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Officers added for festivitie

BY VALERIE ÓLANDER

Canton police will have three to

six extra police officers assigned to

Plymouth Canton High School activ-

ities until the end of the school year.

at the junior prom April 25 and will

continue through graduation on

June 8. The measures are part of a

The beefed up enforcement began

STAFF WRITER

A joint effort to enforce a zero-tolerance substance abuse policy will mean added police presence at commencement and other traditional, year-end high school activities.

Celebrating prom night, A8

zero-tolerance policy against substance and alcohol abuse adopted jointly by municipal government and Plymouth-Canton Community Schools

The last day of school for seniors, June 4, will attract 11 police officers in all. Six of the officers will be from Canton while police departments

assigned five.

"We just want to ensure the safety of students and the bus drivers. The horseplay on the last day usually is shaving cream and water balloons, but we want to make sure it doesn't get out of hand," said Canton Capt. Laura Golles.

The enforcement is no different than precautions taken in previous years, Golles said. However, police don't know what to expect on June 8 when graduates receive their diplomas at the Compuware Arena in Plymouth Township.

It will be the first time in several

from the Plymouths will have years that the pomp and circumstance will take place within the Plymouth-Canton community. For the past several years the ceremony has been held in Ann Arbor because there was not a big enough facility.

SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS

"We don't know if it will make a difference (in the students' behavior) because it's never been held local," said Golles.

Either way police said they will be prepared.

We are having a zero tolerance enforcement for any violations involving juveniles and minors ...

Please see GRADUATION, A6

Schools shut out Whaler players

BY M.B. DILLON STAFF WRITER

Several families pleaded unsuccessfully with the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education last week to enroll the school-aged Plymouth Whaler hockey players they're hosting next fall.

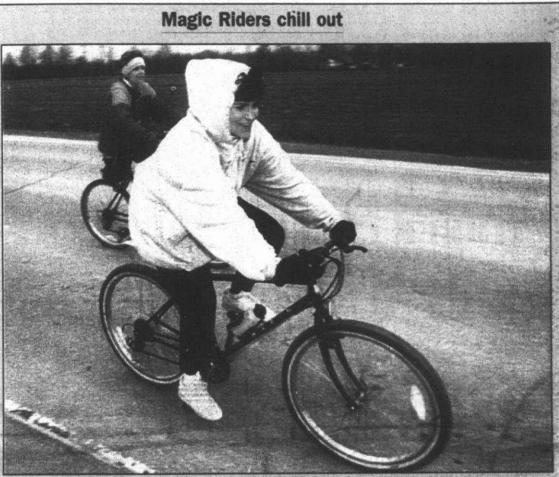
School officials said the district couldn't accommodate the request from families and players at the May 13 regular board meeting - half a dozen young men dressed in sport coats and ties. The Ontario Hockey League Whalers began playing in 1996 at the new Compuware Arena in Plymouth Township. The OHL is a Canadian junior league for amateur players.

Valerie Mestrovich of Plymouth said she wasn't aware the Whaler she agreed to house would be attending school 45 minutes away in Allen Park until the night before he arrived.

"I asked myself what had I gotten myself into? I can tell you this has been one of the better experiences of my life, and my children's lives. This is a great group of kids," said Mestrovitch, who has a son in high school and a daughter at Bird Elementary.

"I'm aware of the overcrowding at the high school. But I don't believe the addition of a few students would worsen the situation

Superintendent Charles Little responded that "until we have space. for everyone, we have a policy in place that's consistent with Michigan state law." "It's not a statement about the



STAFF PHOTO BY BRYAN

Home stretch: Nancy Dailide (front) and Carla Vollmer, dressed for the weather, cruise down Cherry Hill and near the finish of Canton's Magic Ride on Saturday. For a story and more photos from the event, which benefits abused children in suburban Wayne County, please turn to page A3 in today's Observer.

Parade spotlights Vietnam vets

The Plymouth Memorial Day Parade opens at 10 a.m. at Main and Theodore streets, winds south down Main and stops at the Veterans Memorial Park, then continues

A U.S. Navy color guard is to join the parade, and City Commissioner Dennis Shrewsbury - a retired U.S. Coast Guard officer - will serve as master of ceremonies, at the stage at Kellogg Park Guest speaker for the event is Cmdr. Vicki L. Kianz of the U.S. Naval Reserve. She is commanding officer of Naval Reserve Readiness

Center Detroit since June 1996. Her military awards include a Meritorious Service Medal, Navy Commendation Medal and Navy Achievement Medal.

narad Plymouth-Canton Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 528. This year,

REAL ESTATE

Better get movin': It's time to make arrangements with the people who will help you move into your new home. /F1

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south to Kellogg Park

Parade organizer Hank Giles of Plymouth-Canton Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 528 said this year's focus is on local participation.

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Paying tribute to explorer



New owners, new life for 'eyesore' on Palmer

BY RICHARD PEARL SPECIAL WRITER

Canton's Palmer Road eyesore is no more, and Jan Lauer and Ann Berry couldn't be happier.

The two business partners went from being too-close neighbors to the eyesore - an historic but dilapidated old farmhouse on Palmer -- to proud owners and residents of the modern, taupe-and-cream home with the green shutters and flower boxes that resulted from its remodeling.

"It's very nice owning a historic home but also having the luxuries of a modern home," said Berry of the 130-year-old, one and one-half story Franklin House which she now coowns. "We're also happy to be in Canton and living in a nice home that people can pass by and look at."

Not only look at, but appreciate the changes made to the farmhouse and its surrounding one and onehalf acres, located just west of Morton Taylor on the north side of Palmer. It's a far cry from what it was before Kevin O'Keefe and Robert June of Harmony Homebuilders bought the property last year and began work.

O'Keefe said the previous owners had tried to fix up the run-down old house, first built around 1867, but they got divorced. "It (the house) was a mess, it was in a lot of disrepair." said the construction-boss for Harmony. "It was the eyesore of Canton.

At one point, according to Berry, Lauer and O'Keefe, ponies and sheep roamed among the weeds, some 30 lawnmowers, broken-down old cars, a chicken coop, a two-holer outhouse, piles of wood and a barn. O'Keefe said Canton authorities told of late-night parties on the property in which beer flowed and fourwheel-drive, all-terrain vehicles roared.

It got so that Lauer, Berry and other residents of the Palmer Place Condominiums directly behind the farmhouse had a privacy fence installed.

Lots of work

But serious changes began once O'Keefe, who resides on Penniman in Plymouth in one of the three other homes he's remodeled, got to work. He cleared the grounds, donating the outhouse and chicken coop to the Canton Public Works Department and gutting the interior of the old house. "I hauled Dumpster-loads of garbage" from the site,

Please see RENOVATION, A2

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Renovation from page A1

O'Keefe recalled.

A licensed builder for 15 years the cement-block foundation laundry-room. needed repair. But he was surprised to find that the original with the bark still on - was so vinyl siding. sturdy that jacking up the house's side was a mere two-

hour job. Next, the Farmington Hills native worked on the living areas, installing all new electrical wiring and plumbing and are only about half that. And, changing the heating from oil to with the help of subcontractor gas. He converted the five-bedroom, one-bath residence into a three-bedroom, two-full-bath unit - one bath and two bedrooms upstairs and two bedrooms becoming a 12-by-15-footer downstairs. He also installed the house's first-ever closets.

Upstairs ceilings were raised from 7 to 8 feet, doorway headers throughout were boosted from six to seven and one-half and styles, salvaged one upstairs feet, passageways were widened door plus base moldings and and beige, deep-pile carpeting window sills, reflecting the difinstalled. The kitchen/dining area inside

the front door became a skylighted, tiled hearth-room with cook-

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grandkids and young children of them in the parade.

integrity and historic features of the original. Kept were 8-to-10inch-thick walls - modern walls ton Taylor and Warren. Dave Martell of Dave's Home Maintenance and Remodeling in Farmington Hills, old doors and moldings were incorporated into the new design. In fact, said O'Keefe, "It was

his (Martell's) attention to detail that's why it turned out so good." Martell, working with aged, crooked doors and frames and base moldings of different sizes ferent eras in which rooms were added

O'Keefe, who said he was told

ceiling. And the old screened-in that it once was a stop on the back porch was rebuilt into a Underground Railroad, left as a who's also done new construc- breakfast nook with tiled floor storage area in the basement a tion, O'Keefe realized some of and doorwall and a separate short-ceilinged section in which they claimed ex-slaves escaping Outside, overhead wiring to to freedom in Canada were hidthe house was changed to under- den. However, Myrtle Medaugh, bond of the four floor joists - ground. And the house's exteri- who was born and reared in the which were of stout oak logs or, formerly shingles, became house in the 1920s, said that area was where her family stored fresh produce and Melissa However, O'Keefe attempted, McLaughlin of the Canton Hiswhere possible, to retain the toric District Commission said their records show the only such house was one located near Mor-

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Other structures

Two other old structures remaining are the barn, which O'Keefe moved and rebuilt into a two-car garage and the squat little 12-by-14-foot red brick milkhouse with arched roof standing just behind the east side of the house. It's now a gardening and woodworking shed.

Early in the eight-month emodeling, neighboring condoowners and certified athletic trainers Lauer and Berry were busy running their two Dear born-based companies, Tri-Rehab Physical Therapy and Assured Medical Billing, and ing island and 12-foot cathedral by the house's previous owners paid little attention to the changes on the other side of the

Update: New owners Ann Berry and Jan Lauer completely refurbished a 130-yearold farmhouse on Palmer Road.

dous improvements," said Berry, \$182,000.

Plymouth-Canton Educational sentation of colors by the Ply- Ron Loiselle, Plymouth Town-

and when the "open house" sign builders has sold the remaining

went up, they inspected it, bid on one and one-half acres to other

Also participating in the

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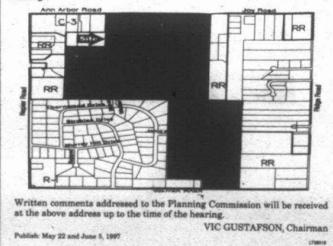
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CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, June 16, 1997, in the First Floor Meeting Room of the Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:00 p.m. on the following proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance: CONSIDER A REQUEST TO ESTABLISH HERON RIDGE PLANNED

DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (PDD) AS PERMITTED IN SECTION 27.04 OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE INCLUSIVE OF PARCEL NOS 021 99 0016 700, 022 99 0001 000, 024 99 0002 000, AND PART OF PARCEL NOS. 022 99 0002 000, 022 99 0003 000, AND 022 99 0005 000. The project in omprised of 217.79 acres of land between Joy/Ann Arbor Roads (porth) Warren (south), Napier (west) and Ridge Road (east). Preliminary Plan-First

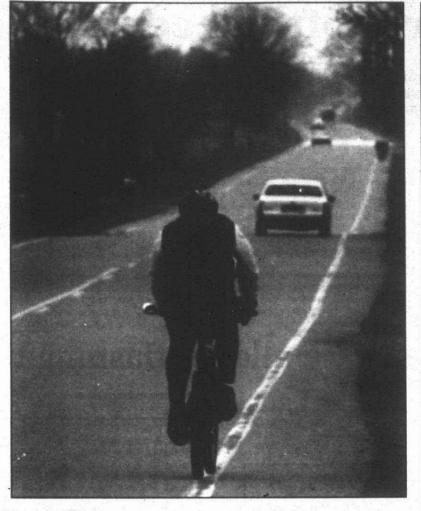




But they soon noticed "tremen- it the next day and bought it for parties for development. Harmony Home-

Cycling for a

cause: A rider heads east on Cherry Hill during Saturday's Magic Ride. The annual event is sponsored by the Child Abuse Prevention Council of Out-Wayne Coun-



Magic moments Ride and walk raise thousands

Michigan's spring weather didn't cooperate, through Canton and Sumpter townships. A SAG routes ranging from 5 to 50 miles braved the wind and cold Saturday to raise money emergencies and breakdowns. for Child Abuse Prevention Council of Out-Wayne County (CAPCo).

The annual Southeast Michigan Warm-Up CAPCo, a council of the Michigan Children's Trust

"We were pleased with the participation and the amount of money raised. It was a volunteer-intenty education coordinator.

south of Cherry Hill.

Bike routes of 5, 15, 25, and 50 miles wound

although 150 bicyclists and 60 other volunteers, vehicle traveled along the route to take care of

Volunteer riders included state Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton, state Rep. Deborah Whyman, R-Canton, Canton Township Supervisor Tom Yack, Magic Ride and Magic Walk raised over \$8,000 for Plymouth Township Supervisor Kathleen Keen McCarthy, Wayne County Commissioner Bruce Patterson and Northville Township Supervisor Karen Woodside.

CAPCo, which started as a task force in 1975, is sive event and we couldn't have done it without all composed of individuals and agencies collectively the volunteers," said Suzanne Hamilton communi- working together to prevent child abuse and neglect. They sponsor numerous child-abuse edu-The event began at Canton's administration and cation and awareness programs in schools and recreational complex on Canton Center Road, communities throughout Wayne County each year. -Valerie Olander

Hockey players from page A1

ing or own students, especially students trying to gain admission. I won't recommend any change until there is some latitude. I don't see that happening

willing to pay tuition, Mestrovich said. A portion of the revenue from each game goes to the an "affordable, smoke-free, well managed weekend activity," she said. The organization keeps a close watch on the players and enforces an 11 p.m. curfew.

The district has said that players may attend Plymouth-Can ton schools only if their parents



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ciation has selected the Canton Public Library as the 1997 recipient of the "Library of the Future" award for its Cyber Kids

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■ The library's most active borrowers so far this year are 33year-old women (2.7 percent) and among males, those aged 35, 33 and 9 are the most active bor-

rowers (.8 percent)? New CD-ROMs

New CD-ROMs available from the library include:

young fellows, or who they are as **I** 'I'm asking you as a board to meet with the players. It's about accommodat- Whalers so that future Plymouth Whalers will not when there is a steady stream of be shunned by us as a community."

Valerie Mestrovich host parent

give up guardianship and who also hosts a Whaler, said, ing our schools every year who our schools." aren't expected to get guardian- Mary Gillikin of Canton said, stranger

not be shunned by us as a com- boys. Please consider it." munity.

Plymouth's Beverly Moore,

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- "Crumb" "The Leopard Son

Q&A

regular author on the "Publishers Weekly" bestseller list? A: Danielle Steel. Since 1982. there hasn't been a single year without a Steel novel on the

entrust it to host families. "We "As a taxpayer, I would like to The Whalers were, and are, have exchange students attend- see the team be able to attend

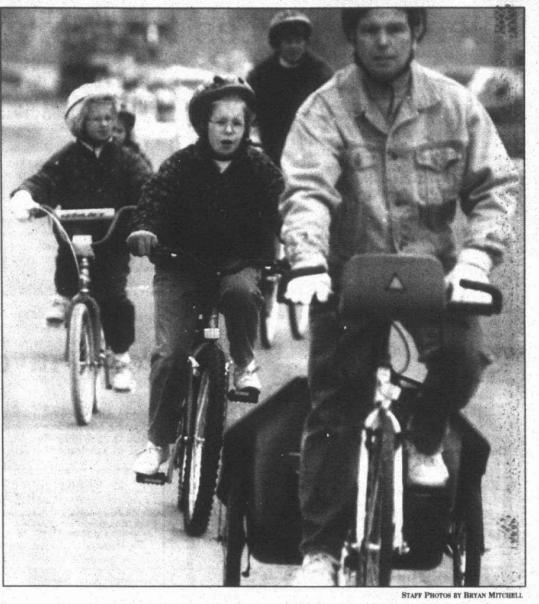
ship," said Mestrovich. "Why are "I'm not only proud, but honored schools Whalers attend. Com- we told this is something we to host a player. He is such a puware Arena and the Whaler have to do? Would you give up role model for my son. He has games provide young people with guardianship to a perfect come to his school and participated in activities. It's not a hindrance, but an opportunity. It's a "I'm asking you as a board to shame. This is such a great meet with the Whalers so that bunch of boys. I just hope my future Plymouth Whalers will son is as respectful as these

> annual list. The source of this information is "Publishers Weekly," April 21

Hot Topic of the Week

Memorial Day marks the beginning of the summer holidays in the U.S. This three-day weekend is traditionally the time for celebration and family gatherings. Celebrated in most states on the last Monday in May, Memorial Day is a time to remember U.S. men and women who lost their lives serving their country. Originally known as Decoration Day, it was established in 1868 to commemorate the dead from the Civil War. Over the years it came to serve as a day to remember all U.S. men and women killed or missing in action in all wars. Information on all wars may be found at the Canton Public Library.

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They're off: Riders (above) selected that wound through Canton and Sumpter townships. Zachary Chudzinski said he definitely preferred his post-ride cookies to the 5 miles he had just completed.



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dedicated x-ray equipment and a casting room where Carly's arm was taken care

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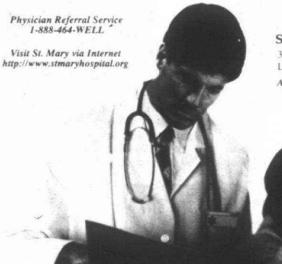
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Break-in forces temporary softball center closing

BY VALERIE OLANDER STAFF WRITER

It wasn't the unreliable spring weather that caused games to be canceled at Canton Softball Center on Monday

It was an elaborately-planned break-in which resulted in a power outage and a massive iess for work crews to clean up Approximately \$1,600 in cash was stolen, police said.

Softball players arriving Monday evening to play ball were turned away at the gate with a brief explanation of what had occurred

Thieves cut telephone wires from a utility box located along Michigan Avenue to cut off the alarm system at the softball

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other alarms inside the building, broke windows and kicked in doors. The only thing stolen was cash located in several locations within the building, police said.

Then, the thieves hot-wired a golf cart for a get-away vehicle. "We found it upside down in a big puddle (about 300 yards east of the building.) They must have lost traction and flipped over," said Lt Pat Nemecek

Police also found footprints from the upside down cart on the complex grounds to Belleville Road near the Holly construction site where the culprits apparently parked a car.

"They probably scoped out the place this weekend during the

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Accounts federally insured to \$100,000 by the NCUA, an agency of the U.S.

complex. They disabled several **II Police believe the culprits cased the complex** during a weekend tournament that drew 48 teams from the U.S. and Canada.

Can-Am Tournament. They art knew the operation. They knew where everything was," said William Stewart, owner of the Upper Deck's Pro Shop and batting cages.

About 48 teams from Canada came to Canton Softball Center for a weekend tournament. "It was a great thing to be part of, but the next morning really deflated that bubble. This is the first time we've ever been broken into since we opened," said Stew-

On Friday employees found a golf cart with a damaged ignition parked near the southside of the building where the concession area is located. It's also the same area where the thieves broke in late Sunday or early Monday

had been cut at that time. However, police were never called. Work crews at the softball

communication system," said stormy weather. The manager Stewart. The wiring for the satellite Phone lines at the building also system at Cleats bar and grill was gutted from an overhead cabinet. A videocassette recorder

complex spent most of Monday was pried open and the tape systems were cut. and part of Tuesday replacing

inside, "Slapshot," was complete Police investigate alleged flashing incident

Police are investigating a softball team was returning Roseville man who is suspected home about 6 p.m. May 13 when of exposing himself to a busload several of them spotted a 1997 of girls from Willow Run High purple Dodge Neon driving next chool in Ypsilanti. The girls to their bus on Michigan Avenue

tered doors. Ameritech crews

were still working on the prob-

lem Tuesday afternoon, although

teams were expected to play by

"They were professionals - just

after the cash, but they left a lot

damage inside. There was bro-

ken glass everywhere ... They

even knocked out the satellite

early evening, said Stewart.

shattered windows and splin- ly destroyed. Police said the

near I-275. A passenger in the Neon attracted their attention by dropping his pants and mas-

The coach of the team called police from a cellular phone. Although the Neon sped up and drove south on Haggerty when seeing the adult with the cellular phone, a license plate number was obtained. The culprit is described as 25-30-years-old with mustache, goatee and nametag identifying him as

Thieves mopped up any footprints they would have left behind before fleeing with an undisclosed amount of money, several computers and office equipment from Gil-Mar Manu-

Sometime between midnight Friday and 7 a.m. Saturday a cinderblock was thrown through the front window of the business allowing the thieves to gain

footprints.

A compassionate thief broke

COP CALLS The thief entered the house through an unlocked patio door and stole a laptop computer, valued at \$3,500, and the purse with a cellular phone inside.

thieves may have thought it was

were kicked in to gain entry to

other locked business offices and

pro shop within the main build-

A manager received a call from

Guardian Alarm at 1:45 a.m.

Monday saying several alarms

advised Guardian not to call

Nemecek said the culprits may

be responsible for other break-

ins in the area in which alarm

were activated likely due to the

Several doors and windows

a video surveillance tape.

Both items were at the foot of the stairs leading to the second floor bedrooms. Two rings also were stolen from a kitchen window sill, valued at \$1,500.

A new tenant at Canton Commons Apartments was burglarized after moving in a few items, including an entertainment center and stereo equip ment, about 10:30 p.m. May 14. The tenant returned the next afternoon to find the stereo equipment and other items

Party Store, 43431 Michigan leaving only the bolts behind The incident occurred sometime between 2 -11 a.m. Sunday.

Plaza on Canton Center Road was defaced by vandals armed with spray paint sometime between 1 p.m. May 13 and 9:30 a.m. May 14. Police suspect the graffiti may be gang-related. Stolen cars

Larceny

stolen from a carport at Canton **Crossings** Apartment sometime between 4 p.m. May 13 and 7 a.m. May 14 A 1993 Ford Thunderbird

was stolen from the west lot of Staples on Koppernick Drive sometime between 10:45 p.m. May 12 and 3 a.m. May 13.

stolen from Chuck E. Cheese 42001 Ford, sometime between 6:15 -9 p.m. May 12. Monroe County Sheriff Department recovered the vehicle May 13 at Tuttle Road north of Snell in London Township. The car had been set on fire resulting in extensive damage, police said.

Property damage

A homeowner on the 45000 block of Coachman Court called hearing a loud noise at the rear of her home and then discovering and screen. Approximately \$175 worth of damage was reported. A 13-year-old boy admitted to causing the damage. He told police he was aiming for a large

Senior Liberty Fest? Better hurry and enter the first annual pageant

line for entering the Ms. Senior

Carriage Park Senior Community and Waltonwood of Canton in conjunction with The Canton Senior Center. Its aim is to select "the gracious lady who best exemplifies the dignity, maturity and inner beauty of all Canton senior

organizers. Applications and information are available by contacting Denise Aleardi at 397-8300 or by

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Bid specifications are available in the Finance and Budget Dept. Cantor Township reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or

CANTON TOWNSHIP

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turbating.

Break-ins

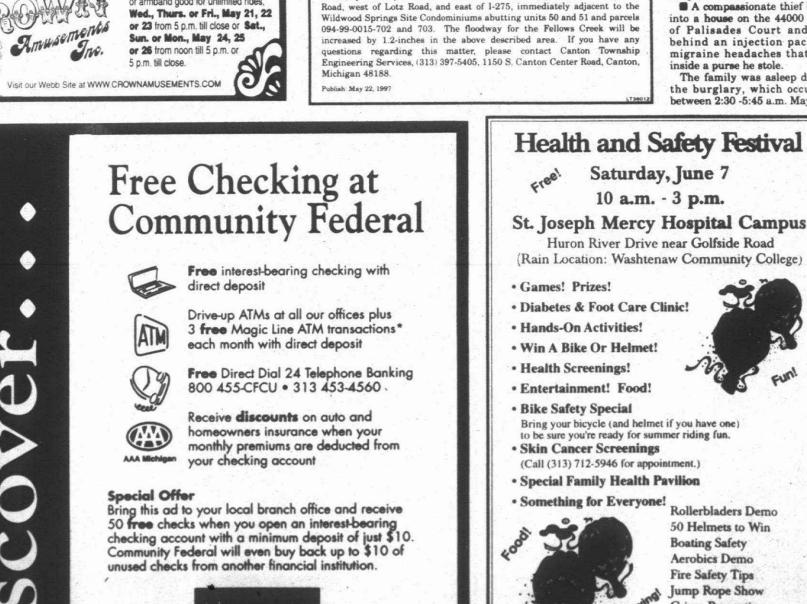
facturing, 7925 Ronda.

entry, police said.

Once inside the shop area, a torch was used to break open a change machine. A fire extinguisher was used to cool off the machine before grabbing the contents. Two mop buckets and mops were taken from a nearby utility room to clean up their

into a house on the 44000 block of Palisades Court and left behind an injection pack for migraine headaches that was inside a purse he stole. The family was asleep during

the burglary, which occurred between 2:30 -5:45 a.m. May 8.



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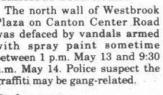
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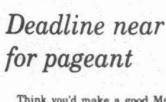
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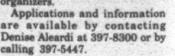
police about 6 p.m. May 12 after an arrow stuck in the window tree and missed.



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Liberty Fest Pageant, scheduled for 7 p.m. June 20 at Summit on the Park. The pageant, created to honor the township's women age 60 and over, is sponsored by the

women," according to pageant



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BY KEN ABRAMCZYK

Thirty years ago nobody thought twice about lighting up a cigarette and smoking it at city hall or in other public

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and Jim Murray believes the public's perception of the Rouge River resembles a 1990s version of what transpired with the 960s problem of smoking.

People need to be informed about the river, just as they learned about the dangers of smoking, Murray said. "People are learning the value

Road repair: Complex issue now BY TIM RICHARD STAFF WRITER

Q. Can you - or anybody explain simply why the debate over fixing roads has become so complicated? A. We'll try. There are three

elements: More money. This breaks down into a) higher fuel and weight taxes, b) other savings from the budget and c) more federal aid.

■ Shifting control of 23,000 miles of county and municipal roads to the state, more than tripling the Department of Transportation's jurisdiction to 33,000 miles.

Auto insurance – requiring drivers to buy less, if they wish, in order to pay for higher fuel

Q. Any predictions on the tax question

taxes.

A. Yes. Up. Details depend on what deal is struck between the governor, Senate and House; between Democrats and Republicans. It's a money question, and money always can be com-

In the House, look for most of the 70 representatives who can't run in 1998 because of term limits to provide the bulk of the ves votes, leaving the first- and second-termers to vote no. That's what happened with the Proposal A tax increases of 1994.

Q. Gov. John Engler campaigns on "Promises made, promises kept." Did he ever promise to take over 23,000 miles of local roads?

A. No. not in 1990 1994. Neither did any legislators. In fact, shifting control of local roads to the state never has been an issue in any circle. Actually, legislative pressure has been in the other direction returning county roads and county money to townships, as proposed by Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton, to the consternation of the Wayne County

administration. Q. So why raise the state control question now?

A. Politics. The effect has been to focus bad attention onto county and municipal road people, the ones who have been agitating for higher fuel taxes.

Engler certainly has shifted 180 degrees from his pre-1995 advocacy of local budgeting by school districts. On roads, Engler is a statist.

Q. Is there any merit to Engler's proposal to shift control of roads?

A. Sen. Douglas Carl, R-Macomb, says there is, and he chairs the Senate Transportation Committee. "Drivers don't care about jurisdictional disputes and about the 13 different classifications of roads. They care about safe roads," he said on a WXYZ-TV "Spotlight" program Sunday.

Sen. Jim Berryman, D-Adrian, opposes it. A former mayor, Berryman said, "If the governor is going tie his whole proposal to a takeover of local roads, the issue is dead. No. 1, neither the governor nor the Legislature has the credibility to take over another 23,000 miles.

"No. 2, it's a horrible idea. It raises questions about street

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"You have to be able to educate people and that's how you correct a problem to benefit soci-

Murray was one of several Today smoking has been state, local and federal officials who gathered Monday at the University of Michigan-Dearborn to turn another page on the \$1 billion Rouge River National Wet Weather Project - the first federally-funded urban river restoration project.

Murray believes an educated public can tackle the Rouge's problems ranging from downspouts connected improperly from homes to sewer systems – sending stormwater and contributing to the stormwater

of the Rouge River," said Mur- runoff - to failed septic systems ject, and U.S. Rep. Joe Knollenray, director of Wayne County's in the Rouge River watershed, berg, R-Birmingham, whose dis-Department of Environment. even in long developed areas in trict includes Redford Township Detroit. Those systems send con- and part of Livonia, believe it taminants into the river.

"We literally have thousands of failed septic tanks in the Rouge River watershed," Murray said. Those tanks have a failure

rate of 20 to 25 percent, Murray

Two representatives from

Michigan's Congressional dele-

gation expressed concerns about

continued federal funding for

the project. Neither said the pro-

Congress concerned

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will be more difficult than in previous years to obtain more Knollenberg sits on the House Appropriations Committee. He

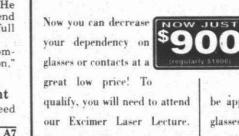
expects that committee will send final appropriations to the full House in June. "It's become difficult to com-

pete for money in Washington." Knollenberg said Locals need involvement

Local communities will need

ject was in jeopardy, but money remains tight in Washington. Please see ROUGE, A7 U.S. Rep. John Dingell, D Dearborn, who helped obtain STOR-N-LOCK \$400 million in 1991 for the pro-PURSUANT TO state law, a sale will i held at Stor-N-Lock, 7840 N Wayne Rd nd, MI 48185-2009 (313) 261-6640 June 26th at 12 noon THE FOLLOWING GOODS WILL BE SOLE B-25 BEVERLY OOSSE - Boxes, care e, household, plant stand 17D DAVID GATT - Luggage, boxe For KIDS 10-14 Onlu! oor animal cage 28 SHANNON WISHTI ser, shelving units, 2 vacuums, mu N-8 ANGEL DISTRIBUTORS - Marb 30950 Five Mile . Livonia . (313) 427-2900 4-25 GARY KROHN - Boxes, shelving D.A.R.E. NIGHT . May 23rd . 7-9 p.m. M-19 KROHN LANDSCAPING - Woo Admission includes unlimited bowling, rental shoes, a live D.J. playing your favorite music, dancing and unlimited funi And, MERRI-BOWL LANES will make a -24 KIM CHAMBERS - Mattress 4-15-16 RONALD DARVIS - Boxes, tool r lights, misc household 7 DARREN NELSON - Mattr

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School trustee won't serve on planning commission

WAYNE-WESTLAND SCHOOLS

BY DARRELL CLEM STAFF WRITER

A controversy surrounding the nomination of Wayne-Westland school board member David Cox to the Westland Planning Commission has ended.

Cox announced recently that he had withdrawn his name from consideration for a planning commission seat, following possible conflict-of-interest alle-

gations raised in January by

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some Westland City Council members. His announcement came one day after the council approved a new recommendation from Mayor Robert Thomas that Westland attorney Margaret

Lourdes be appointed to the planning commission for a threeyear term. Some council members raised oncerns about the propriety of

having two Wayne-Westland school board members seated on

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the nine-member planning com- conducive to that goal, and, holds a planning board post. In a press release Tuesday,

Cox said: "My desire is to serve my community in the most effective way possible. The apparent atmosphere of conflict this nomi-

mission. Wayne-Westland school therefore, I have asked the trustee David James already mayor to withdraw my offer to serve.

Cox added that his withdrawal shouldn't be viewed as a criticism of any council members but, rather, should be seen as "an attempt to avoid even the nation has created is in no way appearance of any conflict or

animosity whatsoever."

Cox, a former two-year council the planning board member, was elected to the school board in June 1996, after mendation of Lourdes drew earlier losing his re-election bid to the city council.

On Tuesday, he thanked the mayor for having confidence in his abilities and for supporting his nomination to the planning Council members such as

son and Richard LeBlanc raised at Michigan State University. concerns in January that two school trustees shouldn't sit on

Meanwhile, Thomas' recomunanimous support from six council members attending a recent meeting. Councilwoman

Justine Barns was absent. Lourdes has a new law prac tice in Westland. She was admitted to the state bar in November, 1996, after receiving her degree Charles Pickering, Glenn Ander- from the Detroit College of Law

Graduation from page A1 smoking, alcohol-use and the Mothers Against Drunk Driving p.m. on Tuesday, May 27 and

who allow underage kids to con- cerning alcohol and substance sume alcohol," she said. Community Policing teams issued notices to motel owners advising them of legal penalties for renting to minors for the purpose of alcohol consumption. Parents also are warned to

The law states that any adult

party ordinance and that goes (MADD) are also planning spefor parents and motel owners cial awareness programs con- on Friday, May 30.

abuse in the upcoming weeks. Safe and Sober grant program a sip of alcohol. provided for officers to talk about the affects of alcohol. Represen-

Plymouth Canton High School

The simulator allows students to take a sobering spin in a spe-A car involved in a fatal cially equipped Neon to experidrunken driving accident was on ence the dangers of drinking and display at the high school. The driving first hand without taking

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The insurance issue may "fall limit. Republican Carl said A. Some Democrats are mutoff the table," as labor negotiaweight-per-axle is more importering that. Counties' and big tors say. Doug Ross, a Democratic cities' road agencies are uniontant AAA's Steffens says one monized. Engler proposes competigubernatorial candidate, says Engler is favoring his buddies in tive bids for maintenance conster truck does as much damage the insurance industry. as 9,600 passenger vehicles. tracts, with counties and cities Larry Owen, East Lansing Southeastern Michigan's free to bid against private construction companies for state lawyer, says Engler is favoring freeze-thaw cycles are an imporauto insurers. "Linking this tant factor. When the ground phony insurance scheme to a gas freezes permanently for the The biggest fight will be state tax is John Engler's way of con- entire winter, the road bed is versus local control, an issue of principle. Compromise will be fusing consumers who just want solid. But where the ground much tougher on the tax ques- their roads fixed," he said. freezes and thaws unevenly, the Ron Steffens, president and road base is uneven, and pave-Engler is making it a tie-bar CEO of AAA Michigan, the ment damages (alias "potholes issue - no more road money state's largest auto insurer, result. The winter of 1996-7 saw laughs at the suggestion insur- an unusual amount of freezing without a shift of control. Republican Carl said it won't ers would benefit. "Our company and thawing. be any cheaper except to the would see its premiums reduced Rather than limiting truck HOSTA SALE extent that competitive bidding by \$100 million," he said, adding weights, Engler proposes raising All plants in 1 gallon the governor's plan would bring commercial truck fees by \$38 is introduced. Democrat Berryman argues counties have lower Michigan closer to a purer nocontainers million, about a 7.5 percent Regularly priced at \$6.99 fault system. administrative costs, hence are \$4.99 Steffens noted Engler isn't tiemillion a year. more efficient, than the state. Now only The answer to the truck ques-Q. Any details about which barring his insurance proposal miles of county and local to the road issue though the gov- tion may lie in the lobbying strength of the trucking industry roads Engler has his eye on? ernor will push both simultaneand Teamsters Union rather A. No. Rep. Tom Kelly, D- ously Wayne, who serves on the House Q. Everyone in Michigan than in principles of civil engi-Appropriations subcommittee on knows, and many tourists neering. Rouge from page A5 to keep active roles in maintain- taining a "sustainable develop- units of government were willing SHOWPLACE to help solve problems if resiing the river in clearing logjams ment." PREMIUM "It means the development dents can be assured that efforts and sweeping streets to manage meets the need of the present are "effective, affordable and the stormwater flow and runoff, weed & feed without compromising the future implementable. said Tim Henry, associate direc-30-2-3 "Everyone wants clean water tor for watershed and communigenerations and their needs,' but how do we pay for it?" asked 5,000 sq. ft. size ty environmental protection for Feikens said. Sale \$9.99 John Amberger, executive direc-Feikens suggested a geographthe Environmental Protection ic information system was need- tor of Southeast Michigan Coun-Agency's Region V. That is nec-REG. \$11.99 #1750-035

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said. dates.



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rights-of-way; you have rights- bill drafted, as of last week. of-way easements that the municipalities receive revenues ah, it looks as if the only way sters... from. Who's going to be responsi- I can blunt the blow of highble? Are locals going to have to er fuel taxes is to cut my own go to the state every time they insurance coverage. Are they want to dig?

"I like local control." Q. Say, isn't there some chance that public employees' unions are a target?

essary because of the "variability" of storm water flow, Henry But the EPA and federal courts want to encourage, rather than mandate, community activ-

ty, Henry added. Communities can work with federal agencies and courts with the voluntary storm water gen-

eral permits, without the federal vernment issuing any man "The voluntary part is where the communities work together on watershed management,"

Henry said. Henry said sites sampled by students from local high schools in the Rouge Education Project helped obtain a cross section of

samples to test water quality, while making students aware of the river's water quality prob-That "holistic modeling" and how various watershed manage-

ment options help engineers and scientists gauge the effectiveness biphenyls, restore the lake and of various strategies. U.S. Dis- restock it with game fish. trict Judge John Feikens said the main theme in balancing the Clean Water Act and community Michigan," McNamara said. development needs was main-

AmeriCorps, the national ser- AmeriCorps members will uates and people with signifivice program, is recruiting thou- help local service organizations cant experience and skills - to sands of men and women to access the major institutional, serve with local organizations in serve in community-based pro- corporate and private commitgrams and help fulfill the goals ments of resources and volunteers that were made at the Summit in Philadelphia. Ameri-Corps members also are needed to help recruit and organize 1 AmeriCorps offers citizens age million tutors call for by the al Civilian Community Corps), a 18 and older opportunities to America Reads initiative to 10-month, full-time residential ensure that all children can read 'program with campuses located by the time they reach third

Two AmeriCorps programs in AmeriCorps may call toll-free: seek recruits immediately: 1-800-942-2677 or visit Ameririsk youth with basic conditions AmeriCorps*VISTA (Volunteers Corps' Worldwide Web site at they need for success by the year in Service to America) needs www.cns.gov. people - especially college grad

A. Maybe not. Unlike the road

control issue, the insurance isn't

tie-barred to fuel taxes.

About 1,000 people age 18 to 24 also are sought to begin serving this summer and fall in AmeriCorps*NCCC (The Nation-

disadvantaged communities.

in Denver, San Diego, Perry Point, Md., and Charleston, S.C. Anyone interested in serving

openings, curb cuts, municipal transportation, said there's no here know, that big trucks are breaking up our roads those 11-axle, 42-wheel mon-Q. This insurance issue -

A. Everyone but the MDOT engineers and some politicians. Michigan's truck weight limit is 160,000 pounds, while most other states limit trucks to 80,000 pounds.

Democrat Berryman said his bills would set an 80,000-pound

increase over the current \$500

system could outline contami- ject)." nant statistics, water quality and flows throughout the watershed.

Basins operating

million has been spent on th Rouge project. Ten retention basins will treat 60 million galyear's end.

Another \$5 million was given to local communities for 40 local demonstration projects in communities.

The Rouge Program also is focusing on a \$10 million restoration of Newburgh Lake to urban areas. polychlorinated remove

"Each step we take enhances the positive impact on southeast

ed to use as a data base for the cil of Governments. "It's someproject and it must be expanded thing we never fully understood for the entire watershed. That as we embarked on this (pro-

Show stewardship

State Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton, who chairs the Senate Natural Resources and Environ-Wayne County Executive mental Affairs Committee, said Edward McNamara said \$400 he was concerned about the those finances

"My fear is if we are not excellons of stormwater. Within the lent stewards of resources that past year three retention basins the taxpayers are willing to give began operations to process over- to us, we will lose public support flows after heavy rainstorms. Six of what we're trying to do, and more basins will be built by the what we must do," Bennett said. "That dollar given to us must give us a dollar value."

Bennett was concerned about turf battles between various levels of government and development on new property. He was encouraged by redevelopment in

State Rep. Robert Brown, D-Dearborn Heights, whose district includes part of Redford Township, said he hoped his son could take his children fishing, canoeing, or in what Brown called a Another official said local "heck of a dream," swimming.



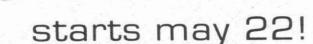
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Local seniors meet at a '90s prom: No date required

BY DIANE HANSON SPECIAL WRITER

The spinning ball splashed a rainbow of light on the tuxedoed and evening-gowned Salem and Canton High School seniors congested on the huge dance floor at Burton Manor in Livonia Friday evening.

The annual combined senior prom drew hundreds of couples and a fair share of singles ... yes, stigma for these young adults of the 1990s. "It's the senior prom and you

can only go once," said Salem senior Krystin Durrer. Dressed in a dazzling red-sequined evening gown, she admitted.

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boyfriend at the time was no rea- together son for missing such a significant event in her life. "Why not dances, it was difficult to detergo just because you don't have a mine who was dancing with

Having a good time with her to be the best part of the last best friends was top on Durrer's high school dance for these singles. Going stag has shed the list and she knew how to do it in seniors style. She traveled to the prom Salem senior John Samsonow with her friends and their dates didn't have any trouble joining style. She traveled to the prom in a white stretch limousine. The evening's festivities included dinner and dancing, the best almost didn't come basically part for Durrer being the danc-

"There's no way I would not have ing. Durrer said that the girls come. I'm glad I came." and the guys "dance in a big cir-For Durrer, being without a cle. Nobody really dances

Indeed, except for the slow date? It's your senior prom. You whom in the sea of gyrating should go and have fun," she teens. Just moving to the music, surrounded by friends appeared

> in the dancing and festivities with his friends but confessed. " because I didn't have a date."

An altercation with his intended prom date resulted in his solo appearance at the "Enchanted Evening" themed ball. But it was "too special of a dance" for Samsonow to miss, he said, so he rented a white tuxedo with tails to make his dashing appearance at the gala. Samsonow admitted that he enjoys dressing up in a tux and only regretted that he didn't complete the outfit with a

the prom activities. "I was surprised. I thought I would be



Cutting loose: The Laurel Manor dance floor was filled to capacity more often than not during Friday's combined prom for Canton and Salem High Schools.

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THIS WEEK'S SPA SPECIAL

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May 16.

died May 17.

Betty Henderson

'Angela Hospice.

Mr. Brien, 48, of Plymouth died May 17. Born in Bridgeport, Conn., Mr.

Brien was an engineer for Ford Motor Company. Survivors include his parents,

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"It is fun," Samsonow said of noping around and I'm not." **Down To Earth Deals** Moping around was not even part of the picture for Canton senior Sandy Metz "because it's a lot of fun just coming with your **HANGING PLANTS** friends," she said. Metz and a

to go stag together. She particu- philosophy that she doesn't mind prom again. You're never going

WEEKENDS

dancing with her circle of com-

larly enjoyed the dinner and passing on to next year's seniors: to be a senior again. So, you

"This is a once in a lifetime might as well take the chance event," she said. "You're never while you have it. Grab it! Grab Metz has developed her own going to be able to go to senior a friend and say you're coming!"

OBITUARIES

HANTILAL A. PATEL Mr. Patel, 57, of Canton died ril 21 at home. Born in India, Mr. Patel was a nager for consumer products. Surviving is his wife, Indira. Services were at the Neelyprowski Funeral Home, Can-

GERALDINE M. SIMOTA

Mrs. Simota, 95, of Dearborn leights, formerly of Plymouth, lied May 14 at home. Born in Chicago, Ill., Mrs. imota was a retired sales clerk

for Sears. She was a member of the Daughters of Isabella and the Redford VFW Auxiliary from World War I. Survivors include her son, Richard (Bud); daughters,

Frances Herman, Margaret Franz and Joyce Wilson; 19 grandchildren, 39 great-grand hildren; and five great-greatgrandchildren. Mass was celebrated at St.

Kenneth Catholic Church in Ply mouth Township with the Rev. William J. Pettit officiating. Bur ial was in Holy Sepulchre, Cemetery, Southfield.

HOWARD D. DERMYRE

Mr. Dermyre, 33, of Southfield, formerly of Canton, died

Born in Detroit, Mr. Dermyr was a photo technician with Vertec in Detroit for five years. doing contract work for General Motors. He was a member of First United Methodist Church of Plymouth

Survivors include his wife, Lou Ann; daughters, Amber and Shelby; parents, Frank and Lorraine Dermyre of Canton; brothers, Dennis and David; grandmother Elizabeth Dermyre.

Services were at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home, Plymouth, with the Rev. Dr. Dean Klump officiating. Burial was in Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia. Memorials may be made to Howard Dermyre Family Memo-

JULIE ANNE KELLY

Mrs. Kelly, 67, of Plymouth Born in Wyandotte, Mrs. Kelly was a bookkeeper at Newton Furniture in Livonia. She formerly worked at Carriage House Galleries in Taylor. She was a member of First Presbyterian

Church of Plymouth. Survivors include her daughter, Peggy Kelly; stepmother,

Services were at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home, Plymouth, with the Rev. Dr. James Skimins officiating. Burial was in Knollwood Cemetery, Canton. Memorials may be made to the "American Cancer Society or

Charles Jr. and Esther; son, Charles IV; brother, Tim; sister, Charlene Mihaicslk. Mass was celebrated May 21

at St. John Newmann Catholic Church with the Rev. George Charnley officiating. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery,

Memorials may be made to Angela Hospice, 14100 Newburgh Road, Livonia 48154. Arrangements were made by the Vermeulen Funeral Home, Ply-

ALICE E. FAHLQUIST

Mrs. Fahlquist, 92, of Westland, formerly of Plymouth, died May 13 in Garden City. Born in Nova Scotia, Canada, Mrs. Fahlquist was a homemak-

Survivors include her son, George Fahlquist of Treasure Island, Fla.; daughter, Doris Wasilewski of Virico, Fla.; 10 grandchildren; and eight great-

Services were at the Vermeulen Funeral Home, Plymouth Township, with the Rev

Willet J. Herrington officiating. Burial was in Grand Lawn Cemetery, Detroit. Memorials may be made to the

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One-man band

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An entertaining evening: The performer Guy Louis on guitar, one of the more conventional instruments he uses during a recent Chautauqua Express show for students at St. Michael School. The show, which drew family members to the school as well, features Louis as a one-man band on a variety of stringed instruments. Many of the numbers involve audience participation.

considering site plan approval for the ollowing projects: La-Z-Boy Furniture

Galleries, a 31,000 square-foot furniture store proposed for an area north of Ford and west of Lotz roads. An addition to the parking lot of

- Grace Baptist Church, located on the northeast corner of Michigan Avenue and Sheldon Road
- Municipal Services is considering industrial site plan approval for Rudolph Libbe Inc. a 14,000 square-foot office building proposed for the northwest corner of Haggerty
- and Warren roads. Municipal Services is considering special land use approval for Affordable Automotive (J&J Automotive), an auto repair shop proposed for an area east of Lilley and south of
- Municipal Services is considering private road and property split approval for El-Haouli Private Drive, which involves four lot splits south of
- Ford and east of Gorman roads. Construction is underway on **Bridgemont Park Subdivision** located west of Canton Center Road and south of Holmes Drive.

The subdivision will consist of 28 residential lots, as well as a park area. Residents along certain lots will experience some

additional inconvenience while storm sewer connections are constructed within the rear lot line easements. The developer will replace sod once this storm sewer work is complete.

The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) will be repairing northbound and southbound I-275 from Northli **Road to Five Mile Road** beginning in August 1997 and continuing until November of 1998. MDOT proposes to keep two lanes in each direction ope during peak traffic hours, but plans to narrow the expressway to one lane each way in the evenings and on weekends. The speed limit will be reduced to 45 MPH in this work area.

Canton's planning commiss will hold its next meeting on Monday, June 2 at 7 p.m. in the first floor meeting room of the Administration Building.

For information about projects, call Canton planning services, 397-5390; infrastructure improvements and new subdivisions, call engineering services, 397-5405,

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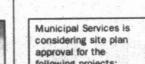
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County drain contract draws fire from commissioners

BY KEN ABRAMCZYK STAFF WRITER

Wayne County commissioners nearly battled to a draw Thursday over a \$1.4 million construction contract that eventually went to a contractor from Macomb County.

Angelo Iafrate, a contractor from Warren, received the bid, but it wasn't until commissioners debated the merits of awarding a contract of that size to a non-Wayne County firm. Iafrate was the lowest of five bidders who met specifications.

A contingent of Detroit commissioners voted against the contract. Commissioner Bernard Parker, D-Detroit, wanted to "send a message" that Wayne County subcontractors should be hired and encourage the contractor to hire Wayne County and/or minority-owned firms for subcontractual work in the Sexton-Kilfoil Drain improvement project in Allen Park.

"There's nothing to say that the subcontractors *have* to be outside of Wayne County," Parker said.

But Commissioner Thaddeus McCotter, R-Livonia, disagreed with "protectionism at any level of government."

McCotter argued Wayne County would not obtain the lowest bids if it started limiting contracts to Wayne County firms. If county governments in Macomb, Oakland and Wayne counties restricted contracts to their home counties, in the end "the taxpayers are getting hurt," McCotter said.

Chairman Ricardo Solomon concurred with Parker's belief that Wayne County or minority firms would not be subcontracted by a Macomb contractor. Hugh MacDonald, chief of staff

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for the Wayne County Department of Public Services, said the contractor still needed to obtain more subcontractors.

McCotter said the county needed to be careful in walking a fine line between "encouragement and a mandate."

"We can be held legally liable for contracts rejected for illegal reasons," McCotter said.

After Parker responded that the commission was allowed to reject that bid or any other bid the majority so desired, McCotter warned that any comments made at the meeting were a part of public record that could be used in legal arguments in lawsuits against Wayne County.

At first six of 14 commissioners voted to award the contract. McCotter, Vice Chair Kay Beard, D-Westland; Commissioners Bruce Patterson, R-Canton; Edward Boike, D-Taylor; William O'Neil, D-Allen Park, and Chris Cavanagh, D-Grosse Pointe voted to approve the contract to Iafrate.

Seven opposed, including Solomon, Parker, Vice Chair Pro Tem Edna Bell, and other Detroit Democrats Robert Blackwell, George Cushingberry, Ken Cockrel and Jewel Ware.

Commissioner Michelle Plawecki, D-Dearborn Heights, was absent.

Commissioners then debated over what to do next with the contract.

It was suggested the contract be sent to a committee. Solomon said he wanted to meet with Parker and the contractor to encourage that Wayne County firms should be used, then he would place the item on the next agenda for emergency approval. But McCotter said the contractor had a profit incentive to keep

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subcontracting costs low. Downriver residents were also Wayne County taxpayers, he said, and it was the commission's "duty" to act on their behalf.

Beard said the item was already properly bid, and the county had received lowest bids that met the criteria. A vote to send the item to com-

mittee was rejected, 8-6, with Blackwell and Hubbard joining the remaining suburban com-

missioners to reject that action. Seve

Hubbard then moved for commissioners to reconsider the item, to which Cushingberry objected, saying the rules called for it to be deferred to the next

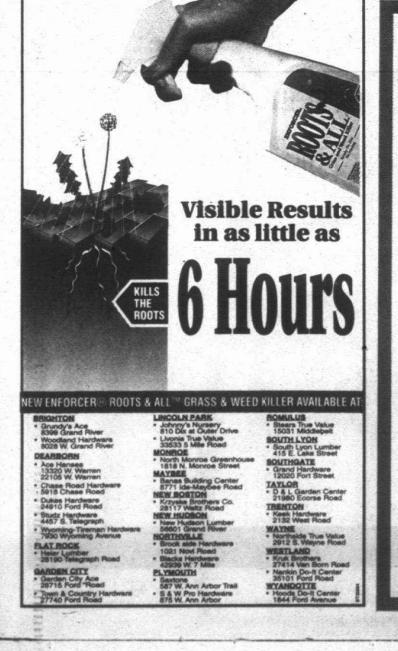
meeting. But the commission's attorney Ben Washburn said the reconsideration bid "was appropriate." Several commissioners pointed

out that no Wayne County firms

had responded to the original bids, and that the contract that was awarded to the low firm that responded.

Commissioners approved the contract, 8-5, with Blackwell and Hubbard joining the six other commissioners to approve the contract. Cushingberry left the room and did not vote.





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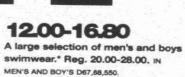
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A Senate-passed measure would bar schools from using the terms "proficient," "novice" and not yet novice" on diplomas and transcripts of students graduatng this spring.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Art Ellis said the measure may not be signed in time for schools to notify parents that they may opt to have the tests results shown on their stu-

dents' transcripts. The proficiency tests, given in 11th grade, cover reading, writing, science and math. Many parents have objected that the term "novice" would harm their children's chances of being admitted to college.

SC class tells how to plan special events

"Putting on events, especially in today's world, must be approached as if the event were a business," said Mike Watts, event planner extraordinaire and executive director of the Plyure Spectacular.

Event in two three-hour sessions success."

State board mission headed for compromise

AP - State Board of Education members appear to be heading toward a compromise over a revised mission statement that will avoid a minority filibuster. It would allow the board in June to repeal its 1995 mission statement, drafted by Clark Durant, R-Grosse Pointe, and replace it with a statement noting the Michigan Constitution lays out the board's role.

The constitution clearly states the mission of the board is leadership and general supervision of all public education. . . That's all we need," said board president Kathleen Straus at the May 15 meeting in Lansing.

Straus, D-Detroit, negotiated behind the scenes with Durant to work out the deal. Durant's original mission statement laid heavy emphasis on religion and parents' rights. Durant and Gary Wolfram, R-Hillsdale, threatened to filibuster in order to block a vote on the new state-

In other action, the board warned legislators that imposing a moratorium on the reporting of results of the High School Proficiency Test on diplomas and school transcripts would cause an administrative nightmare.

Straus said the board had spent more time than she intended on the new statement, but it was important to repeal the Durant vision statement. "If we dropped it and ignored it, it's still on the books. We don't think it should be on the books," she

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Rivers to hold meeting on environment, toxic waste

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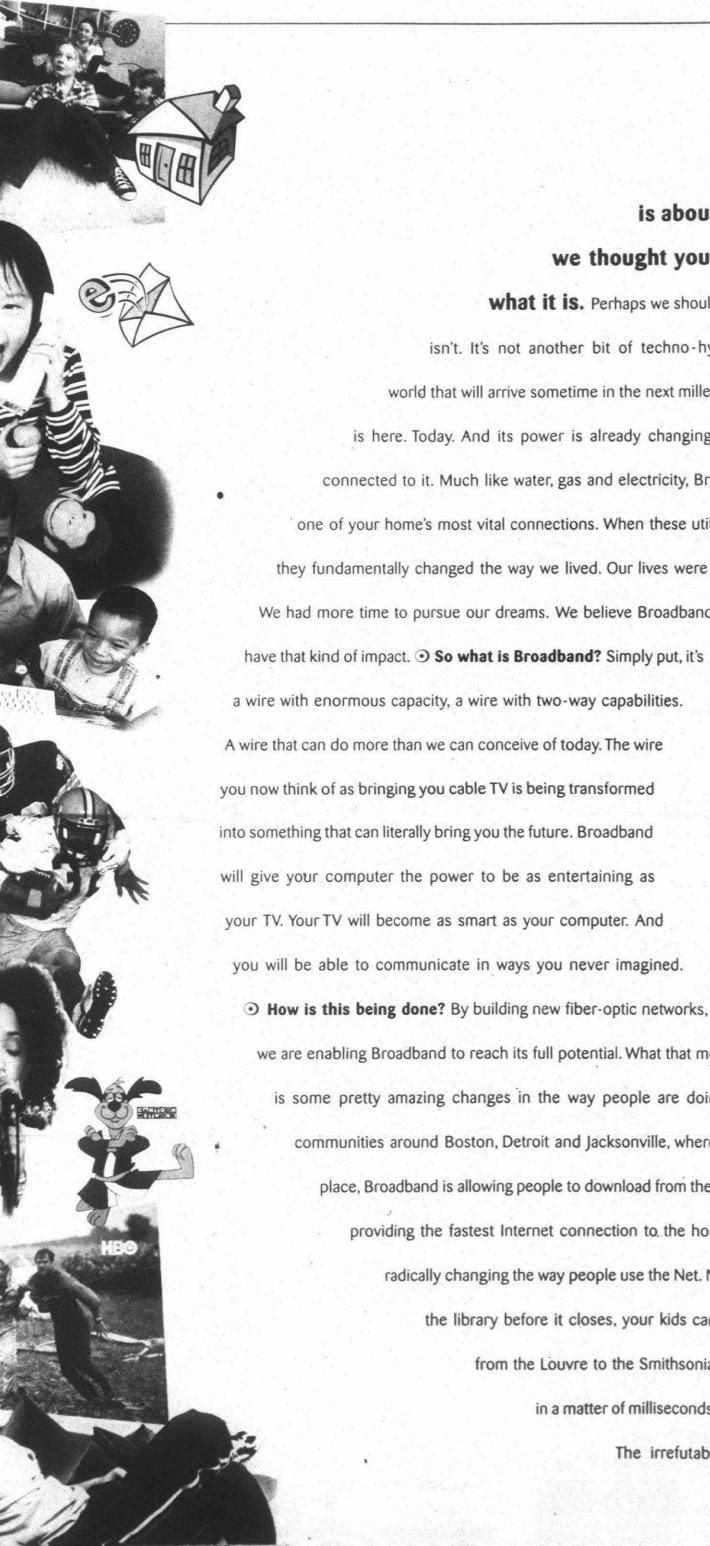
Among the topics discussed will be the disposal of waste Chip Silvis at (313) 741-4210 with high levels of polychlori- or (313) 722-1411. nated biphenvls (PCB) contam-

U.S. Rep. Lynn Rivers, D- ination. An expert on environ meeting on Wednesday, May Natural Resources and Envi U.S. Department of Interior - the Great Lakes Science Cen-Great Lakes Center, 1451 ter will join the meeting as guest speakers.

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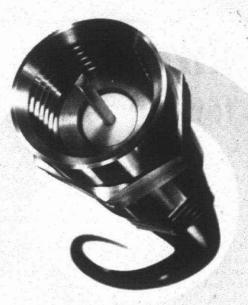
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New direction Cheers for Turnaround winners

s the academic year winds to a halt, we | overcome the obstacles in their lives to make Il take time to honor those who have hieved high honors throughout the course of their scholastic careers.

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These are the students whose names will or have always appeared in print for their achievements. And let's not forget the students who are equally honored for their athletic abilities

And then there's another group of kids whose achievements are just as great for the distance they have traveled. Unfortunately, these are the students who are often overlooked.

Thankfully, however, a relatively new program sponsored by Super Bowl Lanes in Canton, Continental Cable and the Plymouth-Canton Community Business Education Partnership has come on the scene to give credit where credit is due.

Twenty-nine elementary, middle and high chool students were recognized with the 1997 Turnaround Achievement Awards.

Effort, perseverance and commitment are the key words and attitudes heralded by the awards programs

These youths deserve accolades because they have conquered obstacles that can thwart many life-experienced adults. The Turnaround awardees have fought to

improvements and to achieve. Some of the obstacles are as tenacious as poor attitudes and behavior, as well as substance abuse and family problems Students who were honored recently in the

second annual Turnaround Achievement Awards thanked family, teachers and friends for helping pull them out of the depths and create positive change. But let's give credit where credit is due. No

one can make you change except yourself. And for that alone, these students deserve exceptional recognition. Change is difficult. When you're young and without the tools, resources and sensibilities to know you're on a wrong road, change can often be insurmountable.

Yet these students have managed to either bring up their grades, kick a substance abuse problem get a grasp on personal and family problems and achieve a future for themselves. We applaud the sponsors for this most necessary and heartwarming program, and we encourage its continuation.

The Turnaround achievers have not only set a new direction for themselves, but have shown their peers and perhaps even family members how to persevere, make the effort and remain committed to their goals.

Dropping psychic was mistake

t's no wonder youths want to rebel against the adults who direct their lives. In the latest scenario, the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools administration and student advisers canceled the appearance of Elizabeth DeSouza of the Psychic Connection, Livonia, who was scheduled to give readings

"at-the PCEP Senior Prom Friday. Clearly, DeSouza was scheduled as part of the entertainment for the prom, not as a guest turer on metaphysics and astrology.

DeSouza's cancellation is yet another example of the school administration's refusal to stand behind its students and to bend to the will of a minority - likely a parent or two who have wild imaginings of what DeSouza is going to tell the students.

A senior prom is sort of a goodbye bash. It's a time when kids, many who have spent their academic careers with each other, are bidding each other goodbye as they are about to

Ctalking is a serious problem. No one

bill to protect children by increasing the

to serious assault and even murder.

Should have to be victimized by a stalker,

especially not children. Stalking has often led

The Michigan Senate last week passed a

penalty for stalking and aggravated stalking if

a victim were less than 18 years of age at any

time he or she was harassed by a stalker. The

make stalking a minor a felony punishable by

mum fine of \$10,000. Aggravated stalking of a

minor would be punishable by up to 20 years

imprisonment and a maximum fine of

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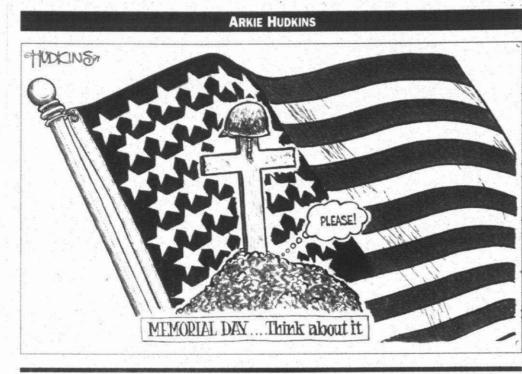
embark on their new adult paths. Come on, it's time parents and school administrators in Plymouth-Canton developed a sense of humor. All these graduating seniors wanted to do at their prom is have a good

But once again the school administration backed down and caved in out of fear of people being mad at them

At proms, youths are too busy having fun to be interested in changing their lives by taking on yet another philosophy, such as astrology and metaphysics. Besides, no one was forcing students to have a reading done at the prom. It was all for pure fun and it is a common form

of entertainment at parties in the 1990s. It is time that parents and the school administration extended support to students and remained confident that the values given to these youths will hold true even on one of

the biggest nights of students' senior year.



LETTERS

Proud of accomplishments

I'm writing this letter to you not as the vicepresident of my local union, but as a 26-year employee of the Sheldon Road plant.

It has been a long hard road since I started with Ford in 1971; we have made numerous changes in the way we do business. The mind set here at our plant is constantly focused on the quality of our product. With the implementation of our business work groups some seven years ago allowing everyone to have a say in the way their department functions has given real ownership to all of us. The reason I'm writing to you is to com-

ment after seeing your March 23 issue. On the back of the front page was an article regarding the Ford cost cutting and how it will be effecting the Sheldon Road Plant. Then, in your automotive section I see another wonderful article praising another foreign vehicle. I think if you were to dig a little deeper you would find that American made cars and trucks are the safest on the road today. In fact many of your foreign vehicles won't even come close to some of the safety standards that American vehicles are put through. I guess all I'm asking for is a level playing field. We are very proud of the accomplishments we have achieved, but the minute we take one step forward the media pushes us two steps back.

> Paul R. Haver Vice President UAW Local 845

Great experience

The past two weekends gave the sixth-grade students from West Middle School the fabulous opportunity to experience Science Camp. After spending the past weekend there, I have come away with wonderful memories o a great educational experience. The students had a chance to walk on a bog, then take a sample of its water to view with a microscope. They also enjoyed the bullfrogs and plant life in the marsh. The students loved gathering insects for viewing with the microscope. There was a great enthusiasm, even from those who were apprehensive about being away from home. It even prompted one of the students to begin a campaign to save a bog after reading about the possible destruction of a bog, in the newspaper.

The students learned how to orienteer the grounds with a compass, as well as how to build a campfire from scratch. Everyone was proud of their accomplishments. The low ropes gave the students the chance to duplicate the activities of corporate team-building. The collaboration in "getting over the river," negotiating the maze (while blindfolded), and especially the cooperation shared in climbing through

the tire were very gratifying, as a parent, to see. The group encouraged those who were apprehensive and self-conscious and the development of the group as a team materialized before our eyes during the entire session. The students were able to problem-solve difficult situations, using limited vocal communication efforts. It was frustrating for the parents to not become involved, but to the students' credit, they were able to use critical thinking skills to solve their dilemma. What a great lesson for us as parents, as well. There was nothing like the look of content-

ment on the faces of the sixth-grade students as they sat around the campfire performing their skits. Everyone mingled with each other, and looked so comfortable in this setting. With activities like this, these students will be able to face the global corporate community as adults.

When we got home, my daughter and I hugged each other and said that this trip would always be a special memory for us. In the 10 years that I have been active in my children's classrooms, and the multitude of field trips I have enjoyed over the years, this was by far the best.

As a district, as a school, as parents and as community, we should all applaud the tremendous parental involvement in this event. We had nearly 100 percent participation by the parents. From providing snacks before the students boarded the buses, to making name tags, to driving the truck full of camping gear, to providing a truck to haul the gear, and to the parents who chaperoned the trip, the strong partnership of these parents with their children and their education is a great treasure. In addition, without the constant support of the principals and one of the sixth-grade teachers, this event would not have been a reality. We appreciate everything they did to make this experience such a success. As a member of the parent group who worked with Del Templeton and Linda Bedard to bring this event to reality, I hope that the middle school principals and the district administration will help to make this a reality for all the middle schools

This was a wonderful opportunity for these students to not only study science, but to develop trust, enhance their respect for others, view others as distinct individuals and develop responsibility for their own success, skills they will need to have to succeed in the global community. I hope that this opportunity continues to be a reality for all sixth-grade students in the district.

Joanne Lamar West Middle School parent

Holiday is still tribute to fallen

do.

may permit."

Making good legislation better

Come Monday, millions of Americans will their own way arrange such fitting services and testimonials of respect as circumstances Many (weather permitting, of course) will fire up the backyard grill, others will use the day to get their tomato and pepper plants into the ground and homeowners who follow the EMIL formula will treat their lawns to the second fertilizer application of the year.

The occasion is Memorial Day or, more accurately, Memorial Day Observed. But most of the modern "observances" are a far cry from | declaration by President Richard Nixon in those envisioned by Union General John A. Logan when he issued General Order No. 11

in 1868: "The 30th of May, 1868, is designated for the purpose of strewing with flowers or other-

vise decorating the graves of comrades who Thed in defense of their country during the late | lake, take a moment to reflect on what Memorebellion ...

"In this observance no form or ceremony is prescribed, but posts and comrades will in

The amendment allows a prosecutor the discretion of evaluating a situation before prosecuting.

mon sense amendment. Geake's amendment provides that the stalker be two or more years older than the victim. Geake rightly argues that teen-agers frequently engage in telephone bickering when their relationships go wrong. The participants in a normal teenage romance gone sour should not be threatened with felony prosecution.

Geake's amendment allows a prosecutor the discretion of evaluating a situation before prosecuting.

Stalking is a serious matter that shouldn't mend Sen. Robert Geake for adding a com- be trivialized by foolish prosecution.

The day was known as Decoration Day

Memorial Day and soldiers who had died in all

Just when that point was lost is not clear,

until 1882 when the name was changed to

wars were honored. It was, admittedly, a

but it probably has something to do with a

1971 designating the last Monday in May as

Memorial Day, thereby guaranteeing everyone

a three-day weekend. And who wants to spend

In any case, when you're throwing the ribs

on the grill or getting the boat ready for the

rial Day is really about. It's the least you can

somber day, but that was the point.

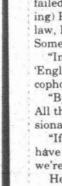
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work hard and play by the rules, you and your family will become more prosperous than ever before in your genetic history - is still alive and kicking. "We've never had this kind of diversity

before," says Loyola University sociologist Philip Lyden, "and neither has anybody else. The big question of the next century is, what kind of society is America going to be?" "The country's going to balkanized," predicts William Frey, the respected director of the University of Michigan's Population Studies Center. The parts of the country most affected will be the West and the Northeast, with the Midwest least impacted. According to the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service, from 1991-96, more than 89,000 immigrants moved to Michi-

stated that I oppose Canton residents voting on the establishment of a Willow Run Tradeport. Nothing could be further from the truth. As most residents in the community are aware, the Canton Township Board of Trustees and the administration have actively and relentlessly opposed even the suggestion of a tradeport at Willow Run. The representative has introduced a bill that she claims would give Canton residents the right to vote on the establishment of a tradeport. Here

are the facts:

More on teacher hours n response to J. Kokoszka's opinion that my letter was an attack on the teaching staff, their work day and was inaccurate and misleading, I am sorry it was taken in a defensive attitude. Perhaps in her haste to react, some facts in the letter were overlooked ... I was a teacher (22 years) ... the school hours were correct (received from the Administrative office) ... the bond issue (and its mishandling!) WILL have an affect on teacher salaries, school day, class size, school year and a whole lot more in FUTURE millage votes! The way this bond issue was handled has set the tone for many things regarding

POINTS OF VIEW

Whyman's tradeport bill is deficient

Some Canton residents may have received a one-page flier from state Rep. Detection state Rep. Deborah Whyman, R-Canton, extolling her efforts to stop a tradeport at Willow Run. The flier

Rep. Whyman was a sponsor of the original tradeport bill HB 5464, along with its promoter, Rep. Kirk Profit, D-Ypsilanti. (Canton residents and local officials were not consulted

or advised. The tradeport bill was a reaction o the closing of the Ypsilanti Willow

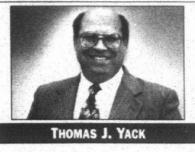
Run Assembly plant. The County of Wayne's administration supported a tradeport at Wil-

low Run. The county executive would appoint the tradeport board.

The tradeport board would create a development plan which would

include a lengthened runway. Wayne County Commissioner Bruce Patterson has championed

Canton's concerns and has vigorously



opposed the county's administration on this matter.

State Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton, has been of great assistance in his opposition to the Willow Run Tradeport

The Kellogg Foundation prepared an independent study of trade-

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ports and found their claims of significant job creation to be without merit. Rep. Whyman's bill is deficient for

the following reasons: Her bill gives Canton no local representation and no local voice on

the authority board. Her proposed bill gives the right of petition (for an election) to only ommunities within the tradeport

authority) district - Canton was never proposed to be in the zone. As a result, we could not vote on the engthened runway. Even if Canton were to be includ

ed, a petition with signatures from 25 percent of all registered voters would have to be collected within 45 days -

a daunting task for Canton residents. Even if enough signatures were collected, an election held and Canton residents voted no, the very next day the authority board could make a small change in the development plan and force us to go through the same petition drive again.

Canton has never been in the tradeport zone and would not have any rights under the Whyman bill.

Clearly, Rep. Whyman's bill offers no real protection - it provides a false and deceptive sense of security. If she really wanted to stop the tradeport and the devastating noise and air pollution that a tradeport would bring, Rep. Whyman should support Sen. Bennett's bill, a bill that would kill the Willow Run Tradeport.

Thomas J. Yack is the Canton Township supervisor.

all these issues. We should not expect the passage of any millage votes in the near future that will increase teacher salaries or impact the school schedules. I was looking at the long-term effect the lack of creditability and accountability

the bond vote will have on the district. I also would remind Ms. Kokoszka to consider

all the facts when taking issue ... don't just pick and choose and take parts out of context ... i.e., you note the "daily hours" worked, but not the "whole year"... you note the "extra hours," but not the days given for in-service, conferences, snow days, etc. (those half days) ... even if teach-

ers did stay, every day, every week more than the 6.75-8 hours the total work year of 36 weeks is still much less than the engineer working 51 weeks for the same generous wage.

Finally, the political opinion expressed is respected but disagreed with, even by a teacher. in that without the passage of Proposal A perhaps Ms. Kokoszka, or her elderly parents, would not be able someday to remain in their home because the property taxes were beyond their fixed incomes

Oh, by the way, I voted for the bond issue (our kids need it), for Engler, my wife is that engineer, has been for 19 years, earns \$53,000, earned her master's degree, and has worked a whole lot more hours and days! I was not centered on self ... but on the community as a whole, to have the bond vote right, accountable creditable, a unifying voice, a positive force for today and tomorrow. Please do not attack my integrity with a defensive political position, and please do not ask me to vote for a millage raise which would grant teachers a raise ... my taxes are too high already.

M. Johnson Plymouth

Merit scholarships needed would like to extend my thanks to the Observer & Eccentric Newspaper for recognizing my scholastic achievement and nominating me as a

member of the All-Star Academic Team. I am currently a finalist in the Honored Scholar Program of the National Alliance for Excellence. This is one of the few organizations offering scholarships based on merit.

I have noticed a lack in funding for academic excellence and believe more effort should be extended to financially reward students. I currently have a 4.5 GPA and rank third in my senior class at Catholic Central High School. I have spent numerous hours investigating the availability of merit scholarships in order to assist my parents with tuition payments. Unfor tunately I am excluded from the majority of scholarships because they are based on "need" not "merit."

With need-based scholarships, a student is judged not by his academic potential but by parental income. Merit scholarships should serve as a reward for students. Using this competitive measure would improve the level of education in public, as well as private schools in Michigan.

In closing, I believe the state should support nerit-based scholarships and I have written to my senator and representative. The future is in America's youth. **Ryan Schrieber**

Plymouth

Praise for Friends

am writing this letter in recognition of the Canton Public Library Friends' group for their innovative approach to fund-raising.

I found the article, which was written in last Sunday's Canton Observer, very inspirational. This outstanding deed not only demonstrated their dedication to the community, but it also showed creativity of the 150 fine citizens. The idea to feature CDs, computer software, audio books, and videotapes at this year's annual book sale was simply a brilliant idea.

I think they will make a splendid profit and the new, creative ideas will help add to the success of this year's book sale

Mike Martin Canton

English language unites heterogeneous country

e had some visitors recently from Toronto. At dinner one night, talk turned to the separatist movement that failed by an eyelash to take the (French-speaking) Province of Quebec out of the (bilingual by law, English-speaking by fact) Canadian nation. Some representative quotes:

"In the bars in Quebec City, they call you an 'English dog' if they decide you're not a francophone (French speaker)

"By law in Quebec, all signs are in French. All the English-speaking business and professional people are moving out

"If the vote had succeeded, I suppose we'd have had to call out the army. There's no way we're going to break up our country."

Here in Michigan, just over the border from Canada, it's a little unsettling to hear otherwise calm and reasonable people speak casually about calling out the army. But it's a perfect example of how incendiary ethnic and language politics can become, even in a country as superficially phlegmatic in character and mostly

homogeneous in race as Canada. Now think about how explosive such politics can be in a country as heterogeneous as our own - a country with an immigration law that through unintended consequence by 2050 will

produce this demographic mix: • Less than half European-descended whites. ■ 25 percent Hispanic.

12 percent African American.

The rest a mix of Asians, Native Americans and people of mixed race. Uniquely in the world, America is culture that is built not on a shared history but on a promised future. The American Dream - if you

gan. In a representative sample, they came from: Iraq (8,882); India (7,674); Mexico (6,118);



The clash between what we have been and what we are becoming is the most intense in our schools ...

former Soviet Union (5.437): Canada (5.392): China (4,396); Vietnam (3,843); Poland (3,240). Quite a mix.

It's not surprising to see notices in Japanese in Auburn Hills, grocery stores featuring Indian food in Farmington and Arab markets in Dearborn

The clash between what we have been and what we are becoming is the most intense in our schools, still struggling to help make Americans out of successive waves of immigrants and still flopping between compassion and realism.

Some advocates argue passionately that teaching kids who speak little English in their native language preserves the integrity of their cultures and gives them a needed lift toward fluency in English. Some years ago, this line of thought went so far in Ann Arbor (where else?) that some black parents sued the school district to require "Black English" ("Ebonics," in recent terms) be taught to black kids.

I can't agree. Sure, we ought to give kids who can't speak English a helping hand while they're learning. But to do anything more is just going to hurt them. At the end of the day, they'll have to learn English in order to participate fully in the society to which they (or their parents) wanted willingly to come.

The one thing that unites this country that is more heterogeneous than any other in history is the English language. Doing anything to reduce this common bond is to play with fire.

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Plymale

"Emory "Dalton" and Mary Louise Plymale of Plymouth were the guests of honor at a party at the home of their daughter and son-in-law.

The couple exchange vows on March 31, 1947 in LaGrange, Ind. She is the former Mary Louise Buerkle.

The couple has two children -Jeanette "Jean" Petty who with her husband Terry lives in the house her father and grandfather built, and Timothy who lives in the house his grandfather, Emory V. Plymale, built in the 1940s, both in Plymouth. They also have three grandchildren - Malia, Melanie and Cassie - and two great-grandsons - Ryan and Alex.

Retired from Ford Motor Co.'s Livonia Transmission Plant in March 1989, he is member of the

Czaja

Louis and Estelle Czaja of Detroit will gather with their children and grandchildren at Mountain Jack's to celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary.

The couple exchanged vows on June 5, 1937 at St. Hedwig Church. She is the former Estelle Baca.

They have two children, Delores Glover of Mt. Prospect, Ill., and Virginia Wojick of Livonia. They also have five grandchildren



Garden City Amateur Radio Club. A homemaker, she enjoys quilting and reading. They also enjoyed traveling and camping when their children were young.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOLS

Listings for the Vacation Bible Schools calendar should be submitted in writing no later than noon Friday for the Thursday edition. They can be mailed to Sue Mason at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or by fax at (313) 591-7279. FAITH LUTHERAN

Faith Lutheran Church will have its vacation Bible school, Adventure Fair - God's Kids in Action, 9 a.m. to noon June 16-20 at the church, 30000 Five Mile Road, Livonia. The school will be for children age 4 1/2 through those entering sixth grade. The registration fee will be \$6 per child or \$10 per family and includes a vacation Bible school T-shirt to decorate. Prepaid registration should be completed by June 1. For more information, call the church at (313) 421-7249.

GARDEN CITY PRESBYTERIAN

Garden City Presbyterian Church is offering "Stories Jesus Told," a vacation church school experience for children age 3 through the sixth grade, 9 a.m. to noon June 23-27 at the church, 1841 Middlebelt Road, Garden City. The school will explore stories Jesus taught as he traveled through the Holy Land. Activities include exploring the Bible through the computer, music, puppets, drama, snacks, games, crafts and the ever popular Bible Bubble. Preregistration begins on June 8 at the church. For more informaST. MATTHEW UM St. Matthew United Methodist Church's will have its vacation Bible school, "Celebrate Jesus," 9:30 a.m. to noon June 23-25 at the church, 30900 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia. Classes for ages 4 through 12 will be offered. Children will celebrate that Jesus learned about God, loved God and others, worshiped God and is the light of the world. Monetary donations will be accepted at the time of registration to help defray the cost of snacks and refreshments. To register, call the church office at (313)

tion, call (313) 421-7620.

CHINESE BIBLE

422-6038.

The Chinese Bible Church will have its vacation Bible school 9-11!30 a.m. June 23-27 at the church, 28111 W. Ten Mile Road, Farmington Hills. The school will be for children in kindergarten through sixth grade. For more information, call (810) 474-9511. **MERRIMAN ROAD BAPTIST**

Merriman Road Baptist Church will have its vacation Bible school for children in kindergarten through the sixth grade June 23-27 at the church, 2055 Merriman Road, south of Ford Road, Garden City. "The Wild and Wonderful Good News Stampede" will start at 9 a.m. each day. For registration information, call the church at (313) 421-0472.





SUE MASON, EDITOR 313-953-2131

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FAMILY ROOM

KAREN MEIER

Deadlines don't go

with power surges

There was no other way.

So I began in the family room.

y computer, the one that sits upstairs in

our den, the one I always write my col-

umn on, fried this week. So I made do.

And because the computer's death occurred

just before my deadline, time was short. I had to

write, begin over again, wherever and whenever.

I sat on the floor on the carpet, amid the chil-

dren and toys and the usual clutter and chaos.

The first draft A.C. (After Computer) was draft-

ed in broad daylight in the middle of the morn-

And one of those children (5-year-old Joe) was a few feet away, lying on the couch, recovering

ing. The three youngest children were about.

from the hydrocele surgery he had undergone

the day before. Hydrocele surgery? Don't ask.

Believe me, if you know, you know. If you don't,

you don't want to know. And in 10 years, if you

Anyway, while drafting and crafting the

week's column, my children asked questions.

About Legos and toy train tracks and Etch-A-

Sketch shaker-eraser noises. And they made

requests, quite ordinary requests, but a lot of

them, and they needed everything and anything

done right now, RIGHT NOW! That made draft-

ing and crafting in broad daylight rather diffi-

Over the years, I've found that writing the

"Family Room" is more efficiently done in the

middle of the night, when all question-askers,

request-makers and thing-needers are asleep. The light burns softly in my den and the comput-er glows green into the wee hours and my work

gets done. And when Friday morning comes,

that's deadline time, the "Family Room" takes a

office electronically, via e-mail. Right from my

den, right from my computer to some computer

But there can be no more clocking, whirring,

the middle of the night up in my den because our

fairly new computer, our fairly new monitor and

our fairly new printer – all of them – in one fell swoop, became fairly dead. A brief, yet intense,

power surge murdered the three victims. They

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just-like-thatting and no tapping on the keys in

at the newspaper office. Click, whir, just like

very brief, yet efficient journey to the newspaper

see Joe, don't mention it, OK? Thanks!

cult.

that

COMMUNITY LIFE Sew simple Collector unravels vintage clothing's history

The Observer[®]

More than 20 years ago, Beth Turza was introduced to the world of vintage clothing. Today, her penchant for collecting antique garments has become much more.

BY SUE MASON STAFF WRITER

Beth Turza credits men with her affection for antique clothing.

The first taught her about and helped her to understand period clothing. The second, her husband, spawned her interest to collect as the result of his "living history" hobby

It all dates back to 1976, when clothing was plentiful and close to home. Now, under the moniker of "A Touch of Past," she teaches 19th century millinery classes and is a collections researcher, period clothing lecturer and historical clothing consultant.

"Clothing was more plentiful back then," said the Canton resident. "When I started collecting, I'd go to the second-hand stores and thrift shops. Now, pieces are few and far between.

According to Turza, who has worked with the historical costume collection at the Dearborn Historical Museum and as a volunteer at Henry Ford Museum, Britain's Queen Victoria lent her name to the period which spanned the more than 60 years (1837-1901) she reigned. Her coronation at the age of 19 marked the dawn of a new era. In the U.S., women were looking to Europe for fashion inspiration.

"The designers in Europe would depict the latest fashions in illustrations in periodicals," Turza said. would copy them and call them

machine was invented in 1846, but you didn't see it for home use until the 1860s.

on the large side.

time, the 1840s was a time of great



STAFF PHOTO BY BRYAN MITCHELL

Something old: Beth Turza uses the living room of her Canton home, which she turned into a Victorian parlor, to show of a piece of her vintage clothing collection, an ivory brocade dress from the 1830s that, she says, would have been worn for a special occasion, such as a wedding.

oils.

change. By then, Queen Victoria had married Prince Albert and had many children. Women's clothing was very demure and had a confined look. They wore a long corset, and their dresses had tight fitting

steel-caged crinolines or hoops replaced layers of petticoats and plaids were very fashionable.

The styles of the early 1860s mirrored the Civil War, bringing out the military look. Intricate braid work, brass buttons, very small hoops and a very fitted look were hallmarks of the time.

But by 1868-69, long trains were popular and women began to use skirt supporters to hook up their skirts. And by the 1870s, dresses sported bustles to handle the extra material.

"The men would say that there was no need for a street sweeper, the women do a good job," Turza told her audience.

The mermaid look took over the late 1870s. Dresses were so fitted that women couldn't lift their legs to get into a buggy, but by the 1880s, bustles were back. Designers also mixed velvets with wool and created bonnets to match outfits.

Then came the Gay '90s. The shirtwaist was big and woolen jackets were worn with skirts.

"Women were feeling more inde-pendent," said Turza. "They worked and needed dresses that were more professional looking. Hats were worn and bonnets were gone completely.

And by the time Victoria died in 1901, the Gibson Girl look with a flat front on a fitted skirt and a puff front on blouses was the trend.

Because clothing was costly and time-consuming to make, it was not disposable. In most cases, garments were restyled to suit the times. And to remove stains or oils, they would use cornstarch or go to the chemist to get appropriate chemicals.

Among the pieces of her collection Turza showed off an 1880s wedding suit, machine made by a profession-al. White in color, it feature half inch appliqued silk ribbon on each scallop. It is so tiny, it won't fit on a her size 6 dress form.

"I think it's a size 1 or a size 3; it has a 19-inch waist," she said. "Women would start corseting at age 8, so the ribs wouldn't have a way to expand."

White wedding dresses were fashionable with wealthier women, but for the general public, brown or dark green dresses were more in style.

She also pointed out that white and black artifacts tend to crop up than colored outfits. One explana-

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sleeves. Hair was worn parted in the

middle and slicked down with hair

freer period for women. Pagoda sleeves belled out at the elbow,

The next decade was a somewhat

"Periodicals here, like Goode's,

Americanized. "Women had to depend on periodicals for the patterns, but they were not to scale. And the sewing

In the 1830s, women's dresses had a subdued shoulder line, with leg-ofmutton sleeves and high waistlines. Hair was worn high with curls at the side of the head and hats were

While that was a gay and carefree



waters flats of impatiens and the other plants and flowers grown by senior citizens at the Wayne County Greenhouse.

Seniors give gardens TLC

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON STAFF WRITER

You can take the boy out of the country, but you can never take the country out of the boy, says John Woodcock, a 90-year-old gardener and longtime member of the Wayne County Senior Citizens Gardening Association.

Woodcock is one of approximately 150 Wayne County elders who maintain a 50-by-50-foot garden plot at the old Eloise Hospital site off Henry Ruff Road, south of Michigan Avenue in Westland.

The program first blossomed in 1973 with six gardeners. The following year, more than 40 plots of land were tended to by senior citizens who harvested produce such as corn, watermelon, tomatoes, cabbage, squash and even tobacco. Woodcock, an active gardener since the pro-

gram's inception, said reaping the benefits of his labor isn't the main reason he continues to garden, "it's mostly a fun thing."

The Wayne resident and his 60-year-old son, Max Woodcock, care for one plot that yields tomatoes, corn, beans, radishes and lettuce, among other things.

Woodcock said he and his son give most of their produce away to family and friends like many other gardeners

"I remember this one guy that would set up a 4by-8-foot table of produce and have more than 12 varieties of vegetables," said Frank Rembisz, director of Wayne County Office on Aging. "He even raised tobacco.

Rembisz's office established a license with Ford Land Development, a division of Ford Motor Company, owner of the 15-acre site in addition to surrounding properties, to use the property for \$1 a year through the year 2000.

The land was previously owned by the county which operated a greenhouse south of Michigan Avenue between Henry Ruff and Merriman. In 1993, however, vandals allegedly set fire to the structure and an adjacent barn, erected in 1837, containing thousands of dollars worth of farming

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equipment, tools and supplies. The greenhouse was destroyed place for the program.

The aging department then coordinated efforts between the



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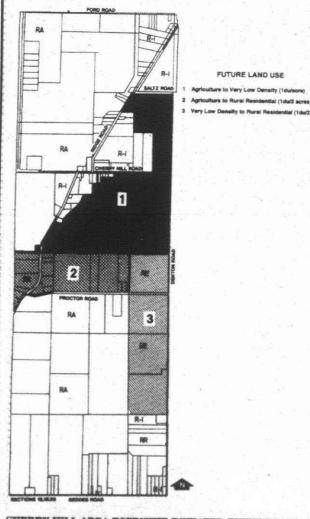
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> CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP OF THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 168 of the Public Acts of 1959 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Comprehensive Plan of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public hearing on Monday June 2, 1997 at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton enter Road at 7:00 p.m. on the following proposed amendment to the Future Land Use Map of the Comprehensive Plan



CHERRY HILL AREA TOWNSHIP INITIATED FUTURE LAND USE MAP AMENDMENT - CONSIDER AMENDING THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP OF THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FROMAGRICULTURAL TO VERY LOW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL FOR PARCEL NOS. 072 99 0005 003, 072 99 0006 000, 072 99 0022 000, 073 99 0001 001, 073 99 0001 002 073 99 0002 000, 073 99 0005 002, 074 99 0008 709, 074 99 0008 710, 074 99 0010 702, AND THAT PART OF 074 99 0010 703 EAST OF RIDGE ROAD: AND FROM AGRICUTURAL TO RURAL RESIDENTIAL FOR PARCEL NOS. 075 99 0001 001, 075 99 0001 002, 075 99 0001 003, 075 99 0002 000. 075 99 0003 000, 075 99 0004 002, 075 99 0004 003, 075 99 0004 004, 075 99 0005 000, 075 99 0006 000, 075 99 0007 000, 075 99 0008 000, 075 99 0009 000, 075 99 0010 000, 075 99 0013 000, 076 99 0001 000, 076 99 0002 000 076 99 0003 000, 076 99 0004 000 AND 076 99 0005 000; AND FROM VERY LOW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL TO RURAL RESIDENTIAL FOR PARCEL NOS. 076 99 0008 000, 076 99 0009 000, 117 99 0001 000, AND 117 99 0002 000. Property is located west of Denton Road between Saltz and Geddes VIC GUSTAFSON, Chairman

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County Regional Educational and the Wayne County Senior Service Agency (WCRESA) to in 1990. Citizens Garden & Greenhouse locate in a portion of another Association was left without a greenhouse off Venoy Road adjacent to the WCRESA administrative building and Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center-

A group effort

Wayne

Brawner now oversee the daily operations of the greenhouse with an extended staff of volunteers who propagate and sell annuals, perennials, vegetables, bedding and house plants yearround

Barr and Brawner are not county employees, but serve the community through a Title 5 federal grant from the National Association of Hispanic Elders.

when the community garden was declared the Largest in the



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FUTURE LAND USE riculture to Very Low Density (Idu/acre culture to Rural Residential (1du/2 acres)

association and the Wayne World by the Guinness Book of love of gardening.

World Records in 1988 and again Rembisz said at the peak of

the programs membership, more than 450 gardeners cultivated come here everyday though." "more than one million square feet" of land.

Today, the garden association utilize greenhouse facilities, nurcounty greenhouse facility. "We do some of it all here,"

said Barr. Barr, 71, is the only master

7279. For more information, call

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3 CITIES ART CLUB

gardener in the association who received certification in 1983 Center. Born and raised on a 16,000-

should be submitted in writing a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday

48150, or by fax at (313) 591- beck at (313) 453-3710.

no later than noon Friday for the through Wednesday and Friday,

be mailed to Sue Mason at to 5 p.m. Saturday. For more

36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia information, call Sharon Dillen-

Monday, June 2, 1997 at 7:00 P.M. in the First Floor Meeting Room of the Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road to consider a request

for the following special land use as provided in Section 27.03 of the Cantor

AFFORDABLE AUTOMOTIVE SPECIAL LAND USE - CONSIDER

ST. STEPHEN

next Thursday's issue. They can until 9 p.m. Thursday and 9 a.m.

said Barr. "I grow beans and vegetables. I don't know what I would do with myself if I didn't More than camaraderie

Barr is not unlike most of the offers seniors the opportunity to garden association membership who enjoy the camaraderie as Seniors Jean Barr and Mima ture a garden and socialize much as they do the activity of through luncheons, recreation cultivating a garden. Many of ficial to the continued betteractivities and other events at the the seniors blanch and can their ment of the greenhouse through vegetables to carry them her extensive knowledge of through the winter months when chemicals and fertilizers. produce becomes less available and more expensive.

The two elderly women who come in with questions," said manage greenhouse affairs say Barr, "and if I don't know the through Michigan State Univer- the sale of annuals, house answer I refer to many of the sity's Cooperative Extension plants, vegetables and garden books I have. I even had to pass plots provide the main source of a test in forestry to receive certi-According to the Garden City acre farm in rural West Virginia, house and garden association funding that keep the green- fication."

Artisans and crafters are needed

for the annual craft show spon-

sored by St. Stephen's Parents

at the church activity center,

18800 Huron River Drive, New

Guild. The show will be Oct. 4-5

annually through year-round unplowed because they are too "I'm not a fancy gardener," sales of everything from moist. marigolds and tomato plants to

ferns and holiday poinsettias. "We used to dig out plants and flowers from our own yards," said Barr. "We now propagate our own varieties and buy plugs - we don't raise things from Avenue and Van Born Road, is

Barr said her master gardener certification has been very bene- chase vegetables, annuals and

"I provide quite a bit of information to gardeners who call or Garden & Greenhouse Associa-

With the recent rain showers senior, the garden association Barr's parents made farming thriving. Barr estimates approxi- and occasional nighttime frosts, dents who are 55 years and flourished in the late 1980s their livelihood, inspiring her mately \$7,000-8,000 is raised garden plots have gone older.

CRAFTS CALENDAR Listings for the Crafts Calendar daily artist demonstrations 9:30

753-5876 or (313) 654-8817.

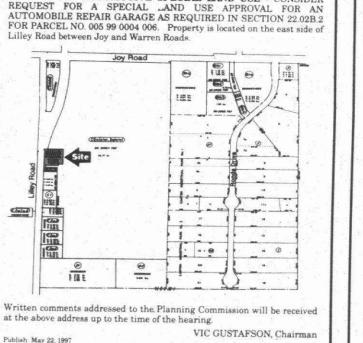
MADONNA UNIVERSITY Madonna University in Livonia is accepting applications from crafters for its 13th annual holi day arts and craft showcase to be held 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 1-2, in the Activities Center. Booth space measuring 9 feet by 6 feet with two chairs and one 6- by 8-foot table is available for \$50 either day or \$90 for both days. Booths with electricity are limited and are an additional \$5. For an application, call (313) 432-5603. LIVONIA YMCA

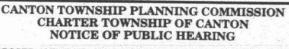
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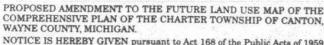
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

June 2, 1997 at 7:00 P.M. in the First Floor Meeting Room of the Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road to consider a request for the following special land use as provided in Section 27.03 of the Canton ownship Zoning Ordinance.

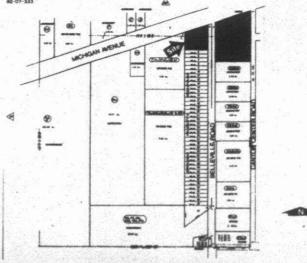
SPLITZ GYMNASTICS ACADEMY SPECIAL LAND USE - CONSIDER REQUEST FOR SPECIAL LAND USE APPROVAL FOR A PRIVATE INDOOR RECREATION FACILITY AS REQUIRED IN SECTION 22.02B.6 FOR PARCEL NO. 008 01 0002 301. Property is located on the west side of londa Drive north of Koppernick Road







of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Comprehensive Plan of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, June 2, 1997 at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:00 p.m. on the following proposed amendment to the Future Land Use Map of the Comprehensive Plan 62-07-333



VALDO/CANTON TOWNSHIP FUTURE LAND USE MAP AMENDMENT - CONSIDER AMENDING THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP FROM GENERAL INDUSTRIAL TO GENERAL COMMERCIAL FOR PARCEL NOS. 132 01 0001 000, 132 01 0004 000, 132 99 0010 712, 132 99 0010 713 and 132 99 0011 000. Property is located at the southeast and southwest corners of Michigan Avenue and Belleville Road. (Approximately 7.35 acres) ten comments addressed to the Planning Commission will be received

at the above address up to the time of the hearing. VIC GUSTAFSON, Chairman ablish: May 1, and May 22, 1997

Boston. Spaces cost \$50 and photographs should accompany applications. For more informa tion, call Basia Brulez at (313) CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held on

The association anticipates gardeners can begin work by the end of May after plots are tilled and staked off.

seeds anymore."

accepting applications from qual-

ified crafters for one-day Mulberry Market Saturday, Nov. 1. For more information and for applications, call the Y at (313) 261-2161

The greenhouse, located off

Venoy Road between Michigan

If you would like more infor-

mation about garden plots, call

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cost is \$15 per plot, and individ-

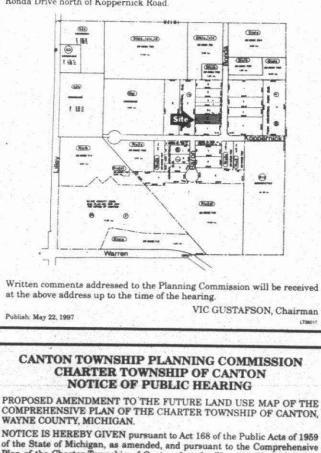
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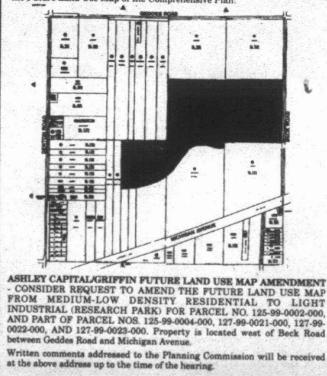
Schoolcraft Collegein Livonia is seeking unique crafters for its fall craft show Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 8-9. Crafters in all handmade media are invited to apply for spaces in the juried show. Applications accompanied by photographs are required. For an application, call (313) 462-

CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

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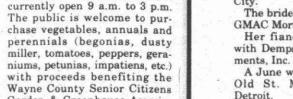
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Novak-Dempsey

Esther Martin of Ferndale and Lawrence Novak Sr. of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Tina Marie, to Daniel Martin Dempsey, the son of Robert and Agnes Dempsey Sr. of Garden

City. The bride-to-be is employed by GMAC Mortgage. Her fiance is self-employed with Dempsey's Home Improve-

A June wedding is planned at Old St. Mary's Church in

Wolshon-Whitus

Rhoda Wolshon of Canton and Mark Wolshon of Detroit announce the engagement of their daughter, Deborah Ann, to Joseph Alex Whitus, the son of Irene Whitus of Tucson, Ariz.,

and the late Paul J. Whitus. The bride-to-be is a 1982 Redford Union High School graduate. She received her bachelor of science degree from Michigan State University and her master of social work degree from Wayne State University. She is employed as a case manager at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia.

Her fiance is a 1982 Redford Union High School graduate. He is a veteran of the U.S. Navy and is employed as a facilities operating engineer at the South- ty Park in Leonard, Mich.

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Kurtansky-Paluk

Charles and Lorraine Kurtansky of Reese announce the engagement of their daughter, Kari Lynn, to Jeffrey Michael Paluk, the son of Michael and Laura Paluk of Plymouth. The bride-to-be is a 1996 grad-

uate of Saginaw Valley State University, where she majored in criminal justice. She is employed by the Tuscola County Prosecutor's Office as a domestic violence advocate.

Her fiance also is a 1996 graduate of Saginaw Valley State University where he majored in ousiness management. He is a pitcher in the Los Angeles Dodgers minor league system. A fall wedding is planned in Reese

Crabb-Lanzilotti

Robert and Judith Crabb of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennifer Bonnie, to Anthony Lanzilotti, the son of Joseph Lanzilotti and Patricia Fendt.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and Madonna University where she earned a bachelor's degree in social work.

Her fiance is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and is a manger at Two Men and A Truck. An October wedding is

planned in Memorial Church of Christ in Livonia

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SOUTHGATE





Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Michelle Lee, to Timothy Takesue, the son of Mary Takesue of Troy and the late Dennis Takesue. The bride-to-be is employed by Tele-Communications Co. in Chicago.

Her fiance, a Wayne State University graduate, is employed by Elek-Tek Computer Company, also in Chicago, A June 1998 wedding i planned at Laurel Manor in Livonia.





Successful gardening means starting at the bottom

BY-SUE MASON STAFF WRITER

Jodi Cook gladly tells you she enjoys what she does for a living. Armed with a degree in horticulture, she happily gets her hands dirty working with perennial

Greenhouse grower for Brainer's Greenhouse in Wixom, she has the real dirt on gardening.

According to Cook, a former nursery manager and grower in Plymouth, successful gardening starts with a good foundation . dirt. Good dirt sustains growth and provides water and nutrients

"Starting from the bottom up is the key," she said. "Good dirt should be light and crumble and fall apart in your hand. It should have food water absorption and an availability of nutrients.

But for the most part, Mother Nature doesn't give every gardener good dirt. Some are bestowed with clay soil, heaviest and thickest of dirt which is hard to penetrate and change. While it is very fertile and has nutrients, it lacks the movement of oxygen and water.

However, some gardeners deal with sandy soil that's "great for digging and weeding and easy

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blessed with loam soil. "It has clay, sand, silt and provides a source of nutrients nutrients, it drains well and it and improves soil structure. between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. shaded areas," Cook said. Among has oxygen flowing through it,"

Cook explained. "It's a gardener's delight." The only way of improving clay and sandy soils is the addition of organic matter like compost, humus, peat moss, manure and leaf mold, and inorganic materials like gypsum, vermiculite and sand.

According to Cook, compost improves its aeration, allowing garden stand out." water to move easier. Manure also loosens clay and improves drainage, with leaf mold offering source of nutrients and

rovement of soil structure. Of the inorganic additives, gypsum helps create large soil clumps than clay, while the sand improves aeration and drainage

problems. can add texture and volume to means in reference to plants. sandy soil and contain nutrients

for plants to root in, but the water and soluble nutri-water and nutrients move through it fast," and some are absorb water and add water and add water and soluble nutri-through it fast," and some are absorb water and add water and add water and soluble nutri-through it fast," and some are absorb water and add water and add water and soluble nutri-through it fast," and some are absorb water and add water and add water and soluble nutri-through it fast," and some are absorb water and add water and add water and soluble nutri-through it fast," and some are absorb water and add water and add water and soluble nutri-through it fast," and some are are the keys to the fast of the retention ability and leaf mold retention, Cook said.

Mulches like shredded newspaper, grass clippings and shred-shade, and full or dense shade is perennial, and bleeding heart. ded bark also give gardeners an

soil cool in the summer and

But she cautioned about using bark which is a "nitrogen lover." Nitrogen encourages leaf and breaks down.

Once the soil is ready for planting, the next task a gardener faces is understanding what Mixing in organic materials partial sun and partial shade

"You almost need a degree to (compost and manure) and help figure it out," said Cook. "Most

six hours of direct sunlight hostas, and fuschia are "great for Adding vermiculite also while light shade or partially the sun lovers are the bearded improves aeration and moisture sunny is six hours of filtered iris, which can also do well in sun. Partial or semi shade is semi shade, day lilies, sedum, four-six hours of sun with partial which is a drought-resistant

While Cook's list of annuals includes sun-loving salvia, geraniums and flowering kale, grow-According to Cook. full sun is ly shaded areas as do some ers have come out with many new varieties of differing heights

"You can almost set the moods for gardens with annuals," she said. "Their intense colors can bring a burst of energy to any

"They do help with evapora-tion and soil temperature," Cook explained. "Mulches keep the

materials loosen clay soil and warm in the fall. They also give can translate into a beautiful improve drainage, while humus a finishing touch and make a flower garden, according to Jodi Cook.

If you're working in a sunny area, she recommends such annuals as corn poppy, dusty stem growth and helps green up miller, salvia, marigolds, petuplants, but bark tends to take nias, geraniums and ageratum away nitrogen from plants as it or such perennials as baby's as coral bells, campanula, goatsbreath, black-eyed Susan, blan- beard, hardy geranium, ket flower, butterfly weed, catmint, coreopsis, purple coneflower and yarrow.

> Annuals favoring shady areas include forget-me-nots, New Guinea impatiens and begonias, while on the perennial side are hearts, delphinium, iris may

Knowing what plants go where bleeding heart, hosta, Japanese ca, oriental poppy and peonies, primrose, lady's mantle and the she said. Japanese painted, maidenhair ostrich and lady ferns.

> For annuals partial to either sun or shade, there's flowering tobacco, pansies, sweet alyssum, New Guinea impatiens and begonias as well as such perennials Japanese anemone and monkshood to name a few.

When it comes to plant your floral display, flowers bloom from mid-May throu mid-June include bleed

The mid-summer (late June through July) include astlibes, bee balm, daylilies (try Stella D'oro), early blooming white phlox, hollyhock, hollyhock mallow, Asian lilies and snakeroot.

The late summer (July through early September) flowering plants include asters, fall

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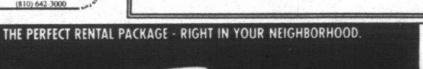
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Ledda-Haupt John Anthony Ledda and

Andrea Jean Haupt were married Sept. 14, 1996, at Nativity United Church of Christ by Donald V. Lintleman. The bride is the daughter of

Bob and Dee Haupt of Westland. The groom is the son of Frank and Tonina Ledda of Livonia.

A 1990 graduate of Livonia Churchill High School, the bride attends Central Michigan University's Livonia campus. She is employed as an administrative assistant at Lear Corporation's lomulus II Plant. The groom, a 1983 Livonia

Clarenceville High School graduate, owns J & L Statuary in Red-Diane Linderman served as maid of honor with bridesmaids JoAnne Hassen, Anna Ledda, Aimee LeMay, Wendi Roberts. Danell Sancho, Jennifer Waligora, Jackie Wallace and Juli Ygeal. The junior bridesmaid was Kelsi Linderman with Mari-

The groom asked Bob Schiff-

man to serve as best man with Randy Bame, Matt Bobby, Bob O'Dowd and John Wallace as Tom Linderman were ushers while Chad Hassen served as

A reception was held at Laurel Manor. Following a 12-day

Jones-Luomala

Sean O'Brian Jones and Christine Lee Luomala of Hersey were married May 17 at Nardin Park United Methodist Church in Farmington Hills by Karen

The bride is the daughter of Linda Lee Luomala of Redford and John and Janina Luomala of Brighton. The groom is the son of J.C. and Kay Jones of

High School, and Adrian Col-

Hersey, Mich. A graduate of Redford Union

Jones, John Luomala and

Steven Kipp. Ring bearer was Steven Luomala-Kipp. A reception was held at Laurel Manor in Livonia. Following a honeymoon in Maui, Hawaii,

Henderson to serve as best man The couple received guests at The bride asked Jen Henderthe VFW Hall in Garden City son to be her matron of honor. before leaving on a honeymoon while the groom asked Gary trip to the Bahamas.

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On April 30, 1997, WWWW/WDFN License Corp., licensee of station WDFN (AM), Detroit, MI, filed an application with the Federal Commu Commission for consent to the transfer of control of Station WDFN(AM 1130 Khz, Detroit, MI from Scott K. Ginsburg, de facto to Chancellor Media

The officers, directors, and 10% or more shareholders of Chancellor Media Corporation will be Thomas Hicks, Steven Dinetz, Eric Neuman, Perry Lewis, Scott Ginsburg, Matthew Devine, Lawrence Stewart, Jame DeCastro. Jeffrey Marcus, John Massey, Thomas Hudson, Hmz/Chancellor L.P. Other parties to the application are HMZ/Chancellor GP, L.P. HMZ/Chancellor Holdings, Inc.

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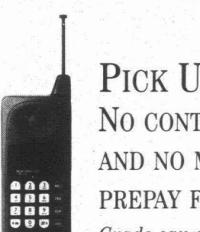
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lege, the bride is an administrative manager for Commercial Store Fixtures and Construction Corporation. The groom is a graduate of Reed City High School. He is employed as a signal man for CSX Transportation The bride asked Jennifer Luomala to serve as maid of honor with bridesmaids Joy Hooper, Diane Hoenschied and Aimee Hills. Casey Jones served as

Henderson-Skowronek

Canada

Stacie Ann Skowronek and Jeffrey George Henderson were married April 5 at The Little Wedding Chapel in Heritage Park in Taylor. The Rev. Kevin

Winningham officiated. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Skowronek of Garden City. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce

of Shawnee High School. He is

employed in computer network-



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Listings for the Religion Calendar should be submitted in writcan be mailed to Sue Mason at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 7279. For more information, call cial needs. (313) 953-2131.

The First Congregational Church of Wayne will have its 37th annual spring salad luncheon 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thursday, May 22, at the church, 2 Towne Square, Wayne. A smorgasbord of salads, rolls and omemade cookies will be served. Cost will be \$4.50 for

adults and \$1.25 for children. For more information, call the church office at (313) 729-7550 Newburg United Methodist Church will have an all-you-caneat salad luncheon 11:30 a.m. to

12:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 3, at the church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. Cost is \$3.50 and includes a beverage. Carryout is available (no beverage) for \$3. **REVIVAL MEETING** There will be a revival meeting

Friday, May 23, at St. Edith's Church, 15089 Newburgh Road, Livonia. Sponsored by DCCR

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ON-LINE!

South Region, the revival will start with praise and worship at ing no later than noon Friday for 6:30 p.m., followed by guest the next Thursday's issue: They speaker Rev. Dan Havron at 7 p.m. The theme will be "Lifting Up Jesus." There will be prayer 48150, or by fax at (313) 591 teams available to pray for spe-IN CONCERT

The Florida Diplomat Quartet

will be in concert at 7:30 p.m.

being broadcast at 1:30 p.m. Sundays of WQBH-AM 1400. Topics include "Is it possible to heal without medicine?" on May 25 and "Is Christian Science just a health therapy or does it deal with relationship, business and other problems?" on June 1.

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"The Christian Science Sentinel-Radio Edition" also can be heard at 9:30 a.m. Sundays on **HISPANIC CHURCH**

to open to men of all faiths and denominations. For more information, call the church office at (313) 421-0472. BEIT KODESH

The Sisterhood of Congregation Beit Kodesh will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 27, at the synagogue, 31840 W. Seven Mile

Road, Livonia, Following the meeting, Louis Schneider will speak on "Jewish Achievements." Guests are invited. Refreshments will be served.

CHICKEN BARBECUE Lola Valley United Methodist Church will have its 39th annual chicken barbecue Sunday, June

1, following the Memorial Day Parade. Adult dinners at \$4.50 include half of a chicken, chips, cole slaw, roll, homemade cake coffee, tea or lemonade. Children's dinners will be \$2.25 and \$3.50 for senior citizens. Carryouts will be available with two chicken halves for \$5.



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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton was held on Tuesday, May 13, 1997 at 1150 South Canton Center Road. Supervisor Yack called the meeting to order at 7:02 P.M. and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. ROLL CALL

Members Present: Bennett, Kirchgatter, LaJoy, McLaughlin, Shefferly, Yack

Members Absent: Burdziak Staff Present: Durack, Minghine, Fox, Goulet, Voyles, Zevalkink

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA General Calendar Item No. 17, was deleted from the agenda. Resolution

recognizing First Step as a non-profit organization was added to the Consent Calendar as Item 14. Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy, to adopt the agenda as amended.

Motion carried Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the Minutes of the Regular Meeting April 22, 1997 as presented. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly, to approve the Minutes of the

Regular Meeting of April 29, 1997 as presented. Motion carried. PAYMENT OF BILLS

Motion by Kirchgatter, supported by McLaughlin, to pay the bills as presented. Motion carried.

| Expenditure Recap | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----|----------------|--|
| General Fund | 101 | \$412,110.45 | |
| Fire Fund | 206 | 204,825.68 | |
| Police Fund | 207 | 109,975.02 | |
| Community Center Fund | 208 | 44,864.06 | |
| Golf Course Fund | 211 | 57,413.15 | |
| Street Lighting Fund | 219 | 15,873.41 | |
| Cable TV Fund | 230 | 1,327.56 | |
| Public Improvement Fund | 245 | 501.50 | |
| Community Improvement Fund | 246 | 176.50 | |
| Special Investigative Fund | 267 | 777.82 | |
| Federal Grants Funds | 274 | 12,208.37 | |
| State Projects Fund | 289 | 69,455.63 | |
| Downtown Development Auth | 294 | 42,278.81 | |
| CAP Proj-Road Paving Fund | 403 | 59.00 | |
| Building Auth. Construction Fund | 469 | 211,711.58 | |
| Water & Sewer Fund | 592 | 422,859.60 | |
| Construction Escrow | 702 | 2,697.56 | |
| Beck Rd. Paving Constr. Fund | 814 | 17,386.59 | |
| S. Haggerty Paving | 815 | 23,013.63 | |
| E. Palmer Rd. Paving | 816 | 122.38 | |
| E-911 Emergency Funds | 261 | 532.04 | |
| Total - All Funds | | \$1,670,170.34 | |

PRESENTATION: 1996 AUDIT PRESENTATION Bruce Berend, Mike Walsh, and Greg VanKirk of Plante & Moran gave a graph tion of the results of the financial audit. Copies of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report will be available for public review at the Clerk's

office and the Canton Public Library. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to accept the 1996 financial reports for the Charter Township of Canton as presented. Motion carried.

CONSENT CALENDAR Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the request of the Wayne County Twisters Semi-Professional Football Team for a for recognition as a non-profit organization operating in the community for the purpose of registering with the State of Michigan for the purpose of obtaining a gaming license. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the following budget

amendment in the Golf Course Fund to: Increase Revenues Pro Shop Fees #211-000-642-1000 \$25.000

| Increase Appropriations | | 0.0 | 6 | | 8.27 | 1.24 | |
|-------------------------|-----------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|----|
| Supplies for Resale | #2 | 11-75 | 6-726 | -0000 | \$25.0 | 000 | |
| This Budget amendment | increases | the | Golf | Course | Fund | budget | fr |

\$2,287.648 t \$2.312.648 Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to adopt the resolution to grant

a 6-month extension of the tentative preliminary plat for Sierra Heights Subdivision No. 2. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve a budget amendment

in the General Fund to appropriate funds from the Fund Balance for the refund of residential tree deposits made in prior years as follows: Increase Revenues Appropriation from Fund Balance #101-000-699-0000 \$50,000.00

Increase Appropriations Prior Year Tree Deposit Refunds #101-441-824-9000 \$50,000.00 This budget amendment increases the Public Works Division budget from \$207,724 to \$257,724 and the General Fund budget from \$12,189,774 to

\$12,239,724 Motion carried.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the following budget amendment in the Special Investigative Fund: #267-233-977-0000 \$20.000.00 Increase Capital Outlay Decrease Trans to Grand Fund #267-333-959-2890 \$20,000.00

Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve a budget amendment

n the General Fund to transfer \$1,000 from Community Promotions-Supervisor's Office account #101-171-880-0000 to Capital Outlay-Supervisor's Office account #101-171-977-0000. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the following budgets

n the Haggerty Road Storm Drain Improvement and Road Paving Special ssessment Debt Funds: Haggerty General Obligation Bond Debt Fund #301:

| | Revenues | | \$ | 742 | | | | | | |
|------|-------------|-----|------|----------|---------|------------|------|------|------|--|
| | Appropriati | ons | \$ | 742 | | | | | | |
| This | establishes | the | 1997 | Haggerty | General | Obligation | Bond | Debt | Fund | |

budget at \$ 742. Motion carried

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to transfer the remaining cash balance in the Haggerty General Obligation Bond Debt Fund to the General

Haggerty Storm Drain Improvement Special Assessment Bond Debt Fund #302; Revenues \$3.059 Appropriations \$3,059

This establishes the 1997 Haggerty Storm Drain Improvement Special ssessment Bond Debt Fund budget at \$3,059.

Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to transfer the remaining cash balance in the Haggerty Storm Drain Improvement Special Assessment Bond Debt Fund to the General Fund.

Haggerty Road Paving Special Assessment Bond Debt Fund #311:

Revenues Appropriations \$6,205 This established the 1997 Haggerty Road paving Special Assessment Bond

Debt Fund budget at \$6,205. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to transfer the remaining cash

balance in Haggerty Road Paving Special Assessment Bond Debt Fund to the General Fund. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to close the Haggerty General Obligation Bond Debt Fund, the Haggerty Storm Drain Improvement Special

Assessment Bond Debt fund and the Haggerty Road Paving Special Assessment Bond Debt Fund. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the following budget amendment in the General Fund and 1997 budget for the Koppernick/Ronda

Storm Drain Improvement Special Assessment Debt Fund: General Fund Increase Revenues:

| Appropriation from fund Balance | #101-000-699-0000 | \$5,572 | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|---------|--|
| Increase Appropriations: | | | |
| Contr. to SAD Drain Fund | #101-959-965-8030 | \$5,572 | |

This budget amendment increases the Transfers Out department budget from \$550,000 to \$555,572, and the General Fund budget from \$12,189,774 to \$12,195,346.

Koppernick/Ronda Storm Drain Special Assessment Debt Fund #303; Revenues \$5.574

Appropriations \$5,574 This establishes the 1997 Koppernick/Ronda Storm Drain Special Assessment Debt Fund at \$5,574.

Motion carried.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to transfer sufficient funds approximately \$5,572) from the General Fund to the Koppernick/Ronda Storm Drain Improvement Debt Fund to cover this fund's deficit balance. Motion carried.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to close the Koppernick/Ronda Storm Drain Improvement Debt Fund. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the following budgets for the North Haggerty Storm Drain Improvement and Road Paving Special

sment Construction Funds: North Haggerty Storm Drain Improvement Special Assessment Construction Fund: Revenues

Appropriations \$538 This establishes the 1997 North Haggerty Storm Drain Improvement Special ssment Construction Fund budget at \$538.

Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the transfer of the funds remaining the North Haggerty Storm Drain Improvement Special Assessment Construction Fund to the North Haggerty Storm Drain Improvement Special Assessment Debt Service Fund. North Haggerty Road Paving Special Assessment Construction Fund:

Appropriations \$530 This establishes the 1997 North Haggerty Road Paving Special Assessment Construction Fund budget at \$530.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the transfer of the funds remaining the North Haggerty Road Paving Special Assessment Construction Fund to the North Haggerty Road Paving Special Assessment Debt Service Fund. Motion carried Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to close the North Haggerty Storm Drain Improvement Special Assessment Construction Fund and the

North Haggerty Road Paving Special Assessment Construction Fund. Motion carried Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to adopt the 1997 budget for the Palmer Road Paving SAD Construction Fund, as follows: Revenues

\$119,919 Expenditures \$119,919

This resolution establishes the 1997 Palmer Road Paving SAD Construction Fund at \$119,919. Motion carried.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to authorize the transfer of \$43,008.63 from the Palmer Road Paving SAD Construction Fund to the General Fund to reimburse the General Fund for payment of the engineering osts for this project. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to transfer all remaining funds

n the Palmer Road Paving SAD Construction Fund to the Palmer Road Paving SAD Debt Fund to be used for bond debt payments, and to close the Palmer Road Paving SAD Construction Fund. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to set the public hearing for May 27, 1997 to consider the request to establish the Haggerty II Corporate Park Industrial Development District. Motion carried.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to set the public hearing for May 27, 1997 to consider the industrial facilities exemption application of American Yazaki Corporation for their new office facility to be located at 6300 N. Haggerty Road. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the following budget

amendment in the E-911 Service fund for the purchase of a radio system upgrade crease (Decrease)Appropriations:

| Capital Outlay - Police | #261-346-977-2070 | \$75,000 |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Transfer to Fund Balance | #261-346-999-0000 | (75,000) |
| Total | | \$ -0- |
| This budget amendment doe | s not change the E-911 Se | ervice Fund budget total. |

Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, that the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton does hereby recognize First Step as a non-profit organization operating in the community for the purpose of obtaining a ming license from the Michigan Bureau of State Lottery. Motion carried. GENERAL CALENDAR:

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to adopt the resolution to approve the site plan for the proposed U.S. Post Office. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to adopt the resolution to approve the request of the petitioner to rezone certain property identified as north 528 feet of tax parcel 031-99-0012-002 from RR, Rural Residential to

R-1, Single-Family Residential. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to adopt the resolution to approve the rezoning of certain property identified as tax parcel 020-99-0006-000 from RR, Rural Residential to R-2, Single-Family Residential. Motion

carried Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to adopt the resolution to approve of Founders Woods Preliminary Planned Development District.

on carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy, to adopt the resolution to grant site plan approval for the Canton Soccer Complex. Motion carried.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to adopt the resolution to grant tentative preliminary plat approval for the Warren-Lotz Industrial Subdivision. Motion carried.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy, that the request from Cooker Restaurant Corporation, (an Ohio Corporation) home address: 5500 Village Blvd., 2nd floor, West Palm Beach, FL, to transfer ownership of 1996 Class C licensed business at 41980 Ford Road, Canton, MI from GMRI, Inc. be considered for approval; it is the consensus of this legislative body that the application be recommended for issuance. Motion carried.

lotion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy, to approve the training request for Officer Lazar and Officer Schemanske to attend the Precision Driving Instruction Program offered by the Michigan State Police at a cost not to exceed \$2,678.00. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly, to award the bid for the

nstruction of Phase I of Sheldon/Palmer Park to low bidder Jack Anglin Co. in the amount of \$428,824.40 with a contingency of \$42,800.00 for a total of \$471,624.40. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy, to transfer \$142.624.40 from the

Community Improvement Fund-Griffin Park West development, account #246-750-970-0000 to the Community Improvement Fund-Sheldon/Palmer Park Development, account #246-750-970-0000, to cover Phase I construction cost. Motion carried.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly, to award the bid for purchase of one (1) Ford New Holland 1920-SSS 4WD tractor from W.F. Sell & Son, Inc. in n amount of \$12,092.00 which includes a \$2,600.00 trade-in allowance, for

Fellows Creek Golf Club. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to award the bid for purchase of one (1) National Triplex Model 84 Trim Mower from Weingartz Supply Co., i

he amount of \$8,700.00, which includes a \$1,000.00 trade-in allowance for Fellows Creek Golf Club. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy, to award the bid for purchase of one

(1) Toro Greensmaster 3100 Triplex Tee Mower from Spartan Distributors, Inc., in the amount of \$14,000.00 which includes a trade-in of \$1,359.00 for Fellows Creek Golf Club. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to approve the following budget amendment in the General Fund re-appropriate unspent 1996 funds for the Travis House Project. **Increase** Revenues

Appropriated from Historic District Donations #101-000-675-8030 \$ 3,093 Appropriated from Fund Balance #101-000-699-0000 \$39.202 Appropriated from Historic District Reserve #101-000-699-2000 \$ 2.974 Total

Increase Appropriations

Capital Project-Travis House #101-803-976-0000 \$45,269 This budget amendment increases the Historical Commission budget from \$74,910 to \$120,179 and the General Fund Budget from \$12,189,774 to \$12,235,043.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy, to increase the purchase amount with Advanced Media Services for supplies needed at the Township Cable Studio

from \$4,991.27 to \$5,198.00. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to transfer \$60,790.00 from account #246-750-970-0000 Community Improvement Fund-Development, to account #246-750-818-0000 Community Improvement Fund-Contractual Services, to cover the contract increase of professional landscape architectural

services for the Denton Soccer Complex project and the cost of all soil borings and miscellaneous engineering items for Denton Park, Barchester Park, Sheldon/Palmer Park and Griffin Park. Motion carried.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to award the bid to Michigan Automatic Sprinkler Inc., in the amount of \$15,716.00 for installation of an rrigation system on Summit Parkway. Motion carried. Item 17, was deleted from the agenda.

ion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy, to adopt the resolution to authorize the Township Supervisor to initiate condemnation proceedings against parcel number 71-039-99-0001-702.

Motion carried.

Bennett, Kirchgatter, LaJoy, McLaughlin, Yack Ayes Absent: Burdziak

Abstain: Shefferly RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Hanford Road extension east of Canton Center will provide improved emergency access to Carriage Hills Subdivision as well as other areas of the Township; and WHEREAS, the Hanford Road extension east of Canton Center will help to

mprove traffic distribution and circulation; and WHEREAS, the Hanford Road extension east of Canton Center is a necessary ovement; and

WHEREAS, agreements for dedication of right-of-way have been reached with all but one of the adjacent property owners; NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Township Supervisor is hereby

authorized to initiate condemnation proceedings against parcel number 71 039-99-0001-702 Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to approve the purchase of

water meters from Sensus Technologies, Inc., not to exceed \$200,000. Motion carried.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly, to accept the bid submitted by David Goerke, Ridgemont Landscaping, in the amount of \$35 per lot and \$60 per acre for the 1997 Weed Cutting Program. Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly, to approve new Industrial Waste Control Service Charges rated effective July 1, 1997, as listed on the attached

schedule. These charges are a direct pass through of costs charged to the Township by the City of Detroit Water and Sewerage Department. Further, to orporate these changes as amendments to Ordinance 30. Motion carried.

Notice to all Commercial and Industrial Sewage Disposal Users: I.W. C. Rates Effective on August 1, 1997 Bills Inch

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| Cine | Existing Rate | New Rate | |
|---------|---------------|--------------|----------------|
| er Size | | | |
| 168 | Fiscal 96-97 | Fiscal 97-98 | |
| | \$/month | \$/month | |
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18.20 21.31 38.63 32.99 45.50 53.28 79.92 68.25 113.75 133.20 159.25 186.48 182.00 213.12 227.50 266.40 273.00 319.68 318.51 372.96 426.24 364.01 409.51 479.52 455.01 532.80 500.51 586.08 546.01 639.36

New Industrial Waste Control rates include 1995-1996 look-back adjustment. Please contact Engineering Services at 397-5416 should you have any questions regarding this information. tion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy, to approve an additional \$289.33 to ISCG in order to complete the workstation order for the Assessor's Office.

Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to introduce the First reading of the recommended changes to the Water Supply and Sewer Ordinance No. 30(J). Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to table for publication the First

Reading of the amendments to the Water Supply and Sewer Ordinance No. 30(J). Motion carried. SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT TO CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON

WATER SUPPLY AND SEWER SYSTEM ORDINANCE NO. 30 (J) AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 6 ENTITLED "WATER RATES" AND SECTION 6(B)(1) THEREOF ENTITLED, "DEBT SERVICE CHARGE"; AMENDING THE SECTION NUMBER REFERENCE FOR DETERMINING UNITS, AND AMENDING SECTION 6(B)(2) ENTITLED "FRONT FOOT CHARGE" AND AMENDING SECTION 6(C) ENTITLED, "WATER CONNECTION - TOWNSHIP TAPS", PROVIDING FOR NEW UNIT CHARGES, AND AMENDING SECTION 6(D) ENTITLED, "WATER CONNECTIONS - APPLICANT TAPS" AMENDING THE REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICANT TAPS, AND AMENDING SECTION 6(E) ENTITLED "FIRE LINES", AND SECTION 6(F) ENTITLED "DUPLEXES", AND AMENDING SECTION 6(G) ENTITLED, "WATER CHARGES DURING BUILDING CONSTRUCTION PERIODS" AND AMENDING SECTION 6(H) ENTITLED, "RESIDENTIAL EQUIVALENT UNITS"; PROVIDING FOR NEW UNIT CHARGES: ADDING SECTION 6(I) PROVIDING FOR DEBT SERVICE CHARGE APPLICABLE TO IRRIGATION SYSTEMS SERVING RESIDENTIAL PLATTED SUBDIVISIONS AND SITE CONDOMINIUMS; AMENDING SECTION 7 ENTITLED, "SEWER RATES", AMENDING SECTION 7(A) ENTITLED, "SEWAGE TREATMENT RATES", AMENDING SECTION 7(B) ENTITLED, "MINIMUM SEWER BILLS", AMENDING SECTION 7(C) ENTITLED "DEBT SERVICE CHARGE", AMENDING SECTION 7(C)(1) ENTITLED, "CAPITAL CHARGE", AMENDING SECTION (C)(2) ENTITLED, "FRONT FOOTAGE CHARGE", AMENDING SECTION

7(D)(2) ENTITLED, "SEWER CONNECTION CHARGE", PROVIDING FOR ARIOUS NEW UNIT CHARGES AND VARIOUS NEW WATER AND SEWER RATES AND CHARGES: AND SPECIFYING INDUSTRIAL WASTE CHARGE (IWC) RATES; AMENDING SECTION 15 ENTITLED, "PRIVATE SEWAGE DISPOSAL" AMENDING THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A PRIVATE SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM; AMENDING SECTION 16 ENTITLED, "BUILDING SEWERS AND CONNECTIONS", AND AMENDING SECTION 20 ENTITLED "RATES, FEES, CHARGES", PROVIDING FOR VARIOUS NEW WATER AND SEWER RATES AND CHARGES, PROVIDING FOR THE SAVINGS OF ALL PENDING PROCEEDINGS AND BALANCE OF ORDINANCES: PROVIDING FOR THE PENALTIES AND VIOLATIONS THEREOF; PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY OF ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF ALL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDINANCE.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ORDAINS: SECTION 1. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 6.

'his section provides that Ordinance No. 30 is adopted to amend Section 6(B)(1) entitled "Capital Charge" and Section 6(B)(2) entitled "Front Footage Charge" and Section 6(C) entitled "Water Connection - Township Taps" and Section 6(D) entitled "Water Connection - Applicant Taps" and Section 6(E)entitled "Fire Lines" and Section 6(F) entitled "Duplexes" and Section 6(G) entitled "Water Charges During Building Construction Periods" and Section 6(H) entitled "Residential Equivalent Units" and to add Section 6(I) entitled "Debt Service Charge for Irrigation Systems Serving Residential Platted and Site Condominium Subdivisions

entitled "Sewer Rates" and Section 7(A) entitled "Sewage Treatment Rates" and Section 7(B) entitled "Minimum Sewer Bills" and Section 7(C) entitled

"Debt Service Charge" and Section 7(C)(1) entitled "Capital Charge" and Section 7(C)(2) entitled "Front Footage Charge" and Section 7(D) entitled

"Sewer Connection Charge" to provide for new unit charges, various new water and sewer rates and charges and to modify the method for charging

SECTION 3. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 8. This section provides that Ordinance No. 30 is adopted to amend Section 8

his section provides that Ordinance No. 30 is adopted to amend Section 15

This section provides that Ordinance No. 30 is adopted to amend Section 16

This section provides that Ordinance No. 30 is adopted to amend Section 20

SAVINGS OF ALL PENDING PROCEEDINGS AND BALANCE OF THE ORDINANCE. This section provides that the balance of Ordinance No. 30, except as herein

amended, shall remain in full force and effect. All proceedings pending and all

rights and liabilities existing, acquired or incurred at the time this

amendatory Ordinance takes effect are saved and may be consummated

Ordinance shall not be construed to affect any right pending before the

This section provides that if any section, subsection, clause, phrase or portion

of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any

court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate

distinct and independent provision, and such holdings such not affect the

SECTION 10. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 22.1 - CONSTRUCTION OF ORDINANCE.

This section provides that this ordinance shall be liberally construed in such manner as to best effectuate its purpose. The provisions of this Ordinance

shall be construed, if possible, in such manner as to make such provisions

compatible and consistent with the provisions of all existing Ordinances of the

SECTION 11. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 23 - REPEAL OF

This section provides that portions of Ordinance No. 30 are hereby repealed

only to the extent necessary to give this amendatory Ordinance full force and

This section provides that this Ordinance becomes effective June 5, 1997 after

Copies of the complete Ordinance are available for inspection from the Township Clerk at the Canton Township Hall, located at 1150 South Canton

May 15, 1997 at 11:00 A.M., at Gander Mountain in Taylor, the North American Archery Association will be holding a press conference to increase

May 16, 1997 at 4:30 P.M., Board and staff is invited for private tours of Auto

Nation on prior to their grand opening to be held May 28, 1997. Thursday, June 5, 1997 a study session with all elected officials would be held

for the purpose of discussing the Willow Run Tradeport. June 11, 1997 at the Chrysler World Headquarters in Auburn Hills, the 1997

Engineering Society's 1997 Annual Awards Program and 23rd Annual

June 17, 1997 study session will be held for a presentation of the Character

Motion by McLaughlin, supported by LaJoy, to adjourn the meeting at 8:50

The above is a synopsis of actions taken at the Regular Board meeting held on

May 13, 1997. The full text of the approved minutes will be available following the next regular meeting of the Board on May 27, 1997.

TERRY G. BENNETT, Clerk

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Counts program to all of the elected bodies of the Canton and Plymouth area.

nstruction & Design Awards will be held. The Summit on the Park design

areness of the National Archery Championship to be held in Canton at

SECTION 12. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 25 - EFFECTIVE DATE.

upervisor Yack updated the Board on the following schedule:

This section provides penalty provisions for violations of this Ordin

SECTION 9. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 22 - SEVERABILITY

according to the law enforced when they are commenced. This amendatory

AMENDMENT TO SECTION 21 - VIOLATION AND PENALTY.

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 7. his section provides that Ordinance No. 30 is adopted to amend Section '

front footage charges.

entitled "Water Billings and Readings".

entitled "Private Sewage Disposal".

entitled "Rates, Fees, Charges".

TION 8.

SECTION 4. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 15.

SECTION 5. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 16.

SECTION 6. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 20.

SECTION 7. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 21.1

entitled "Building Sewers and Connections".

effective date of this amendatory Ordinance.

validity of the remaining portion hereof.

Township and all amendments thereto

blication of the second reading.

May 13, 1997

May 22, 1997

May 27, 1997

Effective Upon Publication: June 5, 1997

Center Road, Canton, Michigan 48188.

Heritage Park in August.

will be highlighted

P.M. Motion carried.

Publish: May 22, 1997

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CONFLICTING SECTIONS.

Introduced:

Published:

Adopted:

OTHER

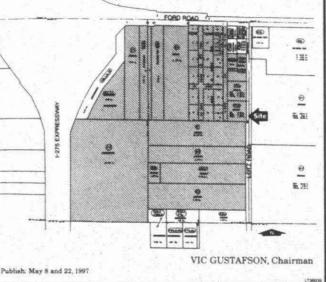
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing m Monday, June 2, 1997 in the First Floor Meeting Room of the administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:00 p.m. on the following proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance:

PHOENIX/BURTON-KATZMAN REZONING - CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PARCEL NOS. 049 01 0001 000, 049 01 0002 000, 049 01 0003 000, 049 01 0004 000, 049 01 0005 000, 049 01 0006 000, 049 01 0007 000 049 01 0008 000, 049 01 0009 000, 049 01 0010 000, 049 01 0011 000, 049 01 0012 000, 049 01 0013 000, 049 01 0014 002, 049 01 0014 003, 049 01 0014 004, 049 01 0014 005, 049 01 0015 001, 049 01 0015 002, 049 01 0016 000, 049 01 0017 000, 049 01 0018 001, 049 01 0018 002, 049 99 0012 000, 049 99 0013 000, 049 99 0014 000, 049 99 0015 000, 049 99 0017 000, 049 99 0019 700, 049 99 0021 000, 050 99 0001 000 and 050 99 0003 003 FROM C-4, INTERCHANGE SERVICE, to MRD, MID-RISE DEVELOPMENT. AND PARCEL NOS. 049 99 0004 000, 049 99 0007 000, 049 99 0008 000 049 99 0009 000, 049 99 0010 000 and 050 99 0007 001 FROM R-2, SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL, to MRD, MID-RISE DEVELOPMENT. Property is located on the south side of Ford Road between I-275 and Lotz

Written comments addressed to the Planning Commission will be received at the above address up to the time of the hearing.



CITY OF PLYMOUTH ORDINANCE #97-3

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ARTICLE III, AS ADOPTED BY SECTION 34-53. ENUMERATION OF CHAPTER 34 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF PLYMOUTH THE CITY OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS

ection 1. Section 34-53 of Chapter 34 of Article III. Nuisances, Division 1 of the Code of the City of Plymouth is hereby amended by amendment of Sec. 34-53 number 3 as follows:

Sec. 34-53. Enumeration. The following acts, conduct, omissions or conditions are hereby declared be dangerous to the health, safety or welfare of the inhabitants of the city, to be nuisances and to be unlawful:

(1) The permitting to run at large within the limits of the city of cattle. sheep, swine, horses, or other animals, chickens, ducks, geese turkeys, or other domesticated poultry, or the keeping within the city of any animals, fowl or poultry under conditions causing offensive or noisome odors. (2) The permitting or maintaining of any place in which a gaming

table or other gambling device or apparatus is operated or any game of skill or chance or partly of skill or chance is played for hire, gain or reward by either the owners, operators, players o

(3) The riding of bicycles by persons, other than city of Plymouth or other on duty police officers, upon any public sidewalk in the business or retail districts of the city.

(4) The printing, painting, staining, or impressing on or the nailing, posting, tacking, or otherwise attaching to, on or upon, any telephone, telegraph, electric light or power pole, any tree or shrub or other installation, located in any street, highway or alley in the city of any advertising of any kind or nature whatsoever.

(5) The operation or the pushing or hauling of any engine tractor machine, or conveyance having wheels with iron or steel flutes or lugs on, upon, along or across any paved street within the city without protecting the pavement of such street by planks or other covering to prevent injury to the same.

The firing or causing to be fired, by any person, other than a police or peace officer of any rifle, revolver, pistol, or other gun or weapon in any of the public streets, alleys, parks cemeteries or other public laces in the city.

The casting or depositing of ashes, dirt, stones, bricks, old automobiles or parts thereof, metals, paper, trees or cuttings therefrom, bottles, cans, garbage, waste, refuse or any other excess or abandoned material by any person upon lands not his own o upon any public street, highway, alley, park, cemetery, or other public place or property of the city within or outside of the city limits, provided, however, the deposit of such materials upon lands not owned by the depositor shall not be unlawful if done with the consent of the owner, person or official in control of such land. (8) The obstructing of or the discharge into or the depositing in any

watercourse, drain or sewer of the city, or in any drain or sewer connecting with those of the city, of any oil, grease, inflammable liquid, chemical, substance or material damaging or harmful to city watercourses, drains or sewers, or detrimental to the operation thereof or injurious to the health of the city's inhabitants by reason of discharge or deposit.

(9) The driving of any motor or other vehicle upon any city owned operty, either within or without the city limits, other than upon highways, roads, streets, or alleys or upon parking areas, without authority of the city manager or city commi (10) The littering or maintaining or keeping of litter of any waste

materials such as ashes, dirt, stones, bricks, old automobiles or parts thereof, metals, paper, trees or cuttings therefrom, bottles cans, garbage, waste products or debris or any other excess or abandoned materials by any person upon premises of which he is the owner, occupant, or of which he is in charge, or upon any adjacent public street or alley; provided, however, that the keeping on the premises of suitable covered metal or plastic containers, in good condition, to hold such waste material until the same is removed from such premises shall not be construed to be a violation of this section.

(Code 1982, § 9.68)

(7)

Section 2. Rights and duties which have matured, penalties which have incurred, proceedings which have begun and prosecution for violations of law occurring before the effective date of this ordinance are not affected or abated by this ordinance.

Section 3. Should any section, clause or paragraph of this ordinance be leclared by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the same will not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or part thereof other than the part declared invalid.

Section 4. All other ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this rdinance are to the extent of such inconsistencies hereby repealed.

ection 5. This Ordinance shall become operative and effective on the 19th day of May, 1997, and considered to be an EMERGENCY ORDINANCE,

Made, passed, and adopted by the City Commission of the City of Plymouth Michigan, this 19th day of May, 1997.

LINDA J. LANGMESSER, CMC RONALD G. LOISELLE City Clerk

Aublish: May 22, 1997

The Observer/THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1997

Family Room from page B1

they ARE not. But deadlines don't care.

transcription to a begged, bor- kiddo, you're finished." I a.m. on deadline day right now, top to do its rightful work in its of the presses. rightful office many miles up the Miss your deadline? Too bad. of things, that's a hurdle. requesters and needers.

business.

You know, it's ironic. I was hospital was reached. just explaining the business about deadlines to some 75 it's harder than others. sixth-graders just last week. It sized to them, the critical nature Kind of like keeping a house of a newspaper deadline. One clean.

Township of Plymouth ADA Phase Two Project.

mount of mechanical ventilation work.

Wednesday, June 18, 1997.

Services

Publish: May 22, 1997

urchase must be ordered one day in advance

whole or in part, and to waive any irregularities therein.

ADVERTISEMENT TO BID

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH

General Contractors are invited to submit bids as requested for the Charten

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Work consists of the renovation of existing

Toilet Rooms in three Township owned buildings. The purpose of the

scope of the Work will include selective demolition, concrete floor cutting and

patching, new partitions, interior finishes, plumbing, electrical and a limited

BIDS: Bid Document Packages will be available on loan or for purchase at

the office of the Township Clerk, located at 42350 E. Ann Arbor Road,

Plymouth after 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, May 28, 1997. Bid documents for

Sealed Bids will be received at the Township Clerk's Office, 42350 E. Ann

Arbor Road, Plymouth, either by mail or in person, on or before 2:00 p.m.

Questions concerning the Bid Document Packages should be directed to Ms.

Christine Haas, Community Development Block Grant, Division of Public

The right is reserved by the Township to reject any or all proposals, either in

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Monday, June 2, 1997, at 7:00 P.M. in the Commission Chamber at City Hall, 201 S. Main

Street, for the purpose of discussing and receiving public comments on the proposed 1997-98 City Budget.

PROPOSED 1997 CITY MILLAGE RATES: The property tax millage rates

proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this

hearing. The following statements are provided concerning the 1997 proposed millage levies for the City of Plymouth:

The 1997 tax rate for City operating millage is proposed to be 11.76 mills which is the same as the 1996 operating tax rate. The City Commission

has the authority under the City Charter to set the operating millage rate within the maximum allowed rate of 11.76 mills, as adjusted by the

Headlee milage roll-back formula. The 1997 tax rate for debt service millage to fund a portion of the debt

service requirements for the 1997 General Obligation Bond issue is proposed to be 1.88 mills which is a new millage rate for 1997.

The 1997 tax rate for City solid waste and recycling millage is proposed to

The total City millage for all purposes is proposed to be 14.89 mills for

1997, which is 1.88 mills higher than the 1996 total City tax rate of 13.01

EQUALIZATION FACTORS: Wayne County established a tentative 1997

equalization factor of 1.0704 for residential classes of property and a factor of

1:00 for commercial and industrial classes of property. Since the City has

ncreased assessments for the residential class 1997 by the proposed factor

EXPENDITURES

uildings & Gro

Public Works Dept

Other Functions

Capital Outlay

REVENUES EXPENDITURES

Debt Service

Bldg & Engineering Dept.

Transfers to Other Funds 288,720

EXPENDITURE TOTAL \$5,393,510

EXPENDITURE TOTAL \$2,179,520

EXPENDITURE TOTAL \$714,980

EXPENDITURE TOTAL \$1,031,300

Operating Expenses \$ 415,490

Debt Expenses 77.510 EXPENDITURE TOTAL \$493,000

\$ 568,120

365.280

41,820

248,010

13,000

654,610

30,880

498,210

City Clerk

\$2,428,480

Police Department

Administration

\$ 907.340

1,577,850

417,910

645,900

759,180

224,660

250,500

122,000

be 1.25 mills, which is the same as the 1996 tax rate.

of the City of Plymouth are proposed for 1997-98 as follows

75.000

1,038,710

375.120

121,500

429,940

1.908.900

611.780

\$ 714,980

\$ 117,400

\$ 341,300

\$ 493,000

151.700

\$ 568,120

365,280

1,187,500

\$ 854,700

41.820

5,044

19,500

654,610

30,880

498,210

As provided in State law, the general appropriations resolution is proposed

complete copy of the 1997-98 City Budget is available for public inspection

it the City Clerk's office during regular output of operation. Plymouth District Library during its regular hours of operation. LINDA J. LANGMESSER, CMC

appropriation to any other appropriation within each fund, but not from

at the City Clerk's office during regular business hours, and also at the

and the Equipment Fund are also included in the Budget Document. TRANSFERS BETWEEN APPROPRIATIONS:

allow the City Manager to transfer up to ten percent (10%) of each

Reserve Accounts nor between funds. COPIES OF PROPOSED BUDGET AVAILABLE:

Financial plans for the Budget Stabilization Fund, the Water & Sewer Fund

\$2,165,300

29,640

51.800

\$3,176,500

all 1997 equalization factors will be set at 1.00.

97-98 PROPOSED CITY BUDGETS: Th

GENERAL FUND: REVENUES

REVENUE TOTAL \$5,393,510

Gas & Wgt Taxes \$ 256,400

Gas & Wgt Taxes \$ 103,200

Program Fees 913,900 REVENUE TOTAL \$1,031,300

WASTE & RECYCLING FUND:

MAJOR STREET FUND:

LOCAL STREET FUND:

roperty taxes

Federal Grants

license & Permits

tate-shared Rev

Cemetery Revenue

Sales of Service

Parking Revenue

Transfers to Other

Contrib & Other

Contrib & Other

Property Taxes

Property Taxes

DDA Debt Fund

Parking Fund

Sales of Service REVENUE TOTAL

DDA Operating Fund

Old Village Dev. Fund

Public Improv. Fund

Cemetery Trust Fund

Highway Debt Fund

OTHER CITY FUNDS:

1997 G.O. Bond Const. Fund

1997 G.O. Bond Debt Fund

Building Authority Funds

Adopted: May 19, 1997

Publish: May 22, 1997

REVENUE TOTAL

RECREATION FUND:

REVENUE TOTAL

Other Revenue

199,450

City of Plymouth

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

1997-98 PROPOSED CITY BUDGET

renovations is to meet Federal and State Accessibility requirement

nm not, whir not, respond not, ey ARE not. But deadlines boy asked, "What happens if you don't meet a deadline?"

road. I'm left with a disk. So off You can't compromise or argue to Kinko's before the sun and the with a deadline. Deadlines don't pffft. You know what, with fami- 48150. children are up. And so in the accept excuses, good or lame. children are up. And so in the light of day, I continue my race with time all the while making deadline once upon a time ago, Clothing from page B1 on a cold February night last And so it goes with deadlines. year, my baby was born. Steven, Ask anyone in the newspaper you recall, was born AFTER the deadline was met, but before the

Meeting deadlines. Some days Another thing about meeting was Career Day at the middle deadlines, it's one of those tasks school and I was one of the invit- in life that only seems to get ed speakers. I told them, empha- noticed when it's NOT done.

nts. The

The computer meltdown this ly about (whether softly sleeping week is definitely not a good sit- or very noisy awake) these I shook my head. "It means uation. It's going to be a hurdle. things can be gotten around, So, pen and paper during you don't get in and it very well For quite awhile. But only a hur- One way or another, they can be busy, noisy afternoons. And could mean that's it, the end, dle, not a wall. Sure, it's 4:37 gotten around. rowed laptop computer during explained how the printing the household will be stirring If you have a question or comthe cold, quiet, dead hours from presses run regardless - they about in a little more than one ment for Karen Meier, a Ply midnight to 6 a.m. Then back to wait for no one - and that's that. hour and the day will have mouth resident, call her at 953its rightful owner goes the lap- You can't stop the march of time begun. And, yes, mine never 2047, mailbox number 1883, on a really ended. But in the scheme Touch-Tone phone, or write her Deadlines, dead computers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia

disposable In most cases gar- lic brown or dark green dresses ments were restyled to suit the were more in style. times. And to remove stains or oils, they would use cornstarch or go to the chemist to get appropriate chemicals.

Among the pieces of her collection Turza showed off an 1880s wedding suit, machine made by burial garments. a professional. White in color, it feature half inch appliqued silk ribbon on each scallop. It is so tiny, it won't fit on a her size 6 dress form.

"I think it's a size 1 or a size 3: it has a 19-inch waist," she said "Women would start corseting at age 8, so the ribs wouldn't have a way to expand."

at The Observer Newspapers;

White wedding dresses were

She also pointed out that white and black artifacts tend to crop up than colored outfits One explanation is that women tended to hang onto their wed ding trousseau and a lot of the

Her collection also includes such lucky finds as a fan from the Civil War still in its original box and a bustle made with steel springs that collapsed when a woman sat down.

A re-enactor, Turza does several periods and finds the Civil War to be the most difficult.

"My body aches at the end of fashionable with wealthier the day because of the weight of women, but for the general pub- the clothing," she said.

CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing n Monday, June 16, 1997, in the First Floor Meeting Room of the Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:00 p.m. on the ollowing proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance: ZONING ORDINANCE TEXT AMENDMENT (97-1) - Consider request from Danny Veri, 18442 Van Road, Livonia, Michigan to amend Section 17.02.B by adding Automobile Wash Establishments as a Special Land Use

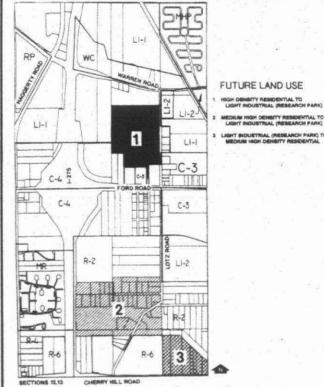
n the C-3, Regional Commercial District, subject to the provisions in Section 6.02.D. Written comments addressed to the Planning Commission will be received

at the above address up to the time of the hearing. VIC GUSTAFSON, Chairman Publish: May 22 and June 5, 1997

CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP OF THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 168 of the Public Acts of 1959 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Comprehensive Plan of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, June 2, 1997 at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:00 p.m. on the following propose amendment to the Future Land Use Map of the Comprehensive Pla



LOTZ ROAD (NORTH) - TOWNSHIP INITIATED FUTURE LAND USE MAP AMENDMENT - CONSIDER AMENDING THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP OF THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FROM HIGH DENSITY RESIDENTIAL TO LIGHT INDUSTRIAL (RESEARCH PARK RECOMMENDED) FOR PARCEL NOS. 048 99 0001 000, 048 99 0002 000 048 99 0003 001, 048 99 0003 002, 048 99 0004 001, 048 99 0005 001, 048 99 0006 001, 048 99 0006 002, 048 99 0016 000, 048 99 0017 001, 048 99 0017 002, 048 99 0018 000, AND 048 99 0019 000, AND FROM MEDIUM HIGH DENSITY RESIDENTIAL TO LIGHT INDUSTRIAL (RESEARCH PARK RECOMMENDED) FOR PARCEL NOS, 049 99 0005 000, 049 99 0006 001, 049 99 0006 002, 051 99 0021 000, 051 99 0022 001, 051 99 0024 002 051 99 0034 001 051 99 0034 002 051 99 0035 000 051 99 0036 000 051 99 0037 000, 051 99 0038 000, 051 99 0039 000, 051 99 0040 000, 051 99 0041 000, 051 99 0045 000, 051 99 0046 000, 052 99 0001 000, 052 99 0002 000, 052 99 0003 000, 052 99 0004 000, 052 99 0005 000, 052 99 0006 000, 052 99 0007 001, 052 99 0007 002, 052 99 0008 000, 052 99 0009 000 052 99 0010 000, 052 99 0011 000, 052 99 0012 000, 052 99 0013 000, 052 99 0014 000, 052 99 0015 001, 052 99 0015 002, 052 99 0015 003, 052 99 0015 004, 052 99 0018 000, 052 99 0051 000, AND 052 99 0052 000; AND FROM LIGHT INDUSTRIAL (RESEARCH PARK RECOMMENDED) TO MEDIUM HIGH DENSITY RESIDENTIAL FOR PARCEL NOS. 052 99 0038 000, 052 99 0040 000, 052 99 0042 000, 052 99 0044 001, 052 99 0044 002 052 99 0046 000 052 99 0048 000, AND 052 99 0049 003. Property is located east and west of Lotz Road between Koppernick and Cherry Hill Roade

Written comments addressed to the Planning Commission will be received at the above address up to the time of the hearing.

VIC GUSTAFSON, Chairman

Publish: May 1 and 22, 1997

STATE CAPITOL CAPSULES

Plates for all vets

A bill allowing any U.S. military veteran to buy a special vehicle license plate is on its way to Gov. John Engler's desk for signing.

House Bill 4202, which would become law as soon as it is signed, would apply to 200,000 acetime veterans. Currently, peacetime veterans. Contrative Michigan sells commemorative plates to veterans of various wars, including National Guard members.

"So many of our soldiers, such as those in Bosnia, are serving

peacetime roles. Those soldiers deserve the same recognition every other soldier receives for their services to the nation," said Rep. Paul Baade, D-Muskegon, the sponsor.

A veteran seeking a special late would pay a \$5 service charge. The application must be accompanied by any proof that he or she was in any branch of the armed services.

An amendment to provide entirely free plate to wounded veterans who had received the Purple Heart was removed in

the Senate.

No to hybrids

State legislators drop 3,000 bills into the hopper in a twoyear session of the Michigan Legislature, but few have received the fanfare given to Rep. Gerald Law's three-bill package to ban private ownership of wolf-dogs and other exotic pets. Sen.

Robert Geake, R-Northville, Michigan Humane Society chief Gary Tiscornia,

Beth (the Wolf Lady) Duman, actress Tippi Hedren, the mother of a 5-year-old who was killed in 1989 by a hybrid-wolf and others crowded a Captiol conference room to launch the bills sponsored by Law, R-Plymouth. Hybrid wolf-dogs are more dangerous than wolves because

they are more unpredictable and have less fear of humans, according to the Michigan and American Veterinary Medical associations

"Eleven children have already been killed nationally by wolftype 'pets," said Duman, a Howell resident and formerly of White Lake Township. In the 1970s she toured many schools with her timber wolf, Nahanni. She now is regional coordinator for the North American Wildlife Park Foundation of Battle Ground, Ind.

Law said his bills would allow persons who already own an exotic animal to keep them, providing minimum standards of care and housing are met and licenses paid for.

The bills also will apply to

exotic and native wild cats. bears and primates.

No to cigarettes

Both chambers of the Legislature are considering bills

restricting cigarettes: Senate Bills 341, 445-455 and 461 would ban billboard advertising for cigarettes. SB 341 is sponsored by Loren Bennett, R-Canton. It's part of a package aimed at removing bill-boards from "scenic" and "heritage" routes.

Sheriff offers boat safety tips

Many people think their boat or personal watercraft is a big toy

But that "toy" can hurt you if not used with safety in mind, emphasizes Sheriff Robert Ficano, especially with boating season just around the corner.

The most important thing you can do, according to sheriff's department officials, is to have the proper safety equipment aboard your vessel. This includes:

Coast Guard approved life jackets.

ventilation equipment and a backfire flame arrester for inboard motors,

a Coast Guard approved fire extinguisher,

a sound-producing device in case boaters are stranded or

in need of emergency help, navigation lights (required

on vessels over 16 feet), visual distress lights

(flares), an anchor with extra line,

- an oar or paddle, and a manual bailer or pump.

Other safe-boating tips include keeping abreast of weather conditions - sudden shifts in wind, lightning and sudden choppy waters may indicate a storm.

Carry a portable radio to monitor weather conditions. Bring extra gear that may be needed in an emergency, including matches in a waterproof container, extra batteries, a map of your location, a first aid kit, sun tan lotion and extra batteries. Put these items in a watertight pouch or container that floats.

Never go boating without telling someone where you are headed, and how long you anticipate you anticipate you'll be gone. And don't drink and drive while boating - remember - drunk boating laws are just as stringent as drunk driving laws

Many of these tips can be learned simply by taking a safe boating course offered in your area.



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MDA holds camps for special kids

The Muscular Dystrophy Association will hold two special week-long summer camps for children from the metro Detroit area with neuromuscular disorders.

Operating in the Detroit area since 1956, the MDA summer camp is one of the oldest camps for children with disabilities in the country.

The camp will be staffed by a complete medical staff and over 100 volunteers from the Detroit area. These volunteers make possible an experience that the kids say is "better than Christmas.

Activities include swimming, wheelchair baseball, sidecar rides with members of the Harley Davidson owners group.

The camps are scheduled on June 15-21 and June 22-28 with special VIP days scheduled for June 18 and 25.



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The Observer SPORTS

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THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1997



Macker champs

The Wildcats, all from Plymouth, were crowned champions in their age bracket at the Battle Creek Gus Macker 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament last weekend.

The Wildcats went 5-0 in winning the title, including a 13-9 victory over the Pretenders in the championship game.

Team members are Dawn Allen, Rachel Hofner, Kristen Thomas and Jenna Van Wagoner. The team is coached by Waine Thomas.

A Quest for players

The Canton Quest, currently an under-14 girls soccer team, is looking for players for this fall, when it makes the jump to under-15 play.

The Quest is considered one of the top five teams in the state. It is coached by Stephen Glover, an Olympic Development Program coach with national and Michigan coaching licenses.

For more tryout details, call Glover at (313) 331-4182.

Chiefs baseball camp

The Plymouth Canton baseball coaching staff and players will sponsor the Canton Chiefs Baseball Camp for boys 7-14 years old, from 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. June 16-20 at Canton's varsity field.

The camp will include five days of group and individual instruction in all phases of the game: throwing, hitting, fielding, pitching, base-running and more.

Cost is \$85. For late registrants, cost is \$90. A free T-shirt and lunches are included; baseball hats can be purchased for \$10.

The camp is limited to 150 players, so early registration is advised. Registration forms are available at Canton Sports and at the Trading Post

For further information, call Diane or Ken Opalinski at (313) 981-7313; Ron or Sharon Mortiere at (313) 981-5113; or Mike or Diane Kwiatkowski at (313) 981-2024.

Chiefs nip Rocks in OT

BY C.J. RISAK SPORTS EDITOR

Plymouth Salem soccer coach Doug Landefeld explained it best. "Unfortunately, that's the way most games are won or lost - not on

spectacular goals." Landefeld's Salem team had just played one of its best games of the season, to no avail. For the second time in as many meetings this season, Plymouth Canton battled back from a one-goal deficit, scoring to tie

regulation. But this was a state tournament game, and state tournament games don't end in ties. With 11:22 elapsed in the first sudden-death overtime period, the Chiefs got the game-winning goal from Emily Stachura for a 2-1 victory in a state district semifinal Wednesday at CEP.

the game in the waning minutes of

Salem finishes its season with an 8-6-3 record; Canton carries a 13-1-2 mark into Friday's district final against Ann Arbor Pioneer, which will be at 7 p.m. at Ann Arbor Huron HS.

The game-winner was knocked in by Stachura after Salem's freshman keeper, Jenny Fitchett, collided with one of her defenders while chasing a loose ball. They went down and the ball ended up bounding out to Stachura, who tucked it into the cor-

As Landefeld said, not the prettiest goal, but a big one nonetheless.

Throughout the first half of Wednesday's match, Salem con-trolled play. The Rocks' pressure paid off just 8:30 into the game when Missy Simons' corner kick reached Lisa Bacyinski, who was positioned right in front of the Canton net.

Bacyinski's header rebounded off the crossbar, but it came directly back to her, and she made no mis-



Cheron Rice tangle while going for the ball. Like the momen-

ing it for a 1-0 Salem lead. The Rocks made that one-goal advantage stand for the next 63

take with her second chance, finish-

minutes of playing time. Canton seemed to struggle offensively for much of it - until the final 10 minutes of regulation.

"I know we played a whole lot better in the second half than we did in the first," said Chiefs' coach Don Smith. "We couldn't put two passes together.

'But it's a game of momentum. Luckily, we had it going into the overtime.

Canton had it because its pressure finally started to wear out Salem's young defenders. "To Canton's credit, they picked things up," said Lan-defeld. "And we just kind of ran out of gas at the end."

It could be said fortune played a role in both Canton goals. The tying marker came with just 7:48 left in regulation; Jennell Cobor rolled a shot that deflected off a Salem defender and got past Fitchett.

The goal had the kind of effect one would expect: Canton was ignited, Salem deflated. Both teams had other scoring opportunities, throughout the match, but Canton keeper Kristin Lukasik and Fitchett each made solid saves.

But there's no doubt that entering OT, the Chiefs were riding a high tide of momentum.

So ended another in a long line of Canton-vs.-Salem nail-biters. It should be noted that the two teams have met in the district tournament for the last three seasons; in '95, Salem won 2-1 and ended up in the Class A state final.

Last year, Canton beat the Rocks 2-0 and went on to win the state championship.

So where will this year's winner end up?

Canton claims crown

BY RICHARD L. SHOOK STAFF WRITER

Plymouth Canton showed a lot of championship mettle in the Western Lakes Activities Association softball title game. But Farmington displayed a little, too.

Canton scored three runs in the fifth and two in the sixth Wednesday to break open a tight game and cruise to an 8-2 victory that brought the Chiefs the WLAA softball crown.

But Farmington showed some

SOFTBALL

The girls showed some heart. "But give Canton a lot of credit. They came back with three in the fifth, and I think that took the wind out of our

sails. Gretchen Hudson and Alana Heikkinen were evenly matched through four innings, but Canton's firepower at the

plate prevailed. of our was one since the beginning of the sea son," Canton coach Jim Arnold said. "Our kids played together. "We have a tendency to come

Canton will take a 28-5 record into its district tournament opener Tuesday at Livonia Ladywood.

Farmington (18-10) opens at Founders Park on Tuesday against Farmington Hills Mercy.

Hudson struck out six, allowed four hits, hit a batter but didn't walk anybody. Her only anxious moments came in the fourth.

Heikkinen doubled near the line in left with two out and scored on a single to center by Trisha Krause, who was chased in when Heather Martin laced a triple near the line in right. That turned out to be the Fal-



STAFF PHOTO BY BILL BRESLER Up, then down: Salem's Jenny Storm (left) and Canton's

grit as well, battling back from a 2-0 deficit with a pair of runs in the bottom of the fourth to force Canton to dig deep to get the win.

"That was a big inning," Falcons coach Jerry Osborne said. "We did it all with two outs.

on real late in a game. I don't know how many times we've done that."

cons' last hit of the game, Please see SOFTBALL C6

Salem 3rd in WLAA; Glenn 1st

BY BRAD EMONS STAFF WRITER

Right on the heels of its regional conquest, Westland John Glenn also proved Tuesday it has the best boys track team in the Western Lakes Activities Association.

The Rockets built and early lead and held off Farmington Hills Harrison, 132 to 117.8 points, to win the coveted title at Livonia Churchill. Defending champion Plymouth Salem was third with 113. See statistical summary on C2.

Ironically, it was Harrison's first loss of any kind this season, dual or invitational. Harrison was coming off a victory Saturday at Class A regional at West Bloomfield, while Glenn was the Redford Union regional champi-

"It was a complete team per formance all the way through, said Glenn coach Jess Shough. "All the way down the line it was

se see WLAA TRACK, C6

STAFF PROTO BY BILL BE

Triple-winner: Salem's Ian Searcy won two individual events, the 800-meter and 1,600-meter runs, and also ran a leg on the Rocks' first-place 1,600 relay.

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WESTERN LAKES ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION BOYS TRACK MEET RESULTS

WLAA BOYS TRACK MEE May 20 at Livonia Churchi

117.8; 3. Plymouth Salem, 113; 4. Walled 8. Larsen (PC), 19-4. Lake Western, 76: 5. Northville, 71: 6. Livonia Franklin, 62: 7. Walled Lake Central, 54: 8. record): 2. Kosutic (NF), 12:8: 3. Glenn 53:1: 5. Movalson (WLC), 53:9: 6. Fair (PS), tral, 1:35:9: 8. Canton, 1:36:2. 42: 10. Plymouth Canton, 33.5: 11. Liovnia Laskowski (FHH), 11-6 each: 7. Cummings 54.6. Stevenson, 26, 12, Farmington, 11

EVENT RESULTS

es: 2. Samples (WJG), 51-2 1/2; 3. Heitch 15.2; 4. Thomas (PS), 15.2; 5. Supplee (LF). Aspinall (WLW), 2:02.5; 7. Alix (WLC), WLC), 50-5: 4 Lawson (LF), 50-7 1/2: 5. 15.3: 6. Sharpe (FHH), 15.3: 7. Zdziebko 2:03.0: 8. White (FHH), 2:04.0. Mondros (NF), 43-7 1/2: 6. Jina (WLW), 47-3, (PC), 15.4; 8. Callahan (NF), 15.4. 8. Grider (N), 44-10.

ples (WJG), 152/8: 3. Mors (WLW), 149-0; 4. land (FHH), 41.9; 5. Culbert (WLC), 42.4; 6. 4:38.5; 6. Roth (FHH), 4:44.4; 7. Burt (LF), awson (LF), 146.0; 5, Keil (PC), 144-2; 6, Callahan (NF), 42.5; 7, Wlutey (WLW), 42.7; 4:45.3; 8, Stoll (WLC), 4:50.0, Grider (N) 136-1. 7. Drakow (LC), 133-4; 8. 8. Thomas (PS), 43.0. Morland (FHH) 130-7.

High jump: 1 Moore (WJG), 6-1 (fewer (W)G), 61 4 Colip (LF), 60; 5. Meagrow (WLW), 11.2; 6. Stanford (WLW), 11.3; 7. Jan Little (PS), 10:14.3. (PC) and Fodor (FHH), 5-10 each; 7. Kearney rett (WJG), 11.4; 8. Liefer (N), 11.6.

(LC) 5-10. 8. Jenovar (Farm.), 5-10.

Glenn, 132; 2. Farmington Hills Harrison, 6. White (WJG), 19-7; 7. Woods (FHH), 19-7; Merandi (WLW), 24.1.

Livonia Churchill, 53.6; 9. North Farmington, (WJG), 11-6; 4. (tie) Rose (LC), Weber (LC), 54.3; 7. Russell (N), 54.5; 8. Miller (PC), (WJG), 11-0; 8. LaPointe (LC), 11-0.

isses), 2. Discher (PS), 6-1; 3. Phillips 11-1; 4. Koshizawa (PC), 11-1; 5. Sage Molby (WLC), 10:09-3; 7. Jess (N), 1:09-6; 8.

200: 1. Clemens (N), 22.4 (meet record); 44.7; 3. Harrison, 45.3; 4. Salem, 45.6; 5.

Terek (LF), 21.7 1/4; 3. Moore (WJG), 20-9; Barbera (WLW), 23.2; 5. Jarrett (WJG), 23.3; ington, 46.2; 8. Franklin, 46.3. TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Westland John 4. Meagrow (PC), 20-6; 5. Wilder (NF), 19-9; 6. Liefer (N), 23.4; 7. Woods (FHH), 24.1; 8.

800: 1. Searcy (PS), 2:00.6; 2. Carroll (N), 3:33.8; 3. Western, 3:34.6; 4. Northville, 110-meter hundles: 1. Kearney (LC). 15.1. 2:01.1; 3. Jerome (LC), 2:01.2; 4. Woodsum 3:35.7; 5. Central, 3:38.8; 6. Canton, 3:39.0; Shot put: 1. Shaleb (FHH), 53 feet, 3 inch- 2. Whiting (WLW), 15.2; 3. Colbert (WLW), (N), 2:01.5; 5. Wojtowicz (WJG), 2:02.4; 6. 7. Franklin, 3:39.7; 8. John Glenn, 3:40.5.

1,600: 1. Searcy (PS), 4:30.1; 2. Jerome Farmington, 8:29.4; 5. Harrison, 8:34.3; 6. 300 hurdles: 1. Hawley (PS), 40.8; 2. Kear (LC), 4:32.3; 3. Block (LS), 4:36.1; 4. Woj- Canton, 8:36.5; 7. John Glenn, 8:41.2; 8. Discus: 1. Shareb (FHH), 161-0; 2. Sam ney (LC), 40.8; 3. Koch (WJG), 41.3; 4. Mor towicz (WJG), 4.36-2; 5. Aspinali (WLW),

3.200: 1 Block (IS) 9.557 2 Alten (PS) 100 dash: 1. James (WJG), 10.9 (ties meet 10:01.1; 3. Bremer (WLW), 10:00.8; 4. Stoll

400 relay: 1. Western, 44.4; 2. John Glenn,

Long jump: 1. Jarrett (WJG), 21-9 1/2; 2. 2. Battle (FHH), 22.9; 3. Knox (FHH), 23.1; 4. Northville, 45.7; 6. Canton, 46.2; 7. N. Farm-800 relay: 1. Harrison (Battle, Knox

Woods, Seals), 1:32.9; 2. John Glenn, 1:33.0; 400: 1. Terek (LF), 51.4; 2. Briggs (PS), 3. Salem, 1:34.5; 4. N. Farmington, 1:34.6; 5. Pole vault: 1. Terek (LF), 15-9 (meet 51.6; 3. Sharpe (FHH), 52.9; 4. Freeborn (LS), Western, 1:34.7; 6. Northville, 1:35.2; 7. Cen-

1,600 relay: 1. Salem (Briggs, Conte Sheehan, Searcy), 3:31.3; 2. Harrison, 3,200 relay: 1. Central, 8:23.6; 2 Northville, 8:27.1; 3. Salem, 8:29.0; 4. N

Franklin, 8:49.7

Following is a list of Observerland best record): 2. Clemens (N), 11.0; 3. Knox (FHH), (WLC). 10:04.0; 5. Arbuckle (N), 10:08.8; 6. boys track times and measurements. Fax updates to (313) 591-7279 or call (313) 953-2141

> SHOT PUT Ron Pennington (Wayne) 54-6 Nick Shaleb (Harrison) 53-6 Dan Dominguez (Redford CC) 53-2 3/4 Mike Samples (John Glenn) 52-2 1/4 Matt Lawson (Franklin) 51-3/4 Brian Douglas (Redford CC) 50-7 Chris Koss (Redford CC) 48.4 Kirk Moundros (N. Farmington) 47-2 3/4 Kevin Keil (Canton) 45-6 1/2 Dave Hester (Salem) 45-2 1/2

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HIGH JUMP David Popiel (Redford CC) 6-5 Joel Fodor (Harrison) 6-3 John Lowry (Farmington) 6-3 Mike Phillips (John Glenn) 6-3 Clay Jenoval (Farmington) 6-2 Tim Moore (John Glenn) 6-2

POLE VAULT Randy Glenn (John Glenn) 12-6 Luke Horton (Lutheran Wsld.) 11-6



state meet): 1. Ann Arbor Huron, 27 def. Evon Ufer (A.A. Pioneer), 6-2, 6-3;

May 18-17 at Ann Arbor Piones TEAM STANDINGS (top 2 qualify for 6-3, 6-0; No. 4: Tom McHugh (A.A. Huron)

points; 2. Ann Arbor Pioneer, 19; 3. Saline.

14; 4. Brighton, 9; 5. (tie) Belleville and (A.A. Huron) def. Chip Norton-Nader Saleh Ivonia Churchill, 6 each; 7. (tie) Hartland. (Churchill), 6-4, 6-3; No. 2: Nick Livonia Stevenson, Plymouth Canton, Plymouth Salem, 5 each; 11. Ypsilanti, 2; 12. def. Mike Kelleher-Rick VanHouse (A.A.

Huron), 6-7, 6-3, 6-4; No. 3: Anthony Leeds-Mwalli Soul (A.A. Huron) def. Rodrigo Ferracini-Marco Raab (A.A. Pioneer), 6-4, 0-6

Craig Skalski (Redford CC) 4:40.0 3,200 RUN Rob Block (Stevenson) 9:50.6 Nick Allen (Salem) 9:55.3 John Griffin (Redford CC) 9:57.1 Josh Burt (Franklin) 10:05.8

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No. 1 doubles: Eric Fileti-Jim Sayed

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Plymouth Salem 8:09.0 Redford Catholic Central 8:10.1 North Farmington 8:29.4 Livonia Stevenson 8:31.2 Plymouth Canton 8:33.9

BEST GIRLS TRACK TIMES

Following is a list of Observerland best girls track times and distances. Fax updates to (313) 591-7279 or call (313) 953-2141.

SHOT PUT Jessica Ash (Salem) 37-10

Melissa Gratz (N. Farmington) 37-7 Shawntika Farr (Mercy) 36-7 3/4 Danielle Wensing (Franklint 35-9 3/4 Amanda Grube (Canton) 35-1 1/2 Kerstin Andrzejewski (Harrison) 34-3 1/2 Angela Smith (Salem) 34-3 Cece Johnson (Mercy) 34-1 3/4 Tiffany Grubaugh (Salem) 33-9 Regina Respert (Borgess) 33-8 1/2

DISCUS Melissa Gratz (N. Farmington) 131-8 Tiffany Grubaugh (Salem) 124-8 Shawntika Farr (Mercy) 113-4 Angela Smith (Salem) 112-3 ennifer Brazeal (Mercy) 111-Brandi Bernard (Canton) 109-1 Emily Yambasky (Stevenson) 107-7 Rachael Siggens (Lutheran Wsld.) 107-4 Kathy Telford (Mercy) 102-10 Jaclyn Bernard (Canton) 102-

LONG JUMP Nicolette Jarrett (John Glenn) 18-1/2 Nkechi Okwumabua (Canton) 17-7 Angle Sillmon (Salem) 17-1/2 Jeannette Martus (Churchill) 16-9 Mahogany Fletcher (Harrison) 16-8 1/4 Natalie Wood (Canton) 16-1 1/2 Deana McCargo (John Glenn) 15-10 1/4 Jenny Duncan (Churchill) 15-9 Erin Hayden (Ladywood) 15-4 1/2 Kathryn Mitchell (Stevenson) 15-2 Regina Respert (Borgess) 15-2

HIGH JUMP LaToya Chandler (John Glenn) 5-6 Kristin Kosik (Salem) 5-3 Adriane Ellis (John Glenn) 5-2 Natalie Grondin (Mercy) 5-0 Jamie Arbie (John Glenn) 5-0 Angle Sillmon (Salem) 5-0 Jordyn Godfroid (Stevenson) 5-0 Shermaine Drake (Borgess) 5-0 lebecca Hoffmeier (Luth. Wsld.) 4-11 Tricia Traczyk (N. Farmington) 4-10 Shannan Bjerke (Redford Union) 4-10 Marissa Kovach (Canton) 4-10 Erin Stabb (Canton) 4-10 lessica Robinson (Thurston) 4-10 oko Minowa (Harrison) 4-10 Hayden (Ladywood) 4-10 sha Smith (Borgess) 4-10

100-METER DASH Mahogany Fletcher (Harrison) 12.4

Kania Adams (John Glenn) 12.7 Nkechi Okwumabua (Canton) 12.7 Angka Morris (Mercy) 12.7 Brianna Watson (Ladywood) 12.7 Monica Czerwinski (N. Farmington) 12.8 Rachel Jones (Salem) 12.8 Jeannette Martus (Churchill) 12.8 Laura Clark (Lutheran Wsld.) 12.9

Amy Clark (Lutheran Wsld.) 13.1 **200-METER DASH** Nicolette Jarrett (John Glenn) 25.9 Tiffany Simon (Borgess) 26.3 Devron Kennedy (Harrison) 26:5 Angka Morris (Mercy) 26.6 LaToya Chandler (John Glenn) 26.8 Monica Czerwinski (N. Farmington) 26.8 Mahogany Fletcher (Harrison) 26.9 Rachal Jones (Salem) 26.9 Danielle Wensing (Franklin) 26.9 Tiffany Williams (Canton) 27.1

400-METER RUN Angka Morris (Mercy) 59.7 Katie Bonner (Salem) 1:00.1 Becky Uryga (Canton) 1:01.2 Laura Clark (Luth. Westland) 1:01.4 Tiffany Simon (Borgess) 1:01.7 Rhashida Rudolph (Mercy) 1:01.8 Danielle Wensing (Franklin) 1:02.2 leannette Martus (Churchill) 1:02.6 Ruth Viforeanu (Salem) 1:02.7 Page Ahrens (Ladywood) 1:03.2 Natalie Wood (Canton) 1:03.2

800-METER RUN Kelly McNeilance (Stevenson) 2:22.9 Katie Bonner (Salem) 2:24.2 Kristie Giddings (Salem) 2:24.5 Kate Adams (Farmington) 2:26.4 Ellen Stemmer (Salern) 2:27.1 Andrea Parker (Stevenson) 2:28.3 Mary Disbrow (Salem) 2:28.5 Jackie Segue (Mercy) 2:29.5 Kelly Travis (Stevenson) 2:29.8 Kristin Hetra (Churchill) 2:29.9

1,600-METER RUN Kelly Travis (Stevenson) 5:19.3 Kelly McNeilance (Stevenson) 5:21.8 Evelyn Rahhal (Salem) 5:24.8 Jodi Werman (Lutheran Westland) 5:28. Ellen Stemmer (Salem) 5:30.2 Ashley Fillion (Churchill) 5:32.4 Nicole Bolton (Salem) 5:34.2 Danielle Harris (Stevenson) 5:35. Jackie Segue (Mercy) 5:36.3 ecky Wolfrom (Canton) 5:37.5 Christina Andriola (Mercy) 5:37.5 3,200-METER RUN

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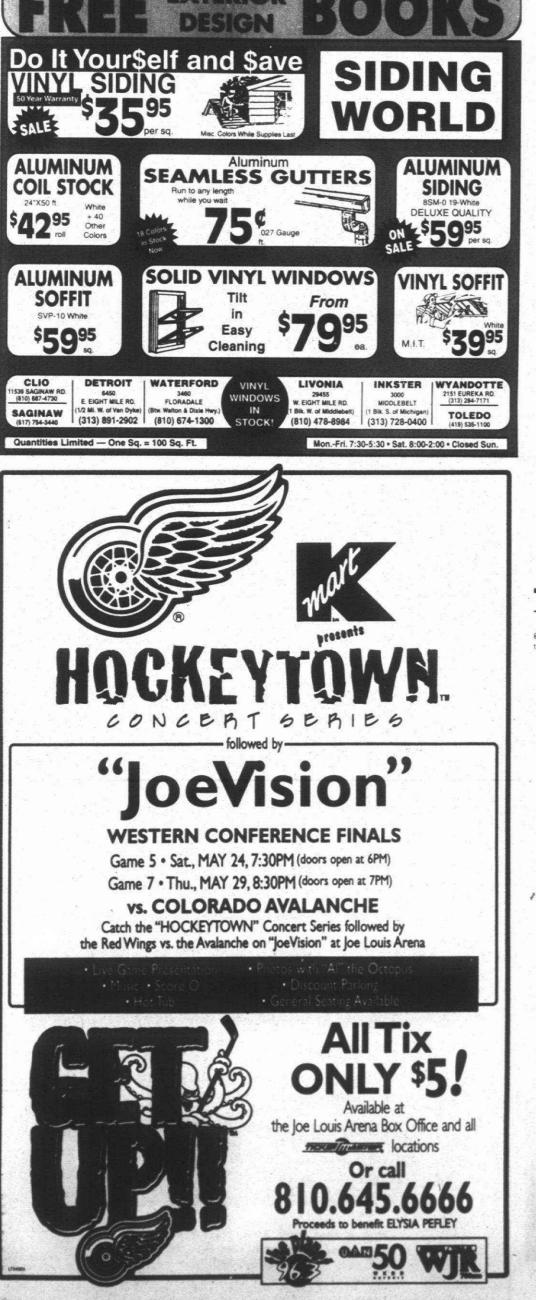
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Livonia Ladywood 10:15.0

Title bound quarters.

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Andre Dawson (John Glenn) 19-7 1/2

Ryan Kearney (Churchill) 6-2 Mike Discher (Salem' 6-1

Albert Cook (Lutheran Wsld.) 6-0 Paul Terek (Franklin) 16-1 Ryan Kosutic (N. Farmington) 12-8 Mike Rebant (John Glenn) 12-0 Matt Weber (Churchill) 12-0 Dereck Laskowski (Harrison) 12-0 Joe Frendo (Garden City) 12-0

DISCUS

Dan Dominguez (Redford CC) 130-5

Dan Colip (Franklin) 6-0

Matt Rose (Churchill) 11-6

Howell, 1; 13. (tie) Livonia Franklin and Pinckney, 0 each. FINAL FLIGHT RESULTS No. 1 singles: Mike Kosta (A.A. Huron) 7-5. **BEST BOYS TRACK TIMES**

> Dan Clouser (Redford Union) 11-6 100-METER DASH Harden James (John Glenn) 10.7 Chris Knox (Harrison) 10.9 David Jarrett (John Glenn) 10.9 Jerrard Johnson (Harrison) 11.0 Phil Boucher (Thurston) 11.0 Dave Koshizawa (Canton) 11.0 Paul Terek (Franklin) 11.1 Mike Shull (Salem) 11.1 Scott Kingslien (Salem) 11.2 Brian Teefey (Redford CC) 11.2 Steve Hester (John Glenn) 11.2

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SOCCER

Livonia Stevenson thus far this season. Not

mud and certainly not Farmington Hills

The Spartans scored a goal in each half

Visiting Stevenson (15-0-2) got a first-half

goal from Sara Wittrock off an assist by Alli-

son Campbell. In the second half, Campbell

"It was sloppy," Stevenson Coach Jim Kim-

"We played poorly. We didn't play well.

"Melissa Jacobs, our senior co-captain,

played her best game of the year. She was a

Jenny Barker got the shutout against

only faced four shots. Stevenson was held to

Mercy, which finished 12-5, although she

The game was choppy and ther was no flow

ble said. "The grass was not cut. There were

Tuesday to defeat the Marlins in their dis-

trict opener played at Mercy.

scored from Becky Peterson.

to it. And we played flat.

The Class A state soccer tournament opened Monday with district play, and Plymouth Salem wasted no time in advancing. scoring four times in the first half en route to a 6-1 victory over host South Lyon. Three different Rocks scored two goals

apiece, as Salem built a 4-1 lead by the inter-Kristina Seniuch, Jenny Storm and Mia

Sarkesian were two-goal scorers for the Rocks. Salem outshot South Lyon, 20-5.

Canton 8, A.A. Huron 0: Plymouth Canton made Ann Arbor Huron's stay as host of this state district tournament a short one, routing the River Rats in Monday's opener at

The defending Class A state champions scored twice in the first half before pulling away in the second. Kristin Lukasik was in goal for the shutout

Melissa Marzolf and Lisa Reissenweber each put in two goals for the Chiefs. Jennell Cobor, Cheron Rice and Jill Rahnert added one goal apiece.

Stevenson 2, Mercy 0: Little has stopped

SPORTS ROUNDUP

Mercy

puddles

bright spot."

12 shots.

mission.

Chris Gilles-Mott, a 1984 Ply mouth Salem HS graduate, collected the 11th U.S. Tennis Association title of her career when she defeated Ashley Ashba of Sacramento, Calif., 7-6 (7-3), 6-2 in the finals of the USTA Indoor Women's 25 Singles Tournament Saturday in Homewood,

Earlier in the tournament. Gilles-Mott beat Karen Fox of Oak Lawn, Ill., 6-1, 6-2 in the semifinals, and Natasha Koprivi--ca of Dekalb, Ill., 6-0, 6-0 in the

On June 3, Gilles-Mott will be officially presented as the Sports Women of the Year for the greater Madison (Wisc.) area by the Hall of Fame Club.

More for Holmes

It's become perfectly clear the past few weeks: As long as University of Michigan's softball team stays alive, Kelly Holmes will be pulling down honors.

That's because Holmes, the senior pitcher from Plymouth Canton HS, is the reason the Wolverines are in the NCAA College Softball World Series. They open their run for the NCAA (CDT) against Big Ten nemesis

Holmes, who has already been named to the all-Big Ten team

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NCAA Region 6 championship earning the Region's Most Valuable Player award.

Holmes pitched all four region al games for U-M, played at U-M, beating Cleveland State 1-0 last Friday and Central Michigan 3-1 Saturday, before losing 3-1 to the Chippewas Sunday. She bounced back to beat CMU for the title 4-0 Sunday.

In her 29 innings on the mound, Holmes recorded a 0.48 earned run average, going 3-1. For the season, she is now 32-6 with a 1.00 ERA and 11 shutouts. She has 75 career victories, most by any U-M pitcher.

Tennis lessons

The Canton Parks and Recreation Services is offering tennis lessons for adults 16 and over, beginning the week of June 16.

Registration will be from 6-9 p.m. Thursday, May 29 for Canton residents only; beginning Monday, June 2, registration will be open to everyone.

Registration will be at the Summit on the Park, 46000 Summit on the Park in Canton. The lessons, for beginners and

advanced players alike, will last for six weeks. Beginners will title in Oklahoma City at 6 p.m. meet from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Mondays; advanced players will meet from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Both will meet at Griffin Park.

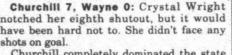
Cost is \$30 for residents, \$35 and was the conference's pitcher for non-residents. Lessons will

Hockey sign-up

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ther details.



Churchill completely dominated the state district tournament match, played at Westland John Glenn, and rolled up 43 shots.

"The field is fairly small." Chargers' Coach Chad Campau said, "but we were able to pass the ball around, maintain possesion and give ourselves a lot of goal-scoring opportuni-

"I was able to give everybody playing time even the girls pulled up from the junior van sity. It was a nice game for us." Churchill played at Dearborn on Wednes

day in its second district tournament match. Andrea Will, who also had an assist, and Kersten Conklin each scored two goals for Churchill. Andrea Galindo scored a goal and added an assist while both Terri Owens and Lizz Szkrybalo each scored once.

Stacev Supanich collected three assists and Jamie Scott had one assist. The victory improved Churchill to 10-3-4

Plymouth Canton's Kevin Keil should make plans to head for Rockford The Canton discus standout

inished second at the Class A regionals last week with a throw of 145 feet, 1 inch to qualify for the state meet in Rockford.

The Chiefs finished with 16 points. Westland John Glenn won the meet with 78 points: Plymouth Salem was third with 57 points.

Canton had several bright spots. In the 100-meter dash, Dave Koshizawa finished fifth in a

time of 11.2 (he ran an 11.0 in the semifinals). Shaun Moore ran a personal best time of 10:13.4 to take sixth in the 3,200

Also turning in a strong performance was Jason Meagrow who took fourth in the long jump with a leap of 20, 2 1/4.

Canton's 3,200 relay team of Moore, Jon Page, Adam DeGiorgio and Steve Blossom was sixth with a season-best time of 8:22.1.

Rocks' hitters bash Glenn

Plymouth Salem's softball eam built a 9-1 lead, but had to hang on to beat Westland John Glenn 12-10 Monday

The game was played at Salem because Glenn's field was in poor condition. The Rockets were the home team.

Salem led 9-1 going into the bottom of the third. Glenn scored six runs in the third and another in the fourth to trim the Rocks' ead to 9-8, but a three-run fifth inched it for Salem

Shannon Coultas and Becky Esper paced the Rocks' attack Coultas had two hits and drove in three runs, including a two run triple; Esper had two hits and scored four runs.

SOFTBALL

Carah Best contributed a two run single, giving her three RB for the game, and Karen Prosyn had two hits.

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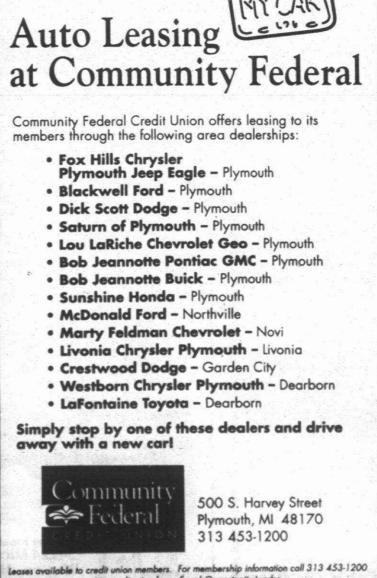
this season.

The Plymouth Rockets (over 20) and Silver Sticks (over 40) hockey leagues are now accepting registrations for their summer leagues.

for 10 weeks, starting June 18 in each league, played at Compuware Arena in Plymouth Game days are Wednesday and Thursday.

Sand volleyball The Liberty Fest Sand Volleyball Tournament, sponsored by the Canton Parks and Recreation Services, will begin at 1 a.m. Sunday, June 22 at the Heritage Park sand volleyball court, located behind softball field No. 2. Cost for the co-ed tournament is \$30 per team; there are no residency requirements. Price includes T-shirts for all participants and an award to the winning team. Registration deadline is June 12. Call (313) 397-5110 for fur-





Marlins slice through league rivals to gain title

BY STEVE KOWALSKI STAFF WRITER

What's the difference between mem bers of the Farmington Hills Mercy girls track team and their coach, Gary Ser-

Opposing teams in Tuesday's Catholic League Meet wished they could run with the Marlins, while none of the coaches would want to run with the

free-spirited Servais. Servais showed up at the new Livonia Ladywood track wearing his now-customary Green Bay Packers' Cheese Head to go with his long sideburns and pony tail

Marlins made others take notice, dominating start to finish with a first-place total of 180.5 points. The only real race was for second place as defending champion Livonia Ladywood prevailed there with 85 points to edge third-place Harper Woods Regina (80.5) and fourth-place Dearborn Divine Child (78).

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During the victory celebration the hair, dousing him with an ice bucket, but the Cheese Head went unscathed.

GIRLS TRACK

Remember, it's made of sponge. "It's so him," said Mercy's Kristin Gustafson. "He's not really a hippy. He's just unique. He doesn't care what anyone thinks of him. Most think he's obnoxious, but we like him."

Marlins' junior Jackie Segue, who won the 800 meter run in 2:29.49, took had multiple placings in a lot of events. discus. He stood out in the crowd while the member of the winning 1600 and 3200 back at Mercy." relays, also likes the look.

"It's 'The bomb,' " she said, using a teenage term. "Before we used to have have the boring yellow one, but we have

coach's Cheese Head." An administrator said it best when looking from a distance at Servais, who

was engaged in a rules meeting. "That gives new meaning to 'Mickey

Mouse operation,' " the man laughed. Marlins may have wrecked Servais' a tight ship, refusing to let his runners the formula to get the best out of them remain on the team if they go to Florida today." for Easter Break. He said this may be his second-best

and placed at the Class A state meet. "It was a total team effort," he said.

"We had a one, two and three in the discus, one three and five in the shot. We in the shot put and a perfect 24 in the second in the 1,600 (5:36.24) and was a it feels good to have the championship

How dominant were the Marlins? Take their points in the shot put, disthe 'Marlin Bus' stand out. Now we cus, 400 and 1600 events, have them there. forfeit the other 12 events, and they still finish with 74 points, which would put them in title contention.

believe this is the team the Blazers beat Rudolph was her closest competition in 3,200 relays.

in a dual meet earlier this year. "That's the team we expected to see earlier," Sorenson said. "Mercy's loaded Despite his appearance, Servais runs with talent and Gary seemed to have

> (109-7). A thrower named Farr, how fitting

third (31-4 3/4) and Kathy Telford fifth took Ladywood's only first (51.74). The (30-1) in the shot. Jennifer Brazeal took second in the discus (103-1) and Telford third (102-10) to complete a sweep

Joining Farr as a double winner was

the 400, taking second place (1:01.73) to give the Marlins 18 points in that event. The lone remaining individual first place by a Marlin went to Natalie Grondin, who cleared 5-0 in the high

Morris led off and Seague anchored Shawntika Farr was a double winner the winning 1,600 relay that finished in team behind the 1990 Marlins who won for the Marlins, earning first in the shot 4:12.73. Joining them were Nicole the Catholic League and regional titles put (36 feet, 1 1/2 inches) and discus Carter and Rudolph. Segue led off the winning 3,200 relay and was joined by Christina Andriola, Erin Thomas and The Marlins finished with 18 points Alyssa Burnisky, to win in 10:13.

The 400 meter relay of Kendall Carey, Breanna Watson, Kelly O'Brien and Ce Ce Johnson was able to finish Katie McGraw, all underclass runners, Blazers scored 14 points in the 800 as Nicole Garrett (2:30.30) and Jackie Urbanczyk (2:30.70) were second and third, respectively.

Jessica Hayden was second in the Angka Morris, who took first in the 100 3,200 run (12:22.82) and fourth in the meter dash (12.66) and first in the 400 1,600 run (5:40.17). The Blazers also Ladywood coach Rod Sorenson can't dash (59.68). Teammate Rhashida placed second in both the 1,600 and

Shamrocks rule in Catholic League

BY STEVE KOWALSKI

vacation, Detroit Catholic Central senior Brian Teefey saved his parents some money and also to finish the meet strong. may have proved he's a wise investment for the Wayne State

the making. Teefey, who played defensive end for the Shamrocks' football team, signed a national letter of attend WSU where he will play

either defensive back or linebacker for the Tartars. Teefev, 6 feet, 205 pounds. showed the speed the Tartars' are impressed with at Tuesday's Catholic League Boys Track Meet at Livonia Ladywood, leading the Shamrocks to their fifth championship in the last eight

followed by Orchard Lake St. Mary (102) and Warren DeLaSalle (92). See statistics,

with a false start and a disqualification in the 100 meter dash. won the 200 dash in 22.78 seconds and the 400 dash in 49.89.

He also anchored the 1,600 relay team that took second in 3:30.59 To think, none of this would eammates. The rule coach Tony

the track team. "I've been running varsity track since my freshman year and I though it would have been pointless not to run my senior year," said Teefey, who has the rest of the summer to work on

Everyone wanted me to go." Magni knows his crede may be archaic, but he wants to thank Craig Skalski and Charlie

rest of their life." Magni said. points in the second-to-last college. They can go with their wife and kids when they get married. "Teefey could have lost his tively.

focus after the 100 but he didn't. He's by far the one we've counted on all year." Other CC firsts went to Dou-

a throw of 50 feet 5 1/4 inches and Dave Popiel, who cleared 6-5 to win the high jump. The 3200 relay team of Laney,

Brigee also took first (8:16). Griffin said the performance

was some redemption for the Shamrocks, who finished fifth in seventh at the Class A regional, both uncharacteristically low. "We weren't really concerned with the regional because we wanted to get some state cuts," (1:31.64). Griffin said. "This is kind of like

our own backvard and we wanted to win this. We were not picked to win it all.'

The Shamrocks clinched the (9:42.91).

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around they'll remember this the victory when they picked up 18 They can go on Spring Break in event, the 3,200 run, as Griffin (10:01.93), Danic (10:15.19) and Joe Hubert (10:16.03) finished second, third and fourth respec-

he? "I told him he can be in the top three or four, 'You've got to run glas, who won the shot put with your race,' " Magni said. "He did it against DeLaSalle (in a dual meet victory) and he did it today.'

St. Mary won four individual Skalski, Faunce and Wayne events and the 800 relay to lead most of the way.

Receiving first place finishes were Brad Parker, discus (151-9), Larry Batista, long jump (20the Observerland Relays and 9 1/2), Torrence Craddieth, 100 meter hurdles (15.09) and Ty Washington, 100 dash (11.15). Craddieth, Rico Epps, Larry Clark and Ty Washington comknew we couldn't win it. We just bined to win the 800 relay

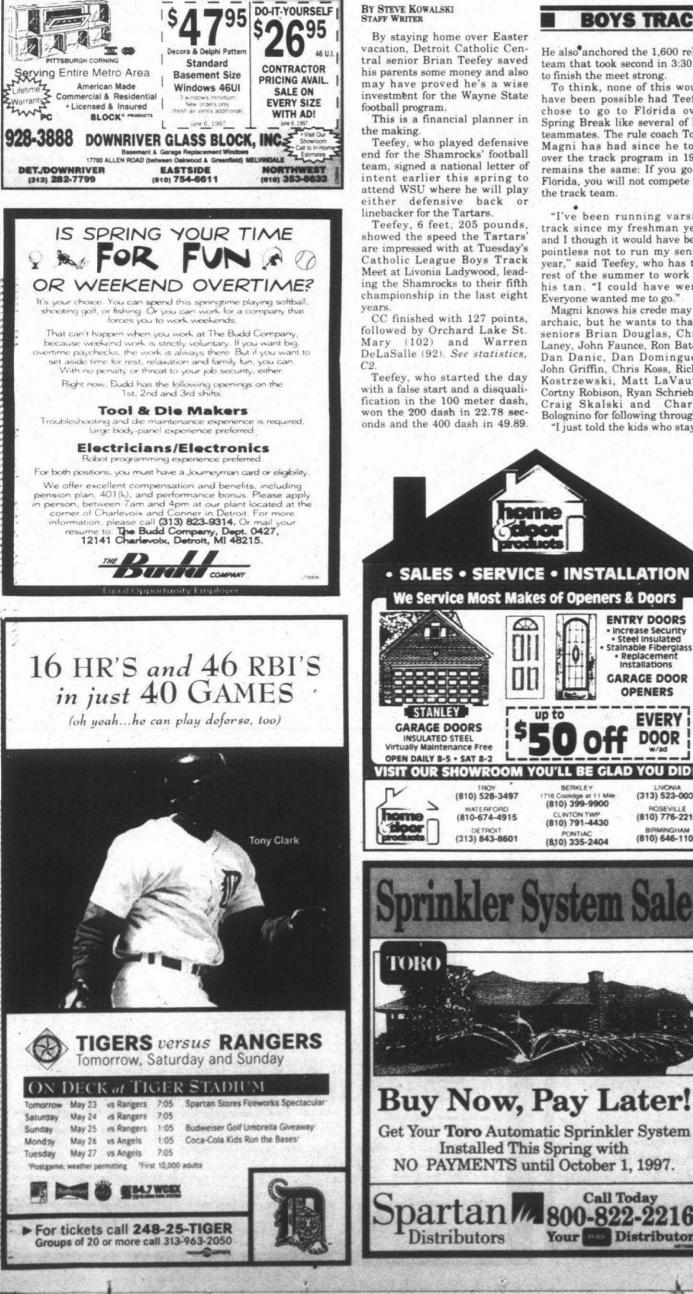
Birmingham Brother Rice fin ished a distant sixth with 25 points, but the Warriors' Ben Evans was first in the 3200 run

Danic was a surprise, or was

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have been possible had Teefey chose to go to Florida over Spring Break like several of his Magni has had since he took over the track program in 1990 remains the same: If you go to intent earlier this spring to Florida, you will not compete for

his tan. "I could have went

seniors Brian Douglas, Chris Laney, John Faunce, Ron Batog, Dan Danic, Dan Dominguez, John Griffin, Chris Koss, Richie Kostrzewski, Matt LaVaute. Cortny Robison, Ryan Schrieber

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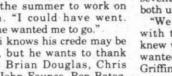
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May 20 at Livonia Ladywood

BOYS TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Redford 6. Birmingham Brother Rice, 25; 7. Harper er Rice, 8:50; 6. St. Mary's 8:53. Woods Notre Dame, 12; 8. Madison Heights Rishop Foley, 2.

EVENT RESULTS

Shot put: 1. Brian Douglas (CC), 50 feet, 5 Sorbo (Del), 16.08. 1/4 inches: 2. Malcolm Simoson (I)-D) 50-9 (CC), 47-4; 6. Lee Anderson (U-D), 43-5. Discus: 1. Brad Parker (SM), 151-9; 2. 11.75.

nches: 2. Mike Tomassi (DC), 5-11; 3. Larry 1:43.25. Babtista (SM), 5-11; 4. James Gonzales (SM),

brev (DC), 5-7. 1/2; 2. Rob Turpin (U-D), 19-8 3/4; 3. Charlie Aftesleben (DC), 4:42.6.

CLASS A REGIONAL GIRLS TRACK MEET

May 16 at RU's Kraft Field TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Plymouth Salem, 143: Detroit Cass Tech. 97: 3. Livonia Stevenson. 87 3/4: 4. Westland John Glenn, 52 3/4: 5. Piywood, 11: 10. (tie) Dearborn Fordson and Garden 51.0.

Southwestern, 0 each. EVENT RESULTS

(top 2 qualify for state meet)

(PS). 33-9; 5. Brandi Bernard (PC). 33-4 3/4; 6. (Cass), 29.8. Angela Smith (PS), 32-7. Discus: 1. Tiffany Grubaugh (PS), 115-4; 2.

Sara Vida (PS), 97-5; 6. Kristen Stone (WJG), 97- (LC), 1:03.1.

(WJG), Jessica Smith (Fordson), Jordyn Godfroid Parker (LS), 2:28.9. (LS), Saffiyyah Bibbins (GC), 4-8 each.

Long jump: 1. Nkechi Okwumabua (PC), 17-7; McNeilance (LS), 5:21.8; 3. Evelyn Rahhal (PS), Nicolette Jarrett (WJG). 17-2. 3. Angela Sill- 5:24.8: 4. Danielle Harris (LS), 5:36.0. 5. Jessica (LC), 16-5 1/2; 5. Deanna McCargo (WJG), 15-10 . 5:40.5.

1/4: 6. Jenny Duncan (LC), 15-9.

6. Jeff Gilhool (DC), 18-4 3/4.

110 hurdles: 1. Torrence Craddieth (SM). (Dei), 54.28. 15.92; 5. Cortny Robison (CC), 15.95; 6. Paul (Del), 41.12; 4. Torrance Craddieth (SM)

100 dash: 1. Ty Washington (SM), 11.15; Robison (CC), 42.93. 1/4; 3. Dan Dominguez (CC), 50-5 1/4; 4. 2. Jesse Dale (Del), 3. Lahai Charles (UD),

Mike Smetka (U-D), 135-11; 3. Mike Brosnan 800 relay: 1. St. Mary (Torrence Craddleth, (UD), 2:05-59.

High jump: 1. Dave Popiel (CC), 6 feet, 5 5. Brother Rice, 1:39.99; 6. Bishop Foley. Andy Roman (DC), 23.61; 6. Lahai Charles

Lehman (ND), 19-6 1/2; 4. James Gonzales 400 relay: 1. DeLaSalle, 44.34; 2. St.

(PC), 16.8.

son (LL), 13.0.

3,200-meter relay: 1. Catholic Central 46.79; 6. Brother Rice, 48.81. Catholic Central, 127 points; 2. Orchard Lake (Chris Laney, Craig Skalski, John Faunce, 400; 1. Brian Teefey (CC), 49.89; 2. Micah

15.09; 2. Sheku Riddle (U-D), 15.34; 3. Larry 300 hurdles: 1. Jeff Gilhool (DC), 40.69; 2. 6. Madison Heights Bishop Foley, 7. Clark (SM), 15.86; 4. Jason Woehlke (CC), Sheeku Riddle (UD), 41.09; 3. Ryan Murphy

Mike Brosnan (Del), 49-5 1/2; 5: Chris Koss 11.57; 4. John Bujak (DC), 11.58; 5: John Stead (DC), 1:59.26; 3: John Faunce (CC), (LL), 30-1 1/4; 5: Kathy Telford (Mercy), 30-Camardo (DC), 11.68; 6: Roger White (Del), 2:02.59; 4: Chris Laney (CC), 2:03.49; 5. 1: 6: Alison Keating (Reg), 2910. Dave Porada (ND), 2:03.93; 6. Ryan McDevitt Discus: 1. Shawntika Farr (Mercy), 109-7: na Watson (LL), 13.23.

(Del), 133-2; 4. Dan Dominguez (CC), 130-5; Rico Epps, Larry Clark, Ty Washington), 200: 1. Brian Teefey (CC), 22.78; 2. Ed Telford (Mercy), 102-10; 4. Kim Hermann 151.22; 3. Marian, 1:53.18; 4. Ladywood, 5. Dan Neid (DC), 123-3; 6. Joe Carter (Del), 1:31.64; 2. Divine Child, 1:32.42; 3. U-D Kotwicki (Del), 22.86; 3. Larry Batista (SM), (DC), 102-2; 5. Rachel Shrewsbury (DC), 98 1:53.77; 5. Divine Child, 1:58.96; 6. Bishop Jesuit, 1:34.06; 4. Catholic Central, 1:36.46; 23.29; 4. Ty Washington (SM), 23.49; 5. 10; 6. Margaret Kment (Reg), 95-4.

(UD), 23.8. 1,800 nm: 1. Neil Sobeck (Del), 4:26.40: 3,200: 1. Ben Evans (BR), 9:42.91: 2. 4-8: 4. Natalie Jimines (Reg), 4-8: 5. Kristen tine Andriola (Mercy), 5:37.43: 4. Jessica 5-11; 5. Dave Porada (ND), 5-9; 6. Kevin Bil 2. Ben Evans (BR), 4:29,44; 3. Joe Hubert John Griffin, (CC), 10:01.93; 3. Dan Danic McClowrey (DC), 4-8; 6. (tie) Jamila Jackson Hayden (LL), 5:40.17; 5. Shannon Webster (CC), 4:36.65: 4. John Griffin (CC), 4:36.97: (CC), 10:15:19: 4. Joe Hubert (CC), (Mercy) and Shannon Wilcox (Reg), 4-6. Long jump: 1. Larry Batista (SM), 20-9 . 5. Tom Jacobs (SM), 4:36.97; 6. Michael 10:16.03; 5. Andrew Raupp (DC), 10:22.0; 6. Tim Jacobs (SM), 10:23.15.

1,600 relay: 1. DeLaSalle, 3:27.13; 2.

(SM), 194; 5. Brent Barrick (CC), 18-6 1/4; Mary, 44.92; 3. Divine Child, 45.85; 4. Catholic Central, 3:30.59; 3. St. Mary, Catholic Central, 45.88; 5. Notre Dame, 3:41.48; 4. U-D Jesuit, 3:42.17; 5. Brother Rice, 3:45.45; 6. Bishop Foley, 3:54.43.

St. Mary, 102; 3. Warren DeLaSalle, 92; 4. Wayne Brigee), 8:16; 2. Divine Child, 8:18; 3. Tanner (Del), 52:1; 3. Andy Roman (DC), GIRLS STANDINGS: 1. Farmington Hills niski), 10:13; 2. Ladywood, 10:15; 3. Marian, Dearborn Divine Child, 73; 5, U-D Jesuit, 63; DeLaSalle, 8:33; 4, U-D Jesuit, 8:44; 5, Broth 52,43; 4, Ethan Rouse (DC), 52.5; 5, Mark Mercy, 180.5; 2, Livonia Ladywood, 85; 3. 10:36; 4, Regina, 10:38; 5, Divine Child, Coomes (Del), 52.59; 6. Jason McQuade Harper Woods Regina, 80.5; 4. Dearborn 11:10. Divine Child, 78; 5. Birmingham Marian, 64;

EVENT RESULTS

42.48; 5. Ron Batog (CC), 42.64; 6. Cortny Shot put: 1. Shawntika Farr (Mercy), 36-1 6. Lizzy Mathis (Mercy), 18.23. 800: 1. Neil Sobeck (Del), 1:59.22; 2. Phil Ce Johnson (Mercy), 31-4 3/4; 4. Biz Morski

2. Jennifer Brazeal (Mercy), 103-1; 3. Kathy

High jump: 1. Natalie Grondin (Mercy), 5:0; 2. Erin Hayden (LL), 4-10; 3. Lauren Liba (DC). 2. Jackie Segue (Mercy), 5:36.24; 3. Chris- 13:05.40; 6. Katle Mason (Mercy), 13:07.82.

Long jump: 1. Melissa Abood (Reg) 16 5:55.10. 1/2: 2. Markeisha Thompson (BM), 15-2 1/2: 400 relay: 1. Ladywood (Kendall Carey, Bri-3. Erin Hayden (LL), 13-3 1/2; 4. Christina anna Watson, Kelly O'Brien, Katie McGraw)

Dzingle (DC), 14-5 3/4; 5. Jenese Reynolds (BM), 14-5; 6. Gina Stanton (BF), 14-2 3/4.

3,200-meter relay: 1. Mercy (Jackie Segue, Christina Andriola, Erin Thomas, Alyssa Bur-

100 hurdles: 1. Christina Dzingle (DC). 16.14; 2. Natalie Celuch (Reg), 16.4; 3. Jami Snow (Mercy), 17.37; 4. Suzanne Peplinski (LL), 18.11; 5. Stephanie Cleland (BF), 18.17;

1/2: 2. Rachel Shrewsbury (DC), 342: 3. Ce 100: 1. Angka Morris (Mercy), 12.66: 2. Markeisha Thompson (BM), 12.8; 3. Natalia Celuch (Reg), 12.95; 4. Melissa Abood (Reg), 12.99; 5. Nicole White (BM), 13.11; 6. Brian

> 800 relay: 1. Regina, 1:51.21; 2. Mercy. Foley, 2:04.23. 1,600 run: 1. Genny Yavello (DC), 5:21.66:

(DC), 5:44.89; 6. Amy Owczarek (Reg),

200: 1. Chris Hubbard (Chadsey), 22.51: 2.

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51.74: 2. Marian, 52.14: 3. Mercy, 53.89; 4 Divine Child, 54.68; 5, Regina, 54.93; 6, Bish op Foley, 57.13.

400: 1. Angka Morris (Mercy), 59.68: 2. Rhashida Rudolph (Mercy), 1:01.73; 3. Kia Walker (BM), 1:04.20; 4. Page Ahrens (LL). 1:04.75; 5. Natalie Jimines (Reg), 1:05.12; 6. Kelly Carey (LL), 1:05.30.

300 hurdles: 1. Natalie Celuch (Reg) 46.58; 2. Christina Dzingle (DC), 49.58; 3. Lizzy Mathis (Mercy), 51.33; 4. Jami Snow Mercy), 51.58; 5. Danielle Janke (BM) 52 29: 6. Suzanne Peplinski (LL), 53.64.

800: 1. Jackie Segue (Mercy), 2:29.49; 2. Nicole Garrett (LL), 2:30,30; 3. Jackie Urbanczyk (LL), 2:30.70; 4. Christina Andriola (Mercy) 2:32.01: 5. Christina Wilbert (Mercy), 27.93; 6. Nicole White (BM), 28.08.

3,200: 1. Genny Yavello (DC), 12:06.01: 2. Jessica Hayden (LL), 12:22.82; S. Erin Thomas (Mercy), 12:45.05; 4. Christina Andriola (Mercy), 12:57.94; 5. Terra Baker (BM).

1.600 relay: 1. Mercy (Angka Morris. Nicole Carter, Rhashida Rudolph, Jackie Segue), 4:12.73; 2. Ladywood, 4:19.27; 3. Marian, 4:33.62; 4. Divine Child, 4:45.98; 5. Bishop Foley, 4:50.68; 6. Regina, 4:55.35.

400 relay: 1. John Glenn (Reggie Spearmo

Steve Hester, Aaron Stephens, Harden James

44 7. 2. Dearborn (Ryan Bird, Colin Wilkinson

Mohamed Osseili (Fordson), 43.1: 6. Don . Andrew Davison, Tony Shields, Chris Hubbard).

Jordan Smith, Jason Herrick), 44.9; 3. Chadsey

1:30.8; 2. Cass Tech (Blaine Denning, D. Bryant,

Rasheed Brown, Samuel Card), 1:31.8; 3. Ford-

Cassie Ehlendt (LS), 16.5; 3. Andrea Monroe 11:48.3 (SQ); 4. Ashley Fillion (LC), 11:53.1; 5. Catholic Central, 43 1/2; 8. Detroit Cass Tech. 14.8; 2. Chris Cunningham (Cody), 14.8; 3. Jim (Dearborn), 16.7; 4. Jamie Arbie (WJG), 16.7; 5. Laura Smith (Dearborn), 11:57:3; 6. Rebecca 40; 9. Detroit Cody, 38; 10. Dearborn Fordson. Koch (WJG), 15:1; 4. Ryan Thomas (Salem), Amy Sonnanstine (PC), 16.7; 6. Crystal Alderman Wolfrom (PC), 12:12.4. 300 hurdles: 1. Lisa Maul (PS), 48.1; 2. Adams, LaToya Chandler, Nicolette Jarrett), 51.4. Redford Union, 7: 15: Garden City, 1: 17. Detroit Christie Tzilos (LS), 48.1, 3, Nancy Hoffman (PC), 2, Canton (Alina Boyden, Tiffany Williams, Doris Western and Detroit Southwestern, 0 each,

STATE REGIONAL TRACK RESULTS

mouth Canton, 44; 6. Dearborn, 25; 7; Livonia 48:3; 4. Katie Sherron (LS), 49,9; 5. Andrea Mon Igwe, Nkechi Okwumabua), 52:1; 3. Cass Tech. Franklin, 18: 8. Churchill, 15: 9. Livonia Lady. roe (Dearborn). 50.9; 6. Crystal Alderman (PC). 52:4; 4. Salem, 52:5; 5. Ladywood, 52:7; 6. Stevenson 54.6

City, 1 3/4:12. Detroit Cody, 1:13 (tie) Reeford 100 dash: 1. Kanisa Williams (Cass), 12.1; 2. 800 relay: 1. Cass Tech (Kanisa Williams, Shot put: 1. Ron Pennington (WM), 53 feet, 6 100 dash: 1. Harden James (WJG), 10.9; 2. Union, Wayne Memorial. Detroit Chadsey, (Cass), 12.9; 4. Nkechi Okwumabua (PC), 12.9; John Glenn (Kania Adams, Nicole Herring, LaToya Dan Dominguez (CC), 51-10.3/4 (SQ); 4. Matt. 11.1 (SQ); 4. Freddie Curty (Cody), 11.1 (SQ); 5. 1:35.9; 6. Redford CC. 1:36.5. 5. Krystal Peterson (Cass), 12.9; 6. Brianna Wat- Chandler, Nicolette Jarrett), 1:47.4; 3. Steven- Lawson (LF), 51:3/4 (SQ); 5. Brian Douglas- Dave Koshizawa (PC), 11.2; 6. Blaine Denning 1,600 relay; 1. Chadsey (Tony Shields, Te son, 1.49.8, 4. Canton, 1.53.1; 5. Dearborn, (CC), 50-7 (SQ); 6. Carleton Johnson (Chadsey), (Cass), 11.3

Shot put: 1. Jessica Ash (PS). 35 feet, 6 3/4; Jarrett (WJG). 26.5: 3. Meshia Moton (Cass). 1,600 relay: 1, Cass Tech (Meshia Moton. 2. Danielle Wensing (LF), 34-5 1/2; 3. Andrea 26.9; 4. Danielle Wensing (LF), 27.0; 5. Shelise Tracy Ball, Julia Ford, Katie Chapman), 4:03.0; 2. Kevin Kell (PC), 145-1; 3. Matt Lawson (LF), 133 23.0; 4. Paul Terek (LF), 23.4; 5. Terrance Ston-3:31.0; 3. Fordson, 3:32.5; 4. Salem, 3:34.4; 5. Monroe (Dearborn), 34-0; 4. Tiliany Grubaugh Dandridge (Cass), 27-9; 6. Krystal Peterson Salem (Kristje Giddings, Ruth Viforeanu, Lisa 1; 4. Dave Hester (PS), 132-9; 5. Guy Diakow estreet (Chadsey), 23.5; 6. Andrew Davison Maul, Katle Bonner), 4 14 1; 3. Stevenson, (LC), 132-6; 6. Garrett Simpson (Dearborn), 130- (Chadsey), 23.7. 400: 1 Julia Ford (Cass), 58.2; 2. Katie Bon 4:16.4; 4. Ladywood, 4:22.7; 5, Dearborn, 1.

800: 1. Katie Chapman (Cass), 2:16.0; 2. ris, Andrea Parker, Kelly McNeilance), 9:39 1; 3. ton (Chadsey) and David Popiel (CC), 6:1 each. Jerome (LC), 1:59 0; 3. Andy Briggs (PS), 1:59 2 (50) provisional state qualifier High jump: 1. LaToya Chandler (WJG); 5-1 Katle Bonner (PS); 2:24-2; 3. Kelly McNeilance Cass Tech. 9:59-7; 4. Churchill, 10:06-8; 5. Lady- Long jump: 1. William Hall (Cody); 22-4 1/5: -(SQ); 4. Derek Harper (Cass); 1:59'8 (SQ); 5. fewer misses): 2. Kristin Kosik (PS), 5-1: 3. (LS), 2:24.3 (SQ): 4. Kristie Giddings (PS). wood, 10:18.0; 6. Dearborn, 10:27.8. Angela Silimon (PS), 4-11; 4. (tie) Jamie Arbie 2:27.5; 5. Mari Disbrow (PS), 2:28.5; 6. Andrea SQ (provisional state qualifier) 1.600: 1. Kelly Travis (LS), 5 21.3; 2. Kelly

BOYS TRACK MEET

200: 1 Tracy Ball (Cass), 25.6: 2. Nicolette 1.54.6.6. Cody, 1:55.0.

ner (PS), 1 01.3; 3. Danielle Wensing (LF). 4 24.2; 6. Canton, 4:27.3 Angela Smith (PS), 109-8, 3, Emily Yambasky 102-5; 4, Candice Worrell (Dearborn), 1-02-5; 5. 3,200 relay; 1, Salem (Katle Bonner, Ellen, 2, Jason Herrick (Dearborn), 6-5; 3, Gilbert sey), 51.1, 4, Joe Clouser (RU), 53.8; 5, Renaldo Faunce), 8-10-1; 3, Fordson, 8:11.2; 4, Oass

9:36.0; 2. Stevenson (Kelly Travis, Danielle Har- Phillips (W)G), 6-3 (SQ), 5. (tie) Detek Washing. 800; 1. Ian Searcy (PS), 1.58.2; 2. Nathan 8:22.1.

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3,200: 1 Nicole Bolton (PS), 11:30.9; 2 Kelly Salem, 57, 4 Livonia Franklin, 48, 5 Livonia 11.

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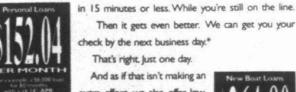
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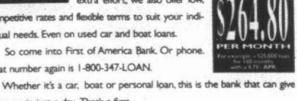
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rance Stonestreet, Andrew Davison, Chris Hubbard), 3:27.3; 2. Dearborn (Thomas Larose, Jasb Herrick, Jordan Smith, Hussein Mandouh Redford Union, 3:38 0: 6. Cass Tech, 3:38.5. 3.200 relay: 1 Salem (Andy Briggs, Matt Fair Kevin Conte, Jan Searcy): 8:09.0: 2. Redford CC



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27: 11. Plymouth Canton, 16, 12, (tie) Livonia 15.3, 5. Ryan Supplee (LF), 15.3, 6. Mohamed 400 relay: 1. John Glenn (Nicole Herring, Kania Stevenson and Wayne Memorial, 10 each, 14. Osseili (Fordson), 15.5. 300 hurdles: 1. Ryan Kearney (LC), 40.7; 2. 44.9; 4. Cody, 45.1; 5. Salem, 46.3; 6. Redford Jim Koch (WJG). 41.1. 3. Richmond Taylor CC, 46.4.

Sianaster (CC) 43.2

EVENT RESULTS

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47-10 1/2

Discus: 1. Mike Samples (WJG), 158-6; 2 Brian Teefey (CC), 22.8; 3. Samuel Card (Cody),

High jump: 1. Colin Wilkinson (Dearborn), 6-6. Brian Teefey (CC), 50-5, 3. Tony Shields (Chad (Chris Laney, John Griffin, Wavne Brigee, John (LS), 107-7; 4. Brandi Bernard (PC), 105-11; 5. Ruth Viforeanu (PS), 1:02-9; 6. Jeannette Martus Stemmer, Nicole Bolton, Kristie Giddings), Mitchell (Cody), 6-3 (fewer misses) (SQ); 4. Mike Hill (Chadsey), 54.4; 6. Matt Fair (PS), 54.4; 7. Content of the second state of the second stat

2. David Jarrett (WJG), 21-11 3/4, 3. Paul Terek Jimmy Gray (Cass), 2:01.0, 6. Chris Laney (CC),

(RU), 19-8. Pole vault: 1. Paul Terek (LF), 14-1, 2. Jake 4-35-0, 4. Bakeel Mohamed (Fordson), 4-39-6, 5

78. 2. Detroit Chadsey, 60 1/2: 3. Plymouth Randy Glenn (WJG), 11-6: 6. Joe Frendo (GC), 10 3.200: 1. Rob Block (LS), 9-50-6: 2. Nick

Allen (PS), 9 55.3; 3. John Griffin (CC), 9.57.1.4. 100-meter hurdles: 1. Lisa Maul (PS), 16.0; 2. Travis (LS), 11:35.1; 3. Ellen Stemmer (PS), Churchill, 46; 6. Dearborn, 45; 7. Redford 110-meter hurdles: 1. Ryan Kearney (LC). Josh Burt (LF), 10:05.8; 5. Jon Little (PS), 10:06.7. 6. Shaun Moore (PC), 10:13.4.

(LF), 20-9 1/4: 4 Jason Meagrow (PC), 20-2 2:02.3. 1/4: 5 Tim Moore (WJG), 19-8 1/2: 6 Jon Desir 1.600: 1. Nathan Jerome (LC), 4:31.8: 2. Josh Burt (LF), 4 34 2: 3 Joe Wojtowicz (WJG).

Lande (Dearborn), 13-7: 3. Matt Rose (LC), 11-6 Nader Aoude (Fordson), 4-40-3, 6. Rodrick mon (PS), 17- 1/2-(SQ); 4. Jeannette Martus Hayden (LL), 5:40.0; 6. Renee Kashawiic (LC). TEAM STANDINGS; 1. Westland John Glenn. (fewer misses); 4. Ryan Sniplett (LF), 11-6; 5. Thomas (Chadsey), 4:43.6.

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bough, as the Chiefs avenged a through short and beat it to sec-to Farmington a couple of ond as Biro held at third. Hancz doubled to left center to team won." weeks ago when Hudson was inable to pitch.

ong way. Their coach has done through the hole by Jenny Siko-

one heckuva job.' The Chiefs wasted one out Nikki Kovachevich scratched before retaliating. Tara Biro led out an infield single to start the

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off with a single and stole sec- sixth and reached second on a ed," Osborne said. "Usually, ond. Angela Litwin singled passed ball. She was sacrificed to we're a better hitting team. But

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two-out single off Heikkinen's glove by Kovachevich in the seventh. "Obviously, we're disappoint-

Osborne noted Canton's 10-4

edge in seniors showed. The Falcons also started four freshmen. Heikkinen walked one batter and struck out four but was touched for 13 hits, three by Biro

plus two apiece by Litwin, Elsner, Sikora and Kovachevich. Sikora also singled home the game's first run in the opening nning. The Chiefs added a run

in the fourth on a two-out error. "Biro is a great leadoff hitter Arnold said. "She puts the ball in play for us. The kid is a great all-round athlete.

The Chiefs played like the champions they became by winning the game.

a total team effort. Glenn only took three firsts -David Jarrett in the long jump, 21 feet, 9 1/2 inches; Tim Moore in the high jump, 6-1; and Harden James in the 100-meter dash, a meet record 10.9

"The relays were not as solid as we liked because of injuries," Shough said. "We made some

changes and still came through. "You have a kid like Joe Woitowicz come through in the 1.600 (fourth place) and the 800 (fifth). though he had a knee problem. The field events put us there. A guy like Mike Samples (second in the shot put and discus) came through even though he has been 100 percent the last couple

of weeks "And Tim Moore did an excellent job in the high jump, as did Mike Phillips (third). And our pole vaulters got in there, too. Bill Cummings scored points for us (seventh) and he just learned to vault. Our field events put us

its top relay runners, sprinter Jerrard Johnson, who was suf-

Woods and Jamie Seals also won

WLAA track from page C1 But the Hawks could not over- ning against a lot of good runcome Glenn's big lead coming out- ners, all of whom would do a of the field events. "John Glenn has a very com-

PREP BASEBALL

Saturday, May 24

Madonna University Tournament

at Redford Catholic Central

Redford CC vs. N, Farmington, 10 a.m.

Allen Park vs. Salem, noon

Loser's bracket, 2 p.m.

Winner's bracket, 4 p.m.

at Madonna University Park

W. Bloomfield vs. Brother Rice, 10 a.m.

Alpena vs. Fraser, noon.

Loser's bracket, 2 p.m.

Winner's bracket, 4 p.m.

at Westland John Glenn

John Glenn vs. DeLaSalle, 10 a.m.

Davison vs. Country Day, noon,

Loser's bracket, 2 p.m.

Winner's bracket, 4 p.m.

at Plymouth Canton

Canton vs. Monroe, 10 a.m.

Harrison vs. R.O. Kimball, noon

Loser's bracket, 2 p.m.

Winner's bracket, 4 p.m.

Sunday, May 25

plete team," Harrison coach John Reed said. "They didn't have a good day at Observerland in the field events. And today we had a couple of things that didn't go our way "But we're not hanging our heads. We've had a great season. It's the best team we've ever had. You can't win them all, but

Reed said there were two big

put and discus isn't done too often in our conference meet." he said. "And I was surprised with said Terek, who had only run the Salem. When it's a big meet, event three times this year. "My they're well prepared.'

6-foot-4 junior Ian Searcy, who won the 1,600 (4:30.1), 800 (2:00.6) and teamed up with Andy Briggs, Kevin Conte and Mark Sheehan to win the 1,600

The 1,600 run was one of the hight's most competitive races. It featured Searcy, Observerland and RU regional champ

champ Rob Block of Livonia Stevenson

Searcy said. "I knew I was run- 400 relay (44.4).

good job. It was pretty hard, especially when you're running by yourself on the first lap and can't see everyone behind you." And the night would not have been complete without a couple

Arbor Huron district champion.)

Northville's Tony Clemens equalled his preliminary time of

And Livonia Franklin's Paul Terek broke the pole vault record, clearing a meet-record 15-9. He was unable to surpass his season-best of 16-1, but came back to win the 400 in 51.4 after "Nick Shaieb winning the shot taking a second in the long jump. "I wish I had trained a little more for the 400 - I'm hurting." coach (Dale Lee) came up with The Rocks rode the long legs of the idea of going to the 400 because in the 200, I would have had to run three races in the preliminaries.

"I was just hoping to have a good time. I tried to push as hard as I could. Sprint the first 100 or 150 and pick it up again on the back turn. Then I tried to push as hard as I could on the straighaway."

Other meet winners included Ryan Kearney in the 110 hurdles (15.1); Salem's Rob Hawley, who nosed out Kearney in the 300 hurdles (40.8); Walled Lake Cen-"I just tried to stick with the leaders and kick it at the end," tral in the 3,200 relay (8:23.6) and Walled Lake Western in the

of record breakers.

22.4 to win the 200.

STATE TOURNAMENT DISTRICT SOCCER DRAWS CLASS A at ANN ARBOR HURON

Friday, May 23: Canton vs. Ann Arbor Pioneer, district final, 7 p.m. at Huron (winner) advances to Southgate Anderson regional ws. Ladywood district winner May 27 or 28). ... at DEARBORN

at Madonna Park

CC vs. Madonna winner, 10 a.m.

Thursday, May 22

WLAA meet at Hudson Mills, 9 a.m.,

Friday, May 23: Championship final, 4 p.m. at Dearborn (Winner advances to the regional semifinals May 27 or May 28 vs. Flat Rock-Woodhaven district champion.)

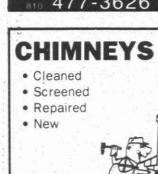
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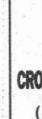
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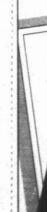












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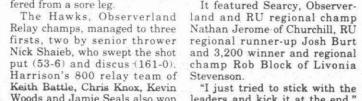
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TOURNAMENTS OAKLAND BASS MASTERS

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FISHING CLUBS METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS

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FOUR SEASONS The Four Seasons Fishing Club

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JUNIOR OLYMPICS The Oakland County Sportsman Club in Clarkston offers a Junior **Olympic Archery Development** Program beginning at 1 p.m. on Sundays, Call (810) 623-0444 for more information.

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tol and shotgun shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m.-6 p.m. daily. Pointe Mouillee State Game Area is located at 37205 Mouillee Road. Call (313) 379-3820 for more information.

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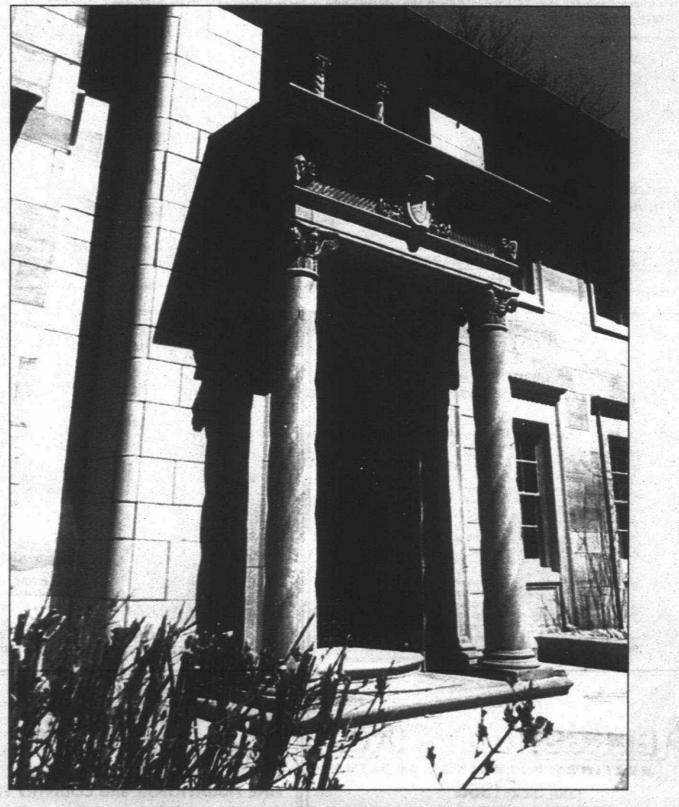


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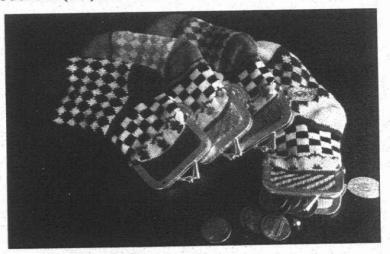
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Let's Remodel

from page D2

ments, including kitchens and bathrooms, which create handicaps and barri- include: ers for the rest of us. We are being pressed to examine the basic assumptions we have used in design, particularly in high function areas like the kitchen and bath. The result is design that breaks the traditional mold and is more flexible and adaptable. It is accessible to or useable by all people, regardless of age, size or physical ability, as much as possible. This is universal design.

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BY IOE GAGNON

This column you're reading today is

the toughest I've had to write since I

started with this newspaper two years

ago next month. I get up at 5 on Mon-

Special Writer

For your home improvement questions or a copy of our roster book, call Gavle Walters, executive director of the NARI-Michigan Remodeling Assocan be mailed to the association



At Home THE OBSERVER NEWSPAPERS



appliance doctor

Lobbyists kill appliance repair bill

day mornings to do the job. This morning I didn't feel like getting up.

I've just finished reading a copy of last week's column and boy was I excited about the prospect of a new law being passed through the House last week in Lansing. The Appliance Repair Act, I was sure, would be voted on and finally would be state law in Michigan.

Folks, it didn't pass and was short six votes of a majority. When I found this out Thursday, I actually cried. I was so

disappointed and frustrated and angry with the system that I actually thought about running for government office until I realized that I'm still carrying a

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cover story

Designers harmonize to noteworthy effect of Wellington

At Home Editor

Styles of various rooms in the Detroit Symphony Designers Showhouse put a special emphasis on symphony. Like different segments of a musical composition, the rooms in the house at 892 Boston Blvd. in Detroit's Boston-Edison District are distinct, each harmonious on its own, yet come together as a unified work.

There is the pianissimo of the soft tones of such areas as the breakfast room by Sharon Holton of Plymouth. There is the forte of vibrancy and boldness of such spaces as the card room by Randie Federman of Troy and the exercise room by Yvette Metz of Trov.

They are just three of the area interior designers who conducted themselves with distinction in decorating the 30+room mansion, which is open to the public through Sunday, June 8.

The cozy breakfast room by Holton of Sharon Holton Interiors is pink and delicate. The cloth on the round table is gathered by large tassels, and smaller tassels are on the chairs. A string of glass beads is draped around the chandelier, which matches the pattern adorning the domed ceiling. Flowers make signatures in a centerpiece, paintings and the eight-sided carpet.

P.K. Fields of P.K. Fields Interiors of Plymouth followed a monochromatic scheme in a bedroom design.

Curtains hang in clusters from the metal canopy bed. There is a primitive touch in the carpet pattern, a sense of adventure that is carried into the adjoining bathroom. There Fields placed a leopard skin shade, greenery and a Lila Kadaj painting in deep colors.

Federman of Maxwell Ross Associates in Michigan Design Center conveys a fun mood in her decor for the basement card room.

She converted a closet into a walk-in humidor, and clad baseboards in copper. Vintage signs, a tiger-stripe area rug angled under the small round table in the center and a border rug featuring military designs are among the features of the room

Metz, of Yvette Marie Interiors, gave a workout to bright colors in the exercise room, also in the basement. Pipes are

painted green, yellow, red, aqua and black. A tropical scene is painted on one wall, across from the window by the hot tub. Blue and yellow towels are among the details that continue the primary (color) objective.

Many tones

Georgia Katsaros of Georgia & Associates of Birmingham fashioned a debutante's room with flowing white drapes and a large ornate mirror that stands on the floor.

The master bedroom and bathroom areby Donna Stevens, Gloria Tellis and Mario Kocaj of Hudson's Interior Design Studio of Southfield. The bedroom features a faux marble trim along the perimeter, and box patterns in the carpeting, bedspread and upholstery. Its blue and tan tones blend well with the rich shades in the Pewabic tile in the bathroom.

Tom Verwest of T.V.I. Interiors of Bloomfield Hills played it cool and contemporary in designing a bedroom.

Here silver-grav drapes hang from steel rods in the ceiling. Included in the room are a pewter-color, silk bedspread, on which rest large steel balls; a contemporary steel and glass art work on the bureau; curving steel tables and chair by area artist Stephen Kosinski; and a headboard of steel and mirror that resembles a building. The corners of the ceilings bear a pattern in a darker shade.

In the living room by Kasey Werner-Pierson of Scott Shuptrine Studio of Design of Troy, set under an ornately painted ceiling, a swirling, leafy pattern runs in the upholstery of a sofa, a table base, an area rug and scrollwork in doors. Red ribbons hold up drapes.

The drawing room by Dan Clancy of Perlmutter-Freiwald of Franklin is lush with Oriental and floral designs in the window treatment and throw pillows. The dining room by Paul Feiten of Paul Feiten Interiors of Lathrup Village is warm with a gentle shade on the walls and a dining set that is a replica of a set owned by the Duke-

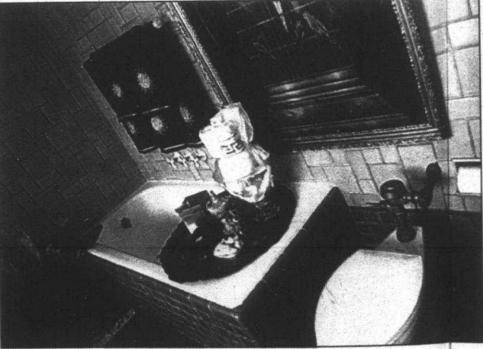
Many tones are struck throughout the house: in the office by Roy Allen Hankis of Roy Allen Hankis Interiors of Troy with its use of black and cream; in the conservatory by Laura Burt and Linda Bruce of Curiosity Shop of Franklin, with the carpeting painted to match the floral ceiling design, and a globe light hanging like a giant earring.

The house, built in 1923, was originally owned by Edward Fisher, one of the seven brothers who developed the Fisher Body Co. Its present owners are Andrew and Dorothy McLemore, owners of A-MAC Sales and Builders Co. Inc.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday, closed Mondays except Memorial Day. Tickets are \$15 each at the door, \$12 each for groups of 15 or more. Light luncheon, boutique and garden shop available. The showhouse is a project of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra Hall Volunteer Council to benefit DSOH. Call (313) 962-1000, Ext. 285.



In concert: The breakfast room (at left) by Sharon Holton of Plymouth is elegant and delicate. The master bathroom (below) by Hudson's Interior Desian Studio of Southfield has Pewabic tile in rich tones.







By design: P.K. Fields of P.K. Fields Interiors of Plymouth (above) followed a monochromatic scheme for a bedroom, and placed a Lila Kadaj painting in the adjoining bathroom (below, at left). Staff photos by Dan Dean.



On the cover: Open doors: The Detroit Symphony Designers Showhouse has rooms to view. Staff photo by Dan Dean.

Green Card and I wasn't born in this and the sooner the better. great country.

At the last moment, a national organi-The way it was explained to me on zation deposited a letter on each Republi-Thursday indicates that the bill had plen- can lawmaker's desk which asked that ty of support and co-sponsors and should they oppose the act. This lobbying group, fly through the House hearings with no which publishes how the legislators vote problem. State. Rep. Lyn Bankes and I in Lansing, must carry a lot of weight. In had presented plenty of evidence to indi- the previous committee hearing they cate that many consumers are ripped off made it known that their members who by the unethical service companies in the belong to the appliance repair industry appliance industry. It wasn't hard for don't want government intervention in anybody to understand why the Appli- their business. I wonder who their memalice Repair Act needed to become law bers are, seeing as how they won't reveal

their names unless we go through the Freedom of Information Act.I think it's a crying shame that some of our state repsentative can't vote on an issue based on their own convictions but instead do so with thoughts of pleasing a lobbying group instead of the people they repre-

In an exchange of views on my radio show a few months ago, the head of this lobbying group made statements that he could not be ripped off by a service company and couldn't understand how con-

sumers can be so stupid as to let it happen to them. This gave me a pretty good idea as to how an organization which represents business in Lansing and Washington think about the buying public. We are nothing but dummies and they who represent some of the unethical are the smart guys. It will be another 18 months before my friend Lyn Bankes can reintroduce this bill in Lansing. I will try again but mean time you as a consumer have to te on guard.

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Catch the "Show Boat," featuring Tom Bosley from "Happy Days" as "Captain Andy," before it leaves at Masonic Temple Theatre, Detroit, (313) 832-2232.





Mosaic Youth Theatre of Detroit presents "What Fools These Mortals Be!" 8 p.m., Music Hall Center for the Performing Arts, (313) 963-2366 or (810) 645-6666.

SUNDAY



special guest Susan Calloway perform at the Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. Doors open at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$6 in advance for the 18 and older show, (810) 544-3030.



WHAT TO DO . WHERE TO GO ENTERTAINMENT

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EXHIBIT CAPTURES UNFORGETTABLE **FIFPHANTS**

BY NORMAN PRADY SPECIAL WRITER

ow far do you think it is from Africa's "banks of the great gray-green greasy Limpopo River, all set about with fever-trees" to Bloomfield Hills?

Well, you can go to either place to find out how the elephant got its trunk. At the African river, you'll spiritually meet "The Elephant's Child," a Rudyard Kipling character who was filled with "satiable curiosity" and poked around the river bank because he wanted to know what the crocodile had for dinner.

According to Kipling's "Just So Stories," elephants of that time had short noses. But after the Elephant's Child stuck his where it didn't belong, the tug-of-war to free it from the croc's clenched jaw gave elephants ever after the stretched trunk we now see them use to pick up treats and tree trunks.

If you'd like to learn a more scientific theory, you'll want to gather up those you know to be filled with "satiable curiosity" and head for "Elephants! 40 Million Years of Evolution," a traveling exhibit, produced by Potomac Museum Group, filling 5,000 square feet of the Cranbrook Institute of Science with skeletons, full-size models, artifacts, and fossils from May 31 through. Sept. 1.

To go with the exhibit, the museum created Elephant Lab, which "encourages cross-generational and group interactions." This means that papa can take all his grandchildren and together they can do some scientific fiddling.

Among the adventures in the lab, visitors can make rubbings of elephant teeth, try on a pair of "soft sculpture" elephant ears, and climb atop a platform for an elephant-eye view of the world, presumably a closeup of Oklahoma corn on "Oh What a Beautiful Morning," when the stalks got eye high."

Two computer workstations give visitors the chance to explore endangered species and African mammals. There are hands-on science tables, a puppet station, and map game.

Personalized tours will be offered by a character actor alternately portraying a field researcher and exhibit preparer who engages visitors through a story-telling approach. Elephant videos – a variety of pro-grams produced by National Geographic, the BBC, and Eyewitness will be shown continuously in a small theater providing visitors a place to "sit for a spell" while investigating elephants.

"Elephants! 40 Million Years of Evolution' When: Saturday, May 31 to Monday,

Sept. 1. Where: Cranbrook Institute of Science. 1221 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills, main campus. Main campus entrance west off of Woodward between Long Lake and Lone Pine Roads. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday; noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Admission: Adults \$7; children ages 3-17 and seniors 60 and older, \$4; children under 3, free. Call (810) 645-3200 or. (810) 645-3209 for a complete listing of events. Elephants: A Mammoth Spectacular"

- Friday, May 30, summer fund-raiser that kicks off this exhibit. Evening features live rhythmic drumming and jazzy musical entertainment. Feast on a jungle of delicacies from gourmet to zany. Proceeds support science education. Tickets start at \$60 per person, call (810) 645-3228 for details.

"The appeal of elephants," said Dr. Daniel Fisher, a University of Michigan paleontologist, derives in part from their personalities: "Kind, gentle, but complex. They are amazing animals."

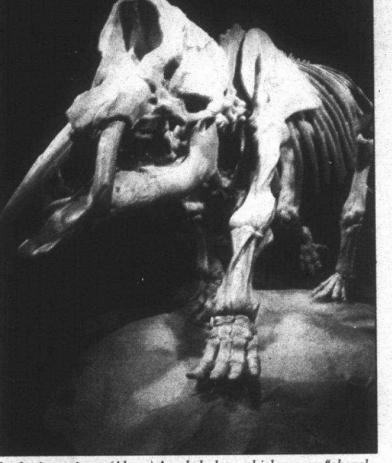
The bromidic notion that elephants never forget, apparently has basis in fact. Fisher includes it as a factor of their mental ability. "Very intelligent," he says.

Asked to compare elephants to shepherd dogs and retrievers, generally considered some of the brightest of the world's four-footers, Fisher rates elephants smarter than the smartest dogs.

"Elephants!" explores a number of themes such as the origins and natural history of the elephant family, similarities and differences between elephants and their relatives, the first human encounters with elephants during the Ice Age, impact of human and elephant interaction throughout history, elephant social and familial behavior, and the outlook for elephant populations today.

Of course, if you'd like to stay home and study elephants, you can just go out to your backyard and start digging.

However, Michigan's elephants weren't actually elephants. What we had were mastodons and mammoths, which along with some other creatures get the general label of elephant, more an adjective than a noun, the tall citizen with the floppy, flappy ears we know today as elephant is a distinctly separate animal, which currently resides only in Africa and Asia.



Ancient creature: (Above) Amebelodon, which means "shovel dart tooth," roamed North America and Asia 11-15 million years ago. (Below) Replicas of dwarf elephants on display at "Elephants! 40 Million Years of Evolution."

and wanted to have a cabin in Michigan's elephant country, that would have been just about anywhere in the southern half of the lower peninsula. Remains of mastodons have been discovered just miles up Woodward from the Institute.

Fisher says that the area currently has 240 recorded elephant sites, and that it's likely more will continually be found.

We receive a report from someone who's been, for instance, digging a pond and they run into big bones and realize that there was something there that wasn't a horse or a cow."

"Elephants!" features some of these native bones. Interpretative materials explain the history of mastodons in Michigan.

Armed with shovels and a spirit to know how life was lived 10,000 and more years ago, Fisher and other scientists probe for the big bones, sometimes a few feet below the surface, sometimes tens of feet deeper.

"It's very exciting," Fisher says of the digging, which can result in extensive knowledge of the animals' lives and times around Michigan towns: for example, Jackson, where two digs are ongoing, one south and one west of the city.

viable.

But why didn't African and Asian elephants become extinct at the end of the ice age?

"Folks who favor the climatechange idea," Fisher says, "say, well, the climate change in Africa and Asia wasn't as dramatic."

Visitors to "Elephants!" will find learning opportunities thundering about the museum like a herd of youknow-whats. If you want to learn some fundamental elephant, go to the exhibit at Cranbrook. While there's some driving to do, and a fee to get in, the information will likely be more reliable and the challenges fewer than when Christopher Robin, Winnie-the-Pooh, and Piglet set out to meet a Heffalump.

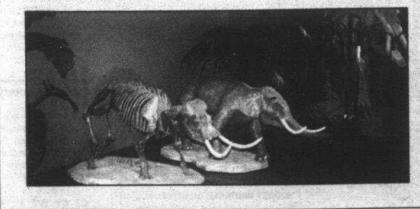
Have you "Herd?"

While many seventh-graders might already know a lot of this stuff, some people, even those with college degrees, can learn at the exhibit:

- Elephants are herbivores, and hungry herbivores at that. They stroll through the fast-food forest each day ingesting as much as 330 pounds of grass. roots, leaves, tree branches, tree bark, and fruit. They wash it down with
- more than 17 gallons of water

Hot tix: Civil War Remembrance, May 25-26 at Henry Ford Museum & Greenfield Village in Dearborn pays tribute to the people who fought and died. Tactical troop movements and army encampment recreations give visitors a perspective of what military life was like on both sides of the Mason and Dixon Line, (313) 271-1976.

If you lived say 28 million years ago



Bones can answer many questions, Fisher says, including how long they've been there, plus the age and sex of the animal they're from, the climate it lived in, the season in which it died, and even the status of its health during its life.

What the bones can't tell us with any certainty is why there no longer are any elephants in the Americas. It's believed that they got here the same way humans did: across the prehistoric Bering Straits land bridge from present-day Siberia to Alaska. But where did they disappear to? And when and why?

"There are two principal explanations," Fisher says, "two main con-cepts in a battle of ideas. One is that the change of climate after the last ice age was somehow too much for these animals to deal with. The other idea is that hunting by humans made them go extinct. Both ideas are No sweating occurs through an ele phant's thick skin. Mutually applied mud packs help reduce heat.

Tusks are both tool and weapon. And an elephant can be right- or lefttusked. The most-used, or master tusk will be shorter and rounded from its more active life.

Grandma is head of the main family group, which includes her daughters. and their daughters, and perhaps their daughters. The boys are tolerated while they're toddlers, sent away when they become annoying teenagers, and are welcomed back when they're old enough to help make more elephants.

The differences between today's Asian and African elephants are many. A handy clue to identify the difference is that, helpfully for us, the African's ears are shaped like Africa and the Asian's ears are shaped like Asia. Also, African's backs curve down. Asian's curve up.

MUSIC

Klezmer Fusion Band celebrates Jewish life

BY KEELY WYGONIK STAFF WRITER

Neil Alexander expresses joy and humor through music, but there's a spiritual side too.

"We do authentic klezmer music," said vocalist/guitarist Neil Alexander of Ann Arbor, founder of the "Klezmer Fusion Band," performing May 31 at a benefit concert/silent auction hosted by Congregation Shir Tikvah at the Shotwell-Gustafson Pavilion off of Adams Road on the Oakland University campus in Rochester. "We are a band that celebrates Jewish life."

Most of their gigs are private such as bar mitvahs, weddings, and anniversaries. "We play 30 to 40 gigs a ear," said Alexander, a physician-researcher on the faculty of the University of Michigan Medical School.

What makes his band different is the way they "fuse" Old World melodies with ones from the New World.

Some songs are original compositions in Hebrew or English, others are wacky and fun. "We do a song Under the Wedding Canopy,' to the beat of "Under the Boardwalk," he explained.

Dan Maslanka, a drummer who owns Pro Percussion Center in Plymouth with drummer, Michael Abbate, has played with Alexander's group for a year.

"Neil will take some folk songs and do them with modern day music. He blends traditional folk songs with modern rhythms. I have a good time working with him, and his core of talented musicians. It's very listen-able. He takes old folk songs you heard as a kid, and gives them a different beat."

Alexander's mission is to "play Jewish celebratory music in all forms – klezmer moves people he said." His music is derived from three traditional sources

Yiddish/klezmer (including folk and theater music); Israeli/Hebrew (including contemporary, folk and dance tunes), and religious (music from Chabad/Hassidic, liturgical, and biblical sources.)

The music gets its old world sound from the instrumentation - clarinet, mandolin, or acoustic guitar, backed by a "professional jazz rhythm section" - key-boards, bass and drums. Some of it has a 'danceable' feel

"We're contemporary, but with Jewish content," said

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Usual and Unusual: Klezmer Fusion Band, led by local musician, and physician-researcher Neil Alexander, bridges Old World and New World sounds.

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days a week A Guide to entertainment in the Metro Detroit area

THEATER FOX THEATRE

Grease," last visit to Detroit, starring Adrian Z med, Sally Struthers, and Mackenzie Phillips, 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 27-Friday, May 30, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday, May 31, and 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday, June 1, Fox Theatre, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$17.50-\$39.50. 810) 433-1515

JEWISH ENSEMBLE THEATRE

"he World of Sholom Aleichem" a the Aaroh DeRoy Theatre, Jewish nmunity Center, 6600 W. Maple, West Bloomfield.; 7:30 p.m Wednesday, Thursday, Sunday; 8:45 p.m. Saturday; 2 p.m. Sunday, through June 1. (248) 788-2900. MASONIC TEMPLE

Show Boat," featuring Tom Bosley rom "Happy Days" as "Captain Andy," through Saturday, May 24, Aasonic Temple Theatre, Detroit. \$22.50-\$70. 8 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays, 7:30 p.m. on selected Sundays, 2 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays, (313) 832-2232

THE GROUP THEATRE OF MICHIGAN "Better Living," 8 p.m. Thursday, May 22-Saturday, May 24.

ueblood Theatre, Frieze Building 105 S. State St., University of Michigan campus, Ann Arbor, \$12 \$7 students, (313) 764-0450

COMMUNITY THEATER PLANET ANT COFFEEHOUSE

"Baby with the Bathwater." 11 p.m. Thursday, May 29-Saturday May 31, Thursday, June 5-Saturday June 7. Thursday, June 12-Saturday June 14, and Thursday, June 19 Saturday, June 21, at the coffee house, 2357 Caniff, Hamtramck \$5 in advance; \$7 at the door.

(313) 365-4948 P.T.D. PRODUCTIONS

'Crimes of the Heart," 8 p.m Thursday, May 22-Saturday, May 24, Riverside Arts Center, 76 N. Huron St., Ypsilanti, \$12; \$9 seniors and students. (313) 483-

ST. DUNSTAN'S THEATRE GUILD OF CRANBROOK

"Camelot." 9 p.m. Friday, May 30-Saturday, May 31, and Thursday. June 5-Saturday, June 7, outside of the church, 400 Lone Pine Road. West Bloomfield, (810) 644-0527 SRO PRODUCTIONS "Lettice and Lovage," 8 p.m.

Friday, May 23-Saturday, May 24 and 2 o.m. Sunday, May 25. The Burgh, northeast corner of Civic Center Drive and Berg Road, Southfield, \$8: \$7 seniors and chil dren (810) 827-0700 TROY PLAYERS

"Nunsense," Friday, May 30-Sunday, June 1, Friday, June 6-Sunday, June 8, and Friday, June 13.- Sunday, June 15, Troy Community Center in Troy Civic Complex, 520 W. Big Beaver (between I-75 and Livernois Road) Troy. \$8 adults; \$7 seniors and children. (810) 879-1285 **/ILLAGE PLAYERS**

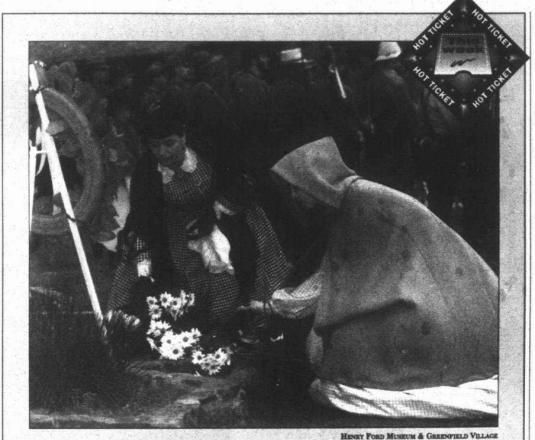
"The Taffetas," a story about a famous girl singing groups in the 50s, 8 p.m. Friday, May 23-Saturday, May 24, Village Players, 752 Chestnut St. (at Hunter Boulevard), Birmingham. \$14; \$12 students. (810) 644-2075

YOUTH PRODUCTIONS MARQUIS THEATRE

The Shoemaker and the Elves, 2:30 p.m. Saturdays May 24, 31 and June 7; and 2:30 p.m. Sunday May 25, at the theater, 135 E. Main St., Northville, \$5.50, with group rates available. Children younger than 3 1/2 will not be admitted. (810) 349-8110 MOSAIC YOUTH THEATRE ENSEMBLE "What Foods These Mortals Be," musical comedy for teens and adults, adapted from Shakespeare's "Midsummer's Night Dream" 8 p.m. Friday, May 23-Saturday, May 24, Music Hall Center for the Performing Arts, 350 Madison Ave, Detroit, \$15 adults; \$5 seniors/students. (313) 963-2366 or (810) 645-6666.

FAMILY EVENTS

DINOSAURS Jurassic Market dinosaur exhibit through Tuesday; May 27, Westborn Market, 2245 Woodward Ave. (between 11 and 12 Mile roads), Berkley, (810) 547-1000 **ORCHARD LAKE SCHOOLS** The 25th annual Polish Country Fair, 6-11:30 p.m. Friday, May 23; noon to 11:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, May 24-25; noon to 10:30 p.m. Monday, May 26; Entertainment (Jerry McKenzie,



Remembering the Civil War: At Civil War Remembrance, Sunday and Monday, May 25-26 at Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village in Dearborn, visitors will explore many fascinating traditions that stem from this period of history. The two-day event salutes those people who fought and died in the Civil War. Hear Bill Hendrick explain the origins of Memorial Day, and his recounting of the soul-stirring poem, "the Blue and the Gray," in front of Martha Mary Chapel. A special wreath laying ceremony, complete with mourners in Civil War-era costumes, will be part of this ceremo-

Sound Crew, comedian Joey Van, Bobby Lewis and the Cracker Jack Band, Steve King & The Dittilies, Misty Blues) Polish foods, arts and crafts, 3535 Indian Trail, Orchard Lake, (248) 682-1885

CLASSICAL KIRK IN THE HILLS CONCERT SERIES "International Organ Music Series, American Music," with organist Joseph V. Rush, 8 p.m. Friday, May 30, at the church, 1340 W. Long Lake Road, Bloomfield Hills. \$10 (810) 626-2515

DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA Neeme Jarvi conducts, guest harpist, Patricia Masri-Fletcher, works by Haydn's Symphony No. 81 in A Minor, Ravel's Introduction and Allegro for Harp (with string quartet, flute and clarinet), "Aus Italien, Op. 16)" by R. Strauss, 10:45 p.m. Friday, May 23, 8:30 p.m. Saturday, May 24, 3 p.m. Sunday, May 25, Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$16 \$58. (313) 833-3700.

AUDITIONS /SEMINARS THE NOVI THEATRE'S CHILDREN'S

ANNEX Summer Theatre Program 4 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Novi Center Stage, 5175 W. 10 Mile Road, Nov (810) 347-0400. For "Raggedy Anne & Andy," rehearsals June 24uly 10, performances July 11-13; The Storytellers," rehearsals July 5-31, performances Aug. 1-3. MEADOW BROOK THEATRE Auditions for child and young actors 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 31, Roles available for young men and women between 7 and 17. Those interested should come to the theater lobby to sign in (no appointment necessary) and should have a one-minute audition prepared. Auditioners may do a speech from a play, recite a poem or tell jokes within the time limit. There will be no reading from scripts and none of the available roles will require singing or dancing. Auditioners may be called back later in the year. Shows available for younger actors include "Over the Tavern," (rehearsals begin Aug 26. performances Sept. 17 to Oct.

12); "A Christmas Carol," (rehearsals begin Nov. 11, performances Nov. 28 to Dec. 28); and "Lost in Yonkers," (rehearsals begin March 24, performances April 15 to May 10). Rehearsals and performances are every day except Monday. Meadow Brook Theatre is on the campus of Oakland University, Rochester, Call (810) 370-3310 for information. MEADOW BROOK THEATRE (EQUITY) Local auditions for the 1997-98 season, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, June 2-3 at the theater. To make an appointment, call

With Rick Matle, 7-11 p.m. a.m. and noon or 1-4 p.m. Non-equity auditions available on a stand-by Thursday, May 22, and Thursday May 29, Wayes Chill and Grill basis. Prepare a contemporary monologue not to exceed two min-Restaurant, 24223 E. Jefferson (between Nine and 10 Mile roads) utes. St. Clair Shores. Free; with Friends, 8:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May THINKING LIKE A DIRECTOR 23-23, D.L. Harrington's Chop lim Pasternak conducts seminar.

ny held on May 26. Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village, Oakwood

Boulevard at Village Road in Dearborn, is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call (313)

Joan (810) 370-3310, between 10

271-1620 or (313) 271-1976 for information.

which includes blocking techniques, staging, redirecting, tools to work and more, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, June 7-Sunday, June 8, ir Bloomfield Hills. (810) 584-4764 or (888) HLR-1600.

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p.m. (reservations recom

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KEITH KAMINSKI

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ages. (jazz/blues) (810) 349-9420

Thomas Chapin, 8 p.m. Friday, May

31, Kerrytown Concert House, 415

N. Fourth Ave., Ann Arbor. \$8 stu-

7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Friday,

Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St.,

HEIDI HEPLER AND MICHELE RAMO

(Ramo, solo Guitar) Northfield

6:30-10:30 p.m. Thursday, May 22

Hilton in the lounge, 5500 Crooks

Road, Troy: 7-10 p.m. Friday, May

23, Cafe Cortina, 30715 W. 10

Mile Road, Farmington Hills; 11

Vic's World Class Market, 42875

Grand River Ave., Novi, and 7:30-11

p.m. at Phoenicia Restaurant, 588

3033/(810) 305-7333, (810) 644-

Birmingham, Cover charge, 21 and

a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday, May 24,

S. Woodward, Birmingham

(810)979-2100 /(810) 474-

7-11 p.m. Thursday, May 22,

Edison's, 220 Merrill St.,

older, (810) 645-2150

Northville, \$10. All ages. (810)

dents; \$10 general admission; \$15

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LORENZO "SPOONS" BROWN

door. (313) 963-3813

Detroit, \$8 in advance, \$10 at the

6:30-10 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday; 7 p.m. to midnight Fridays and Saturdays, Envoy Cafe, 33210 W. 6:30-9 p.m. Monday, May 26, as 14 Mile Road, West Bloomfield. part of the Graystone International (810) 855-6220 Jazz Museum's "Restoration Jazz SCHARFF BROTHERS Series," at its new concert space.

JOHN PERRY

House, 2086 Crooks Road,

Rochester Hills; With Rick Matle, 8

p.m. Friday, May 30, O'Mara's,

(810) 773-3840/(810) 852-

0550/(810) 399-6750

2555 W. 12 Mile Road, Berkley.

SHEILA LANDIS

7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Saturday May 24, Raven Gallery and Acoustic, 145 N. Center St., Northville. \$10. All ages. (810)

349-9420 GARY SCHUNK 8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. Friday, May 23, Edison's, 220 Merrill St.,

ver charge, 21 older. (810) 645-2150 **JO SERRAPERE** 7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Thursday,

May 29, Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St., Northville. \$8. All ages. (810) 349-9420

"SINGER/SONGWRITER ROUND-TABLE"

Hosted by Jan Krist, 7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Thursday, May 22, Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St., Northville. \$8. All ages. (810) 349-9420

9 p.m.-1 a.m. Saturday, May 24, Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and

Ashley, Ann Arbor, \$5, 21 and older, (313) 662-8310

RODNEY WHITAKER OUARTET Detroit bassist performs 9:30 p.m. Thursday, May 22, Bird of Paradise, 207 S. Ashley, Ann Arbor. \$5, 21

SUNNY WILKINSON AND FRIENDS 9:30 p.m. Friday, May 23-Saturday May 24, Bird of Paradise, 207 S. Ashley, Ann Arbor. \$5. 21 and

ALEXANDER ZONJIC & FRIENDS 10 p.m. Friday & Saturday, May 23-24, Scallops, 1002 N. Main, Rochester (810) 656-2525.

BLACK MARKET IMMUNITY

6-9:30 p.m. Thursday, May 22, River Rock Cafe, 673 Franklin St., Detroit, Free, 21 and older; 0 p.m.-2 a.m. Saturday, May 24, The Deck at Second City, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older; 10 p.m.-2 a.m. Friday, May 30, Woody's Diner, 208 Fifth Ave., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (reggae) (313) 259-6676/(313) 259-6676/(810) 543-6911 IO NAB

10 p.m. Friday, May 30, The Deck atop Second City, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (reggae) (313) 965-

2222 KLEZMER FUSION BAND Performing 7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 31, Shotwell-Gustafson Pavilion, off Adams Road on the Oakland University campus, Rochester. Benefit for Congregation Shir Tikvah of Troy also features silent auction, which begins at 6:30 p.m. Tickets start at \$25, (810) 619-9669. DOUGIE MACLEAN Former member of the Tannahill Weavers and Silly Wizard performs 8 p.m. Thursday, May 22, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$15.

All ages. (Celtic) (313) 761-1451 PINO MARELLI 7 p.m. Thursday, May 22, and Wednesday, May 28-Thursday, May

29. Luciano's, 39031 Garfield, Clinton Township. (English, Italian Spanish pop standards and originals) (810) 263-6540 TERRY MURPHY 9 p.m. Thursday, May 29, Dick

O'Dow's, 160 W. Maple Road, Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (Irish) (810) 642-1135 MICHAEL O'BRIEN 9 p.m. Sunday, May 25, Dick O'Dow's, 160 W. Maple Road, Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (Irish) (810) 642-1135.

ODD ENOUGH 9 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Dick O'Dow's, 160 W. Maple Road, Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (Celtic) (810) 642-1135. JIM PERKINS 9 p.m. Wednesday, May 28, Dick

O'Dow's, 160 W. Maple Road, Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (Irish) (810) 642-1135 UNIVERSAL XPRESSION 10 p.m. Friday, May 23, The Deck atop Second City, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (reggae) (313) 965-2222

FOLK

JIM BIZER 9 p.m. Tuesday, May 27, Backseat Saloon, 3064 Orchard Lake Road, Keego Harbor. Cover charge. 21 and older. (810) 682-1119 **BIZER BROTHERS** 9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Friday, May 30-Saturday, May 31, Pages, 23621 Farmington Road, Farmington. Free. 21 and older

With Karen Pernick, 8 p.m. Friday, May 30, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$15. All ages. (313)

Friday, May 23-Saturday, May 24, Gaelic League Irish American Club, 2068 Michigan Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (313) 964-8700.

DAVID MOSHER

With Drivetrain, 8 p.m. Thursday, May 29, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor, \$8; \$7 members, students, seniors. All ages. (bluegrass) (313) 761-1451

DANCE

AMERICAN POLISH CULTURAL CEN-Sunday dance with music by the Ted Sokolowski Orchestra, and a Polish kitchen, 2 p.m. Sunday, May 25, American Polish Cultural Center, 2975 E. Maple Road, Troy. \$4. (810) 689-3636

COMEDY

JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB Vic Dibitetto, Kevin Kramis and Joey Bielaska, 8 p.m. Thursday, May 22, 9 p.m. Friday, May 23, and 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Saturday, May 24; Brent Dean, Derek Richards and Joey Bielaska, 8 p.m. Thursday, May 29, 9 p.m. Friday, May 30, and 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Saturday, May 31, at the club above Kickers restaurant. 36071 Plymouth Road, Livonia. (313) 261-0555 JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB AT PAISANO'S Bill Thomas 8:30 p.m. Thursday, May 22, (\$8), 9 p.m. Friday & Saturday, May 23-24 (\$10) dinner show package, \$20.95, 5070 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. (313) 584-8885 RADIO FREE VESTIBULE

Capitol Theatre, 121 University Ave. West, Windsor, Ontario, Canada, (519) 253-7729 MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY CASTLE Ron White and Tim Rowlands, 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 21-Thursday May 22 (\$6), 8:15 p.m. and 10:45 p.m. Friday, May 23-Saturday, May 24, and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 25 (\$6); Totally Unrehearsed Theatre hosts open mic night 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays (\$5); Jennie McNulty and Kevin Kramis, 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 28-Thursday, May 29 (\$6), 8:15 p.m. and 10:45 p.m. Friday, May 30-Saturday, May 31 (\$12), and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, June 1 (\$6), 269 E. Fourth St., Royal Oak. (810) 542-9900 THE SECOND CITY-DETROIT New show opens Wednesday, June 4. Call for preview information. (313) 965-2222

Friday, May 30-Saturday, May 31,

MUSEUMS AND TOURS

DETROIT SCIENCE CENTER "Special Effects," an IMAX film about special effects and how movies like "Star Wars" and Independence Day" were done. ourly 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Mondaysridays, hourly 11 a.m.-3 p.m., and 5 p.m. Saturdays, 1 p.m. 2, p.m. 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. Sundays: "Titanica," an IMAX film about the Canadian-American-Russian expedi tion team set out to explore the Titanic, 4 p.m. Saturdays; "Desting in Space," another IMAX film, 10 a.m. Saturdays, and 4 p.m. Sundays, Detroit Science Center in the University Cultural Center, 5020 John R St., Detroit, Museum admission \$6.75 adults; \$4.75 for students and senior citizens. (313) 577-8400

DOMINO'S FARMS "Raptor's to Rex: The Dinosaur Predators," a touring dinasaur natural history museum from paleontologist Dr. Robert Bakker, through May 31. The 7,000 square foot exhibit features more than 100 dinosaur skele tons, skulls, sculptures, graphics, and fossils, including a rare 41foot long Acrocanthosaurus skeleton, the only one on exhibit in the world. \$5 adults: \$2.50 for children 12 and younger, senior citizens 55 and older; \$1 group rate for schools and organizations. (313) 930-4911 **GREENFIELD VILLAGE** Civil War Remembrance featuring military fights, lectures, 5th Michigan Regimental Band, Lah-De Dahs baseball team game, Sunday, May 25-Monday, May 26, Greenfield Village, 20900 Oakwood Boulevard, Dearborn, \$12,50 adults: \$11.50 seniors 62 and older: \$6.25 children ages 5-12: Free for children younger than 5. Admission to the village and muse um is separate. Combination tick-

313) 271-1620 or (313) 271-POPULAR MUSIC

ets (unlimited access to both sites

adults, \$11 children ages 5-12

APOCALYPSE HOBOKEN With Broken Spoke, and 10-Cent Can, 7 p.m. Sunday, May 25, The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. Cover charge. All ages. (punk) (313) 961 MELT

BARNSTORMER 9 p.m. Thursday, May 22-Saturday May 24, High Kicker Saloon, 593 W. Kennett, Pontiac. Cover charge 21 and older. (country) (810) 334-GEORGE BEDARD AND THE KING-

9:30 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Blind Pig. 206-208 S. First St., Ann rbor. Cover charge, 19 and older. (rockabilly) (313) 996-8555 BETTIE SERVEERT

With Polara and Edith Frost, 6 p.m. Friday, May 23, St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$9 in advance. All ages. (alternative rock) (313) 961-MELT **BIG DAVE AND THE ULTRASONICS** 9 p.m. Friday, May 23, Sisko's on the Boulevard, 5855 Monroe Boulevard, Taylor, \$5, 21 and older. 9 n.m. Saturday, May 24, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor, Cover charge. 19 and older; 9 p.m. Friday, May 30, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 18 and older. (jump blues) (313) 278-5340/(313) 996-2747/(313) 485-BLUE CAT

Please see next page

May 31, Bird of Paradise, 207 S.

WORLD MUSIC

9 p.mr Thursday, May 29, Memph Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak, Free, 21 and older, (reggae) (810) 543-4300

(810) 477-0099 FERRON 761-1451 LARRY LARSON

JANET TENAJ

Edison's, 220 Merrill St., older, (810) 645-2150

PAUL VORNHAGEN QUARTET 9:30 p.m. Friday, May 30-Saturday,

and older. (313) 662-8310

older. (313) 662-8310

Making contact: Please submit items for publication to Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft,

Livonia 48150 or by fax (313) 591-7279. For popular music, Christina Fuoco, all others Linda Chomin

music and guest band, in the Mill

Street Entry, lower level of Clutch

Cargo's. Free before 9:30 p.m. 21

and older; Four levels of music -

acid jazz, and trance - 8:30 p.m.

Saturdays with guest band in Mill

Street Entry. Free before 9:30 p.m.

Huron, Pontiac. (810) 333-2362

"Family Funktion" night 9 p.m.

Wednesdays, Alvin's, 5756 Cass

Ave., Detroit, Cover charge, 18 and

older. (acid jazz/funk) (313) 832-

Formerly 3-D, "Temple of Boom"

featuring live local bands, 9 p.m.

Thursdays; alternative dance, 9

Tuesdays; "No Work" party, 9 p.m

Sunday, May 25. Free before 10

p.m. 21 and older; Lounge night

with martinis and cigars, and

"Pumpkin' Fest '97" with rare

Smashing Pumpkins, 9 p.m.

videos and live footage from the

Wednesday, May 28, at the club

Road), Royal Oak. Free before 10

1815 N. Main St. (at 12 Mile

p.m. 21 and older. (810) 589-

"The Planetarium," alternative

and Johnny Edwards from 96.3

WHYT-FM, 9 p.m. Thursdays, 21

95.5 Live." dance music night host

ed by WKQI-FM, 8 p.m. Fridays, 21

and older. Cover charge: "Club

and older. \$5: "Saturday Night

Saturdays. 21 and older. \$5;

Techno/alternative rock dance

night, 9 p.m. Sundays, 18 and

older. Cover charge; "Homesick

spinning modern rock from the

p.m., and \$5 for those 18-20.

"Detroit Old School" with funk

Sundays in the Magic Stick. Cover

charge: "The Chamber" with goth-

c/industrial and deep dark retro

music with DJ Tim Shuller, 9 p.m.

Mondays in the Magic Stick. Cove

charge: "Willy's Soul Patrol," with

Wednesdays; Magic Stick; "Figure

Four Tag Team DJs," acid jazz and

early disco/retro tunes with DJs

Bubblicious, Scott Zacharias, Paris

Thursdays in the Magic Stick. \$5;

"The Abyss," with industrial, tech-

no and house music combined with

fashion, art, and multi-media, 9

"Rockabilly Bowl" with DJ Del

Fridays in the Garden Bowl. Free:

"Rock 'n' Bowl" 9 p.m. Saturdays

with DJ Chervl spinning alternative.

funk and R&B in the Garden Bowl

Free, All events in the Maiestic

complex, 4140 Woodward Ave.

9700/(313) 833-POOL (Magic

Detroit. 18 and older. (313) 833-

Stick)/(313) 833-9851 (Garden

MEMPHIS SMOKE (ROYAL OAK)

"70s Time Warp Party with Dr

Tuesday, May 27; "Twistin' Smoke

Dance Party," 9 p.m. Wednesday,

May 28, at the restaurant, 100 S

Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and

"Blue Mondays" with Johnny "Yard

Dog" Jones and Bobby Murray with

a special guest blues artist weekly;

ounge night with different cocktail

specials weekly; Nine-piece house

band, "Power Train," featuring for-

mer members of Wild Cherry, Sly

Parliament, plays funk, soul and

"Maximum Luxury Overload," fea

Fridays: Dancing with DJ St. Andy

Saturdays: The Back Room hosts

lounge night, Sundays, with live

azz, at the lounge, 3515 Caniff.

Hamtramck. Doors open at 9 p.m

21 and older. Cover charge. (313)

369-0080/motor3515@aol.com

ST. ANDREW'S HALL/THE SHELTER

Incinerator," alternative rock in the

Shelter, \$6, 18 and older; 10 p.m.

Fridays "Three Floors of Fun" with

hip-hop, alternative rock, and tech

no/house, \$3 before 11 p.m., \$5

Saturdays "Soul Picnic" with funk

18 and older, 431 E. Congress.

Detroit. (313) 961-MEL

hip-hop and soul in the Shelter, \$3,

5.00

after, 18 and older; 10 p.m.

10 p.m. Wednesdays "The

turing local and national guest DJs

azz with DJ Munk, Thursdays;

and The Family Stone, and

Heaven" spinning ethereal dream

Darren Revell hosts "Stereo

pop songs Tuesdays; "Mixer"

Love's Disco Fever," 8 p.m.

older, (810) 543-4300

MOTOR LOUNGE

p.m. Fridays, The Majestic;

vintage R&B and soul, 9 p.m.

and Bone, 11 p.m.-3 a.m.

music and free pool, 9 p.m.

THE MAJESTIC COMPLEX

(810) 334-1999

Night" with DJs Tom and Cristina

1980s to present, 9 p.m. Tuesdays

18 and older. Free before 11 p.m.

for those 21 and older, \$3 after 11

Fever Disco Party," 9 p.m.

dance night with DJ Darren Revell

p.m. Fridays, Saturdays, and

FAMILY FUNKTION

THE GROOVE ROOM

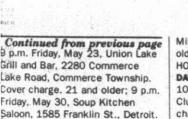
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INDUSTRY

21 and older. Clutch Cargo's, 65 E.

lounge, flashback dance music,



Cover charge. 21 and older; 9 p.m. Friday, May 30, Soup Kitchen Saloon, 1585 Franklin St., Detroit \$5. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 360-7450/(313) 259-2643 BLUES BIZNESS 9 p.m. Friday, May 30, Moby

Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650 **BLUES CRUSADERS**

9 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Soup Kitchen Saloon, 1585 Franklin St. Detroit. \$5. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 259-2643

BLUES LIFE

BUTTERFLY

CHICAGO PETE

278-5340

963-3355

COYOTES

9 p.m. Friday, May 23, Soup Kitchen Saloon, 1585 Franklin St. Detroit. \$5. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 259-2643 LORENZO "SPOONS" BROWN

B p.m. and 10 p.m. Friday, May 23, Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St., Northville. Cover charge, 21 and older. (blues (810) 349-9420 **BUDDY POPPS**

9 p.m. Tuesday, May 27, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge, 19 and older. (acoustic) 313) 996-2747

BUGS BEDDOW BAND

5-10:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 28, Big Fish, 700 Town Center, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older; 9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Friday, May 30-Saturday, May 31, Beale Street Blues, 8 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (blues) (313) 336-1040

6350/(810) 334-7900 9 p.m. Friday, May 30, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge, 19 and older, (alternative rock) (313) 996-2747 HOARSE With members of the Chisel Bros., With Grayling and the Deterents,

Saturday, May 24, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Roya Dak. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 543-4300 CHISEL BROS. WITH MIMI HARRIS 9 p.m. Friday, May 30-Saturday,

May 31, Sisko's on the Boulevard, 5855 Monroe Boulevard, Taylor. \$5. 21 and older. (blues) (313)

CITY LIMITS BLUES BAND 9 p.m. Friday, May 23-Saturday, May 25, Detroiter Bar, 655 Beaubien St., Detroit. Cover

charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313)

10 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Mount Chalet, 4715 N. Woodward Ave., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (rock) (810) 549-2929 DAVE DALE AND THE BLUES CON-

9 p.m. Thursday, May 22, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 18 and older. (blues) (313) 485-5050

DATA CADET With Philo Beddow and Melk, 9:30 p.m. Friday, May 23, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. er charge, 19 and rock) (313) 996-8555

9:30 p.m. Thursday, April 29, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor, Cover charge, 19 and older (Deadhead) (313) 996-8555

DOMESTIC PROBLEMS 9 p.m. Thursday; May 22, Rick's. 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge, 19 and older. (alternative

rock) (313) 996-2747 FCHO AND THE BUNNYMEN

Featuring all original members, 8 mm, Friday, May 23, Clutch Cargo's, 65 E. Huron, Pontiac. \$20 n advance. All ages, (alternative

rock) (810) 333-2362 "89X BIRTHDAY BASH

Radio station CIMX-FM's "89X Birthday Bash" (88.7) featuring

Beck, Pavement, Soul Coughing, Sloan and Dr. Octagon, 4:30 Wednesday, May 28, Phoenix Plaza Amphitheatre, 10 Water St.,

(alternative rock) (810) 335-4850 8 p.m. Friday, May 23, Hill

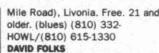
Auditorium, 530 S. State St., Ann Arbor. \$27.50. All ages. (pop)

THE REV. MARC FALCONBERRY 10 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (810)

9 p.m. Thursday, May 29, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor, Cover charge, 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 996-2747

PETE "BIG DOG" FETTERS 10 p.m. Thursday, May 22, Coyote Club. 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover

charge. 21 and older; 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Farmington Road (north of Seven



10 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Coyote Club, 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (singer/songwriter) (810) 332-HOWL FOOLISH MORTALS 10 p.m. Friday, May 23, Library

Luays a week

Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (rock) (810) 349-9110 TOM FREDRICKS

9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Saturday, May 24, Fat Willy's, 19170 Farmington Road (north of Seven Mile Road), Livonia. Free. 21 and older. (acoustic) (810) 615-1330 GODS MADE LOVE With Crank Peace, 9 p.m.

Thursday, May 22, Groove Room, 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak. Free before 10 p.m. 21 and older. (alter native rock) (810) 589-3344 GWAR

With Chemlab and Universal Stomp, 8 p.m. Thursday, May 29, St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$12.50 in advance. All ages. (hard rock) (313) 961-MELT JAMES HARMAN

8 p.m. Friday, May 23, Magic Bag 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$9, 18 and older, (blues) (810) 544-3030

THE HATCHETMEN 9 p.m. Fridays, May 23 and May 30, Stan's Dugout, 3350 Auburn Road, Auburn Hills. Cover charge 21 and older, (blues) (810) 412-

ROBYN HITCHCOCK With The Rugburns, 9 p.m. Thursday, May 22, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$12.50 i advance. 18 and older. (alternative rock/pop) (313) 833-POOL

9:30 p.m. Friday, May 30, Blind Pig. 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (rock) (313) 996-8555 HOWLING DIABLOS

Celebrates release of video with party and performance, with special guests Domestic Problems and Daddy Stitch, 8 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$7. 18 and older.

(funk) (810) 544-3030 HOWLIN' MERCY 9 p.m. Friday, May 23, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650

THE INCURABLES 9 p.m. Friday, May 30-Saturday May 31, Fire and Ice Lounge, 27200 Cherry Hill Road, Dearborn Heights. Cover charge. 21 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 730-9014

JAMES With Third Eye Blind, 8 p.m. Thursday, May 29, Clutch Cargo's, 65 E. Huron, Pontiac. \$12.50 in advance. All ages. Canceled.

Refunds available at point of pur-. Third Eve Blind, performs 8 p.m. Thursday, May 29, Mill Street Entry below Clutch Cargo's, Pontiac, \$8 in advance; \$10 at the door. All ages. (pop)

(810) 333-2362 JAM PACT Featuring Charlie Martin, 10 p.m. Thursday, May 29, Library Pub. 42100 Grand River, Novi, Free, 21

and older. (rock) (810) 349-9110 JACK INGRAM 8 p.m. Sunday, May 25, The Ark,

316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor, Free. All ages. (country) (313) 761-1451 JOYRIDE

9 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St. Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 18 and older. (rock) (313) 485-5050

MIKE KING 10 p.m. Friday, May 23, Coyote Club, 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover

charge, 21 and older, (bluesy rock) (810) 332-HOWL KING SWEAT 10 p.m. Thursday, May 22, Library

Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free, 21 and older, (810) 349-9110 LAP DOG

9 p.m. Friday, May 23, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor, Cover charge. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 996-2747 LEFT SIDE

9 p.m. Friday, May 23, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Yosilanti, Cover charge, 18 and older, (rock) (313) 485-5050 LUDDITES

9 p.m. Thursday, May 29, Groove Room, 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak, Free before 10 p.m. 21 and older. (acoustic) (810) 589-3344 MILA MASON Friday, May 23, Fat Willy's, 19170 | With The Ranch, 9 p.m. Sunday, May 25, Diamonds and Spurs, 25

Playing Pontiac: Country singer Mila Mason and special guest The Ranch perform Sunday, May 25, at Diamonds and Spurs, 25 S. Saginaw, Pontiac. Doors open at 9 p.m. for the 21 and older show. For more information, call (810) 334-4409.

S. Saginaw, Pontiac, Cover charge. 21 and older. (country) (810) 334-

4409 MATCHBOX 20 8 p.m. Thursday, May 22. The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall,

431 E. Congress. Detroit. Sold out All ages. (alternative rock) (313) 961-MELT JIM MCCARTY AND MYSTERY TRAIN ALL-STAR BLUES JAM

9 p.m. Wednesday, May 28, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn, Cover charge, 21 and

older, (blues) (313) 581-3650 MONDO MOD With The Torpedos, 9 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Magic Stick in

the Maiestic complex. 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit, \$6 in advance, 18 and older, (surf) (313)

833-POOL EDDIE MONEY With Stewart Francke, 7:30 p.m. Friday, May 23, Pine Knob Music

Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road Independence Township, \$12.50 pavilion: \$7.50 lawn. (rock) (810) 377-0100 JOHN MICHAEL MONTGOMERY

With Toby Keith and Ricochet, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Pine Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw

Road, Independence Township. \$22.50 pavilion; \$15.50 lawn. All ages. (country) (810) 377-0100 MOTOR CITY JOSH

9 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Memphi Smoke, 6480 Orchard Lake Road. West Bloomfield, Free, 21 and older, (blues) (810) 855-3110

MOTOR DOLLS With Whiptail, 9:30 p.m. Thursday, May 22, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. Firs St., Ann Arbor, Cover charge, 19 and older. (garage rock) (313) 996-

8555 MOTOR JAM

Featuring Gary Rasmussen, 10 p.m. Friday, May 23, Memphis Smoke, 6480 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield, Free, 21 and older: 9 p.m. Friday, May 30, Unic Lake Grill and Bar 2280 Commerce Lake Road, Commerce

Township. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 855-3110/(810) 360-7450

MUDPUPPY With Chisel Bros. featuring Mimi Harris, Johnnie Bassett and the Blues Insurgents, Motor City Josh and the Big Three, Hastings Street Blues Band, Blue Cat, Nikki James and the Flamethrowers, Lady Sunshine and the X Band, Johnny "Yard Dog" Jones, and Doug

Deming's Blue Suit Blues Band fea turing Lazy Lester, as part of a live recording session for a benefit CD for Henry Ford Community College's radio station WHFR 89.3 FM, 6 p.m. Thursday, May 22. Pagoda Room, Henry Ford Community College, 5101 Evergreen Road, Dearborn. \$8

includes a food buffet; 9 p.m. Saturday, May 24, Fifth Avenue, 215 W. Fifth Ave., Royal Oak. Free 21 and older. (blues) (313) 845-9676/(810) 542-9922 **MYSTERY TRAIN AND JIM MCCART** 9 p.m. Friday, May 30, Memphis Smoke, 6480 Orchard Lake Road West Bloomfield, Free. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 855-3110

ROBERT NOLL AND THE MISSION 9 p.m. Friday, May 23-Saturday, May 24, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and

older. (blues) (810) 543-4300 OUR LADY PEACE 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 27, St Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress

Detroit. Cover charge. All ages. (alternative rock) (313) 961-MELT ROBERT PENN 9 p.m. Thursday, May 22, Memphis

moke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 543-4300 PLAIN With Fletcher Pratt, The Gershwins

and others, 6:30 p.m. Saturday May 24, St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. Cover charge. All ages. (alternative rock) (313) 961-MELT

THE PROCESS 9 p.m. Thursday, May 29, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St.

Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 18 and older. (rock) (313) 485-5050 THE PULSARS 8 p.m. Sunday, May 25, Magic

Stick in the Majestic complex 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$6 n advance. 18 and older. (alterna ive rock) (313) 833-POOL GARY RASMUSSEN AND THE MOTOR

9 p.m. Friday, May 23, Memphis Smoke, 6480 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 855-3110 BENNIE REEVES AND THE GROOVE COMPANY

9 p.m. Friday, May 30, D.L. Harrington's, 2086 Crooks Road, Rochester: Cover charge. 21 and older, (blues) (810) 852-0550 **RIGHTEOUS WILLY**

9 p.m. Thursday, May 22, Memphis ke 6480 West Bloomfield, Free. 21 and older; 10 p.m. Friday, May 30, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River Novi. Free. 21 and older. (rock) (810) 855-3110/(810) 349-9110 SAFFIRE - THE UPPITY BLUES

WOMEN 8 p.m. Friday, May 30, Magic Bag 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$13 in advance. 18 and older. blues) (810) 544-3030

SALT CHUNK MARY With Treehouse, 9:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 28, Blind Pig 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor.

Cover charge. 19 and older. (rock (313) 996-8555 THE SCHUGARS

With Inspector 7, Benny and the lets, Neverland, and Apocalypse Later, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 22 Mosquito Club, 28949 Joy Road, Westland. \$5. 21 and older; 8-9:30 p.m. Friday, May 23, Record Time, 27360 Gratiot, Roseville, Free, All ages. (alternative rock) (313) 513-8688/(810) 775-1550 SENSITIVE CLOWN

With Brilliant and Product Product 9 p.m. Wednesday, May 28, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac, \$6 in advance. 18 and older. (alternative rock) (810) 335-8100

With Black Fuzz, 9 p.m. Friday, May 23, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw Pontiac. \$7 in advance. 18 and older. (funk) (810) 335-8100 SHAPES BETWEEN US

7-11 p.m. Friday, May 23, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (rock) (810) 642-

SIMPLE NEPTUNE

9400

With Sensitive Clown, 9 p.m.

Friday, May 23, Tibuta Music at the Alano Club, 5661 Clintonville Road, Clarkston. Cover charge. All ages. (alternative rock/pop) (810) 673-7546

PERCY STROTHER

SPEARHEAD

(313) 961-MELT

9 p.m. Wednesday, May 28,

(blues) (810) 543-4300

Royal Oak, Free, 21 and older.

Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St.,

With Camp Lo, and Coolbone, 6:30

p.m. Friday, May 30, St. Andrew's

Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$15

in advance. All ages. (hip-hop)

RINGO STARR AND HIS ALL-STARR

Featuring Peter Frampton, Gary

Brooker from Procol Harum, Jack

Kirke from Free and Bad Company

Bruce from Cream, and Simon

7:30 p.m. Friday, May 30, Pine

Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and

Sashabaw Road, Independence

lawn, (rock) (810) 377-0100

9 p.m. Wednesday, May 28.

(blues) (810) 543-4300

PERCY STROTHER

SWISHBELLY

(810) 333-2362

CHILDREN BLUES BAND

Township. \$22.50 pavilion; \$12.50

Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St.

With Botfly, Five for Fighting, Days

of the New, and The Dopes, 8 p.m.

Friday, May 30, Clutch Cargo's, 65

E. Huron, Pontiac, \$10 in advance.

18 and older. (funk/pop/acoustic)

MARY THOMPSON AND THE DELTA

8 p.m.-midnight Friday, May 23

Java Master, 33214 W. 14 Mile

Road, West Bloomfield, Free, All

Bakers Keyboard Lounge, 20510

charge. 21 and older; 8 p.m.-mid-

night Friday, May 30-Saturday, May

31, Lonestar Coffee House, 207 S.

Woodward Ave., Birmingham, Free.

626-7393/(313) 345-6300/(810)

9 p.m. Wednesday, May 28, Rick's

611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover

charge. 19 and older. (alternative

With Coward, 8 p.m. Thursday, May

29, Mill Street Entry below Clutch

Cargo's, 65 E. Huron, Pontiac. \$8

n advance; \$10 at the door. All

ages. (pop) (810) 333-2362

With Susan Calloway, 8 p.m.

Sunday, May 25, Magic Bag,

\$6 in advance. 18 and older.

(singer/songwriter) (810) 544-

22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale.

9 p.m. Thursday, May 29, Memphis

Featuring Roger Manning and Chris

Smoke, 6480 Orchard Lake Road,

West Bloomfield, Free. 21 and

older. (blues) (810) 855-3110

Mills, 9 p.m. Tuesday, May 27,

plex, 4140 Woodward Ave.,

tive rock) (313) 833-POOL

Detroit. \$5 for those younger

RANDY VOLIN AND THE SONIC

Magic Stick in the Majestic com-

21: free for 21 and older, (alterna-

8:30 p.m. Thursday, May 22, Bistro

313, 313 E. Walton, Pontiac. Cover

charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810)

7 p.m. Friday, May 30, Off the

Record, 401 S. Washington, Royal

Oak, Free, All ages, (alternative

9 p.m. Friday, May 30, Memphis

Oak Free 21 and older (blues)

10 p.m. Thursday, May 29, Coyote

Club. 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac, Cover

With Magnetic Fields, 9 p.m.

Majestic complex, 4140

BIRD OF PARADISE

BLIND PIG

(313) 996-8555

CLUTCH CARGO'S

charge. 21 and older. (rock) (810)

Friday, May 30, Magic Stick at the

Noodward Ave., Detroit, \$10 in

advance, 18 and older, (313) 833-

CLUB

NIGHTS

Acid jazz night, 9 p.m.-1 a.m

Tuesdays at the club, 207 S.

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I'm not a fan of the critically acclaimed police dramas that dot the television landscape. But the few episodes of "Homicide" and "NYPD Blue" that I have caught are a heck of a lot better than Night Falls on Manhattan." Sidney Lumet's new film about corruption in the New York police department.

Andy Garcia plays Sean Casey, a former policeman whose nights of law school land him a grunt job in the district attorney's office. When his policeman father (Ian Holm) is gunned down by a notorious drug dealer, he's enlisted to prosecute the shooter.

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(Ron Liebman), it's about cutting small deals and making sure you end up with a little more than you gave In "Night Falls on Manhattan"

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shortly after Richard Dreyfuss parts that made him famous on arrives. He plays an Allen two continents. He's all right Dershowitz-style defense attor-Garcia is called upon to be ney named Sam Vigoda who but otherwise seems out of place.

earliest high-profile roles in down he wants to see justice "Serpico" and "Dog Day done. His daughter, we learn, Afternoon." The only problem is: was the victim of a drug over-Garcia isn't much of an actor. dose and he faults the police who little extra money in their pock-

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He discovers that law enforce- ment, struggling through his tionship, like the rest in the film, ment is not necessarily about case load. It's an interesting part is handled so weakly that we As the elder Casey, Ian Holm continues to distance himself Things start to go downhill from the picky little Englishman

> during his courtroom testimony Lumet has either seen too many cop shows or not enough. Later he's in a steam room He avoids the irritating handnature, yet fails to capture their heart and razor sharp performances. Simply put: Why spend seven dollars when you can see

ter and for free? John Monaghan welcomes your calls and comments. To leave I was actually with "Night a sexy member of Vigoda's legal John a voice mail message, dial

SCREEN SCENE

at alternative movie theaters across metro Detroit as reviewed John Monaghan Woodward, Ferndale, (810) 544-

3030 for information. "Spirit of '76" (USA - 1992). 9 . Tuesday, May 27. David Cassidy is one of the time travelers from 2127 who heads back in search of 1976 only to land smack in the middle of the disco era. Free on big screen video.

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Alexander. We'll take a very tra- which runs June 3-22, and stars signed Steve Yzerman hockey section will give it some oomph

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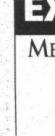
this year. Alexander is joined by klezmer and classical clarinetist Ralph Katz; and vocalist Nan Nelson who plays balalaika, mandolin and guitar. The rhythm section ncludes local professional jazz players and participants in various ensembles including bassist Keith Malinowski, keyboardist Stephanie Ozer, and Maslanka.

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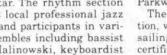
Fans of klezmer music won't want to miss "The World of Sholom Aleichem" playing at the Jewish Community Center, 6600 West Maple, West Bloomfield tion, which includes vacations, a through June 1. Clarinetist Matt sailing trip, jewelry, restaurant Pitt has created a score for the production. He performs on stage, and helps set the mood for the production based on the stories of Sholom Aleichem and I.L. Peretz.

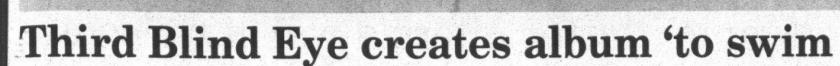
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is confident that his alternative rock band's selfgreat record.

BACKSTAGE

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those records CHRISTINA FUOCO ten to when you were 14? You

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Third Eye and swam around. I feel like we night. Blind singer made one of those records," Vancouver.

"It's got some catchy tunes," he first single "Semi-Charmed Life" titled debut is a added about his record. "I like a carries the enthusiasm found in almost set up to have a short that kind of rejection or that lot of music but a lot of the stuff "You know that's out right now is vile."

The San Francisco band was

At a glance it seems that the "But there's something about Stephan Jenkins Jenkins said during a recent James-Third Eye Blind show that stuff that's disposable to phone conversation from was a compatible line-up me. It's sort of designed to be many Brit pop bands.

Jenkins would beg to differ. "I don't think that we're a the songs on the lyrically dark you used to lis- originally going to open for Brit slant on Brit pop. I feel like our poppers James at Clutch Cargo's music is much more visceral. It in Pontiac on Thursday, May 29. has sort of an American more James canceled its tour but muscular mentality to it than gone sour due to speed addiction. phones, turned out the lights and Third Eye Blind will headline a the Brit pop thing. There's some got in bed and listened to the show at the Mill Street Entry stuff that I like. Supergrass is ber, was based on a homosexual think I said, "This is who I am (810) 333-2362.

shelf life." Jenkins explained that most of

album are about loss. The catchy pop tune "Semi-Charmed Life" tells the story of a relationship "Jumper," a dour acoustic num-

who killed himself after being diagnosed with AIDS.

"The story was so utterly crushing that it was sort of resbecause Third Eye Blind's quirky that way. Blur is very entertain- onating with me because I think ing but it seems like they're that I've never been faced with kind of confusion or terror," Jenkins.

"We all have skeletons, the sort of things that we fear and \$10 at the door for the all-ages that we're ashamed about from. show. the past. That was sort of the James / Third Eye Blind show inciting moment to write that are available at point of pursong. For me, at some point I whole record. You got inside it below Clutch Cargo's the same my favorite Brit band," Jenkins friend of the band's manager and I'm flawed. That's it and that's cool.' There's something liberating about that."

Other lyrics are about car accidents, anti-depressants, and jealousy. The happiest song on the Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft album "I Want You" includes the Road, Livonia, or you can leave line "bones weeping in the her a message at (313) 953-2047, grave."

"We make the music we make at CFuoco@aol.com

because we're excited about, Jenkins said. "It's not in order to get a response. It's real to us."

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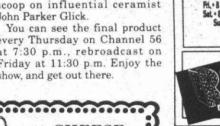
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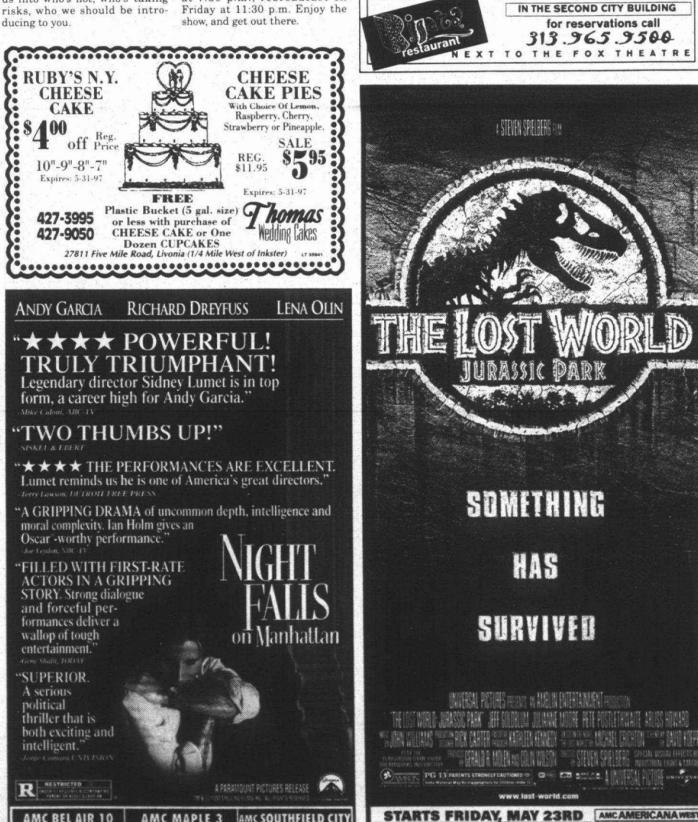
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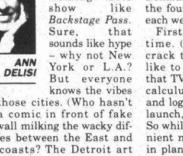






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Regular customers at Wally & Al's Magic Platter like to make themselves at home in the restaurant. That's reflected by the decorations on the walls.

"All the pictures on the wall came from customers," said Wally Bazzi, who owns the restaurant with his brother Al. There are pictures of clowns -

some of whom are customers as well as an Elvis clock and a portrait of Elizabeth Taylor. "The customers put up decora-

tions for Christmas and other holidays. No one asked them, they just do it. It's like a family place for them," said Bazzi.

Traditional American food is featured on the menu with pork chops and broiled chicken breast sandwiches among the most popular items, according to Bazzi. Spaghetti and Greek items are also featured. Breakfast is available anytime with specials offered daily including Sundays.

The highest-priced menu item is a New York Strip steak at \$9.95. A typical special offered recently was meatloaf with potato and vegetable for \$4.50. Dinners comes with all-you-caneat soup.

"I make the soup early so it's available at lunch. Everything is homemade," said Bazzi, who does most of the cooking at the restaurant.

With everything being made fresh, Bazzi said he can cook to

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Friendly place: Wally Bazzi, who owns Wally & Al's Magic Platter with his brother Al serves fine fare at reasonable prices. Customers enjoy the friendly atmosphere.

meet special requests with menu items. "I don't put too much salt

Wally & Al's Magic Platter

Address: 31410 Ford, Garden City (313) 421-1123 Hours: 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily, extended evening hours during the summer

Menu: breakfast served all day, specials, kids menu and ten-percent senior citizen discounts

Reservations: not needed but recommended for large parties on weekend

No liquor No credit cards accepted

in the food. The customers can use the salt themselves," he commented. "We have a lot of lowcalorie dressings and syrup."

Before opening their restaurant about a year ago, the Bazzi brothers had worked about nine years at the Magic Meal Restaurant on Ford Road until it was destroyed by fire.

Waitress Ida Fouse had worked 29 years at different incarnations of the restaurant that ended as the Magic Meal. Now she is working at the Magic Platter where she continues

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friendly banter with customers. "We get a lot of customers from Burger and other schools. People enjoy our food," said Fouse. "They like to harass me. Wally and Al used to think they were mad at me when they would kid around?"

Mail carrier Ann Logan stops by for lunch once or twice a week. "The food is tasty and the prices are good," she said. "I usually get vegetable soup with a lunch special. I like Ida the waitress."

In the past, restaurants at this location have been hampered by limited parking. Bazzi has acquired space for additional parking north of the restaurant off Merriman.

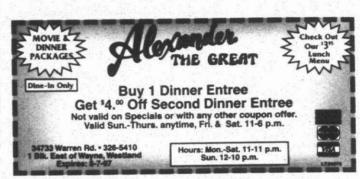
"All of the parking is back

behind the apartment building (adjacent to the restaurant). A lot of people walk from St. Raphael Church on Sundays," Bazzi said.

The attire is casual at the Magic Platter and kids are always welcome. "They love the fish tank and will hang out there to watch the fish," Bazzi said. "We have some books for them to read."

The restaurant doesn't currently have a liquor license. Bazzi said he plans to soon add a juice bar that will offer freshly made fruit and vegetable juices.

The Magic Platter can also accommodate groups for meetings with reservations requested



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peers, was honored for his outstanding leadership qualities, enthusiasm and dedication to students. An experienced ice carver,

Teeple formed the award-winning HFCC Ice and Snow Carving club. Under his leadership, the club has showcased its ice carving talents at ice compe-

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titions and shows in Michigan and Ohio, including the Plymouth International Ice Spectacular.





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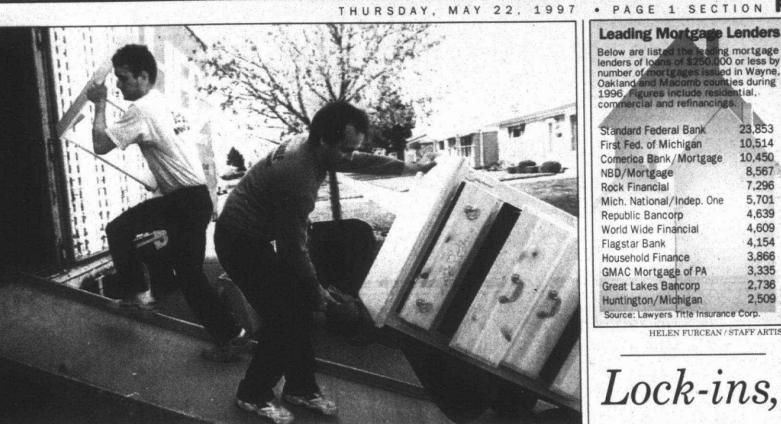
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Loading up: Alan Anderson and Rich Fuller, workers with Reliable Moving & Storage, orchestrate a relocation

Plan move to new home before the summer rush

BY DOUG FUNKE

The offer has been accepted, all the paperwork completed and you're ready to relocate to a new address. Or are you?

How are you going to get your things from Point A to Point B - a professional moving company or a crew of family, friends and a rental fueled by pizza and beer?

When's moving day? Who's going to pack? What are you going to take? Details, details, details.

Planning your work, then working your plan can send you smoothly down the Yellow Brick Road.

"You probably want to start talking with a firm about a month before you're ready to move," said Paul Solberg, operations manager for Reliable Moving & Storage in Canton.

"Our industry is busiest at the end of June, July and August," Solberg said. "Probably half of the people and more move those three months of the summer. No matter how many trucks are available, it's never enough to move those three weeks of the year." "Customers could get better service, better crews and more timely response if they could move at other than the last week of the month," said Bill Phelps, general manager for Palmer Moving & Storage in Troy. Figure on spending \$60-75 per hour for a professional crew of two on weekdays and upwards of \$90-\$100 per hour on Saturdays. "One of the things we run into is a lot of people want to move into or out of a residence the same day they close," Solberg said. "They have the closing at 10, the

movers out at 10:30 or 11. The closing doesn't go smoothly or ends up being postponed. They end up having to pay for stuff to stay on the truck an extra day either at origination or destination

So don't schedule a move on the day you finalize your real estate transaction. Don't schedule farewell or welcoming parties on the day of the move, either.

"Movers will need your assistance to make sure furniture is placed properly," Phelps said. "Each time you're distracted or have to leave the house ... those cause unnecessary delays."

And delays mean money.

If you have young children or pets, let grandma, another relative or friends entertain them off premises for the day.

"Directing movers and keeping an eye on kids at the same time can be very stressful," Solberg said.

Potentially dangerous, too, he added. "When a big truck stops in front of the house, the first thing they (kids)

As for packing, box as much as you can, including clothes. Clearly label all boxes

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"Boxes need lids and need to be sealed tight because everything has to be stacked in the truck," Phelps said.

"One tip we give is maybe leave china and fragile breakables for the mover to pack," Solberg said. Major appliance should be discon-

nected before movers arrive. "A lot of times computers are still

hooked up," Phelps said. "They have to be disassembled." VCRs, too.

Also, make sure what you're packing really needs to go. "We've had people move wood piles," Solberg said. "When you take what it costs to move a wood pile, is it really important?

Garage sales will get rid of unwanted items and provide some extra spending cash.

If you're young, ambitious and costconscious, consider moving yourself.

Ryder Transportation Services charges \$60 per day plus 45 cents per mile for a 15-foot truck, \$90 per day plus 45 cents per mile for 24. ater. dolly, \$10, and furniture pads, \$10 per dozen, are extra. "Heavy items you want to pack between axles, which usually means in front of the cargo area," said Jeff Curtis, rental representative for Ryder in Livonia. "You want to utilize as much space as possible." Remove dresser drawers with clothes inside, haul out the dresser, then reinsert the drawers in the dresser on the truck. Remove legs from tables. "Pack gradually," Curtis said. "You want to start packing early on so when you get to the day before the move, you don't need 20 more boxes."

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Lock-ins, Part II



DAVID C.

MULLY

This is the second column on the topic of mortgage lock-ins. See the Editor's note at the end if you'd like to look up the first part, which ran in last week's Observer & Eccentric.

What options are available for setting the mortgage terms? Lenders may offer different options in establishing the interest rate and points

that you will be charged, such as:

Locked-in interest rate - lockedin points. This option may be considered a true lock-in because your mortgage terms should not increase above the interest rate and points you've agreed on even if market conditions change.

Locked-in interest rate - floating points. If interest rates drop during the lock-in period, the points also may fall. If they rise, the points may also increase. Even if you float your points, your lender may allow you to lock-in the points at some time before settlement at whatever level is then current. If you float your points and market interest rates increase by the time of the settlement, the lender may charge a greater number of points for a loan at rate you've locked in. In this case the benefit you might have had by locks ing in your rate may be lost because you" have to pay more in up-front costs.

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owner of land on Lake - in the Lower Peninsula. Please tell me what limitations are placed upon me and my neighbors in regard to the use of the lake and its water.

Q. I am a riparian

A. Use of the water by riparian owners of inland lakes is governed by the principals of reasonableness. Thus, where there are several riparian own-

ers on an inland lake, they may use the surface of the whole lake for boating, swimming, fishing and other similar riparian rights as long as they do not interfere with the reasonable use of the waters by other riparian owners.

Obviously, the definition of reasonable use depends upon the facts of each case. there is a three-prong test, however, for determining reasonableness. They are:

1. Attention should be given to the size, character and natural state of the water course

2. Consideration should be given to the type and purpose of the uses proposed and their effect on the water course.

3. A court will balance the benefit that would result for the proposed user with an injury to other riparian owners. But, if we discussed all the interpretations the court has made, we would fill up the rest of the newspaper. A lawyer can give you more information if you have a specific problem. Robert M. Meisner is an Oakland County

area attorney concentrating his practice in the areas of condominiums, real estate, corporate law and litigation. You are invited to submit topics that you would like to see discussed in this column, including questions about condominiums, by writing Robert M. Meisner, 30200 Telegraph Road, Suite 467, Bingham Farms MI 48025. His email address is bmeisner@mich.com and his web site is http:// www.meisner-law.com This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal opinion.

want to do is climb into the truck," Solberg said.

Tony Lanzilotti, manager for Two Men and a Truck in Southfield, advises families to "put a knapsack together" with things they'll need immediately that might not be readily available at the new address.

That might include snack foods, soap, toothbrush, shampoo, towels, and a change of clothes.

Schedule disconnect and connect of gas, electricity, telephone and cable TV one or two weeks prior to the move and complete a change-of-address form at the post office a week in advance, Lanzilotti added.

Floating interest rate - floating points. Under this option, the lender lets you lock in the interest rate and the points at some time after application but before settlement. If you think that rates will remain level or even go down, you may want to wait on lockingin a particular rate and points. If rates go up, you should expect to be charged the higher rate.

How long are lock-ins valid?

Usually, the lender will promise to hold a certain interest rate and number of points for a given number of days, and to get these terms you must settle on the loan within the time period. Lock-ins of 30 to 60 days are common. But some lenders may offer a lock-ion for only a short period of time for example, seven days after your loan is approved) while some others might offer longer lock-ins (up to 120 days). Lenders that charge a lock-in fee may charge a higher fee for the longer lock-in period. Usually, the longer the period, the greater the fee.

The lock-in period should be long enough to allow for settlement, and any other contingencies imposed by the lender, before the lock-in expires. Before deciding on the length of the lock-in to ask for, you should find out the average time for processing loans in your area and ask your lender to estimate (in writing, if possible) the time needed to process your loan. You'll also want to take into account any factors that might delay your settlement. These may include delays that you can anticipate in providing materials about your financial condition and, in case you are buying a new house, unanticipated construction delays. Finally, ask

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Midwest houses lead price increases

WASHINGTON (AP) - Gains in home prices outpaced inflation over the year that ended in March, with the biggest increases reported in the Midwest and South.

Nationally, the median price of existing homes rose 4 percent to \$119,400 meaning half sold for more and half for less, the National Association of Realtors said.

In the Midwest, the median price jumped 5.6 percent to \$102,000, double the 2.8 percent inflation rate over the period.

Housing markets in the Northeast were more sluggish, with the median rising 2.2 percent to \$141,700. In the West, the median increased 3.1 percent to \$153,700.

"In the Midwest, manufacturing is doing well and when the (local) economy is doing well, the housing market will do pretty well too," said economist Kim Kennedy of Cahners Economics in Newton, Mass.

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Nationally, home prices should continue to advance faster than inflation in the next year, though not quite as much as 4 percent, Kennedy and other analysts said. That should support continued strength in consumer spending. "Clearly it's a major positive for consumers' confidence that their homes are appreciating and that they have a solid investment in addition to any gains they may have made in mutual funds," said economist Lynn Reaser of Barnett Banks Inc. in Jacksonville, Fla.

The three markets with the biggest price gains were Greenville, S.C., up 15.8 percent to \$111,100; Mobile, Ala., up 13.3 percent to \$89,400; and Aurora, Ill., up 11.9 percent to \$147,100.

The solid gains in the South partly reflect the long-term demographic trend of people moving from the North-east to the South and West, Reaser said

But prices declined in 31 of the 131 metropolitan areas surveyed by the

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real estate trade group. Values fell 13.9 percent in Bradenton, Fla., to \$86,500; 7.9 percent in Gary, Ind., to \$88,100; ard 5.4 percent in Honolulu to \$313,800.

Reaser said Bradenton's housing market is healthy and the drop in the median price probably reflected a shift in the mix of sales toward smaller

"Basically, it's just some return to a more normal level," she said. "But if ou just looked at the headline, you'd think it was in trouble."

Honolulu, still the nation's priciest market despite the decline, has been hurt by a decline in tourism and vestment from Japan, she said.

However, in the second most expenrive market, San Francisco, the median price rose 7.5 percent to \$271,100, reflecting the booming computer and high tech industries. But the median fell 1.7 percent in Los Angeles to \$169,200.

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for a lock-in with as few contingencies as possible.

What happens if the lock-in

period expires? If you don't settle within the lenders will offer the loan based lock-in period, you might lose the on the prevailing interest rate the settlement process or he lender. For example, you loan approval could be delayed if the lender has to wait for any documents from you or from others such as employers, appraisers,

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particularly when loan demand that the lock-in expires and the moving more quickly. lender may be unable to afford to offer the same terms if market rates have increased.) Lenders that intend to keep the loans they make may have more flexibility in those cases where settlement is not reached before the lock-in expires.

How can you speed up the

approval of the loan? While the lender has the greatest role in how fast your loan application is processed, there are certain things you can (When lenders lock in loan terms do to speed up its approval. Try for borrowers, they often have an to find out what documentation termite inspectors, builders, and agreement with investors to buy the lender will require from you individuals selling the home. On these loans based on the lock-in and bring it with you when you occasion, lenders are themselves terms. That agreement may apply for a loan. This may help and addresses of your creditors.

When you first meet with your lender, be sure to bring the following documents: The purchase contract for

the house. Your bank account numbers. the address of your bank branch and your latest bank statement, plus pay stubs, W-2 forms, or other proof of employment and salary, to help the lender check

your finances • If you are self-employed, balance sheets, tax returns for twothree previous years, and other information about your business. Information about debts.

including loan and credit card account numbers and the names • Evidence of your mortgage or celed checks.

 Certificate of Eligibility from the VA if you want a VA-guaranteed loan. Your lender may be able to help you obtain this.

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check on the status of your application and offer to help contact others such as employers who may need to provide documents and other information for your

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I hope you'll return to this column next week for the final installment on this series about interest rate lock-ins. Or. if you have any other questions, feel free to call me at the numbers

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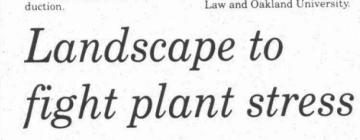
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Town Country office in Rochester. A estate salesman since 1977, Layne has acquired Quality Ser-



BY JAMES E. WALTERS FOR AP SPECIAL FEATURES In landscape watering, the goal

should be to keep plants from Longtime gardeners constantly looking at a plant for

signs of stress and what may be causing it. This requires close attention to not only the plants but also to soil and weather conditions A few basic practices smooth

the problem. Realize that watering requirements change as a plant grows, and there is a need

to water accordingly. It also helps to group plants according to their water requirements. Place together trees, shrubs and flowers that have high or low requirements. This

will help keep them from being over- or under-watered. While not always possible, such grouping should be the leading objective. Soil salts are water soluble, so deep watering is worth a try whenever a plant seems in trouble. A long, slow watering moves

the salts below the roots. Soil-salt damage often appears much like the injury resulting from abnormally low rainfall or drought. Growth is stunted. There can be yellowing leaves, leaf burn, leaf drop, branch

dieback. Be sure that the symptoms aren't caused by excess water.

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Levett, a Farmington Hills resident, has acquired the professional designations of Graduate Realtors Institute and Realtor Alumni of Michigan.

Randy C. Stone has joined D.A. Alexander & Co., a landscape contractor in Livonia, as construction supervisor. He will spearhead the firm's landscape onstruction division.

Stone has 15 years experience in the architectural and construction engineering fields, 10 years as a licensed builder.

Maurice D. Freed, a West Bloomfield resident, has joined the Farbman Group, a commercial/industrial real estate firm in Southfield, as an associate bro-

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Determine moisture depth by how easily a long screwdriver or narrow rod goes into the ground. peratures cooler. It will be hard to push into dry /an automatic irrigation system While signs of wilting are bad

news, they can be caused by too much water or too little. Established plants can tolerate

some wilting and probably won't die from lack of water. They just won't grow very fast or look as

New plants and seedlings will need watering before they reach the stress stage. They become

established through root growt and a good top-to-root balance Some species take one to two years, or even more. Until you are sure they are established give them close attention. Don' try to water on a fixed schedule.

With a newly purchased plant the original advice is usually to water every couple of days after planting. The plant may look happy for months. But if such watering continues, it begins to wilt and drop leaves despite the attention lavished upon it. Actually, it is drowning from lack of soil oxygen. More water finishes

It is better to water every other day for the first couple of weeks and then reduce this to once or twice a week.

Light but daily watering wil establish shallow root-systems subject to quick drying. Since a plant wilts if the roots don't have sufficient moisture, the deeper the roots go the less vulnerable the plant is to fluctuations at the soil surface and sudden drying.

Conditions vary, but start by assuming that one to two hours of slow soaking will wet the average soil to a depth of 2 feet and six to eight hours will reach 4 to 5 feet. In general, flowers root at least 1 foot deep; established shrubs 3-to-4-feet deep and most mature trees 5 feet or more.

Mulching is another good technique. Apply organic material to the soil surface to prevent drying. hold down weeds and keep tem-

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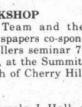
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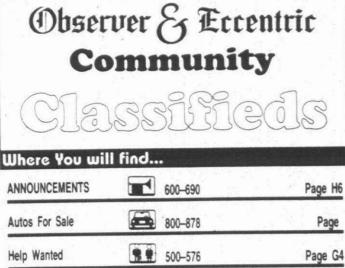
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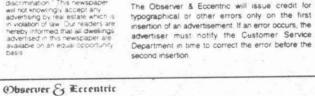
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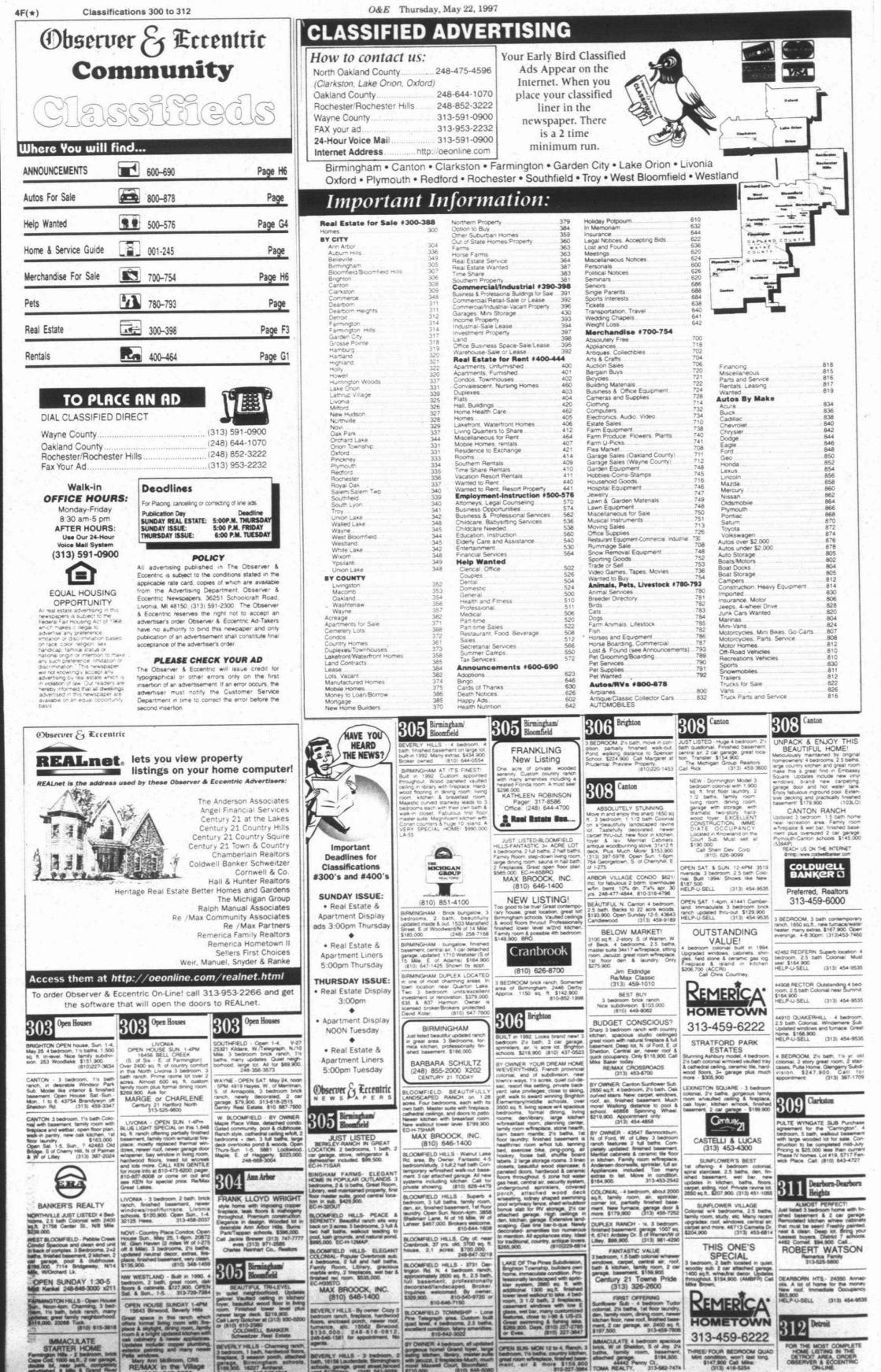
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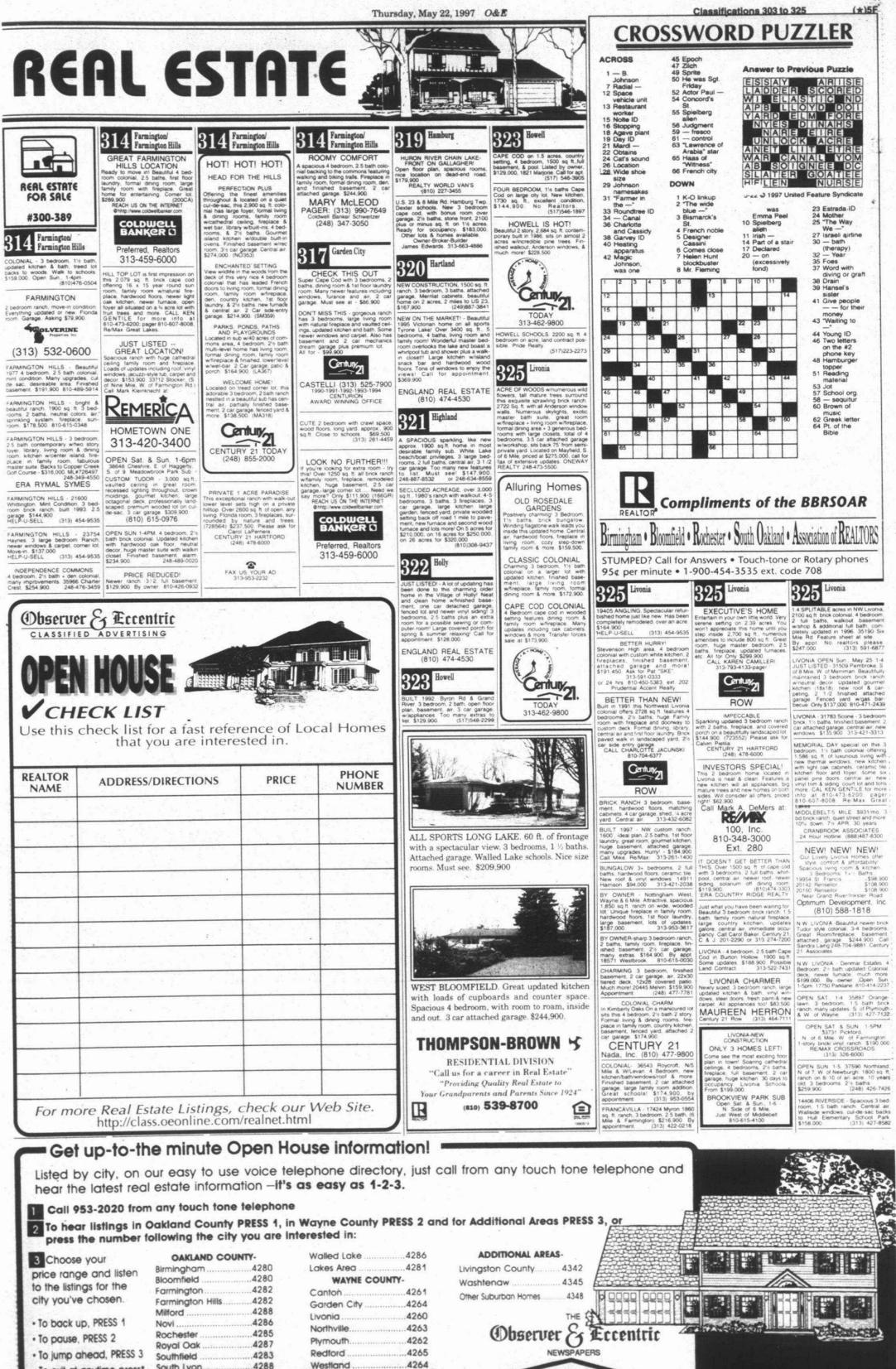
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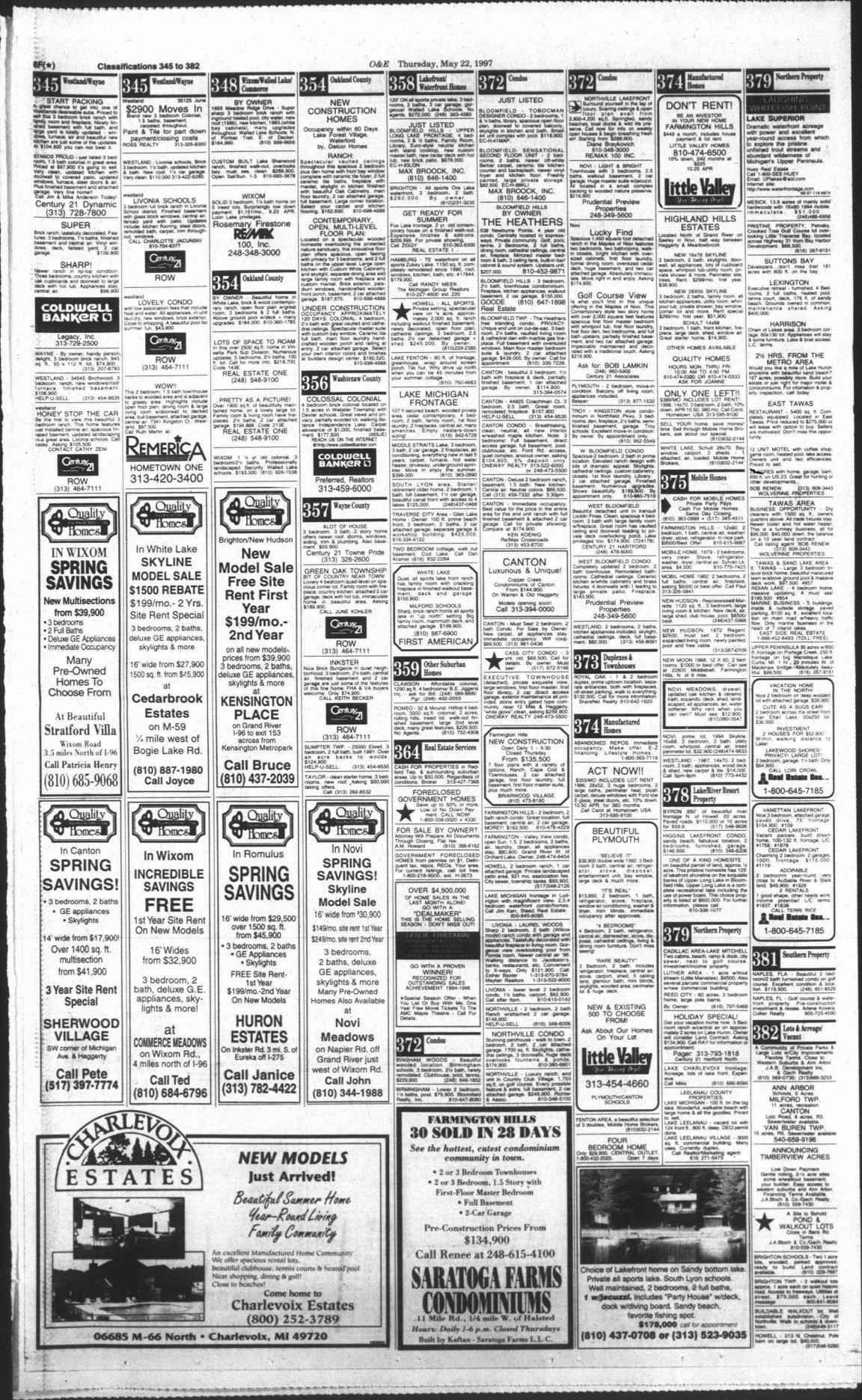
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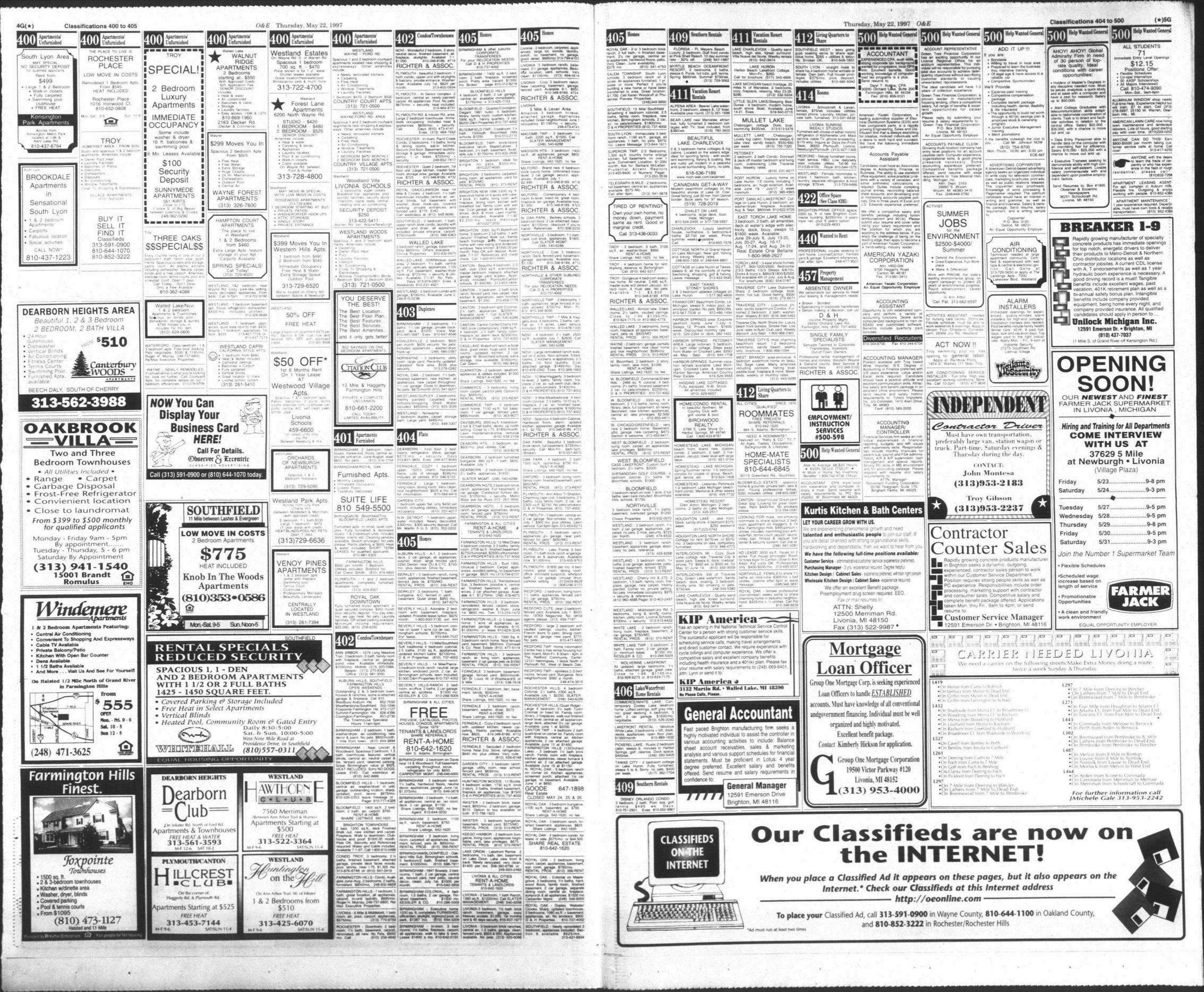
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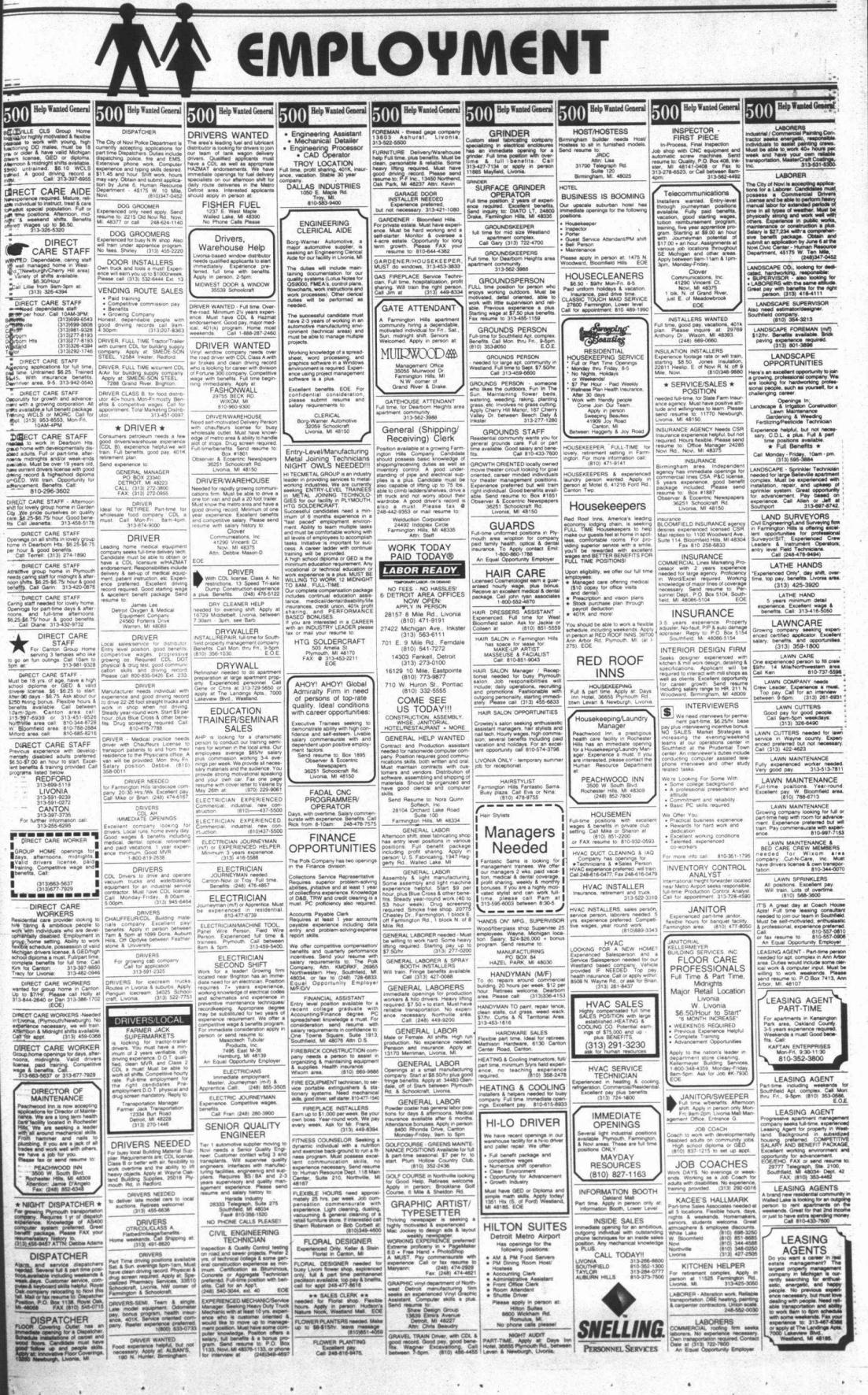
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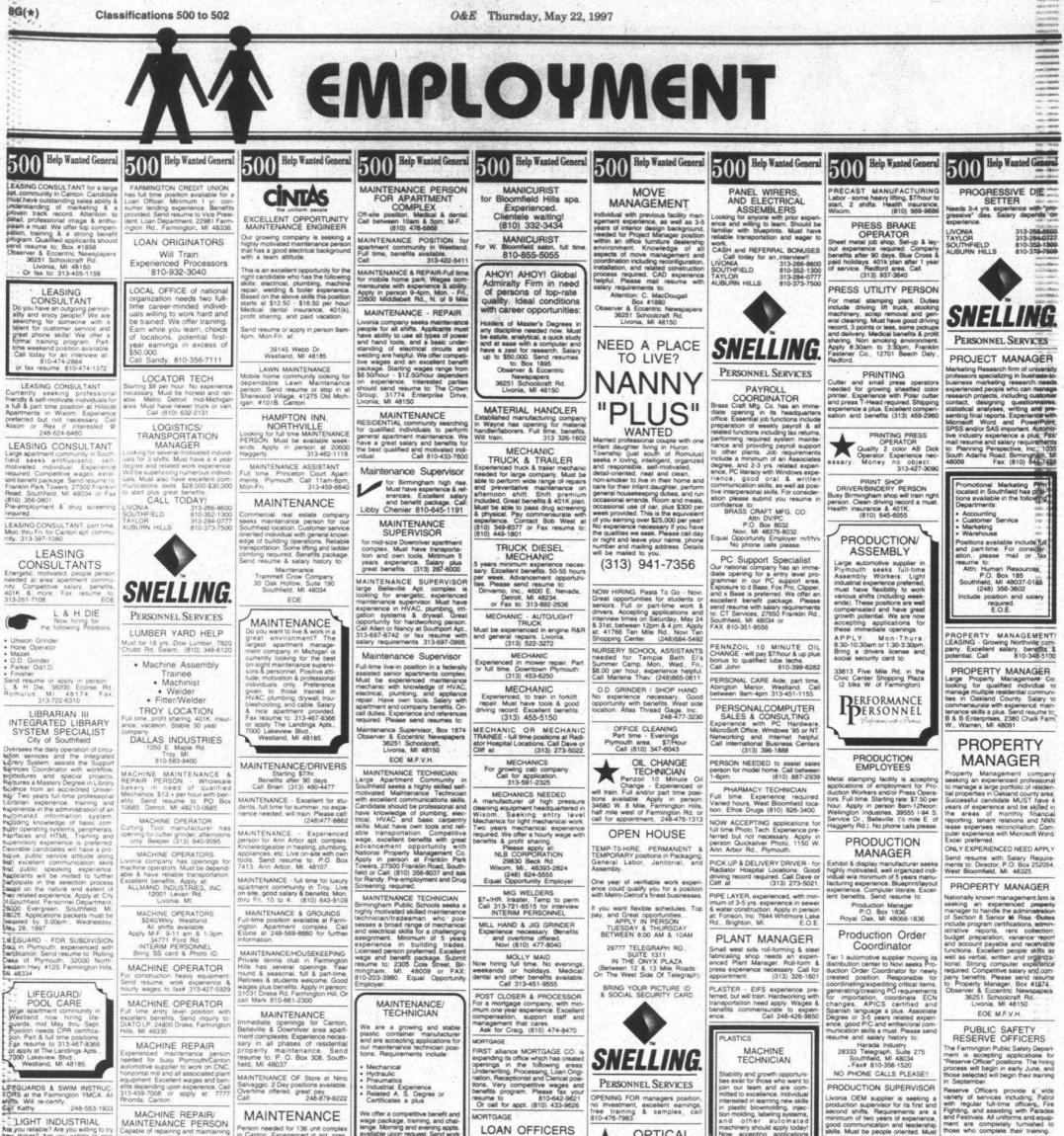
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SWM, 28, looking for love and laughter, enjoys cooking, movies, and time with someone special, race open. \$22727

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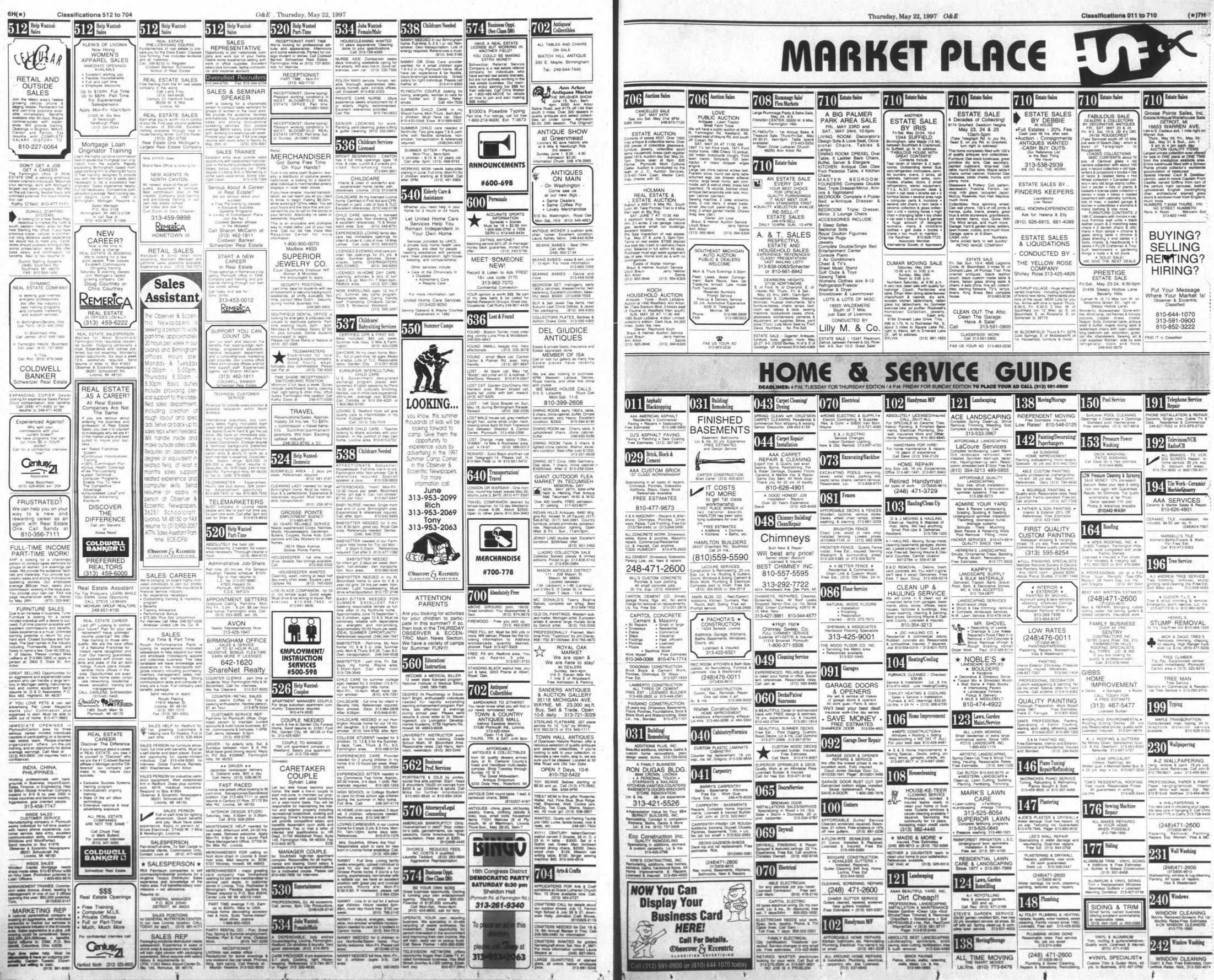
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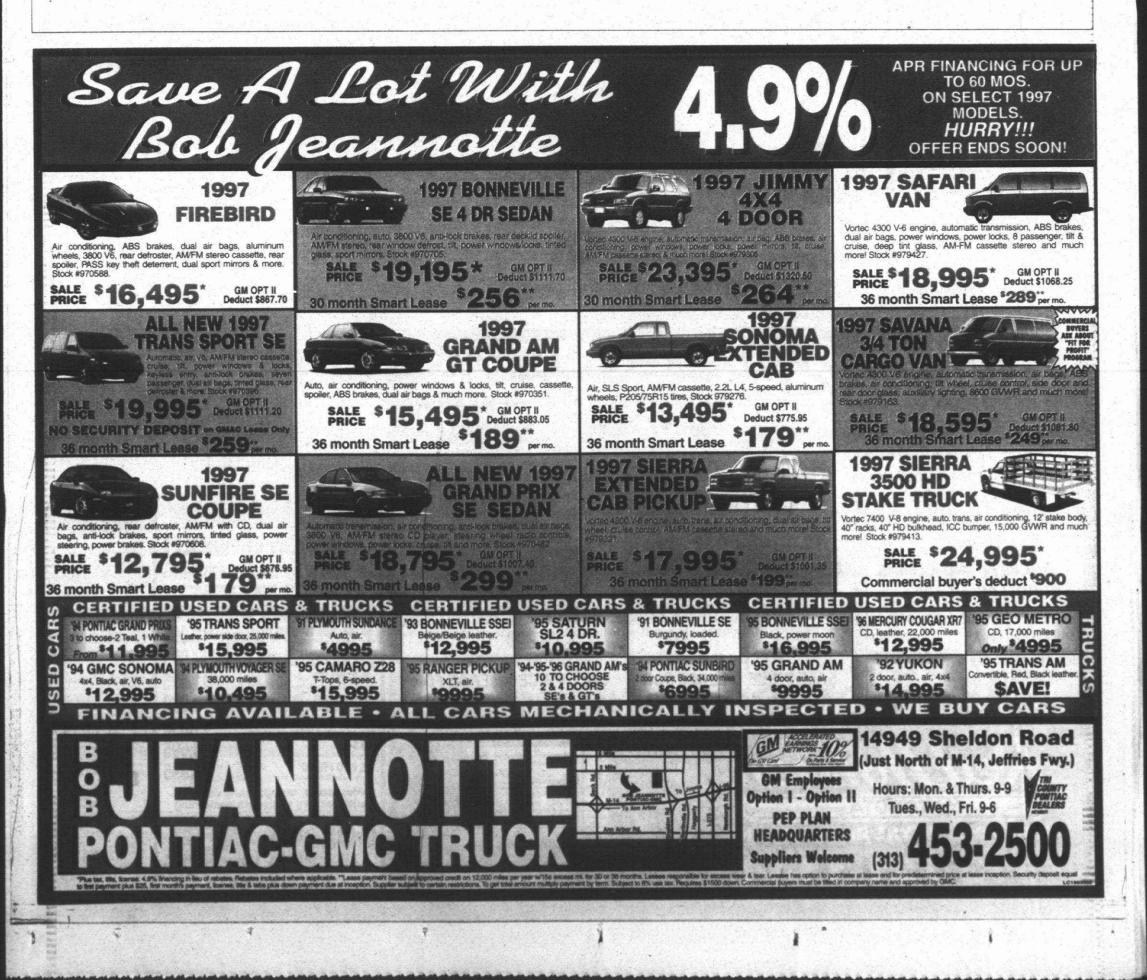
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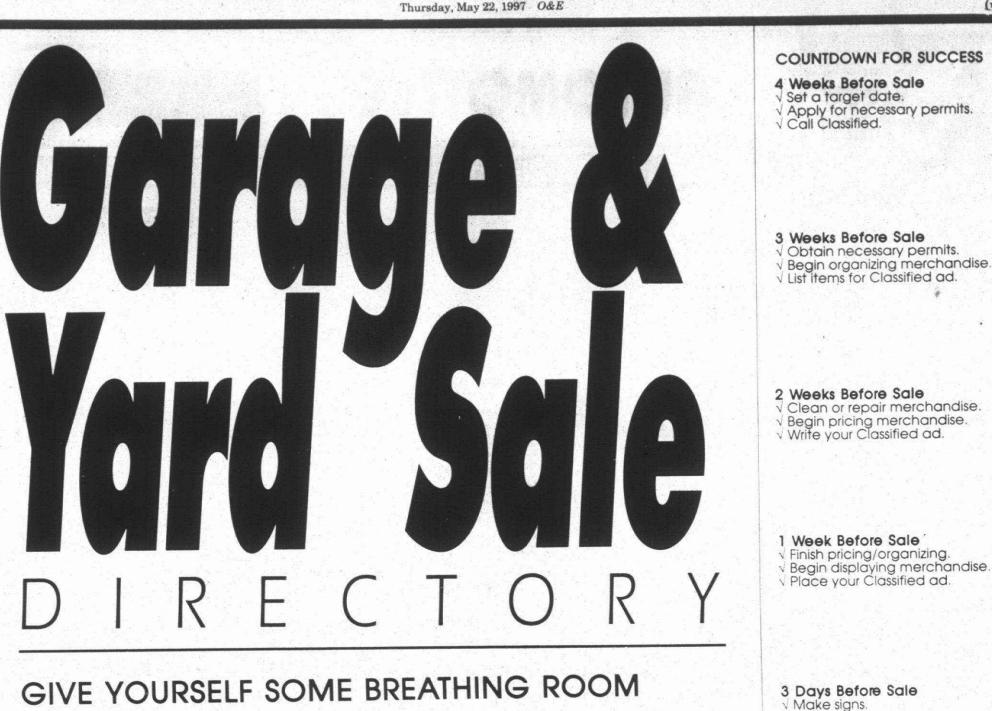
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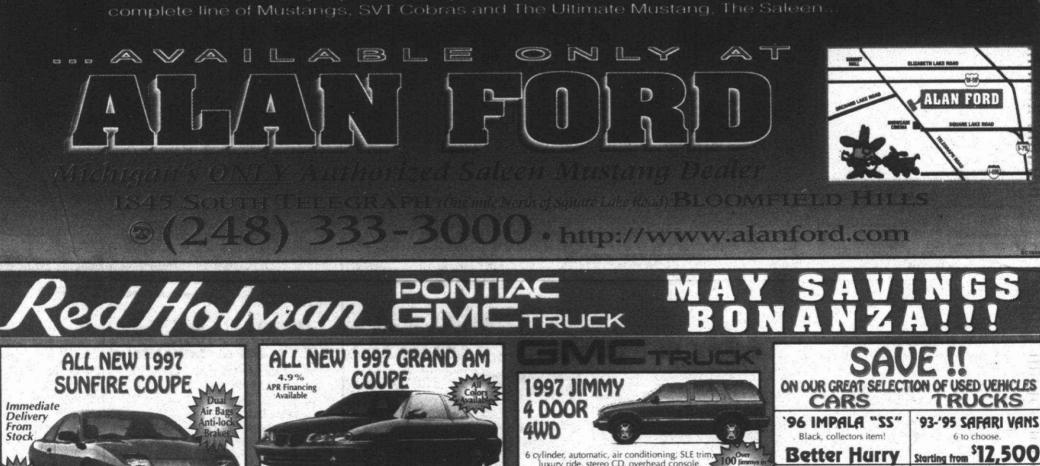
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