stafford, Kay Starr and Peg-

cy High School is yery exciting,'

said Teevens, who as a young artist

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Clooney to record "Come On-a My

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House," a whimsical tune that catapulted her to stardom. The program will kick off with Basin Street Blues," a "King and I" ballet entitled the "Small

her next concert is at Mercy High School is

very exciting."

House of Uncle Tom," and "All that Jazz" from the musical "Chicago." The performers will team up to present a Johnny Mercer medley including the tunes "G.I. Jive," "Some thing's Got to Give," and "P.S. I

A new addition to the show is "Let angement Teevens received just last week by Federal Express from Clooney's pianist/arranger/conduc-

"ROSEMARY JUST recorded i for a new album in Los Angeles, said Teevens. Clooney also will sing recorded on the Concord Records jazz·label, he added.

Oddo, formerly with Woody Her man, has toured with Clooney for the last 10 years. Directing the jazz band will be pi-

anist/composer/arranger/band director Matt Michaels, who's per-formed with artists including Vic Damone, Stan Kenton, Peggy Lee, Count Basie, Al Hirt, Doc Severnson Barbra Streisand, Sophie Tucker and

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ments for "Tonight Show" guests, Michaels also has written scores for numerous industrial films and commercials. He received the International Film and TV Festival of New York's Silver Award for "The Amer-

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ican Island" score. Wayne State's jazz band has appeared at four Swiss Montreaux

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The group was named outstanding look for a lot of glitz and talent. We available for \$1,000, \$500, \$350 and iazz band at the last two Montreaux have a lot of good singers in the \$150. Detroit Jazz Festivals. This will mark the ninth time the ball," said Worth. "Rosemary can do anything - the Clooney - a graduate of Our Lady

of Mercy in Cincinnati, Ohio - has performed with the Mercyaires. Mercyaire Catherine Worth pre-

\$25. Proceeds go to fund Mercy scholarships. Sponsored tickets for "PEOPLE BASICALLY should

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way she phrases things; the way her

tone comes out; everything about her

is phenomenal," she said.

## Livonia Symphony, dance company to perform

Livonia Symphony Chamber Orchestra presents an evening of music and dance, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28. at the Livonia Civic Cen ter Auditorium. Call 458-6575 for ticket information

By Linda Ann Chomin special writer

From the French piano classic Claire de Lune" by Debussy to the haunting dark undertones of Stravinsky's "Suite No. 2." the Livonia Symphony Chamber Orchestra presents an evening of chamber music and dance featuring the Farmington Hills based, Michigan Ballet Theatre 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28 at the Livonia Civic Center Library Auditorium, Farmington Road at Five Mile Guest soloists are the Livonia

Francesco DiBlasi.

DANCE SELECTIONS programmed by DiBlasi and Michigan Wolfe include classical and avant garde. Costuming features traditional, and modern garb with black and white costumes, and makeup accenting Stravinsky's stirring dark carni-

The first half of the program opens with 20-28 Livonia Symphony Orchestra members comprising the Livonia Symphony Chamber Orchestra under conductor DiBlasi performing a classical work by Viennese composer Franz Schubert, "Symphony No. 5 in B flat major." Schubert, a tragic figure who died at age 31, straddled the classical and

Following Debussy is Warlock's

tiful he has ever written, and exremely exposed for strings," DiBla-

Hair" spotlighting Rhodes on flute

studied with members of the Detroit and Philadelphia Symphonies. She has performed throughout Michigan and Canada with orchestras, quartets, choirs, and in stage productions Also to her credit are jazz performances with the James Tatum trio

six movement, "Capriol Suite." "Warlock's suite for string orchestra is very English in style, and in-

The first of two Debussy compositions, "The Girl with the Flaxen

RHODES, WHO made her formal concert debut at Orchestra Hall,

the dance company consisting of 40 members, will incorporate 15 of its dancers into this performance of classical and contemporary works. WOLFE, WHO joined the compa-

the Northern Ballet Theatre of lymouth for 15 years. "Frank and I have worked together many times." said Wolfe. "Frank is used to working with dancers hav-

human spirit are themes Jones ex-

plores in "Sometimes, To Forget," a

nonologue about a Jewish Holocaust

"I have a variety of interests and

not sure ethnocentrism has served

anyone. I'm trying to gain an under-

After intermission the Michigan Ballet Theatre joins the the orchesra for Pachelbel's "Canon in D" arranged by DiBlasi.

Michelle asked for an arrangement for string orchestra. It's kind of a treat to set that piece to dance, Celebrating its 25th anniversary,

ny as director last season, directed

tiful, contemporary dance, choreographically set on the traditional white ballet that people except to

Wolfe said the Pachelbel is a beau-

We have something avant garde With the Stravinsky we present the dark side of a carnival," Wolfe said. The contortionist, the tight rope walker the two-headed person all of that has been presented and symbolized within this piece.

Tickets are \$10 (\$6, seniors/students) at the Livonia Civic Center Library, Farmington Road and Five Mile, Madonna University, Schoolcraft and Levan, and Hammell Mu sic. 15630 Middlebelt. Tickets are Michelle Wolfe is artistic dimation call the Livonia Symphony ing been with the Ballet Russe. What



also available at the door. For infor- rector for the Michigan Ballet

## Hard times in metro Detroit inspire playwright

Way" through March 1 at the At-Third Avenue at New Center Theatre District Detroit. For ticket information, call

By Keely Wygonik

While General Motors workers at Willow Run Assembly plant in Ypsilanti Township, Flint V8 engine plant, and two Detroit plants ponder their future, playwrights like Ste-phen Mack Jones of Southfield will be thinking about it too --

"ART IS a very necessary thing, especially in hard times," said Jones whose works are featured in "Cruithe Attic Theatre in Detroit through

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mind as people try to gain understanding of why certain things are happening to gain their balance. Art or words. It's trying to gain understanding of your humanity. Artists tell the world 'look at what is happening."

nette Madias of Farmington Hills. Cruisin' Detroit' is a montage of the best skits, monologues and brief oneact plays from three recent shows by the Detroit Playwrights Initiative Among the cast of local talent is Donna Lewis of Farmington. "I write about what's at stake in a

grilled Mahi-Mahi, Saturday, Feb.

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Although he doesn't start out with

are about local elected officials. In "Ladies and Gentleman - The Mayor," Jones pokes fun at Detroit

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be "fun" and adds "I don't know why it hasn't been done before. Another skit. "Uncle John Wants You!" takes a good natured stab at Gov. John Engler.

o the arts by doing impersonations. The skit is funny, but also serious 'I don't think Gov. Engler under stands the importance of the arts.

person's heart and mind." said said Jones. "John has through budget cuts, threatened people's access to the arts. The arts are essential to the a political agenda, some of his skits human spirit. They give people a sense of hope, history. Man does not live on bread alone Arts are part of

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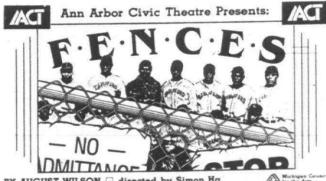
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troit area are blessed and cursed," ished he said. "Cursed, because there isn't a cohesive arts community. Every ican Boys" about the friendship of artists feels alone. But this is a bless- four black Army buddies who re ing because since they are alone unite in Detroit, is being performed

Detroit as a Mecca for the arts, with his "Back in the World," an At-Jones who works in corporate com- tic production that was selected by munications at Compuware Corp. in the American Theater Critics Asso Farmington Hills, said there are a ciation as one of the best four plays lot of talented people who want to produced outside of New York during the 1986-87 season, said he is

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dents that plagued his years in the

THE FUSION of history, psychol-

ogy, and expose creates an intrigu-

tation, but not a play destined for the

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older, says Mr. Cobb. "I didn't," he

characteristic of the man.

eter Hicks.

Ty calls "a stupid meatface".

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the lack of ideological conflict.

So Blessing beefs up the drama by

adding Oscar Charleston, the player

there's no way to settle the question

Daryl Edwards, wonderfully iron

makes him doubt himself. Cobb ex-

cuses his own racial prejudice by

ic as Charleston, goads Cobb and

20-year-old player, Ty at 40 and one makes for lively entertainment, but

of baseball's first millionaires, and noise and action can't camouflage

clude in the myth about the first known as the black Cobb. Charleston

allplayer ever elected to the Hall of claims he played better than Ty, but

Fame. They argue whether Ty's , the two never played each other, and

mother shot his much-older father statistics on black players in the ear-

accidentally or out of darker mo- ly days of baseball were sketchy, so

speckled Cobb's career and about of which was the better ballplayer.

chael James Laird as Ty, and Ste- saying he only voices what the na-

phen Daley as Mr. Cobb ably depict tion believed back in 1912 when

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fortune, but they withheld their love.

Cobb may have been a star, but

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a couple of auto writers the other as the real salary, without getting evening (hey, nobody said I moved in into the question about whether, i high social circles), the conversation fact, a union steward "does nothing." irifted inevitably to the subject of Automotive journalists steer clear of GM's plant closing - inevitable questions about whether someone since one of the group owned a house down the road from the Willow Run plant that will be shuttered at the

cost of some 4,000 jobs. shocking notion that he understood that a union steward makes \$100,000 a year at GM for "doing nothing." which was something he had read in the Wall Street Journal.

THIS BEING about two-and-a-half times the average auto worker's pay, questioned the figure, which, as it

"does nothing" to earn a living, for obvious reasons.

The point being that a reasonably ost of some 4,000 jobs. well-informed writer was adding to Anyway, this guy blurted out the mental chaff flowing around about just why Willow Run, GM, the U.S. Auto Industry, etc., are in trouble these days. The search for simplistic "reasons" that has been is found, the answer can be found as well and all will go on as before.

THE PROBLEM with this kind of



inquiry is that pretty much all the 'reasons" for the contraction at GM there were probably a hundred are absolutely right on. Take your things that went into the decision to pick Fortress Japan; the U.S. govrnment debt, an obstinate UAW, a a hundred things hindering a manu- sal of fortune will only come after escalating implies that once a reason cars, bad dealers, high costs of doing ousiness; high taxes; poor social services a bad recession; a bad trade olicy, a shift away from heavy in-

auto talk Dan McCosh One astute observation was that

> close Willow Run. Add to that maybe my in the United States today. THE MAJORITY of the hand- United States that will guarantee a again wringing going on today over the place in tomorrow's global picture contractions at GM seems to aim squarely at the other guy - fix his rest follows in bits and pieces.

If anybody really wants to get serious, the approach might be for every agency, institution, individual, etc. to list his own contribution to the mess and get to work on it.

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still for somebody else. Sometimes it

part of a generation unraveling

I don't really know whether the as-

sumption was that heavy industry

something that took at least tha

Dan McCosh is automotive edi tor of Popular Science magainze.

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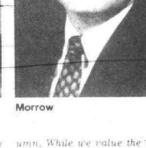
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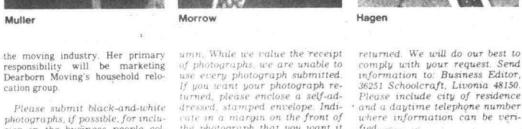
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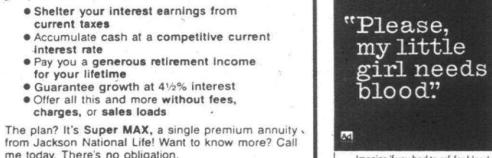
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The closing of Willow

## Workers face job retraining

When General Motors closes its Willow Run Assembly Plant sometime next year, many of its 4,000 skilled tradespeople, workers managers and unskilled laborers will scramble for jobs. ~

Some will be more successful than others

'The hourly worker who is not able to retrain because of severe age discrimination, a society loaded up with credentialism and degrees, that hourly worker can expect to lose one-third of his annual income for the rest of his working life," said Michael Whitty, an associate professor of management at the University of Detroit-Mercy.

"Skilled tradespeople, if they're determined, can move into job shops. That has been tough. Suppliers have been hard hit.

'White-collar people are getting whacked hard. Downsizing is going to accelerate. They were caught in a substantial oversupply of college graduates and persons in middle age trying to hold on to income," said Whitty; a Birmingham resident

Robert W. Ellis, provost at Law-rence Technological University in Southfield, has a less harsh analysis:

"I SUSPECT that skilled people and to some extent managers are going to find alternative employ-

" Ellis said. "It will take a while. They may have to settle for jobs less well paid, but still well paid. I don't think they have to settle for minimum wage jobs in any way, shape or form.

Ellis, formerly dean of engineering at LTU, is a past president of the Michigan Society of Professional En-

"There's no question the auto in-dustry plays a central role in our economy, but much less than even 10 years ago," he said. "Michigan is still the manufacturing center of the country and probably will continue to be that. We're not seeing a destruction of the manufacturing base. but it's becoming more efficient."

There's room for more diversification, Ellis said, especially where science, engineering and technology are concerned

"If we don't retain technical capability in this area, it's for sure those products will be developed somewhere else, manufactured some-where else," he said. The key is training and retraining,

if necessary, Ellis said.

"THERE ARE lots of jobs out there people with some training can do in health care and other areas. he said. "Health care isn't the answer. It's one area, but there are jobs and a little training will get you in the door

'The ones all of us are concerned

about are unskilled. Those folks need

to evaluate what they like to do and

see if they can get the training to do

Community colleges are good sources," Ellis said. And the chances of unskilled workers making anything near what they did in the auto industry even with retraining are remote, he added.

John Bourbeau, president of Right Associates, a career-planning firm in Southfield, said the employment trend is away from large corpora-

'A majority of people in this country work for smaller companies," he said. "A majority of those are in service industries, not manufacturing.

"When we place people, we're al-ways asked, 'Where are they going?'

To smaller companies. Those who have experience with major corporations, they use the assets they al-ready have. They need some retraining, but not the core competences they already have.

"I THINK they (auto workers) will need retraining," Bourbeau said.
"There is a lot of help through several sources in the federal government and state government. There's a lot of funds available to help people get retrained if need be. Hourly workers have the GM compact.

"Many may not want to retrain, but it's the only choice I believe they have," he said. "I'll go back to the basic formula - education. We need to put out a higher caliber student

The expectation of people com ing out of high school today, walk across the street and get a job in the auto plant and cradle-to-grave employment is no longer there," Bourbeau said.

Job opportunities are out there. said Gae Miller, executive director of the Michigan Technology Council headquartered in Ann Arbor

"It's incredible to me our numbers in technology-based members for the most part are growing," she said. "There are technical jobs in biomedical, factory automation, electronic components, robotics, telecommunications, medical.

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As the factories empty, education is being touted as the key to employment. Gone are the days when workers could follow their parents and grandparents into the auto plants for lifetime

employment.

## A Long Walk

## Directory's heavy weight spawns challengers

By Gerald Frawley staff writer

Need something? You know the "Let your fingers do the

Time was, if people needed some-thing they would check out the phone book index and flip through in alphabetical order until they found it.

But have you seen the phone book

lately? It's inches thick.

That's a darn long walk. Maybe the phone book just isn't good enough anymore — at least that's what some entrepreneurs are betting on.

Within recent years, referral services, comprehensive directories and resource guides targeted at specific ences have cropped up. question — why go searching through books and phone directories when everything you need is in one?

ZINA KRAMER, president of Events Marketing in Birmingham, said the prime advantage to these services is organization.

"Everything you need is in one package," she said.

Events Marketing publishes the Events Resources Guide, now in its second edition. "It's basically a compilation of all the sites and all the resources one needs to put on an event." Kramer said.

The Event Resource Guide is available at bookstores in Oakland County and can be bought directly

from Events Marketing. In it, an event planner can find a directory of sites available for rental including sizes and services offered, a list of of suppliers and service providers arranged by category with information on the company,

and even helpful planning tips.

Kramer said the Events Resource Guide is more than a list of numbers. "It took me almost three years to

put this together.' In the event management business, Kramer said she discovered the average phone directory - which is great as a general reference - isn't suitable for very specific needs.

"(With the Event Resource Guide), instead of going to 27 different sources, you go to one."

Since the directory is organized for specific purposes, it can help with special needs by pointing out things the planner may not have considered. "If you open the yellow pages, you have too look through a lot of different areas to find what you need."



mingham-based Home Referral Source, said special directories and referral sources can save the harried consumer a lot of time.

Speed and better organization are the prime reasons people use these services, he said.

"If someone is looking for someone to do a job, it could take several phone calls to find even one person to interview for the job," he said. Referral services and targeted directories make finding the right person for the job easier

There is also - if not a guarantee at least a promise of dependability and competence, he said.

The Home Referral Source is a specialized phone service that puts the homeowner with a need in touch with the appropriate tradesperson.

For example, a home owner seek ing to add an addition to his home call the Home Referral Source number, explain what job needs to be done, and then would get several possible candidates.

All of the candidates, Scott said, have been checked out for service, timeliness and the ability to complete the job in an allotted time. If he receives valid complaints from customers, he drops that tradesper-

son from the referral list. The referral company also checks up on the tradesperson and home-

wner during the job. Scott said connecting the service with the buyer of the service is the trickiest part facing the specialized directory or referral provider. He said he intends to launch a direct mail campaign in the near future to get the word out on The Home Re-

ANITA KREMER, publisher of Senior Living Alternatives, said specialized directories like hers can serve a valuable purpose.

They are not, as one might guess, a lazy man's alternative to doing a

Instead, specialized directories are part of a trend of consumers becoming smarter. "It's not lazy, it's using time more efficiently.
"Years ago," she said, "there

weren't as many choices as there are Specialized information sources

like hers are a natural evolution in the consumer's search for information so they can make better, informed decisions Senior Living alternatives is a

guidebook for housing alternatives ranging from independent living through assisted living through nurs ing home care. The guidebook also offers infor-

mation on other things critical to seniors in need of housing - Medicare and Medicaid.

Kremer said she saw a need for a compilation of these things when she was doing some marketing for some individual nursing home facilities.
"My background is in marketing apartment communities and renovation work," Kremer said.

While she was involved in marketing renovation work for a nursing home group, she became curious about how nursing homes market themselves.

"I wanted to find out how they market themselves — I found they don't (have a marketing plan)."

To her surprise, she said she found people were making a very important decision - what to do with a parent who could no longer live alone - under duress and without adequate information.

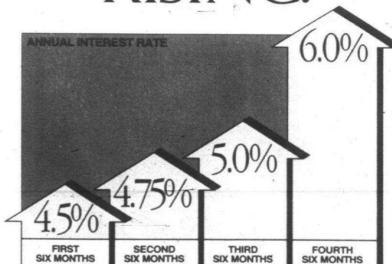
"I thought if people had this information, it might make their planning easier," she said.

After more than nine months of gathering information, Kremer published the first edition of Senior Living Alternatives, which is now available at doctors' offices, hospitals, senior citizen organizations, and places frequented by senior citizens.

For people to obtain copies from hospitals, they must contact the so-cial welfare offices of the hospitals.

Since the first publication in January, she said she has been inundated with calls from facilities that wish to be included in future publications.

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# Suburban Life



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## Banker wins young career woman honor

Christy Mayfield, assistant branch manager for the Old Kent Bank of Brighton's Plymouth branch, was named 1992 Young Career Woman by the Canton and Plymouth Business and Professional Women's organizations.

Work, school, community keep her busy

By Julie Brown

Cl.risty Mayfield's calendar isn't exactly empty. Her position as as sistant branch manager for the Old Kent Bank of Brighton's Plymouth branch, studies in marketing and management at Wayne State University, and extensive community involvement add up to a busy, yet rewarding life.

"Sometimes, it gets to be a little overwhelming," Mayfield said of combining work, school and other responsibilities. "I just try to concentrate on the positive aspects. I enjoy it because I love to learn."

Mayfield, a 26-year-old Detroit resident, was recently honored for her professional achievements and community involvement. She was named 1992's Young Careerist by the Canton and Plymouth Business and Professional Women's organiza-tions, and will represent the Plymouth-Canton community at districtlevel competition April 10.

"I was very proud. I was honored. to be honest. It made me feel wonderful." Being recognized as the lo-cal Young Careerist gave her self-

MAYFIELD GREW up in Detroit and graduated from Redford High School in 1983. She's worked in banking for about seven years, having started as a teller with Michigan National Bank

"I really didn't plan to have a career in banking. I thought it would be interesting to work in a financial in-

She was with Michigan National

Bank for about a year and a half, and then moved to First Federal Savings Bank and Trust, also starting as a teller there. "I've worked way up to assistant branch man-

Old Kent Bank of Brighton purchased six of the First Federal branches in September 1991. Mayfield's been at the same Plymouth Township location on Sheldon Road for some time, although the bank's ownership and name have changed to Old Kent Bank.

She oversees daily operations at the branch, and goes out to make calls on bank customers, primarily business customers. She checks to see if any problems need to be solved and works to generate new

She processes loan applications and closes on loans, although she doesn't make decisions on approval. Mayfield, who earned an associate's degree in marketing and management from Wayne County Community College, has found banking to be a rewarding career.

"It has been a good field because I've learned a lot.

SHE'S LEARNED a great deal about investments and lending, and finds that information helps her in serving customers. Mayfield herself benefits from that knowledge as

Old Kent Bank leaders advocate ongoing training, and Mayfield attends many seminars. Keeping upto-date is more important than ever these days with the rapid pace of changes in the banking industry, she

Banking's a good field for women,

ceptance of women in leadership positions. In fact, branches in Mayfield's district, only one has a male manager and all of the assistant branch managers are

"It's a very lucrative field for women," said Mayfield, who plans to

continue her career in banking.

She hopes to complete work on her bachelor's degree in marketing and management at Wayne State by 1994. Mayfield plans to go on for her master's degree in business administration, and most likely will attend graduate school at Wayne State.

She has other business experience as well. Mayfield is co-founder and co-owner of Trammell & Co., a retail business specializing in women's ap-

Trammell & Co. rents space to set up displays at conventions and semi-nars. Mayfield also is co-founder of She and Her Productions, a community organization specializing in fashion shows and other fund-raising

SHE AND HER Productions has arranged benefit events for such organizations as the United Negro Col-lege Fund, Save Our Sons and Daughters, and the Detroit Public

'It's a lot of fun," Mayfield said. I enjoy organizing functions. It provides a good feeling, it really does. I like to give back to the community."

She and her older sister founded She and Her Productions as teenagers about 10 years ago, getting a great deal of help and encourage ment from their parents. Mayfield, who serves as the social organizalieve it's important to provide posiparticularly for black youths in Detroit who are exposed to so much vi-

Sometimes they need leadership They don't have a positive role model in the home to follow.

Mayfield, a member of the Plymouth Business and Professional Women, would eventually like to expand her clothing business and be-come an independent wholesaler. She keeps busy with work, but finds time for travel and other hobbies.

"I ENJOY keeping abreast of cul-tural and social affairs." She enjoys attending plays and visiting such places as the Black History Museum.
"I like to learn about my culture

and ancestors." That's particularly timely now, during Black History

Mayfield, who is engaged to Tommy Cason Sr., is looking forward to the district Young Careerist competition, where she and other honorees will give three-minute speeches. BPW members are looking forward to having Mayfield represent them.

'She just did a really nice job in presenting herself. We were really impressed with Christy," said Amy Courter of Farmington Hills, state chairwoman for the Young Careerist program. "The other two were very accomplished people too.

other Plymouth-Canton Young Careerist candidates were Officer Jamie Senkbeil, a DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) officer with the Plymouth Township Police Department, and Lisa Gibson, a customer service representative.

## State champs 'Working' nets top prize for CEP theater students

"Prima donna" is hardly an apt description for theater students at Centennial Educational Park.

The students from Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem High Schools certainly take justifiable pride in their achievements, but that doesn't mean they're insuffer-The ninth through 12th graders know just how important cooperation is.

CEP students recently took top honors at state competition of the Michigan Interscholastic Forensics Association. The competition took place Feb. 14-15 at Central Michigan University in Mount Pleasant, and CEP students were named Class A winners and overall state champions.

'We're just as pleased as can be," said Gloria Logan, theater arts director at Centennial Educa-tional Park in Canton. "It's incredible. We were just delirious.

STUDENTS PERFORMED "Working," a musical drama based on the Studs Terkel book of that name. They presented that play, which tells the stories of working people from various fields, in November for local theater-goers.

The group includes some 50 students, with 16 appearing on stage in various roles. The others handle such essential duties as lighting.

Plymouth Park Players have also been chosen to represent high school theater at the Youth Arts Festival in May in Kalamazoo. They'd progressed through district and regional competition of the Michigan Interscholastic Forensics Association prior to taking top honors at state competition earlier this month

"We were really excited. We have a trophy about as tall as I am," Logan said. That trophy travels to the winning school, from year to year. The CEP students also have a trophy measuring about 30 inches that they'll be able to keep at the school.

Logan's students have competed five times and always made it to the state level. Each year, they were among the top three schools in state competition, although this is the first time they've taken first place overall.

STUDENTS FROM CEP received several superior and ex-cellent ratings for acting and technical areas from the judges in Mount Pleasant. The entire ensemble received a superior award.

Judges are educators and other professionals well-versed in theater. High school students compete in three class/divisions based on school population.

Logan was impressed with how well her students worked together. "I think the most important thing for them is the sense of enan ensemble group." That spirit of cooperation was reflected in their performance

"They all agreed to get the project done. They were willing to make sacrifices."

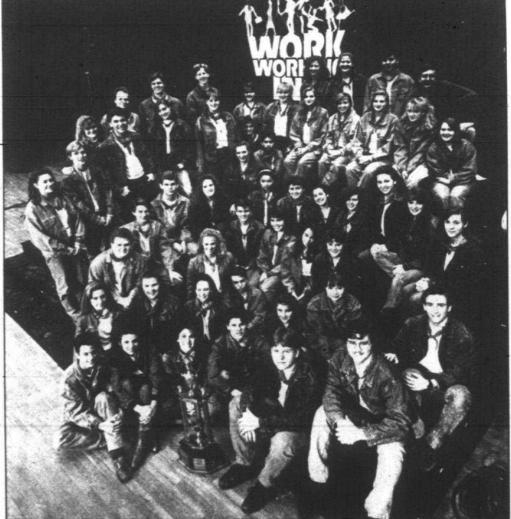
The first-place finish is particularly impressive given the considerable talents of the other student theater groups from throughout the state, she said. Logan doesn't know if any of her current students will go on to appear on Broadway or in Academy Award-winning

"They don't know what they're going to do. They shouldn't know right now. I'm still thinking about what I want to do," said Logan, 43, who has been on the school faculty for 22 years.

She told her students that although winning is nice, the point totals at the state competition weren't what mattered the most. Learning to work together to achieve a goal is what counts.

Whether you go on in theater or not, that's always going to be an asset. These kids have gone a long way on that.'

Logan worked with Don Daniels, vocal music teacher at CEP, and Cletus Karamon, auditorium manager at Salem, on the award-winning production. Daniels was the vocal director for "Working" and Karamon, a former CEP drama student, was the technical direc-



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ons at the Michigan Interscholastic Forensics Association.

## Arts council plans classes, offers scholarships

The Plymouth Community Arts Council will offer a variety of arts and crafts classes for children, teenagers and adults. Classes are scheduled to begin the week of March 16.

Youth classes include: Expressive Drawing (ages 10-14); Fashion Fabrication (ages 8-11); Multimedia Collage (ages 10-14); Oil Painting (ages 12-18); Origami (ages 6-9); Photography/Darkroom I (ages 11-16); Pottery (ages 7 and up); Preschool Fine Art Series (ages 4-6); Sculpture and Drawing (ages 9-12); Warp, Wrap and Weave (ages 12-16); and Watercolor Painting (ages 8-12).

Fine art classes for adults will include: Creative Darkroom Technique; Oil Painting; Picture Perfect; Pottery; Studio — Drawing/Sculpting/Painting; Transitions and Transformations in Mixed Media; Watercolor Painting, and Workshop

CLASSES ARE appropriate for beginners and for those who wish to enhance their skills. PCAC members receive a 10-percent discount on classes. Advance registration is re-

For more information on class times and locations, call the Plymouth Community Arts Council, 455-5260, 9 a.m. to noon Monday through Friday. The PCAC office is at 332 S. Main (above Wiltse's Pharmacy), between Ann Arbor Trail and Penni-

man in downtown Plymouth.

The PCAC also offers several scholarship programs to honor outstanding artists, including:

· The Jeanet M. Allison Scholarship Fund, which will provide six \$100 scholarships to be used to attend any fine arts camp or accredittion. Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp will match the amount for students who choose that camp. Students must be in sixth through 11th grade, be residents of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools district and have a demonstrated interest in some area of fine arts. Deadline to submit applications is Friday, March 27, and auditions will be Saturday, April 4.

• The Joanne Winkleman Hulce Founder's Scholarship of \$1,000, available to any graduating senior who lives in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools district. Appli-

cants must display exceptional ability and plan to continue their education in an artistic field. Deadline to submit applications is Friday, April 10, and auditions will be Wednesday,

• The Margaret E. Wilson Scholarship for the Performing Arts, a single award of \$350 available to a graduating senior living in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools district. The student must have been accepted into an accredited professional program in the performing arts for the fall of 1992. Any current area

resident who has a high school diploma, regardless of age, who is pursuing such a performing arts career in an accredited program is also eligi-ble. Deadline to submit applications Friday, April 10, and auditions will be Wednesday, April 29.

For applications or more information, call 455-5260 9 a.m. to noon weekdays. Scholarship applications are also available from Plymouth/ Canton area fine arts teachers, dance studios, private teachers and the public libraries in Plymouth and

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The meeting is open to the public.

The Huron Valley Regional Coun-

cil of Parents Without Partners will

have a Leap Year Metro Dance at

the Royce Hotel, formerly the Air-

port Hilton Inn. in Romulus. 9 p.m.

to 1 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 21. Cost is

\$4 for members and \$5 for guests.

For information, call 728-7028 or

The Community Service Singles

will have a Singles Sabbath at 8 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 28, at the Birmingham

Temple, 28611 W. 12 Mile, Farming-

ton Hills. The Rabbi Sherwin Win

will conduct the service and a social

hour will follow. Community Service

reaching out to the community

through their volunteer work. For in-

Single Place Adult Ministries of

the First Presbyterian Church of

Northville will have a divorce recov-

ery workshop, "Starting Over Sin-

March 5-April 23, at the church, 200

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March 1, at the Big Boy Restaurant,

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Carpooling will be at Newburg

Methodist Church, Ann Arbor Trail

east of Newburgh Road. For infor-

WIDOW'S ORGANIZATION

The Widow's Organization will

have a Mardi Gras dinner at 6:30

p.m Tuesday, March 3, at the Hyatt

Regency in Dearborn. The cost is

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erglow will follow the meeting. Do-

Tri-County Singles will have a

dance 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Saturday

Feb. 29, at Roma's of Garden City,

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SINGLE PROFESSIONALS

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graphology

criminating and creative woman. You say that a full signature is previous letter. My guess, however, Her thinking covers all the bases. Of ten, she comprehends very quickly, is that I did not analyze it because I no need for detailed explanations. felt strongly that you were taught penmanship in a country other than Other times, she likes to explore and United States. For the highest analyze new information. Cultural interests are also evident. level of accuracy, it is important to have a knowledge of the copy book style from which the writer was taught. Since you seem to have a keen interest in graphology, I am

Her approach to life and living is usually direct. Time is utilized in efficient ways and she is able to distinguish between the essential and the superfluous. She is action minded. I going to analyze your handwriting, relying mostly on your use of space. do not see her spending time or ener-Today we are studying the gy on people or activities which are handwriting of an intelligent, dis- not meaningful to her.

er probably furnished the impetus for writing a second letter. When this amount of persistence is accentuated by her determination. I see a woman who goes after what she

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with a high level of intelligence, she may experience difficulty in her peoole relationships. Seemingly, she has a need to dominate and be "boss" in her own hailiwick. This has her unreceptive to anyone telling her how to run her home or her workplace. And it can also lead to frustration. When it serves her purpose, she

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GOP gathering Michigan First Lady Michelle Engler (right) and Lt. Gov. Connie Binsfield were the honored guests when the Republican Business and Professional Women's Forum gathered Feb. 18 for a benefit dinner at The Community House in Birmingham. Among dinner guests were Kelly Ramsey (from left), a ju-

venile court referee from Livonia; Vickey Hiller, a Canton Township business owner; and Denny Radtke, congressional field representative from Plymouth. Radtke is a charter member of the forum, which has 120 members in the tri-county area.

#### bazaars

HAWTHORNE CENTER

The Hawthorne Center will have its second annual juried craft show 0 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 29, at the Northville Community Center 303 W. Main St.. Eighty dealers from Michigan, Ohio and Canada will be at the show. Admission is \$1.

CRAFT GALLERY

The Craft Gallery spring show will be 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, March , at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill Road, between Venoy and Merriman roads. There will be 60 displays of country folk art, Vicorian crafts, early Americana French country look and Southwestern accents. Admission is \$2. Lunch and refreshments will be available No strollers or cameras will be allowed. For information, call 274-

 HOMESPUN TRADITIONS Homespun Traditions will have pring craft shows 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, March 8, and Sunday, April

craft, west of Newburgh Road, Livo-

be Victorian, country and folk art. SCHOOLCRAFT

Schoolcraft College is accepting applications for crafters for a spring craft show 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, March 14, in the Physical Edical cation Building, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia. Fees are \$60 for 12 by-12-foot booth, \$45 for 10- by-10foot area and \$35 for an 8-by-9-foot space. For information, call the Office of Institutional Advancement at









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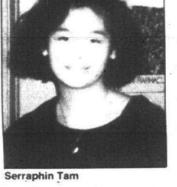
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a \$5,000 scholarship. The chapter also selected the winner School, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Seraphin Tam, a student at St. Ra-

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A trail walk will be held 2 p.m. Sunday, March 1, at the Matthaei PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS otanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro, Ann Arbor Participants will look for early signs of spring. The walk will March 5, at the Round Table Club, 827 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth. at the gardens. Participants should Hospitality will be at 11:30 a.m., followed by the noon luncheon. Joe and should wear warm clothing and Henshaw, a Plymouth Community appropriate footwear. For more in-Family YMCA board member, will formation, call 998-7061. present a program on the YMCA and music. Those attending will be able to see the "Images of Lincoln" ex-● 60-PLUS

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The 60-Plus Club will meet at noon Monday, March 2, at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial, west of Sheldon, Gerry Barlage of the Plymouth District Library will present a program on what the library has to offer senior citizens. There will be a potluck lunch, and those attending should bring their own table service

· ART CLUB

The Three Cities Art Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. Monday, March 2 t the Dunning Hough Library, 223 S. Main St. Plymouth. Al Weber watercolorist, and member of the Scarab Club in Detroit will give a critique of members' work. For inrmation, call James DeArmond at 459-2684

RAQUELA HADASSAH Raquela Hadassah will meet at

7:45 p.m. Tuesday, March 3, for a discussion of women's health issues it the home of Debbie Supowit in Farmington Hills. Dr. Alvin Schoenberger, an OB-GYN at Sinai Hospital, will be the speaker. For informa tion, call 489-7017

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were in attendance when Joe and Louise Ventura of Redford Township renewed their wedding vows at Our Lady of Grace Church in Dearborn Heights as part of their 50th wedding The couple exchanged vows o eb. 15, 1942, in Clarksburg, W. Va. She is the former Louise Spotafore. Sixteen-year residents of Redford, e Venturas have two children

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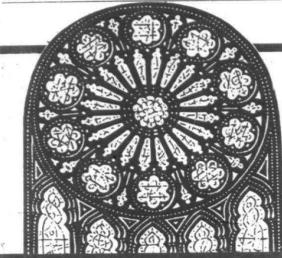
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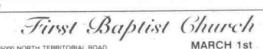
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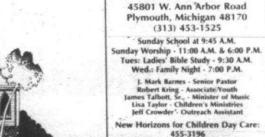
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Choir to perform

The Thiel College Choir, under the direction of Tod Trimble, will perform at 7:30 p.m. March 4 in Nativity United Church of Christ, 9435 Henry Ruff Road, Livonia. The concert is sponsored by the Nativity Christian Edu-

tion will offer a mix of traditional and contemporary sacred and secular works, spirituals and folk songs. The Thiel Chamber Singers will also perform. Thiel is a liberal arts college in Greenville, Pennsylvania.

"We know that that's not 100 percent safe sex." It's a difficult task for anyone to be a spokesman when it comes to AIDS, Wysocki

begun to encourage abstinence

rather than merely advocating

"It's as true today as it always

PARENTS ARE being encour-

aged to bring older children to the

Our Lady of Good Counsel will

also have a Lenten series of pro-

grams on peace and justice issues

Wednesday evenings, other than

The 7:30 p.m. Wednesday,

March 25, program will feature

Wednesdays during Lent, begin

ning March 11. The series will con

ide 7.30 p.m. Wednesday, April

Ash Wednesday (March 4), when

there will be a Mass.

sday, March 26, presentation.

- Rev. James Wysocki, pastor

Media images tend to glorify tients deserve compassion. Prejudice directed at AIDS pasexual prowess, he said, and it's tients "is, I think, just as unjust as efreshing to see movies that relect human love in other ways. any other kind of prejudice we night have toward races, relig-Teaching proper mores remains to conclusions and group all AIDS

doesn't agree with those who de-

scribe AIDS as God's will or a pun-

ishment for inappropriate behav

"I definitely think that that's an

un-Christian attitude." Some AIDS

cases aren't directly caused by be-

havior, Wysocki said, and all pa-

'This is going to be an increasing

this disease is going to touch just

problem in the future. Some day soon,

about every family. No one's isolated

Our Lady, of Good Counsel Catholic Church

patients together, he said. "WE DON'T reject people sim ply because we don't like their lifeof homosexuality, he said, but that doesn't mean they should reject

horhosexuals as human beings The reality of AIDS has been highlighted by prominent people who've tested positive for HIV or AIDS. Wysocki believes more needs to be done locally to in crease awareness and understand-

Young people in particular need to realize that certain behavior exposes them to dangers, he said . 'Kids being kids, they feel they are young and strong and invinci-ble. Often, students know how

AIDS is contracted, but don't make

the connection in terms of their

own behavior, he said. Basketball superstar Magic Johnson has modified his public statements somewhat, Wysocki few years back it would have been said. Johnson, often considered a unusual. Sometimes, the church is role model for young people, has

Bishop Thomas Gumbleton who l discuss "Ministry in an Age of AIDS." Other bishops from the Ar chdiocese of Detroit will speak on arious peace and justice issues

Church program aims to dispel fear of AIDS

outh, said the program is being held to help 8, with Archbishop Adam Maida speaking on "If You Want Peace Vork for Justice." to the needs of the time. Wysocki knows it's still not all that common for churches to have programs on AIDS. "Certainly, a

The Rev. James Wysocki, pastor of Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plym-

AIDS isn't however something Christians can ignore.

ing in isolation with hardly anyone

dances, skits and mime, compiled by

Marlo Thomas, about confronting

Cherub, Youth Club, Mid-High and

March 1. The Rev. Rod Trusty, sen-

Wilson of Redford Township and tario.

each month (March 3 and 17 next

meetings). Meetings are interpreted

for the deaf. For information or indi-

ridual counseling, call 453-4785. The

church is at 8500 N. Morton-Taylor,

just south of Joy Road in Canton

St. Edith Church, 15089 New-

have a charismatic prayer group

PRAYER GROUP

Karen Biggs of Brighton.

family problems. The youth of the

to care for them." Wysocki said. 'It's a sad situation, but it needs

Church leaders are requesting advance registration for the

A Charistmatic Mass will be cele-

brated in the chapel at Madonna

University at 2:30 p.m. Sunday,

March 1. The chapel is on the ground

floor of the University center, 14221

and prejudices.

Thursday, March 26, AIDS presentation, to help in planning for materials and refreshments. To register or for more informa tion, call the parish office, 453-

increase awareness of AIDS and dispet fears

#### religion calendar

should be submitted no later than noon Friday the week prior to

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"This is going to be an increasing problem in the future," said the Rev James Wysocki, pastor of Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic

omosexual men and drug abusers

face. It's something all people.

Church in Plymouth. "Some day

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just about every family. No one's

AIDS and dispel fears and prejudices, church leaders will offer

mily night presentation on AIDS

"We're really concerned about

reaching out to people who have

this disease," said Wysocki, who

will introduce the other two speak-

MEDICAL INFORMATION on

AIDS and HIV, the virus that caus-

es the disease, will be presented by

Dr. James Fordyce, M.D., a par

shioner' at Our Lady of Good

The Rev. Richard Bartoszek of

St. Jude Parish in Detroit, who

works with AIDS patients, will dis-

cuss attitudes toward victims and

the tremendous need to minister to

hem. A friend of Bartoszek's had

AIDS. Wysocki said, and through

that experience he became more

aware of just how widespread the

problem is and how difficult deal-

ing with AIDS is for patients, fami-

Many people remain ignorant of

the realities of AIDS, Wysocki

said. There can be fear of associat

ing with an AIDS patient, moral

laming, "and basically just misin-

formation as to how this disease is

contracted and how you should re-

ate to those who've contracted it."

AIDS patients need spiritual and

pastoral care, as well as medical

and social services. Wysocki

and friends

7 30-9 30 p.m. Thursday, March 26, at Our Lady of Good Counsel, 1160

niman in Plymouth.

must acknowledge.

DINNER THEATER

Impressions Drama Ministries will present a dinner theater performance 6:30 p.m. Friday and Sat-United Methodist Church, 20300 Middlebelt, two blocks south of Eight Mile, Livonia. A one-act play will be featured. Dinner will be served. Seating will be first-come first-served. Ticket price is \$15, and tickets must be bought in advance. For information, call 561-3300 8

ACTION ACTION Ministry provides support and practical help for people who are unemployed or changing careers. Meetings are 7 p.m. the sec ond and fourth Monday of each month at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. Upcoming topics include: March 9, Barbara Ellman, "Midlife Career" and March 23, Doug Bingham, "Ba-

CHURCH CONCERT

Main Street Baptist Church, 8500 • FAMILY WEEKEND

March 1. Husband and wife vocalists Alan and Sherry Scott from Wash-Live It or Foreget It," a program Cowden as accompanists. Directing that focuses on respect, importance of family, changes in teenagers today and challenging young and old to \$2 donation is requested and refreshmake a commitment to Bible study.

PAT'S PEOPLE

St. Edith Catholic Church, 15089 Newburgh, Livonia, will present • FREE TO BE FAMILY Pat's People 7 p.m. to midnight Saturday, Feb. 29. The group will per-Price is \$10 per person, including re-

Memorial Church of Christ in Livonia will host a weekend of activ-

sics of Selling." For information,

N. Morton-Taylor, south of Joy in Canten, will host a concert featuring Crossfire 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28. Crossfire is a local contemporary Christian group. Admission is free, although an offering will be taken for the musicians. The church has services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sundays. For information, call 453-4785.

"Resolve Through Sharing." a four-week seminar to help mothers and families cope with the loss of a child through miscarriage, stillbirth or newborn infant death, will take place Mondays, March 2-23, at First Church of the Nazarene, 21260 Haggerty, north of Eight Mile, Farmingfee, and scholarships are available. For information, call 348-7600 or ments will be available.

at 7:30 p.m. Friday, a program is **♠** LEADERSHIP scheduled for seventh through 12th graders and their parents. The CONFERENCE A three-day church growth/leadhurch teen choir also will perform. At 6 p.m. Saturday, the Scotts will ership conference conducted by Bill present a program for students in Sheeks. Church of God International the sixth grade and younger. The Director of Evangelism, begins with junior choir, "Jesus Jammers," will a worship service at 7 p.m. Friday, sing. The weekend wraps up with Feb. 28 in Praise Chapel Church of Alan Scott speaking at the 8:15 and God, 585 N. Mill Street, Plymouth. A 10:45 a.m. Sunday services and a leaders seminar will be presented at 6:30 p.m. concert. The programs are 6 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 29. Sheeks will free Memorial Church is at 35475 Five Miel Road, between Farmingand 6 p.m. services on Sunday,

ior pastor at Praise Chapel, will preach in the 8:30 a.m. service, the The youth choirs of St. Paul Presfirst time that two Sunday morning byterian Church will present "Free services will be offered at Praise form Irish and Scottish ballads. to be Family," a collection of skits Chapel and songs at 7 p.m. Saturday, Feb freshments. For ticket information, 29, and 1 p.m. Sunday, March 1, in LADIES MINISTRIES the church, 27475 Five Mile. Stu-

High School Choirs will perform, Levan, north of Schoolcraft. The with Mark Adams and Tracy Rev. Louis Tuffuor will be the celethe production are Eric Stromberg,

dents aged 5 to 18 will present songs. • CHARISTMATIC MASS

Pat Hutchison and Karen Barsy. A FASHION SHOW Nativity of the Virgin Mary Greek Orthodox Church will sponsor a day. March 1, at Laurel Manor of Livonia. This year's theme is "Visions of the Future." Price is \$30 per (313) 932-1222. All proceeds will go

to the Nativity Philoptochos Society

• LENTEN SERVICES St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church, 1343 Penniman, Plymouth, be the guest speaker at the 10 a.m. will have Lenten services at 7 p.m. day, March 4. "The Cross Stands Firm," based on Matthew 16:13-20

> information, call 453-3393. **O** ART AUCTION

Church Youth Choir will hold an ex-A regional meeting of the Church hibition and auction of fine of God Ladies Ministries is being Thursday, March 5 in Guthrie Hall hosted by Praise Chapel Church of at the church, 36500 Ann Arbor God, 585 N. Mill Street, Plymouth Trail, Livonia. Donation is \$5 per from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, person and includes a preview social Feb. 29. The theme is "Christian with hors d'oeuvres and punch and Women in the Nineties." A service in art preview presented by Oxford Art the morning will be followed by a Galleries of Detroit. The preview is salad buffet and an afternoon pro- at 7 p.m. with the auction at 8 p.m. gram by guest speakers from around Art work ranges from \$20 to \$2,000. the state. Julie Trusty is president of Checks and credit cards will be acthe Praise Chapel ladies ministries. cepted. The fund-raiser will benefit The executive committee includes the youth choir's tour this year to Susie Wagner of Plymouth, Nona New York, Massachusetts and On-

> ORGAN CONCERT Organist Frederick Swann will 
>
> BIBLE CLASS

OVERCOMER'S OUTREACH perform 8 p.m. Friday, March 6, at "Overcomer's Outreach," a prothe First United Methodist Church of gram offered by Main Street Baptist Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial. He Church to help people whose lives s director of music and organist at have been affected by substance The Crystal Cathedral in Garden abuse, meets twice a month. People Grove, Calif., which televises the with drug and/or alcohol problems Robert Schuller "Hour of Power" may attend the Feb. 29 meeting. Beservices. Swann will play on the ginning in March, the group meets at Zimmer organ, which was installed p.m. Fridays. The support group last spring. meetings for families are set at 7 Ticket price is \$10, \$8 for students p.m. the first and third Tuesday of

and senior citizens. Tickets are available at the church and can be reserved by calling 453-5280.

**O LUTHERAN AID** 

St. Paul Lutheran Church in Farmington Hills has been awarded a \$1,000 grant from Aid Association for Lutherans (AAL) to help the congregation celebrate its 100th anni- • NEW BEGINNINGS

versary. burgh, at Five Mile in Livonia, will The grant has been provided meeting 8 p.m. Wednesdays and 6- stone program. AAL has identified 7:30 p.m. Sundays. Singing will be in- 377 eligible Lutheran congregations cluded. The meeting is open to the in the U.S. Churches will receive grants totaling \$242,000.

Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church, 9601 Hubbard, at West Chi cago in Livonia, will present the Broadway musical "Anything Goes 4 p.m. Friday and Saturday, March Ticket prices are \$5 for adults \$2.50 for children 12 and under. For information, call 422-0494.

The Baha'is of Canton Township will hold an informal question and an swer session on the history, teach ings and principles of the Baha's Faith. The meeting will 4-5:30 p.m. in the Sherwood Mobile Village Club person. For ticket information, call house on Haggerty road, just south

call 416-5515

348-9030.

PEOPLE SKILLS The Rev. William Lichty, founder and director of Stability Ministries, will conduct a "Sharpening You People Skills" seminar 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, March 21, at North-Christian Assembly, 41355 W. Six Mile. The seminar will provide an opportunity for participants to self-awareness assessment tool. Reservations must be made by March

 SPIRITUAL JOURNEY Church Life Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church will offer a seminar, "12 Steps: A Spiritual Jour ney," Tuesday evenings through May 12. The discussion series will feature Broome, author of "The Only Way Back." Participants will explore the biblical principles behind 12-step recovery programs. There is

no fee. Ward Presbyterian Church is

at Six Mile and Farmington roads in

Livonia. For information, call 422-

Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 42690 Cherry Hill in Canton, has a Tuesday Bible class for children in first-sixth grades. It meets 4:15-5:15 p.m. and includes Bible activities, stories and singing. There is also a confirmation class for seventh and eighth graders. For information, call the church, 981-

An educational program for cancer patients and their families, "I Can Cope," will meet 7-9 p.m. Mon-Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. The program is free. For information, call 422-

New Beginnings, a support group for those who have lost a loved one through the AAL Fraternal Mile-, meets 7-9 p.m. Thursdays at St 30900 W. Six Mile, east of Merriman Livonia. For information, call 476-1842 or 422-0957.



cation Committee. The one-hour presenta-

# Songbird mate-feeding is pleasant sign of spring

Though it is not officially spring yet, birds are beginning to show signs of courtship. Cardinals are singing, chickadees are singing their plaintif two note whistle, and courtship feeding is starting already. I even saw my first red-winged blackbird of the year on Feb. 20.

Mallards and Canada geese are paired and often seen isolated from large groups as they look for potential nesting sites. Lengthening periods of sunlight stimulates the production of hormones which cause the birds to initiate courtship behavior.

As I watched two pine siskins the other day they displayed a common courtship activity of songbirds, mate-feeding. Males will take a food item and place it in the bill of the female. Females often quiver their wings and beg like young fledglings do to their parents. Those with bird feeders will be able to observe this behavior frequently.

Mate-feeding reminds me of those people on a date sharing a milk



nature

#### **Timothy Nowicki**

shake with two straws. Or, on a wedding day when the bride and groom feed each other wedding cake or champagne. These behaviors are intended to show their commitment to one another, in birds and people. They help to strengthen the pair bond between them.

There will be times when you may see a cardinal or other bird wiping its bill on a branch near your feeder. Just as humans use a napkin to wipe their face at a meal, birds may need to wipe something from their bill too. However, there may be bill wiping when there in no food on the bill, or there may be excessive bill wip-

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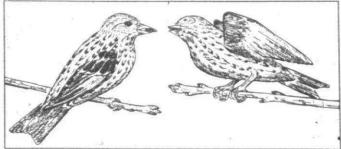
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Excessive bill wiping could be a diplacement behavior. If a bird is forced from the feeder by a more dominant individual, it may be frustrated. The frustrated bird cannot attack or chase away the dominant bird for fear of being injured, so it leaves the feeder. Bill wiping is one way for birds to redirect their frustrations.

Human beings often exhibit similiar behavior. If your boss gets mad at you, you can not lash back at your boss, so when you get home you lift weights, or slam a racquetball against the wall.

All animals require the same basic needs — food, shelter, water and some space. Each kind of animal fulfills those requirements in different ways, yet they all have the same needs and express themselves in similiar ways. Tim Nowicki is a naturalist at

Tim Nowicki is a naturalist at Independence Oaks County Park in Oakland County. He lives in Livenia



M NOWICKI/illustrati

Pine siskins display a common courtship activity of songbirds, mate-feeding.



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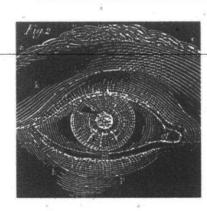
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Thursday, February 27, 1992 O&E

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For details and reviews of musical performances, please turn to the Entertainment section

Looking up . "Creativity — 21 Artists Paint An Amaryllis," a Visual Art Association of Livonia watercolor exhibition now at the Farmington Community Library's Liberty Street branch, will be shown in Petoskey next February.

The Crooked Tree Art Council will host the showing at the Virginia McCune Gallery.

The exhibition shows the work of Farmington Hills artist Edee Joppich's VAAL students.

"When I was teaching a watercolor workshop for the Crooked Tree Art Council last fall, I brought photographs of the amaryllis work to illustrate the possibilities for being creative with the same subject," Joppich

One of the workshop participants was Mary Fink, the gallery's exhibits director. "She expressed an interest in the exhibition as a potential show for her gallery," Joppich said.

"When the article about the exhibition appearing in Farmington came out in the Observer, I sent it to her. And she called and asked if they could host the show next February. She thought that would be a wonderful time for such a colorful exhibit. And I thought so too.

Added Joppich: "It tickles me no end that these artists, many having their first professional showing in Farmington, now have the opportunity to show their work up north."

Next June, Joppich, a 10-year VAAL faculty member, will teach a four-day collage workshop for the Crooked Tree Art Council. At the same time, Virginia McCune Gallery will host a 10-day retrospective of her collage work and sponsor a talk by her on

Sorry about the confusion. The hydropower used at Henry Ford I's Dearborn mansion served as a prototype for Nankin Mills in Westland and the other village industries he operated in the Huron, Raisin and Rouge river valleys during the '20s, '30s and

A Jan. 30 story mistakenly said Nankin Mills' hydropower served in 1914-15. Ford didn't acquire Nankin Mills until 1918.

Calling all historians . Plymouth Historical Society will host the spring meeting of area historical societies at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, April 2 at Dunning-Hough Library, 223 S.

Organizing genealogical materials in archives and libraries will be the discussion

## And Beat Step right up to the maestro's piano

By Janice Tigar-Krame special writer

Not even the experts can tell the difference between

one Steinway grand piano and another. But there is something special, and maybe even grand, about the Model D concert grand used by the beloved Russian-American concert pianist Vladimir Horowitz, who unabashedly called his Steinway an "inseparable

Horowitz's concert grand, Steinway No. 314503, is on the road again, this time as the main attraction of a twoyear tour that includes stops at Steinway dealers in 75 U.S. cities.

The piano is on display at Hammell Music, 15630 Middlebelt, Livonia, through Thursday, March 5. The stop also will include three concerts at the store's recital hall, all performed on the Horowitz Steinway

Russian-born pianist Vladislav Kovalsky, who teaches at the University of Michigan and Wayne State University, will performs at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 3. The Burczyk-Allen Trio, made up of three generations of

'I've often told students, 'Mr. Horowitz's hand position is everything I've told you not to do, but if you can play the way he did,

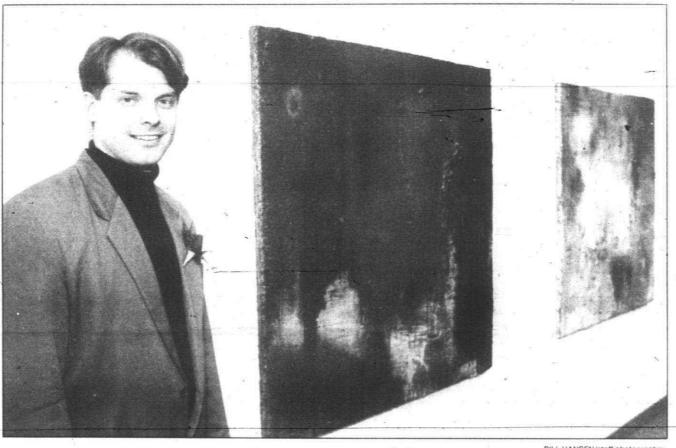
Mary Siciliano

classic pianists, will perform at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 4. David Dubal, pianist, broadcaster and personal friend of Horowitz, will present "An Evening with Horowitz" at 8 p.m. Thursday, March 5. Tickets to each concert are \$5 per person.

WHAT'S SO special about this black nine-foot grand, revered not only by the late world-class planist, but also by his undyingly loyal audiences? If you're tall enough to reach the keyboard, you be the judge



Vladimir Horowitz, the beloved Russian-American concert pianist, called his Steinway grand an "inseparable friend." The pianist died in



BILL HANSEN/staff photographe

Westland resident Dennis Jones' acrylic paintings are featured in a two-artist show at Swidler Gallery in Royal Oak.

## Poetry emerges

## Acrylics challenge you to 'search for self'

By Linda Ann Chomin special writer

O OBTAIN meaning from the by Westland resident Dennis Jones, viewers need to stand before the artwork and see themselves.

The untitled series of 14 works by Jones is on exhibit through Saturday, March 14, at Swidler Gallery, 308 W. Fourth, Royal Oak.

"There's a poetry that emerges. The paintings are somewhat confrontational," Jones said. "As the person views the painting, the intent is to bring out what they may have in them. The poem is a search for self."

The five 4- by 4-foot paintings by Jones were layered with a combination of paint, shellac and materials on one-inch pressed fiber wood backed by plywood. Nine 18- by 18-inch works were painted on mylar and tacked to the gallery's

"Basically the material is acrylic and shellac. steel, zinc, copper and earth," Jones said. "The larger ones are more aggressive. Yet they are related to the smaller ones.'

ALTHOUGH HIGHLY textural, Jones' paintings lack almost entirely any traditional form, shapes or line. Colors are either subtle or

"The surface is quite rough but flat," Jones said. "Colors are very much earth tones, deep brown, rust, red, deep green and cream. There is an intensity of the color combined with a subtlety of color. I'm not so sure that they've come from earth in a way."

Essential to viewing Jones' work is the knowledge of techniques used to manipulate the medium. To make the medium work for him and achieve effects unattainable by other means. action painters are continuing to discover possibilities unheard of 50 years ago.

"The process of creation is very important to responding to the paintings. The paintings are process oriented," Jones said. "It's very intuitive. Sometimes I brush the paint on sometimes it's applied with my hand. At one time or another, I've used a power sander, torch and wide spackler to work the medium. Sometimes the paint is poured on. The painting is on the ground sometimes."

FOR JONES, "the process is very intuitive.

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## Gallery exhibit explores 'space'

See Exhibitions, 4D

By Mary Klemic staff writer

They're not just rooms with a view, they're rooms that are the

A massive installation at the Cranbrook Academy of Art Museum, 500 Lone Pine in Bloomfield Hills, has turned three galleries into giant, colorful works of art that celebrate the institution in which they are housed The installation by Winifred Lutz, "Floor to Ceiling/Surface to Edge/ Vista," will run through April 5.

The ambitious project involved academy volunteers, staffers and graduate students along with the artist. For three weeks, their work included such tasks as staining the walls by hand with sponges, and tying long strings of twine to black

Each part of the installation communicates with the room in a special way. Using sponges to stain the wall lets its natural color comes through in places, for example. You become more and more aware of the height and width of each gallery; as well as of its very placement in Cranbrook grounds, the more and more you walk around each installation. 'The whole space becomes the

work of art," said associate curator David Rau, who coordinated the in-

THE WALLS of the first gallery a viewer sees are stained terra-cotta, referring to the earth. A flat clay platform, resembling a large choco-late bar, almost fills the room. The clay will continue drying throughout the show, changing colors and cracking in different areas. This platform is directly under the grids in the ceil-

The walls of the north gallery; to the left, are stained blue, a reference to the sky. Blue also could refer to northern or colder climes.

Here a brick column connects the floor and ceiling. A floor of bricks keeps the viewer from getting close to the column. Walking along the

Please turn to Page 5

## Art group heightens involvement to expand horizons

WITHOUT MUCH fanfare, Artifacts Art Club is building a strong membership base among Observerland artists hooked on honing their

artistic talents The club, formed in 1986, boasts artists of varying disciplines and

"We haven't sought much publicity," says Northville artist Joyce Colaluca, club secretary. "But now that we've become more organized, we've decided to let more people know about us."

The Livonia Arts Commission has invited Artifacts members to exhibit their work during April in the Livo-nia Civic Center lobby, Five Mile and Farmington Road. A People's Choice Award will be presented dur-ing the show, which will be juried by selected club members.

"We're delighted to show our work to the public," said Livonia artist

Sherry Eid, club president. "It's al ways nice to hear from other people. You get totally different feedback than you would from just showing your work to friends."

Eid has no qualms about the club unveiling its first major exhibition in the city hall. "Livonia doesn't have all the gal-

leries Birmingham does," she said. "So the city hall acts as quite a focal point for the visual arts. It's a central part of the city." SMALLER CLUB exhibits have

been held at the Farmington Community Library and at Jacobson's in Livonia and Dearborn.

Eid, who enjoys capturing the re-alism of people in colored pencil, looks forward to the spring opening of the new exhibit gallery in the Livonia Civic Center Library, the club's meeting place since late sum-

Club exhibits provide an outlet for



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'If you're brand new to art, you can come in and feel pretty comfortable.

- David Messing

members who don't have enough quality material to exhibit on their "but have one or two pictures they'd really like to show to people,

'We've got a lot of versatility -

from commercial artists to wildlife artists," said Livonia artist David Messing, a fine arts sculptor.

"If you're brand new to art, you can come in and feel pretty comfortable. We try to make things as instructional and unstructured as pos-

To further enlighten its membership, Artifacts will introduce two club workshops this year.

Tennessee native Robert Byrd of Woodhaven will talk pastels in a three-part series March 9, 16 and 23 at Messing's Art Store and More in

Preliminary plans call for club members Gwen Senatore and Marsha Weigand to lead a solar painting workshop in June based on the book In Harmony wih Nature," by Maxine Masterfield.

ARTIFACTS GREW from a core membership of art students and teachers at Art Store and More. Eid, a student at the store for the past six years, was one of those founding The club now meets at 7 p.m. the

fourth Tuesday of each month in the Livonia Civic Center Library. Yearly dues is \$20.

We have a variety of interests but we share a common goal of advancing our knowledge in artistic areas," said Colaluca, who has areas," said Colaluca, who has taught art to kids ages 6-14 at Art

Store and More the past three years. "I think everyone has more art training now and is getting more involved in other areas, beyond the art discipline they started out."

Members dabble in sculpture, pottery, colored pencil, pen and ink, photography, painting, calligraphy and jewelry. Meetings may feature guest speakers or group critiques. The club also takes field trips to art

"What I like most about our group

is the great range in experience, me-dia and styles," Eid said. "We learn from each other." Farmington Hills artist Edee Jop-

pich, a Visual Art Association of

Livonia faculty member, will offer critiques at the March 24 meeting. SOME ARTIFACTS members are VAAL students Colaluca, for exam-

ple, has studied watercolor under Joppich. She's now studying pastel under Audrey DeMarco. Artifacts never was intended to

compete with bigger art clubs in the

As Messing put it: "It's easy to slip into a schedule of meetings. What we try to do is provide time to bring artwork in and talk to each other about it - to critique it and discuss media techniques and style. That's all the club's supposed to be."

Bob Sklar is assistant managing editor for special projects.

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## 'The paintings are somewhat confrontational'

There really isn't a need to sit down and sketch."

"I like the idea of discovery, Jones said. "I have no idea of what the final painting will be and they change considerably while I'm work-

Jones' studio, near I-75 and West Grand Boulevard in Detroit, serves as inspiration for the paintings meant to resemble objects in nature subject to time and decay.

"I like to look at and photograph the surroundings," Jones said. "Exposed to time and weather, they reflect decay, if you will. I look at wall surfaces where several layers of paint have built up over time. Those surfaces begin to erode, revealing

 Dennis Jones paint layers sometimes down to the

considerably while I'm

the window at the surroundings. The

first coat of paint. A sense of history "A lot of time is spent looking out

design entered in the International New York Vietnam Veterans Memorial competition. westernly orientation gives a panoramic view of the Fisher and GM

School of Architecture with a bachelor's degree in architecture in 1983. "I needed something much more practical as well as artistic," he Until mid-December when he was laid off, Jones worked for a Troy architectural firm. In 1983, he won a second-place \$5,000 cash award for

buildings. There's a train that cuts

across I-75. The fact, I'm painting in

JONES EARNED a master's de-

Iniversity in 1990. He graduated

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this western sun affects the work."

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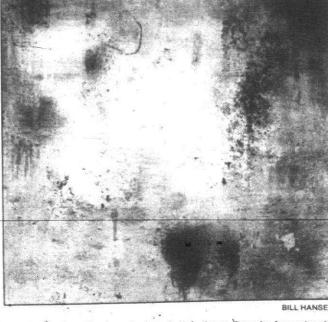
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Swidler Gallery is primarily clay oriented.

tionally recognized artists," Swidler said. "We don't usually show paintas the ceramics.' Swidler's gallery director, Paul

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Horowitz's hand position is everything I've told you not to do, but if you can play the way he did, do it.' It was Horowitz's wife, Wanda, a constant companion of the maestro and the daughter of composer Artuo Toscanini, who came up with the idea for this ambitious U.S. tour.

> Steinway & Sons in Long Island City, NY, whose close association with Horowitz lasted until his death in 1989, eagerly took on the project and began plotting the tour that began in

Mary Siciliano, a Livonia piano in-

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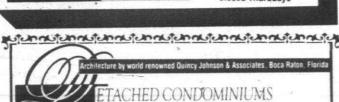
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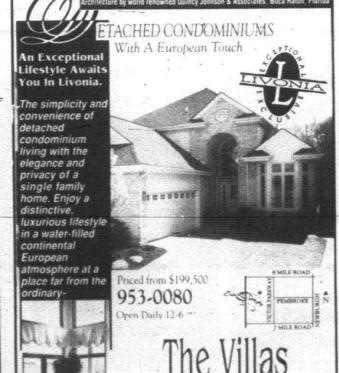
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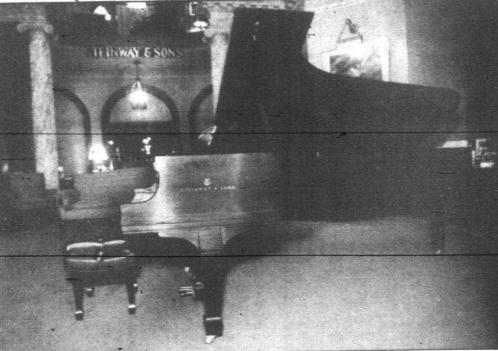
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TO THE right of the center gallery is the south gallery, which is stained green, alluding to vegetation (and southern or warmer climes). Like the north-gallery, a narrow brown strip runs along the top and bottom of the room, as though the entire space were in a frame.

This gallery features straw instead of gravel, and dark Mexican ing from the ceiling almost to the floor. Looking through the twine reminds one of looking into a forest. Handmade paper is spread on part

ering it but rather shading it. Again, you appreciate the floor and ceiling the more you move to study the

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Fliel Saarinen. Many aspects of the installation and 4.30 p.m. Monday-Friday.

brook, Lutz graduated from Cranbrook's sculpture department in stallation reflect several departments in the academy architecture, ceramics, fiber, painting and sculp-

familiar with the museum, as well as those who are relatively new visi tors, more aware of the space it's in Rau was asked if the ceiling was raised in the center gallery, he said

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McVicar holds a bachelor of arts degree in art education and a vocational certificate in graphics from at Sheldon Road. Wayne State.

She has worked in free-lance lettering arts and graphic design and now does custom work through her studio, The Written Word. She has taught in the Livonia, Farmington and Southfield community education

McVicar has conducted workshops

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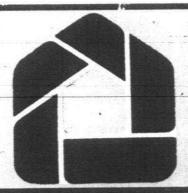
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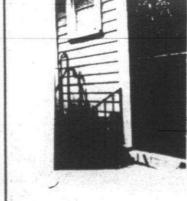
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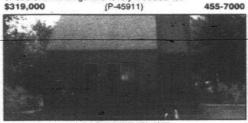
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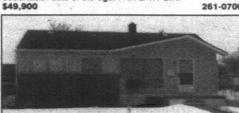
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By Doug Funke staff writer

Housing sales in metro Detroit showed dramatic gains last month compared to January of 1991, buoying real estate professionals as they gear up for the prime selling months of March, April and May.

The 26 Real Estate One offices here set a dollar-volume record for January. A few more than 660 houscondominiums sold last month for an aggregate \$80.9 million, said Michael Bartlett, senior vice president of sales management for the firm headquartered in Farmington Hills.

The former January record was

\$69.6 million on 612 sales in 1990. Sales activity last month substantially surpassed activity in January 1991 when the U.S. launched air attacks in the Persian Gulf. Real Estate One sold 473 units for \$55.6 mil-

Increases in sales activity last month were especially pronounced Wayne County, Bartlett said. Some 271 units were sold for \$21.2 million compared to 136 units for \$9.3 million in January 1991.

"I think the most important thing is the public never gets hurt by buying and selling in the same market, Bartlett said. "We're kind of at a window now where interest rates are down and demand is not so great that prices rise too quickly...

"WE'VE BEEN increasing our market share," he said. "Obviously, some of the increase is in sales pric es. It appears that upper end property is moving better than last year.

Real Estate One also set a monthly record last October and is on pace to set a record for February with sales up 64 percent for the first three weeks, Bartlett said.

Century 21, the largest real estate network in metro Detroit with 102 offices, also reported double-digit

percentage increases both in units sold and dollar volume.

Some 1,991 units were sold for \$137.8 million last month compared to 1,770 units for \$111.7 million in January 1991. Figures last month also showed a steady increase over December numbers of 1,816 sales at \$125.9 million.

"There's still a lot of activity," said Bill McCullen, regional vice president for Century 21 Great Lakes, a franchising firm in Novi. People are getting into the market.

"IT'S A GOOD time, because of interest rates, for buyers to be buying. Sellers are a little more reasonable

in prices because of the uncertain. economy. It's really a balanced mar-

ket," he said. Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate, with 19 offices in metro De-

troit, confirmed the trend. That network, headquartered in Sterling Heights, sold 309 houses for \$36.7 million last month compared to 266 for \$28.6 million during January 1991, said Diane McPharlin, marketing director.

We feel there is a trend now of consumer confidence returning for whatever reason," she said. "Buyers can take advantage of low interest rates and get more home for the

## Buyer brokering has advantages

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being held vicariously liable for the acts of the agent who is working with the buyer, and with whom the seller has no contact. But be sure your listing agreement is reviewed by a knowledgeable real estate lawyer before you sign it.

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ship, I would tell your neighbor that you have been experiencing some problems with her cats. There may not be a lot that the neighbor can do about the cats scampering about in the middle of the night.

On the other hand, if it is causing unreasonable disturbance, you should bring it to your neighbor's attention, with the expectation that your neighbor will do something

If your neighbor does not do so

then you must review your condominium documents and consult with the board in regard to what action it or you may take against your neighbor should that become necessary. To the extent you can resolve the matter amicably, you should at-tempt to do so and not be hesitant about it.

Robert M. Meisner is a Birmingham attorney concentrating his practice in the areas of condominiums, real estate and corporate law. You are invited to submit topics you would like to see discussed in this column by writing Robert M. Meisner at 30200 Telegraph Road, Suite 467, Bingham Farms 48025. This column provides - general information and should not be construed as le-

## Realtors help homeless

It was a "homey" kind of Valentine's Day when \$2,700 was raised for the homeless by the Western Wayne Oakland County Association of Realtors

Wayne County Family Center director Linda Makowski accepted the money on behalf of her organization, which seeks help for security deposits and first month's rents for homeless persons. At capacity, Wayne County Family Center, Westland, temporarily houses 24 homeless families.

More than 150 WWOCAR members paid \$12.50 to attend a buffet luncheon at Novi's Home Sweet Home restaurant, where owner

Steve Romanik donated his restaurant, food and staff for the event.

According to Chris Sheldon, WWOCAR director of membership services director, membership committee members, led by Patricia Stokes, sought out a charity event in place a of a quarterly meeting.
"Because we're in real estate, we

can appreciate the value of having a place a to call yours," Sheldon said of the connection between her industry and the homeless.

The Salvation Army, which provided a four-piece brass band for the afternoon's entertainment, was also a recipient of WWOCAR generosity which received a \$300 donation and household items.

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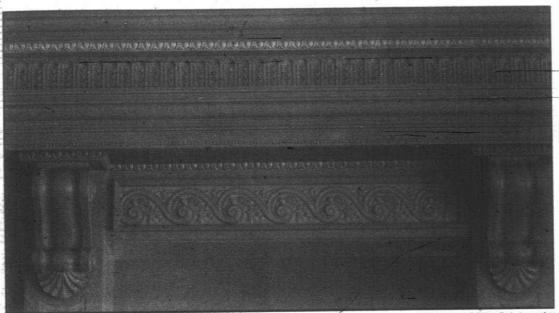
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Solid wood fireplace mantels like this one are one of and carved friezes make each mantle unique and Bruno Trentacost's specialties. Delicate scroll work a showcase for the room.

## Attention to detail inspires 'old-world' craftsmanship

By Gerald Frawley

Carved fireplace mantles, solid-wood chiseled doors, sculptured stair rails, molded architectural trim, handfashioned display pedestals, delicately cut cornices, shaped panels, built-in cabinets, intricate wall and ceiling castings, simple and elaborate reliefs - the list almost is as endless as the imagination.

Bruno Trentacost sweats the details Trentacost, owner, president, laborer, supervisor and designer of Custom Design Woodwork Inc. in Clarkston, is one of the best-known, most widely used interior trim designers and finish carpenters who has worked in some of

the area's grandest homes. His may not be a household name, but when builders or corporate chiefs building their own homes want a special job, they call Bruno Trentacost.

Trentacost's resume of designs and projects include the homes of such luminaries as Alan Kiriluk of Kirco Realty and Development, George Millidrag, former president of Entech Service Ltd., Leo Volpe, owner of Four Bears Water Park, and Hoot McInnery, owner of eight metro-area auto dealerships

.TALK TO HIS customers and you hear words like "old world craftsmanship" and "attention to detail." Talk to Trentacost and you hear things like "God, I love doing

To Trentacost, what he does is as much an avocation as it is a vocation. "Today, they sell homes by location, and furniture and exteriors, but I prefer the old-fashioned way we use the old trades."

A good house, he says, is not dependent on location, location, location, as Realtors are fond of saying, but by attention to detail and infusing humanity into it.
"This is what we do," Trentacost says, almost bouncing

up the front steps to a newly completed home in Bloom field Township. "Everything from the front door in he adds, gesturing towards the 10-foot, solid wood, hand

carved entrance door.

Bruno Trentacost, president of Customer Design

just like it," he said later. "But we don't do the same thing twice - everything we do is one of a kind.

Another one of my customers saw this and wants one

Thomas Alberts, president of Executive Square Corp. in Birmingham and the builder of some of the most elegant homes in Oakland County, said he can't recall when he first heard of Trentacost's or his work, but he has used him for several homes.

Not many carpenters and interior trim designers are ca-pable of doing the type of work Treptacost does, Alberts said. "With the right direction, yes, but Bruno is unique in that he is creative.

Alberts said that he knows of several instances where people he has built homes for have called Trentacost back for other projects.

Trentacost doesn't just take someone else's designs and make them a reality, he develops designs of his own. "He researches things out, looks in books, knows the lines - a lot of guys just don't apply themselves like Bruno.

Turning the knob, the ex-Harper Woods kid, now 34-year-old entrepreneur and skilled tradesman, pushes the door with his fingertips and the door glides open into the vestibule. He half spins, taking in the results of more than a year of design, labor and sweat.

"This is what I'm getting paid for," he says, pointing out even the smallest details in each room he enters. "I show them what they're thinking," Trentacost explains. "He tells me what he's thinking — maybe Louis the 14th

or whatever - and I go off that and make a style they want," he said. A homeowner may have a favorite piece of furniture or an antique, and Trentacost will borrow stylings from it and transfer it to the walls and ceilings.

Trentacost said that's one of the reasons he's been so successful, but it's not the only reason. "What you see here is also a little bit of myself.

"I love fine detailing and the way things come together,"

"What we did in this house should be here for hundreds of years," he said. "I still get a kick out that - someone a hundred years from now could say something like, Wow, I didn't know they still did that type of work in the 1990s. 'I don't think there's anything nicer than being responsi-

for a finished product. "There are a lot of carpenters out there, but not many

who can do what we do," he says proudly. "I think it has a lot to do with the concern of the craft people who do the work." GENERALLY TRENTACOST is hired by the builder,

but works through with the homeowner because what he does depends a great deal on the homeowner's personal taste. A lot of the house's finished trim work depends on the type of furniture the homeowner prefers.

"I give a complete concept on an entire room or an en-tire house," Trentacost said. After sitting down with the homeowner, Trentacost said he can spend of thinking and researching before ever setting pencil to paper.
"It's a lot of heartache and a lot of thinking," he said. "I

can visualize a room finished before we ever start on it.

That doesn't mean a job doesn't evolve after it begins, but surprisingly, there are few changes. "Twe been very fortunate, no one has ever asked me to change a design," he

Not every project he works on is a grand mansion. "People hire me for big jobs, little jobs — even pieces," he said. "I might do just a fireplace mantle."

He has worked in homes from 5,000 to 30,000 square feet, but admits he specializes in the grand mansions built in some of the area's more ap-scale neighborhoods. "We specialize in that because we have the crew (13 men) and machinery to handle it."

Sometimes, jobs have taken as long as two years, but four or five months on a job are about the norm.

"The first job I ever did was a fireplace mantle for my

mother," he said. "She still loves it."

TRENTACOST SAID he has always been interested in fine woodworking and as a young man suspected he would make his living at it. While in school he entered and placed highly in several furniture design and building competi-

"My father was a commercial artist, so I guess some of

After school, he worked at a cabinet shop but hired on as a finish carpenter when he got the chance. After several years of apprenticing, Trentacost decided it was time to

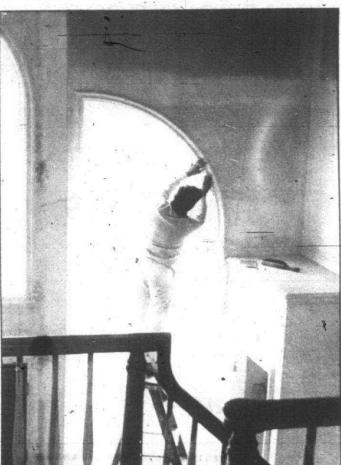
"Twe been doing this for about 10 years now — the first three as a finish carpenter, but that grew into what I do now — interior trim design."



Trentacost does not limit his design work to wood. Some molding work around a deor, for example, may not be appropriate for wood so he designs plaster castings, incorporating ideas from throughout the home to present a unified design.

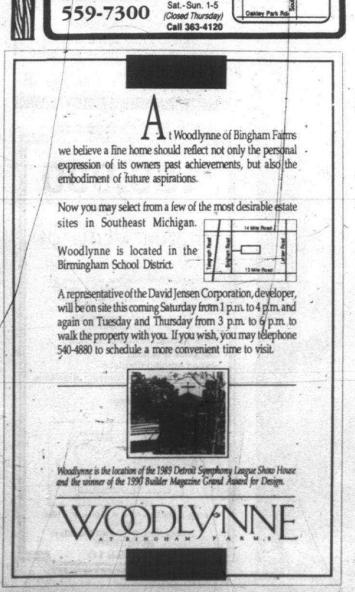
He also makes designs for stone cuttings or material suggestions like marble floors. But you'll never see the same design in more than one house. Everything is one of a kind.





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## Mortgage rates spur construction

(AP) - Housing starts jumped a strong 5.5 percent in January, bolstered by a surge of building activity

in the Midwest. The U.S. Commerce Department said builders started construction of single-family homes and apartments at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1.17 million units, the highest level in 20 months.

The January gain followed a 1.9percent increase in December, revised down from a previous estimate of 2.6 percent. Starts were flat in November and rose in October The last decline was recorded in September.

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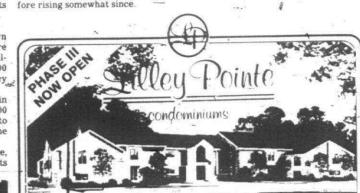
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OVERALL STARTS were down everywhere but the Midwest, where they rose 33.9 percent to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 324,000

units, the highest in two years. They had risen 9.5 percent in December. In other regions, starts fell 7.6 in the Northeast to a rate of 134,000 units, 0.9 percent in the South to 459,000 units and 2.3 percent in the

West to 250,000 units. In a hopeful sign for the future, applications for building permits



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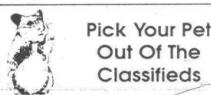
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## Architecture students urged to add business classes

dents feel about planning and designing the cities and neighborhoods of tomorrow?

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business, and students need to complement their creative talents with usiness management principles or ties in half. Tace the consequences," said Allan Cohen, a Lawrence Tech student who plans to graduate in May.

To that end, the university is in the architecture program, a five-year program serving more than 900 stulents, with its master of business administration program, typically a, two-year effort. The link between site design and statistics will offer future graduates greater opportunities to survive recessions, especially as the American Institute of Architects reports annual industry revenues have declined between 30 and 50 percent since 1986. In some markets, close to 25 percent of architects are said to be out of work.
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es to their studies to help compen-sate for the problem and offer future suburbs, they left behind a sense of what community is all about," said clients viable alternatives. We want Betty Lee Seydler-Sweatt, assistant How do today's architectural stu- to shed the image that architecture dean of the College of Architecture.

> drafting table." to make communities more harmo- arrive at their destination."

dustry has really learned to offer the suburban schism of zoning to more community-minded designs. especially with the addition of I- Examples of such suburban down-"Let's face it, more people today are realizing that architecture is a graduate." The planners were very ington, Plymouth and Rochester. careful about not creating a barrier which would divide entire communi- celebrated office tower in the metro-

over the freeway to encourage Wolicki, who will graduate in May pedestrian traffic and shopping. In said the structure was "leaps and the past, freeways like the Chrysler bounds ahead of anything going up in early stages of linking its bachelor of and Lodge were built with only the the suburbs. car in mind, so that someone living on one side of the Lodge found a understand that marketing plays a complete barrier in place if the gro- key part in whether an office buildcery store was on the other side."

> years, city planners have been suc- attention to design and quality, two cessful in separating factories from features which can be marketed neighborhoods; by zoning industrial very successfully to upscale clients plants in one area and residential structures in another, the Lawrence Tech students noted that the principles of zoning are too often incom-patible with community

"IN MICHIGAN, the architectural for example without the aid of industry has been somewhat insulat- quality mass transportation in metro ed from the national slowdown, but we have seen the construction of large commercial office buildings fall off considerably," said Neville Clouten, dean of the College of Ar- out seeing anything that might dis-

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Part of the (construction industry) slowdown is due to the difficulty of securing financing, so we're strongly encouraging our students to add more business classes to their studies to help compensate for the problem and offer future clients viable alternatives. We want to shed the image that architecture is just someone hovering over a drafting table.'

> - Neville Clouten Lawrence Technological University



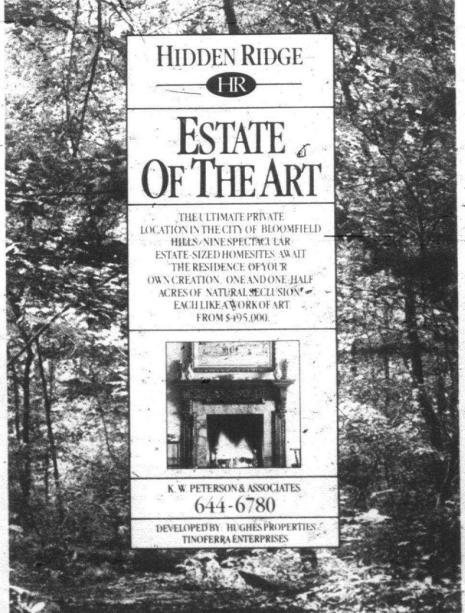
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\*\*Lease payment based on approved credit on 36 mo: closed-end lease. 35,000 mile limitation. Leasee has the option to purchase at lease end for \$17,113.63. Leasee is responsible for excess wear and tear. No money down, refundable, security deposit of \$575 plus first month-payment, license, title and tabs additional down. To get total amount, multiply payment by 36. Subject to 4% use tax. Excessive mileage charge is 156 per mile if 36,000 mile limitation is exceeded. Dealer participation may affect final savings.

\*\*Payment of \$483.20 is based on a 36 month closed end lease with a rate of 5%. Payment does not include a 4% usage tax of 19.33. Leasee is required to give in advance first months payment of 502.53, a security deposit of \$25.00 and a 19.00 plate transfer fee. Mileage is not to exceed 12,000 miles per year. Leasee has option to purchase vehicle for 17,552.12 atl end of lease. Don Massey Cadillac is not responsible for any accidental errors or omissions on the content of this advertisement. Those special lease prices are good through February 29, 1992.

\*\*\*Free car phones are good only on new 1992 vehicles purchased February 29, 1992 with new Ameritech service only.

