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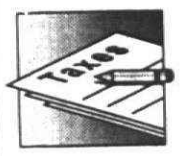
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Some farm assessments reduced



Canton Township farmers whose property tax bills increased by as much as 300 percent have sought and received some reductions. Meanwhile, others are looking to appeal their increases to the Michigan Tax Tribunal.

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

Canton farmer Don Gill still isn't sure if he's going to appeal his property tax assessment to the Michigan Tax Tribunal.

"I'm debating. If I don't try to get relief this year, who knows what will happen next year?" said Gill, who owns 200 acres.

Gill is one of those many farmers who own land west of Canton Center Road who got hit this year with triple-digit assessment increases. Like his farming neighbors in western Canton, Gill appealed his 282-percent increase to the Canton Board of Review.

"I got a reduction. But it's still a 32-percent increase," Gill said.

According to Canton assessor John McLenaghan, the board of review had 1,051 appeals this year and gave $2.89 million in reductions, including hardship cases.

McLenaghan, of Wayne County Appraising Co., said assessments were reduced on about 100 properties west of Canton Center Road. "Individual parcels were looked at. There was no cut across the board," McLenaghan said, referring to the farmers.

Supervisor Tom Yack said he plans to meet with the assessor again to see how the farmers' land was reduced. "I believe substantial reductions were made based on information from the farmers and on sales information," Yack said.

McLenaghan said previously that the farmers' assessments were based on market value. "The master plan now reasonably reflects what is expected to happen there, and it's residential."

The language of the master land use plan — that triggered the increases — is something township trustees

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Yank diners honor the Outback, mate

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

While you're trying to save for that once-in-a-lifetime trip to Australia, the Outback Steakhouse in Canton might be just the thing to keep you holding on.

"We sort of played off the Crocodile Dundee theme. Everyone seems to have a love affair with Australia. And some never get to go there," said Gary Harchelroad, managing partner of the popular restaurant in the Canton Commons shopping center on Ford Road.

The wood-paneled interior decor is designed to give patrons a taste of the Australian outback, complete with boomerangs and road signs, like "Wombats 10 km," decorating the walls.

That's not to mention the even more familiar reminders of Australia — a mother kangaroo and a joey or lovable koalas that warm up the restaurant.

The menu and the cuisine also boast an Australian theme. Appetizers such as Kookaburra Wings and Walkabout Soup say it all. Entrees — Alice Springs Chicken, Jackeroo Chops and Ribs on the Barbie — are no different, including the Joey Menu for the tykes.

The Outback was recently voted a top restaurant by readers in Michigan Living magazine's third annual "Best of Michigan" Treasure Awards. The Outback won in the Best New Restaurant category. Canton had the first Outback in Michigan. Two others are now located in West Bloomfield and Shelby Township.

Even if you haven't taken a trip to the Outback, you're probably familiar with it. It's the place where the parking lot is always full. It's also the place where 10 months after opening, you still have to wait a good 45 minutes.

"You can tell them it's a 45-50 minute wait and people still want to wait," Harchelroad said.

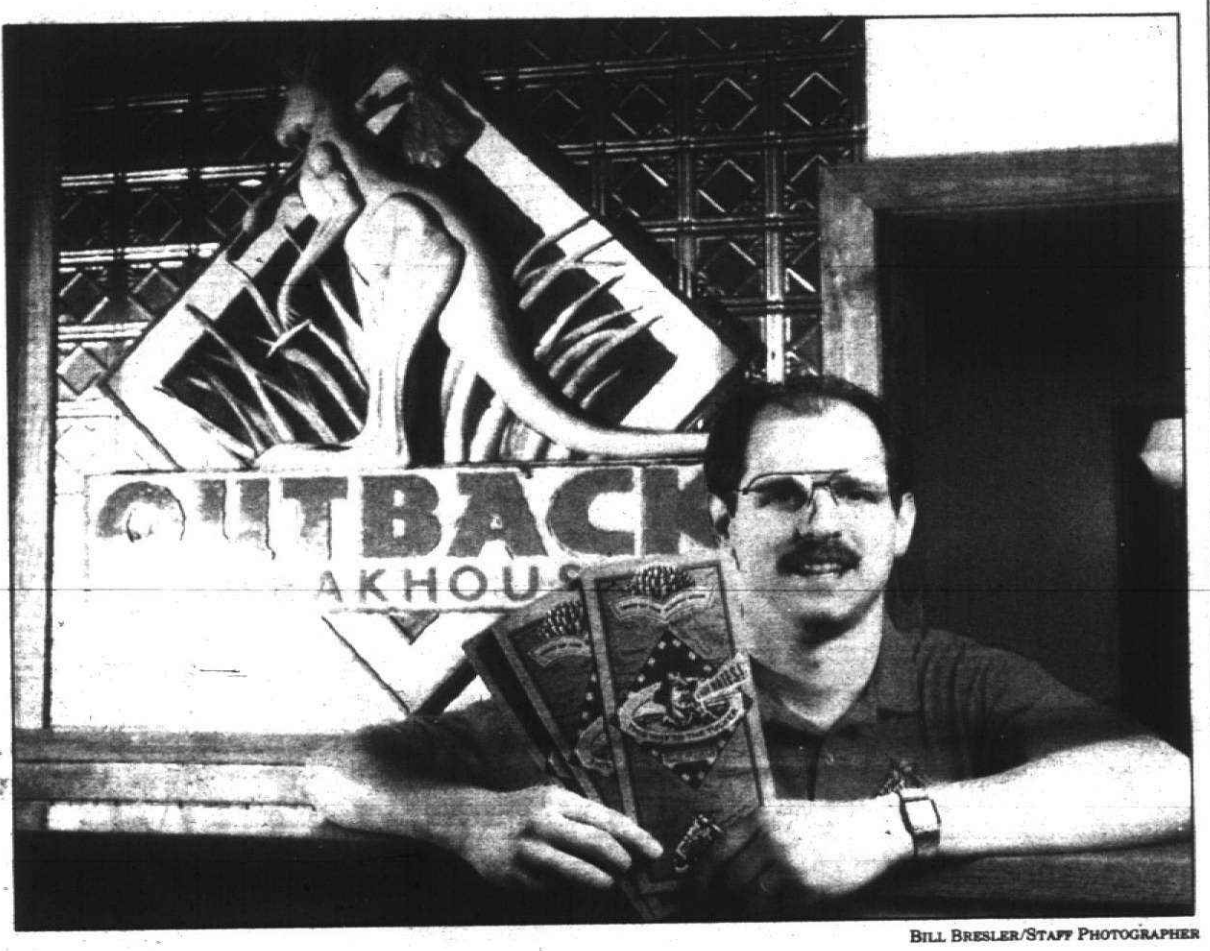
In fact, some people have a system. On their way home, they will stop, put their name on the list and go home or do some errands until their 45 or so minutes have passed.

No doubt the restaurant boasts an atmosphere that piques patrons' interest. But Harchelroad is convinced the homemade cuisine and the service are what keep people coming back.

"We spend all day getting ready for dinner. Everything is homemade. We don't do anything prepackaged," Harchelroad said.

If you've dined at the Outback, you've probably noticed the distinct

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BILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Australian experience: *Gary Harchelroad, managing partner of the Outback Steakhouse in Canton, says the restaurant follows a Crocodile Dundee theme.*

Five candidates seek school board posts

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BY M.B. DILLON
STAFF WRITER



Artley

Voters will elect one of five candidates for Plymouth-Canton Board of Education when they go to the polls June 14.

Running for a single four-year term are incumbent trustee Dave Artley of Canton Township; Rev. William Myers of Canton; Robert Burger of Plymouth Township; Steve Kilijanczyk of Canton; and Terry Chuhran, also of Canton. All five submitted petitions and were certified by the April 12 deadline.

Also on the ballot will be a 4-mill, two-year tax increase and a 17.74-mill renewal.

If approved, the four-mill increase will cost the owner of a $100,000 house an additional $200 per year. The owner of a $160,000 home would pay an extra $320, while the owner of a $240,000 home would pay $480 more in property taxes.

Eligible to vote are residents registered by May 17. Voters must be 18 years old and live in the district. Prospective voters may register in their township or city clerk's office, or in any Secretary of State's office.



Burger



Kilijanczyk

It'll be the second trip of the month to the ballot box for voters. Gov. John Engler's school finance proposal will be decided at the polls June 2. Under the governor's plan, the sales tax would be raised from the current 4 percent to 6 percent by constitutional amendment. School operating property taxes would be reduced to 18 mills statewide, also by constitutional amendment. School boards could ask voters to authorize a maximum of 27 mills. The Plymouth-Canton schools now levy 33.8 mills.

The finance package would guarantee per-pupil spending of $4,800 per year in every school district. Beginning in 1993, property assessments would be increased by 5 percent, or the rate of inflation, whichever is less.

Thief steals Rolls Royce from Cadillac dealership

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

Good taste is what the man had who drove off in a 1991 Rolls Royce Silver Spur from Don Massey Cadillac April 8.

"The staff saw him take the car," said Det. Sgt. Skip Ward of the Western Wayne Auto Theft Unit, which is working with Plymouth Township police to track down the $125,000 car and the man who took it.

Police are uncertain how the man stole the car that was parked in the Massey lot on Ann Arbor Road at about 3 p.m. April 8. Plymouth Township Police Chief Carl Berry said he doesn't believe the keys were in the ignition.

But Don Massey is offering a substantial award for the return of the car. The undisclosed award is contingent on the condition of the car — in which Queen Elizabeth of England reportedly rode — when it is returned, Ward said.

The four-door luxury car has a tan top with an off-white or cream-colored body and saddle tan-colored interior, Ward said.

The man seen driving off in the car is described as a black man of medium complexion with short hair and a silver earring in his left ear. He is described as in his late 20s or early 30s, well-groomed and neat in appearance.

If anyone has information regarding the theft or has seen the Rolls Royce or the described man, call either Ward at the auto theft unit at (313) 397-0090 or Plymouth Township police at 453-3869.



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Stolen car: *This is what the 1991 Rolls Royce Silver Spur that was stolen April 8 from Don Massey Cadillac looks like. It has a tan top and cream-colored body. The interior is a saddle tan-colored leather.*

Vandalism hits 17 autos

Seventeen vehicles, including a motor home, were badly damaged by someone who got into a fenced area of a Canton body shop April 9.

Police responded to a suspicious-situation report at Hines Park Body Shop, 41000 Capitol, according to a Canton police report.

Police found 17 vehicles in the lot badly damaged. Damage included broken windows, scrapes and dents, doors ripped off, accessories such as radios torn out, as well as mirrors.

COP CALLS

Youths arrested

Six youths, including an 18-year-old, were taken into Canton police custody after they were found inside the Tonda Elementary School April 10.

When police arrived at the school, which is under construction on Warren, east of Beck, they saw an 1993 Oldsmobile coming from the rear of the school. They stopped the driver and occupants, who said they were playing basketball in the school's gym, according to a police report.

Police found vandalism in the school. The youths were charged with malicious destruction of property.

Fingerprinting scheduled

Police will fingerprint children May 8 at the Sherwood Mobile Home Park on Michigan Avenue, as well as at the Liberty Fest, June 26 and 27. They will do the same again July 10 at the Family Fun Fest at Canton Place.

Parents are given the prints to keep on record.

Store offers 'helping hugs'

It's hard to resist a teddy bear. And Canton and Plymouth Township firefighters and police count on that with the Helping Hugs program.

"We use them out on the road," Canton Fire Chief Mike Rorabacher said of the teddy bears and ducks donated by Target in Canton. "They have a comforting effect on the kids."

The stuffed toys are used to help children in an emergency. Rorabacher recalled last year when a boy was knocked off his bike: "We gave him a bear. It took his mind off his troubles. Fortunately, he wasn't hurt badly."

In its second year, Helping Hugs is a program developed by Target stores. All Target stores participate. The Canton store donated 62 bears and 10 ducks.

"We give them to fire departments, police and paramedics," said Mary Spano, Target store team leader.



Helping hugs: *Canton Fire Chief Mike Rorabacher, Canton community relations officer Tammie Colling, Plymouth Township Fire Chief Larry Groth and Trenton firefighter Rick Benedetti pick up stuffed toys from Mary Spano, Target store team leader.*

Author to speak

Popular Michigan true-crime author and novelist Lowell Cauffiel will speak at the Canton Public Library at 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 21.

An autograph session will follow Cauffiel's talk. His books will be available for purchase.

Cauffiel will speak in the library meeting room, 1200 S. Canton Center Road, in celebration of National Library Week, April 18-24.

To register, call 397-0999.

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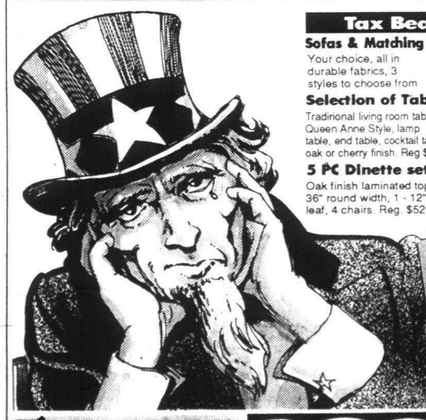


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Celebrating spring: *A teacher at the Plymouth-Canton Montessori School in Canton Township leads youngsters on a bunny hop through the halls. The activity was part of the school's spring celebration held last week.*



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Hopping: *Jacquelin Chudy demonstrates the bunny hop for her classmates at Plymouth-Canton Montessori School.*

Montessori stresses child's freedom

BY JILL HALPIN
STAFF WRITER

Some 20 years ago, Kay Neff of Dearborn Heights, was looking for a preschool for her oldest child when she stumbled upon a small non-profit school with seven students.

Impressed with the program's hands-on approach to learning, she enrolled her child and "watched him thrive."

The school was Dearborn Heights Montessori school, one of the only Montessori schools in the area at that time.

"I wanted a school that encouraged curiosity and a desire for knowledge," Neff said.

As her other children reached preschool age, she also enrolled them, only to learn that the school was closing. After talking with other Montessori parents who were as pleased with school as she was, Neff purchased the school. She now owns and operates three of the six Montessori centers in western Wayne County.

Physician's theory

Based on the philosophy of Italian physician and educator Maria Montessori (1870-1952), the schools focus on the development of the whole child — emotionally, socially and academically.

Montessori, who was the first woman in Italy to receive a medical degree, became interested in education as assistant physician at a university psychiatric clinic. She spent time working with disadvantaged youths and formed very distinct opinions on how children learn, said Navaz Bhavnagri of the school of education at Wayne State University.

"One of Montessori's hallmarks is the profound respect it holds for children," said Linda Meyers, an administrator at the Plymouth-Canton Montessori.

"Montessori believed that children are unique individuals who are able to operate in the environment we give them . . . they grow through learning on their own," Meyers said.

Montessori students are taught to respect themselves as well as one another. One of the first lessons a Montessori student learns is to step carefully around a fellow student's work.

Orderly atmosphere

Respecting one another helps create an orderly atmosphere that is conducive to learning, said Sister Mary Paulita of Our Lady Montessori Center in Livonia.

A member of the Felician Order, Sister Paulita has been involved with Montessori for the past 13 years.

Montessori programs emphasize the "completion of cycles," she said.

At Our Lady of Montessori Center, children learn to finish projects and put them away before heading to another activity area. She believes this helps children acquire patience and independence.

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Beautiful bonnet: *Emily Johnston models her handiwork at the spring celebration last week at Plymouth-Canton Montessori School.*



JIM JAGDFELD/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Director: *Kay Neff of Dearborn Heights sent her children to Montessori schools when they were young because she was impressed with their hands-on approach. Now she owns three (Dearborn Heights, Livonia and Plymouth-Canton) of six centers in western Wayne County.*

Area has 6 Montessori schools

There are six Montessori schools operating in the area. All offer preschool and kindergarten classes and are equipped with day care facilities. Two of the schools also have elementary programs. Parents may contact the school to set up a time for observation prior to registering.

In keeping with the Montessori philosophy, preschool and kindergarten children attend five classes weekly. All centers offer morning and afternoon classes with before and after day care. The Northville Montessori center also offers a full-day Montessori program for preschoolers and kindergartners.

For more information on Montessori, parents may also contact the Montessori Society of Michigan at 420-2600.

Western Wayne County schools are:

■ Dearborn Heights Montessori School, 4950 Madison, Dearborn Heights.

The school offers programs for children ages 2¼ through fifth grade. Preschool, kindergarten and elementary classes are available as well as day care. Tuition for preschool and kindergarten is $2,175 for the half-day sessions; elementary tuition is $5,300. Day care costs are additional. Registration is begin accepted now for summer and fall programs. Call administrator Lois Callahan, Karen Durante or Nancy Lininger at 291-3200 for more information.

■ Livonia Montessori School, 32765 Lyndon, Livonia.

The school offers programs for children ages 2½ to 6. Preschool, kindergarten and day care is available. Tuition is $2,175 per year for half-day sessions. Day care costs are additional. For registration contact school administrator Kathy Saur at 427-8255.

■ Montessori Center of Our Lady, 36800 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia. The school offers programs for children ages 3-6 years. Preschool, kindergarten and day care is available. Tuition is $1,200 for half-day sessions, $2,400 for full day sessions (half-day with day care). Registration for fall classes was held in February, however, parents may elect to place their child on a waiting list. Contact administrator Sister Mary Paulita at 591-1599 for more information.

■ Northville Montessori Center, 15709 Haggerty Road, Plymouth. The school offers programs for children ages 2½ through sixth grade. Preschool, kindergarten and elementary classes as well as day care is available. The school also offer a full day program for preschoolers and kindergartners. Tuition for half-day session is $1,600 per school year, and $3,200 for full days. Day care costs are additional. Registration is being accepted now for summer and fall programs. Contact administrator Lynn Gall at 420-0924 for more information.

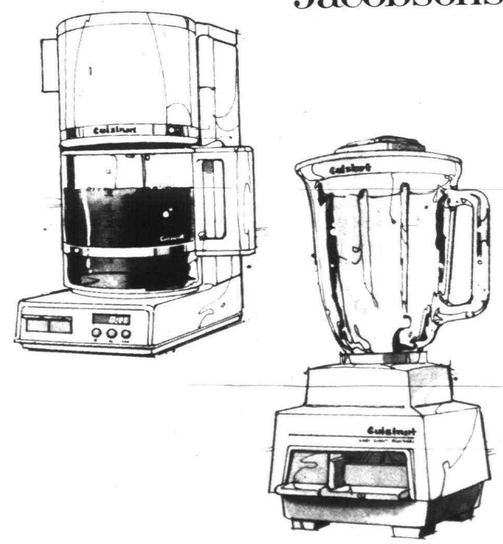
■ Plymouth-Canton Montessori School 45245 Joy Road, Canton Township.

The school offers programs for children ages 2½ through 6. Preschool, kindergarten and day care is offered. Tuition is $2,200 per school year (from September to June). Day care costs are additional. Fee varies for summer classes. Contact Elaine Rauch or Linda Meyers at 459-1550 for more information about summer and fall registration.

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Assessments

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plan to study. A study session is planned.

"We'll be looking at the whole issue of classification, assessments, zoning and what was done in 1990 (with the master plan)," Yack said.

Farmers took exception to the fact that the assessor reclassified their agricultural property to residential for tax purposes. That's something Gill, for one, plans to appeal if he goes to the Michigan Tax Tribunal.

Gill, like many Canton farmers, operates with a government contract under Public Act 116, which locks him into farming the land for a certain number of years.

"I'm committed to doing nothing else with it," Gill said. And it's not like anyone is knocking down his door to buy the land.

"We have had no one try to buy this land for over 20 years."

That's why Gill doesn't understand the reclassification of his property. "In my opinion, a speculator will not buy my land. The speculator will hope I can't pay my taxes and he'll buy it at a tax sale."

Yack said he's still studying the issue, including reclassification. "It's been the assessor's contention that he works off the market value and not necessarily does the classification work into it," Yack said.

But he and Loren Bennett, township clerk, and Elaine Kirchgatter, township treasurer, have met with the assessor. "We identified areas we thought could be improved as it relates to customer service," Yack said.

Police use sting in booze crackdown

By Joanne Maliszewski
Staff Writer

With high school prom and graduation season around the corner, Canton police are seeking cooperation from stores and restaurants in a beefed up effort to curtail underage drinking.

Beginning May 1, Canton police will begin a new liquor control enforcement program to prevent the sale of liquor, beer and wine, to anyone under 21 years of age, the state's legal drinking age.

"This is the first program we have set up and run like this," Capt. Alex Wilson said. "This isn't just because of graduation. There seems to be, in my opinion, more of an awareness of alcohol consumption by minors and drunk drivers."

The program is a two-pronged enforcement effort, including covert operations and inspections.

The police intend to use an underage decoy who will enter liquor-licensed establishments and attempt to buy an alcoholic beverage. "The underage decoy will behave in a prescribed manner that will enable us to issue violations," Wilson said.

If licensees or employees sell to the decoy, the licensee will be reported to the Michigan Liquor Control Commission. Violators will be charged under state LCC rules and regulations.

Penalties include warnings, fines, license suspension or revocation and shutting down the business. In the last five years, liquor licenses for two businesses were suspended by the LCC.

If police find repeat offenders selling to minors or a willfulness on the part of licensees or employees to sell to minors, criminal prosecution also will be considered, Wilson said.

"We are not going to issue any warnings," Wilson said. "Businesses can become a partner in this community effort by ensuring they are in compliance with all existing licensing rules and that their employees are aware of this requirement of the law not to sell alcohol to anyone under the age of 21."

The enforcement effort also will include inspections of the licensed establishments. "Every establishment that sells alcoholic beverages is required to comply with certain regulations established by the LCC," Wilson said. "We have kind of waned over the years from doing inspections as much as we would like to."

Businesses were informed by letter recently of the planned enforcement effort.

Outback

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flavorings of the hefty portions of fish, steaks and chicken. Most patrons leave with doggie bags.

"All of the food is uniquely seasoned. Most places where you go, you order a steak and you get a steak. We use 17 different seasonings," Harchelroad said.

And then there's the service. It's not your usual restaurant. At the Outback, the 85 employees are there to make sure you enjoy your experience and that you want for nothing.

"Service is half the deal," Harchelroad said.

Because the emphasis is truly waiting on people, the wait staff covers only two or three table sections each. "We want to be there before you need something."

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Montessori

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"Children need to learn order. They need structure in their lives," she said, adding that her program is "quite structured."

Although all of the area centers are based on the same philosophy, there are differences, said Neff.

"A school will reflect the administrators," she said, adding that a parent should observe the schools before enrolling their child.

Montessori classroom

A typical Montessori classroom will include six areas: language, mathematics, science and geography, sensorial, practical life and art. Most centers also offer foreign languages such as French or Spanish.

Maria Montessori firmly believed that children learn though their hands. This sensory motor stimulation is called active learning and classroom materials are specifically created for the hands-on approach, explained Meyers.

The materials are designed to minimize frustration and are aimed at a child's particular level of ability, said Neff, a former public school teacher who holds a master's degree in educational leadership from Wayne State University.

Children are introduced gradually to the materials by the instructor and are encouraged to master the concepts before progressing to the next step.

By making sure that the child is working with materials at his/her own level, the potential for failure is eliminated. This is called a "prepared environment" and helps a child develop a "quiet self-confidence," Neff explained.

Not without critics

Montessori has its critics. Some educators dispute the value of the "prepared environment" that a Montessori school provides and say that children need to learn through their errors.

"Children need to explore and come up with their own answers. Errors are informative. Based on these errors, children's cognitive thinking is resolved," said WSU's Bhavnagri.

Samuel Meisels, professor and assistant dean of education at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, agrees.

"Montessori schools provide some excellent materials, but I would differ in how they are used," said Meisels, a former science teacher in a Montessori school.

Although only two area Montessori schools offer elementary programs, all have preschool and kindergarten programs featuring mixed-aged grouping.

In mixed-aged grouping, children ages 2½-years-old attend the same class as the 5- and 6-year-olds.

Freedom stressed

Montessori proponents believe this method fosters independence and allows a child to advance at his/her own pace.

"Mixed-aged grouping gives a child the ability to progress at their own level. . . the older children help the younger ones and the younger children learn from example," said Kathy Saur of the Livonia Montessori school.

Even Montessori's critics agree that cooperative learning can be found in mixed-age grouping and that "it's a desirable attribute of a classroom."

Most area Montessori schools accept children as young as 2½, except for Our Lady of Montessori Center in Livonia.

"We used to accept students at that age . . . we found it takes a long time for them to adjust," said Sister Paulita.

Meisels noted that 2½ year olds may have trouble adjusting to a Montessori environment.

"It is hard to generalize, but it's a very intensive program for a 2½-year-old," he said.

The adaptation process "depends on the individual child" and parents are the best judge of a child's readiness, said Linda Meyers of Plymouth-Canton Montessori.

Role of teacher

Montessori theory also maintains that children educate themselves, rather than be educated by others, including teachers, said Neff.

For instance, a Montessori teacher is called a directress, and his/her main purpose is to observe the children and introduce them to new materials.

Montessori recognized the importance of skillful observation as opposed to standardized testing as a method of assesment, WSU's Bhavnagri explained.

Contemporary educators agree that skilled observation is the best method of assessment in the classroom and "we encourage all schools to move to this," added Bhavnagri.

As a result, Montessori students are not graded on their performance, said Lynn Gall of Northville Montessori Center. Instead, teachers observe their work with classroom materials and hold conferences with parents.

"This gives parents a better idea of what concepts their children have mastered," Gall said.

No grades

The absence of a grading system also encourages children to learn for the sake of learning, said Neff.

A former public school teacher, Neff said she recognized that children learn quickly what they have to do to achieve a passing grade.

"We want children to learn from their own intellectual curiosity," said Neff.

Other Montessori methods are currently being included into many early education programs, said WSU's Bhavnagri. "Much of what is practiced today (in early childhood education) has its roots in Montessori."

For example, Montessori believed that a child's physical environment should promote autonomy and independence in children. Most preschools and kindergartens now regularly provide child-sized furniture.

Although Montessori has helped many children thrive and learn some educator say that it's not for all children.

"Children who have a problem with a delay of gratification may not do well, said Meisels.

Popular schools

Yet, Montessori schools are very popular with some parents. Most schools report full enrollment in past school years.

The Plymouth-Canton and Livonia Montessori schools, both non-profit organizations were opened at the request of parents said Neff.

"At the time I opened the Plymouth-Canton school there was an exodus from the Dearborn area to Plymouth. There is a very low turnover in our schools, once a parent is involved — they tend to stay," she said.

Some, like Lynne Homes, stay even after their own children have finished the program. Homes had two children go through the Montessori program, she now works in the Plymouth-Canton school as a classroom aide.

"I was impressed with the independence the program fostered," said Homes, a Plymouth Township resident.

"My children are now in high school and college. I've never had to say, 'Do your homework.' They are very self-motivated. They set themselves a schedule and get things done," said Homes.

Despite their popularity however, Montessori schools have typically suffered from an elitist image, said Bhavnagri.

"It is an emotionally charged issue. Montessorians feel they are not understood. I see the strengths and weaknesses," she said.

Gall agrees that the schools have developed an elitist reputation.

"I'm afraid they brought it on themselves," she said, noting that as more people become aware of what Montessori is, the elitist reputation is "breaking down."

"We will just continue to work to help the students appreciate and respect the work of ourselves, others and the environment," she said.

Sunday walks to benefit MS society

The annual 20-kilometer MS Walk is set for Sunday, April 18, at three routes in Birmingham, Dearborn and Grosse Pointe.

The Birmingham route starts at Seaholm High School, Dearborn route at Edsel Ford High School and the Grosse Pointe route at Grosse Pointe North High School.

The walk is sponsored by the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Michigan Chapter. An estimated 8,000 walkers of all ages will raise funds for MS in metro Detroit, Flint and Lansing.

Registration is at 8 a.m.; the walk starts at 9 a.m.

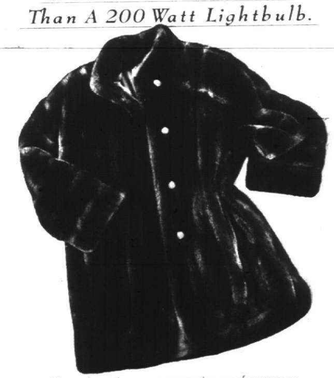
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5 run for school board

By M.B. Dillon
Staff Writer

Here's a look at the five candidates running in the June Plymouth-Canton school board race for one slot.

The incumbent

Dave Artley. First elected in 1983, Artley and his wife Patricia have five children.

He's running again because "I believe in public service and I believe it's the responsibility of every citizen to give back. I have experience, dedication and commitment to the community, and I think I've been a good representative of the citizens in general and students in particular."

Another reason he's seeking re-election is his son Matthew, a student at East Middle School. "I have a son who will graduate in 1997. If I were to win re-election, this term would end in 1997.

"I think time spent on education is a good investment in future, Artley added. Either we educate kids today or we spend a great deal more to educate them as adults. The amount of money we spend on prisons is 20 times higher than it was 20 years ago. A diploma isn't the key to success, but it's a major building block."

Artley favors both the 4-mill tax increase and millage renewal.

Artley, 48, is director of development for the Human Services Department for Kalamazoo County.

He says he's proud of his perfect attendance record and to be the first board member to attend the Michigan Association of School Board's boardmanship academy.

Hoben factor in race

The Rev. William Myers. Several factors prompted Myers, a friend of Artley's, to run. First, he says he believes it's time for Superintendent John Hoben to announce when he'll retire.

"I think he deserves all the respect for what he has done in the past, but we are slipping," said Myers. "The best indicator of that is the board's last evaluation." Hoben scored lowest in the student achievement category.

Myers says he never entertained political aspirations, but could no longer remain on the sidelines after witnessing what happened to Robert Gale, a Farrand Elementary teacher who in a recent jury trial was found not guilty of striking a student.

"My sense is they (the administration and the board) are focusing on minutiae at the expense of the big picture," he added. "This millage has to be taken to the electorate. If we don't get this renewal and increase, Plymouth-Canton Community Schools will cease to exist as we've known it."

Myers, 46, and his wife Beth have two children who attend Plymouth-Canton schools.

Millage opposed

Steve Kilijanczyk, 43, says he's running because "I don't believe the way we are making decisions and implementing them is working out."

Kilijanczyk does not support the 4-mill increase. "As far as school finance, I'm leery. Given the amount of growth there's been (in housing in the district), it should add up to a couple of million dollars extra."

Kilijanczyk is a systems analyst for Hospice of Southeastern Michigan. He and his wife Gwen have five children, all of whom attend Plymouth-Canton schools.

Kilijanczyk, treasurer of the Pickwick Village Homeowners Association, also is concerned about the developmental approach being used in the elementary grades. The number of parents upset about its effectiveness shows there's an implementation problem, he said.

A member of St. John Neumann Catholic Church, Kilijanczyk says the fact he lives in Canton is a plus, given the number of Plymouth residents currently on the board. "We are under-represented in Canton. I think that is going to change. It's a growing area."

Kilijanczyk doesn't necessarily see the superintendent's retirement as an issue. "I don't know that there is a great necessity for change. He has a lot of valuable experience."

Former teacher runs

Robert Burger taught school for 35 years before retiring in 1989 from the South Redford school district. A 1942 Plymouth High School graduate and an active member of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Burger is making his first bid for public office.

"I would just like to be in on the process of helping to set the course for the schools," he said. "I've always wanted to run for school board, but while I was working, I didn't feel I had the time to put in."

Burger taught elementary school and high school social studies for 11 years before retiring.

Burger and his wife Joan have a son, Rob, 17, who is a junior at Plymouth Canton High School.

Burger says he isn't running because of dissatisfaction with the district.

"I'm really pleased with what they've done in the past," he said. "They have done a remarkable job with kids in the Talented and Gifted Program." The Burgers' son was enrolled in TAG in elementary and middle school.

The candidate hasn't yet decided whether he supports the 4-mill tax increase. "I know they have a real problem now with finances."

Burger also stresses the value of parental involvement in children's education and a good relationship between administration and staff.

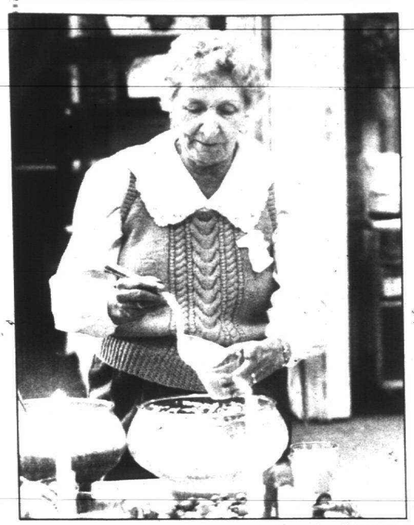
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Seniors get food, fun at area center

By Mary Lou Song
Staff Writer

For years, Bob Cochrane made a habit of eating lunch at Shelden Park Senior Center in Livonia and playing table tennis with the guys until his wife, Mary, finally agreed to accompany him.

"The first day I came, there was something wrong with the power," she said. "They served us bologna sandwiches. I said, 'Is this why I'm coming here?' "

She laughs about bologna sandwich day now, but the Livonia couple say they still come to the center for the fellowship.

"It's not the food," says Bernie Hart, 71, with a laugh.

Actually, the food has brought — and brings — many senior citizens together.

Monday through Friday year-round, Shelden Park serves lunch to senior citizens — anyone 60 or older — through the Senior Nutrition Program. The non-profit meal service is offered through the Wayne County Office of Nutrition Services.

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ROLL CALL REPORT

Area reps split on family planning bill

Here's how *Observer & Eccentric-area members of Congress were recorded on major roll call votes in the week ending March 26.*

HOUSE

Yes on Family Planning Funds: By a vote of 273 for and 149 against, the House sent the Senate a bill (HR 670) to fund the approximately 4,000 clinics nationwide that use federal money to provide family planning services to the poor. Critics noted that the bill's $238 million cost in fiscal 1994 is 37 percent above the 1993 level. The bill also was challenged for permitting clinics to provide abortion counseling, which was prohibited during the Bush administration.

A yes vote was to pass the bill. **Area representatives voting yes were: Bob Carr, D-Pontiac, Sander Levin, D-Southfield, William Ford, D-Ypsilanti. Voting no: Dale Kildee, D-Flint and Joseph Knollenberg, R-Birmingham.**

No on parental notification: By a vote of 179 for 243 against, the House rejected a bid by anti-abortion lawmakers to require clinics to alert parents at least two days before a scheduled abortion on a minor, except when delay would cause the girl's death or the pregnancy was caused by her father. It went beyond language in HR 670 (above) requiring federally funded clinics to comply with state laws on parental notification.

A yes vote was for stricter parental notification requirements. **Area representatives voting yes were: Kildee and Knollenberg. Voting no: Carr, Levin and Ford.**

SENATE

Budget Resolution Approved: By a vote of 54 for and 45 against, the Senate approved the fiscal 1994 congressional budget resolution (S Con Res 18) that projects spending of $1.5 trillion, revenue of $1.25 trillion and a deficit of nearly $250 billion for the year beginning next October.

Even with its $502 billion in deficit reduction by fiscal 1998, the measure allows the overall U.S. debt to expand from $4.1 trillion at present to about $5 trillion over the five years.

A yes vote supported President Clinton's fiscal plan. **Michigan Sens. Carl Levin and Donald Riegle voted yes.**

Preserved Taxing Social Security: By a vote of 52 for and 47 against, the Senate preserved President Clinton's plan to raise taxes on Social Security payments to the well-off as part of S Con Res 18 (above). This killed a GOP amendment to eliminate his plan to increase from 50 to 85 percent the portion of Social Security benefits subject to taxation for singles earning more than $25,000 and couples with salaries above $32,000.

A yes vote supported the Social Security tax hike. **Levin and Riegle voted yes.**

Killed Entitlement Issue Amendment: By a vote of 51 for and 47 against, the Senate tabled (killed) an amendment capping the growth of non-Social Security entitlement spending in the Clinton economic plan. A yes vote was to kill the amendment. **Levin and Riegle voted yes.**

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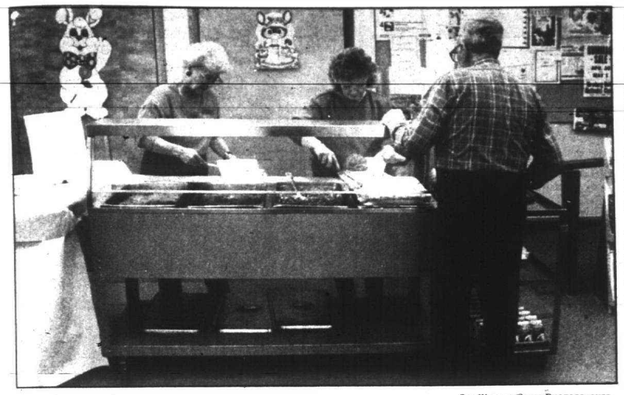
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Chow time: *Volunteers Lori Smither, Jean Camilleri and Jeff Milne work at the serving table.*

Center *from page 7A*

"If they eat alone, they don't bother fixing meals for themselves or they don't feel like eating — that's why this program is here," said Terri Derderian, field coordinator of the program.

Each center serves more than 200 seniors daily, and Derderian says the program is going well, but the Office of Nutrition wants to reach more seniors in the community.

"So many people don't know about us," Derderian said. "Seniors are invited to come in and as part of their activities, lunch is served. Lunch is part of their socialization. It's an opportunity to get together and socialize with their peers."

Carol Scott, home delivered meals coordinator, said, "Eating proper meals keeps them active so they can get out and meet people. We're not reaching people who could really benefit from the program — the ones who shut themselves in the house."

At the centers, seniors can also play table tennis, billiards or the piano, paint or make crafts, or talk with friends. Each center has a personality and the seniors attend the center where they feel most comfortable.

Derderian said seniors find new friendships at the center. The Cochranes met Hart and his wife, Dorothy, through the nutrition program. Later the couples learned that they had lived two blocks away from each other in Detroit. Bob Cochrane and Bernie Hart play table tennis together and recently won the Senior State Olympics. The friends are now inseparable.

Occasionally, seniors find love. Since the early 1970s when the nutrition program began, several couples have fallen in love and tied the knot.

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S'craft attracts 6 candidates for 2 board seats

Three incumbents and three challengers have filed petitions to run for three seats on the Schoolcraft College Board of Trustees in the June 14 election.

One seat is a four-year term, the other two are six-year terms.

Candidates for the six-year term are incumbents Patricia Watson of Northville Township and John Walsh of Livonia and challengers Linda Chuhran of Canton Township and Catherine Broadbent of Westland.

Candidates for the four-year seat are incumbent Winifred Fraser of Northville Township and challenger Richard DeVries of Livonia.

The candidates have until late today to withdraw.

Of the challengers, only Chuhran of Canton Township didn't vie for one of two appointments the board made in January to fill seats left vacant when two former trustees were elected to other offices.

Chuhran is an accountant and former Canton Township clerk.

Challenger DeVries, a Livonia resident, is retired from Livonia Public Schools.

Challenger Broadbent is a Schoolcraft graduate and director of human resources in Plymouth Township. She has a business degree from Madonna University.

Watson was appointed in October 1991 to fill a vacancy. She holds a doctoral degree in clinical psychology from the University of Detroit and works in that profession at Providence Hospital in Southfield and in private practice in Northville.

Fraser is a peer counselor at Schoolcraft's Women's Resource Center. She has a doctoral degree from Wayne State University. Fraser formerly served on the Western Michigan University Board of Trustees from 1985 to 1992.

Walsh is an attorney with Lewis, White & Clay in Detroit. He's active on the political action and government relations committees of the Livonia Chamber of Commerce and also serves as director of the Livonia Jaycees.

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Drunken boaters involved in a crash causing a serious injury face five years in prison, 15 years if they kill someone.

The new law also creates an "implied consent provision," meaning that all boaters have agreed by virtue of operating a boat to submit to a Breathalyzer or chemical test for alcohol or illegal drugs if a cop wants them to.

To refuse the test will cost you a suspension of boating privileges for six months to a year and a $100 fine.

AIDS vigil set

The 10th annual International/ Detroit AIDS Candlelight Memorial Service will be held 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 23, at the Hartford Memorial Baptist Church Detroit.

In the 10 years since its inception, the vigil has grown to such a size that it's held in more than 200 cities and 44 nations worldwide.

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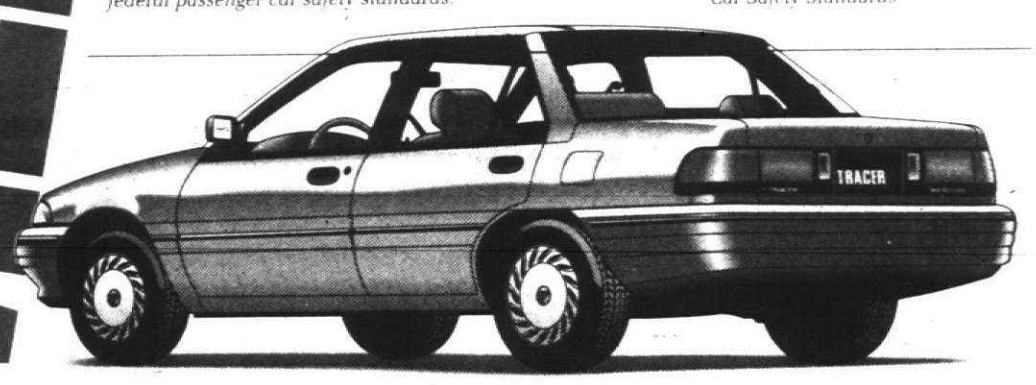
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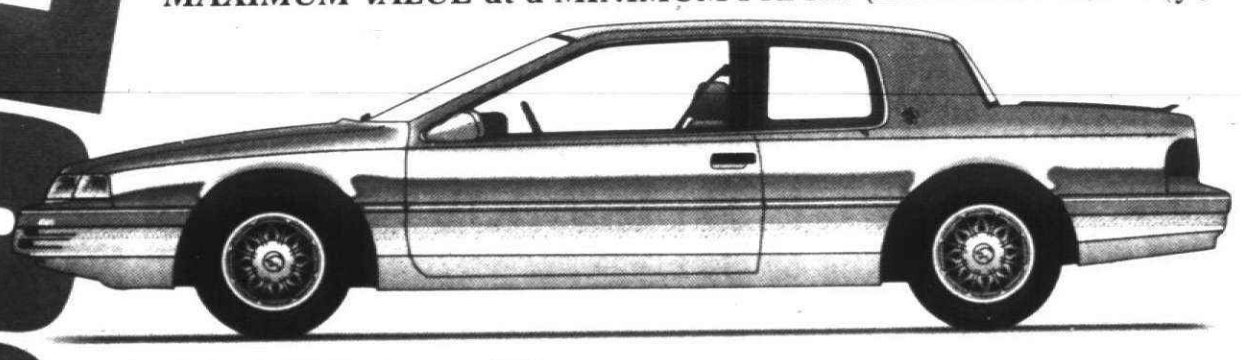
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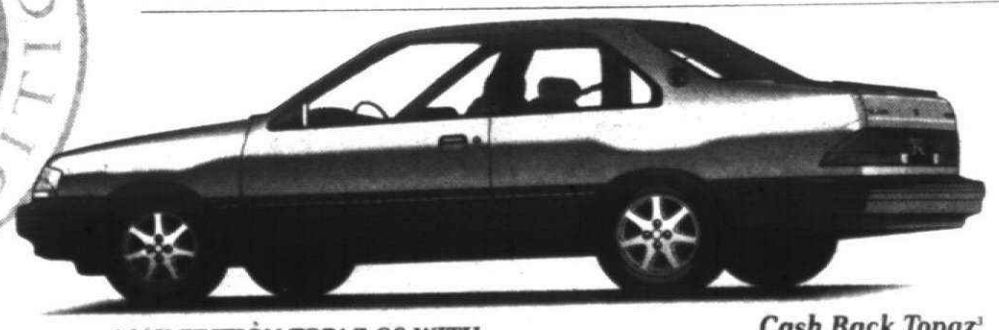


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AROUND CANTON

Vets need help

The Plymouth-Canton Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 528 is organizing the 1993 Plymouth Memorial Day Parade scheduled for 10 a.m., Monday, May 31.

If your organization would like to participate in this year's parade, please contact Henry Giles, 591-3068, Tim LaGrow, 981-2848, or Mike Schlott, 455-9381, as soon as possible.

The chapter is looking for units that want to honor area veterans in an appropriate manner.

Lansing field trip

Students from teachers Peter Puzzuoli and Christine Walker's fourth grade classes at Field Elementary School in Canton had a "field" day in Lansing, Wednesday, April 7.

The students visited the state Capitol and the Michigan Historical Museum.

State Rep. Deborah Whyman of Canton toured the Capitol with each group and gave them a personalized tour of the House floor, which is off limits to visitors unless accompanied by their legislator.

Brunch at library

National Library Week begins with the third annual Author Brunch sponsored by the Friends of the Canton Public Library.

Guest speaker at the noon brunch, Sunday, April 18, will be Michigan author Thomas Sullivan, a Pulitzer Prize nominee. Sullivan has a lengthy resume, including novels, "Born Burning," and "The Phases of Harry Moon."

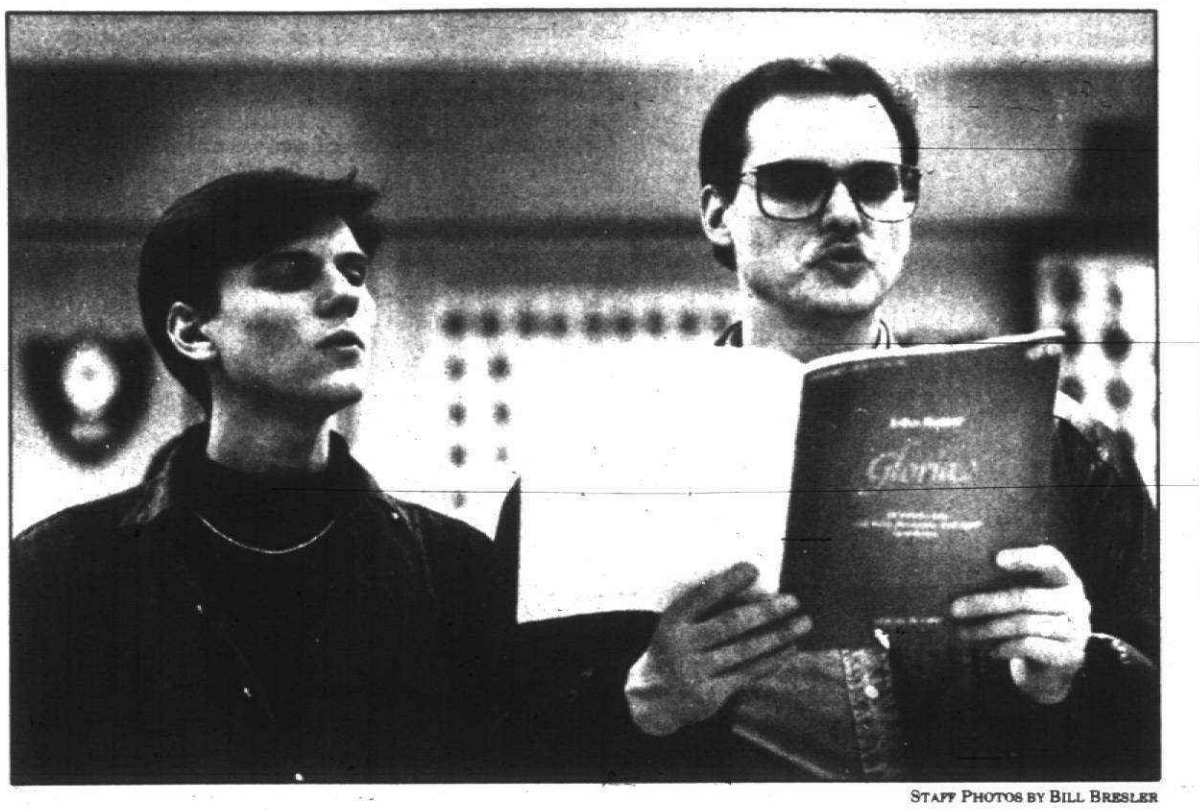
The brunch, catered by Canton Catering, will be in the library meeting room. Tickets are currently available at the library reception desk for a $12 donation. Sullivan will be available to autograph books after lunch.

For more information or questions, call Marcia Barker at 397-0999.

Resident wins contest

Canton resident Wanda Freeman won first place in Schoolcraft College's "The MacGuffin" annual creative writing competition. Freeman's story, "Orphan Child," awarded her two free tickets to the college's dinner theater performance of "A Long Day's Journey Into Night."

Festival Singers tune up for 'Gloria'



STAFF PHOTOS BY BILL BRESLER

Son and father: *George McConnell and M. George McConnell rehearse the "Gloria."*



"Gloria": *Don Daniels directs the PCEP Festival Singers. The group will perform the "Gloria" Tuesday, April 27.*



In good voice: *The Plymouth-Canton Educational Park's Choral Music Department will perform John Rutter's "Gloria" April 27 at St. Thomas A'Becket Church in Canton.*

"Gloria" by John Rutter will be performed by the Festival Singers of Plymouth-Canton Educational Park at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 27, at St. Thomas A'Becket Church, 555 S. Lilley Road in Canton.

Other selections will include works by Bach, Gibbons, Goetze, Hilton, Mendelssohn, Whitecotton and Willan.

The PCEP Festival Singers are members of the PCEP Concert Choir, Madrigal and Chamber Singers, Choir Parents and include professional singers from throughout metropolitan Detroit.

Offerings will benefit the PCEP Vocal Music Scholarship Fund. For more information, call 451-6600, Ext. 328.

The PCEP Festival Singers are directed by Donald A. Daniels.

Are you a Compulsive Overeater?

	Yes	No
1. Do you eat when you're not hungry?	☐	☐
2. Do you go on eating binges for no apparent reason?	☐	☐
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4. Do you give too much time and thought to food?	☐	☐
5. Is your weight affecting the way you live your life?	☐	☐
6. Do you use fasting, strenuous exercise, vomiting or laxatives to control your weight?	☐	☐
7. Have you tried to diet for a week (or longer), only to fall short of your goal?	☐	☐

If you answer "yes" to three or more of these questions, you may be a compulsive overeater. You are not alone. Millions of Americans suffer from this disease.

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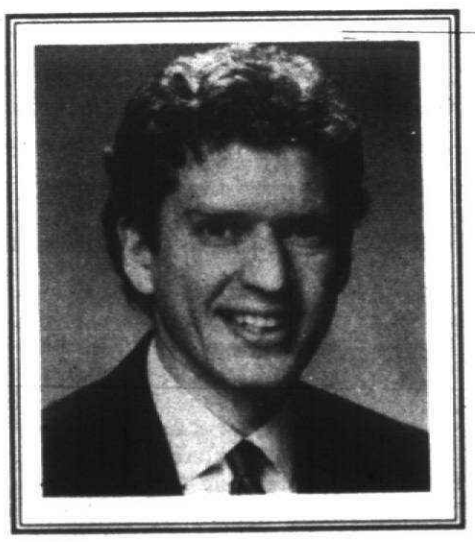
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- Madonna University
- Schoolcraft College
- Mayor's Office—Livonia City Hall
- Livonia Chamber of Commerce
- 16th District Court
- Livonia Family YMCA

For More Information, Call Mary Ann Smith—953-2251

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CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND CANTON

SPECIAL EVENTS

■ SPRING CONCERT
Plymouth Community Chorus will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 24, and 4 p.m. Sunday, April 25, at Plymouth Salem High School Auditorium. Ticket information, 455-4080.

■ POSITIVELY PLYMOUTH
Annual event is celebrated 5-7:30 p.m. May 13 at the Mayflower Meetinghouse. Display table rental: call Plymouth Chamber of Commerce, 453-1540.

■ PLAY PRODUCTION
Plymouth's American Association of University Women and the Michigan Humanities Council will jointly sponsor "Count On Me" at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 22, at Ernestos on Plymouth Road. High school seniors in humanities and government classes are welcome to attend, as well as anyone interested. 459-3197.

■ BOOK SALE
Annual sale sponsored by the American Association of University Women is 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. May 6 and 7 and 9 a.m. to noon May 8 at the Starkweather Center Gym, 550 N. Holbrook (Old Village). Donations at gym entrance or Plymouth Dunning Hough Library.

■ CANTON LIBRARY
Adult programs: Noon Sunday, April 18 — Annual author brunch with guest speaker Tom Sullivan. Tickets at library. 7 p.m. Monday, April 19 — Evening book discussion group will discuss "Anatomy of a Murder," by Robert Traver; 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 21 — Author Lowell Cauffiel will speak about researching and writing non-fiction crime; 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 28 — McCabe Family Services will discuss "Living With the Loss of a Loved One." Registration begins Monday.

Preschool — Story times are April 21 to May 13. Canton residents may register after 9:30 a.m. Saturday; Canton and non-Canton residents, after 1 p.m. 397-0999.

■ TWO SEMINARS
City of Plymouth will sponsor a living trust seminar 1-3 p.m. Thursday, May 6, and "High Costs of Nursing Home Care" 1-3 p.m. Thursday, May 20, at Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. Reservations, 455-6623.

■ GRADUATING SENIORS
Senior party for Plymouth-Canton graduates is 9 p.m. to 4 a.m. Sunday, June 13, at Plymouth Salem High School. Tickets available at cafeteria at either school on May 25, 26, 27; June 2, 3, 4; and the night of the party.

■ TRIPS
City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department offers a trip to Washington, D.C., and Gettysburg, four days, beginning April 30. 455-6620.

■ LIBRARY STORY TIME
Register 10 a.m. April 28 for Plymouth library story times for toddlers ages 2-3½ on Wednesday mornings; 7 p.m. April 27, for Tuesday evening family sessions; 10 a.m. April 29 for preschoolers ages 3½-5 for Thursday story times. 453-0750.

■ FISHING DERBY
Sixth annual kids derby for Canton boys and girls ages 3-15 is 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 1, and noon to 3 p.m. Sunday, May 2, at the ponds in Heritage Park. Advance registration required. Canton Parks and Recreation Services, 397-5110.

■ SPRING CONCERT
"The Glory of Spring," a blend of religious, popular and folk music, is presented at 4 p.m. Sunday, May 2, by Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, 1160 Penniman, Plymouth. Includes choir, instrumental and adult bell choir.

■ STORY TIME
Stories, free milk and cookies for kids ages 2-6, 2-2:45 p.m. Tuesdays at McDonald's, 39700 Five Mile, Plymouth. Sign up, 420-0033.

■ SPELLING BEE
Canton Rotary Literacy Committee will sponsor third annual Community spelling bee at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 13, at the Canton High School Little Theatre on Canton Center. 451-6555.

■ ANTIQUE APPRAISAL
The Plymouth Historical Museum will sponsor a clinic 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday, May 18, at 155 S. Main, Plymouth. Appraisals by Dumochelle Galleries in Detroit. Limit, four hand-held items per person. Appointment, 455-8940.

■ GARAGE SALES
Cherry Hill Orchards subdivision sale, at Cherry Hill and Lilley, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. May 20-23.

■ MUSEUM EXHIBIT
"What Men Collect" display continues through June 27 at Plymouth Museum, 155 S. Main. Thirty-five collections from men in the Plymouth/Canton community. 1-4 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday; 2-5 p.m. Sunday. 455-8940.

FUNDRAISERS

■ MUSIC AND FOOD
Positively Pasta Two," an evening of culinary delight is sponsored by the Staccato Group of the Plymouth Symphony League 6:30 p.m. Monday, May 3, at the Mayflower Hotel Round Table Club. Pasta preparation and pastry demonstration. Tickets at Hotel or 451-5681 or 455-7583.

■ DINNER DANCE
The Plymouth Newcomers Club presents "An Evening of Elegance" Friday, April 30, at the Mayflower Hotel Ballroom. Proceeds support the Plymouth Community Arts Council. Tickets: 455-5934 or 451-7296.

■ PCAC GARAGE SALE
Plymouth Community Arts Council Treasure Mart donations accepted 10 a.m. to noon Saturdays, April 24, May 1 and 15 at Wilcox Mill (Hines Drive at Wilcox). Sale is 6:30-8 p.m. May 12 (preview donation), 9 a.m. to noon May 13, 9-3 p.m. May 14-15. Volunteers needed. 455-5260.

■ CANTON LIONS CLUB
Club will observe White Cane Week April 30 to May 2 and May 7-9. Club members will solicit street corners and business locations. Money collected will go for Lion Club projects, which aid the blind and sight impaired.

SPORTS

■ T-BALL LEAGUE
Plymouth YMCA league meets 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. for six weeks at Miller School Field. League 1 begins July 24 (register by May 31); league 2 begins July 31 (register by July 12). 453-2904.

■ PLYMOUTH SOFTBALL
For information on men's slow pitch league and women's slow pitch league, call Tom Willette, 455-6620, at city of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department.

■ CANTON SOCCER
Club needs players for the '79 Boys Recreational Division. Birthdate between Aug. 1, 1978, and July 31, 1979. Call Don Kelm, 397-1926.

■ GIRLS SOCCER
The Canton Cruisers team, which plays in the Under 14 Division of the Little Caesar's soccer league, needs good players. Call coach Carl Brey, 453-5547.

■ CANTON SOFTBALL
Men's, women's and coed teams welcome. Season begins April 18. "Early Bird" tournament is April 16-18. Information, 483-5600 Ext. 102, or 483-2913.

■ UMPIRING CLINIC
Canton Softball Center Umpires Association offers slow-pitch umpiring. 483-5600 Ext. 102.

CLASS TIME

■ ART WORKSHOPS
Plymouth Community Arts Council will offer Easter break classes for kindergartners through third graders. Also, spring classes (eight-week session) begin April 19. 455-5260.

■ PLYMOUTH CLASSES
Parks and Recreation Department offers adult and youth classes, 455-6620.

YMCA classes include: Open house for day camp program, 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 20, Gallimore School, Sheldon, south of Joy; and stop smoking/weight control seminar, 6-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 4, Plymouth City Hall Commission Chambers. Other spring classes include: golf lessons, Y super sitters, step aerobics, junior step aerobics, arts and crafts, bumper bowling, driver's education, half pints in the kitchen, flag football, soccer school, T-ball, mini sessions for pre-schoolers. Register, 453-2904.

■ CHILDBIRTH
The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association offers classes, 459-7477.

Livonia Childbirth, call 937-0665.

FOR YOUR HEALTH

■ WEIGHT WATCHERS
Meetings in Plymouth: 5:45 p.m. Thursdays at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. Canton: Various times during the week, F&M Canton Shopping Center, 42043 Ford at Lilley. 553-3232 or 1-800-487-4777.

■ ADULT CARE
Foster care is needed for adults with mental retardation. Call 455-8880 in Wayne County.

■ WALKERS
Group walks are 10 a.m. Monday-Friday in the Community Room at St. John Neumann Church, 44800 Warren in Canton, 455-9042.

EDUCATION

■ PRESCHOOL
Open House — Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Little Lambs Co-op Preschool, 42690 Cherry Hill, Canton, 9:30-11 a.m. April 22. 981-0286.

Register — St. Michael Christian School and Pre-School, ages 2½ years through third grade. Latch-key program available. 459-9720.

Openings — Canton "Crickets" preschool program, 3- and 4-year-olds. Canton Parks and Recreation, 397-5110.

Register — PLUS Preschool at Central Middle School, 650 Church, Plymouth. 451-6656.

■ FREE CLASSES
For non-high school graduates, IBM training and GED training, Plymouth-Canton Community Education, 451-6555.

■ READING ASSISTANCE
Free adult tutoring and confidential skills assessment. Community Literacy Council, 451-6555.

VOLUNTEERS

■ GROWTH WORKS
Seeks volunteers to assist with typing at its office at 271 S. Main in Plymouth. Call 455-4095.

■ CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE
Volunteers are needed for typing and stuffing of envelopes, labeling and sorting of mail, making telephone calls and photocopying. Plymouth, 453-1540; Canton, 453-4040.

■ ALZHEIMER'S
Volunteers are needed to assist with adult day care program for people with memory impairment, 557-8277.

■ MEAL DELIVERY
Volunteers needed to package or deliver meals to homebound senior citizens living in the Plymouth-Canton community, 326-4444.

■ HEALTH CARE
Volunteers needed at the Plymouth Arbor Health Building Urgent Care, and McAuley Health Building, Canton, 572-4159.

■ PLYMOUTH YMCA
Volunteers needed, 453-2904.

SENIOR CITIZENS

■ TRIPS
Detroit Symphony Orchestra Coffee Concert is April 23 for anyone older than 55. Sponsored by Canton Senior Center. 397-5444.

■ FOOD DISTRIBUTION
Focus:HOPE provides food to eligible Canton senior citizens at the Canton Recreation Center, 397-1000 Ext. 278.

■ TAX ASSISTANCE
Today is the last day for free assistance to senior citizens in Canton, Northville and Plymouth through the tax-aide program of the AARP. For appointments at the Canton Recreation Center or Royal Holiday Trailer Park, call 397-5444; Northville Senior Center, 349-4140; Tonquish Creek in Plymouth, 455-3670; Plymouth Cultural Center, 455-6620.

■ PLYMOUTH CLASSES
Parks and Recreation offers classes to senior citizens: Happy hour cards, party bridge, pinochle, arts and crafts, woodcarving, fitness, painting, drawing, current events, tax assistance and trips. 455-6620.

■ SENIOR ALLIANCE
Senior citizens needing help with outdoor chores, or senior citizens willing to help, may call the Senior Chore Referral Program at 722-2830.

■ HOSPICE SPEAKERS
Hospice Services of Western Wayne County has volunteers available to speak to church groups and civic organizations, 522-4244.

■ CANTON CLASSES
Canton Recreation Center sponsors free classes: woodcarving, painting, ceramics, crafts and machine quilting. 397-5446.

CLUB CALL

■ TWINS CLUB
Plymouth-Canton Mother of Twins Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 22. Call Vicki Adams, 722-0248.

■ STAMP CLUB
Meets 8 p.m. first and third Fridays at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. Friday is giant auction night.

■ UNITED WE STAND
Plymouth/Northville group will meet 6-8:45 p.m. Monday, April 26, at the Plymouth Library. Local, state and national issues will be addressed. Thirteenth District meetings are the first and third Thursdays at Roman Forum Restaurant, Canton. 485-3998 or 425-2455.

■ WOMEN'S CLUB
Business and Professional Club meets at 6 p.m. Monday, April 19, at Plymouth Mayflower Meetinghouse. Speaker is Paula Blanchard. Advance tickets only, 453-4100, or Uniglobe Port to Port Travel, 238 S. Main, Plymouth 48170.

■ PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS
Club will hold a coffee for members and prospective members at 7:30 p.m. tonight. 459-5328 or 453-3902.

■ WOMAN'S CLUB
Luncheon and book review is noon Friday, May 7, at Plymouth First United Church, 45201 N. Territorial. Members only.

■ GARDEN CLUB
Lake Pointe Village Branch of WNFGA will meet 6:30 p.m. Thursday, May 13, at Farrand School parking lot. Carl pool and four Jackson Park and Coventry Gardens in Windsor.

■ VFW CANTON POST
Post No. 6967 will meet at 8 p.m. the first Monday of every month at Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Post No. 6695, 1426 S. Mill in Plymouth. New residents being transferred from other posts will be welcomed. 397-2444 or 459-8027.

■ TOASTMASTERS CLUB
Oral Majority meets 6:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Denny's Restaurant, 39550 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. Call Ken Morley, 277-2709 (evenings).

Holy Smoke Masters Club is offering a public speaking seminar, Speechcraft, at its regular meetings beginning 6 p.m. tonight at Denny's Restaurant, 7725 N. Wayne Road, Westland. To register, call Marc Sullivan, 455-1635.

■ PLYMOUTH PIECEMAKERS
Meetings are 7 p.m. the third Thursday of the month at First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 W. Church. Call 455-3838.

■ DEMOCRATIC CLUB
Canton Club meets 7 p.m. the fourth Wednesday each month at the Cherry Hill Schoolhouse, corner of Ridge and Cherry Hill. 397-0545.

CALENDAR FORM

The Plymouth and Canton Observers welcome Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit community groups or individuals announcing a community program or event. Please type or print the information below and mail your item to The Calendar, Canton Observer, 744 Wing, Plymouth, MI. 48170, or by fax to 313-459-4224. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Friday for the following Thursday's paper. Call 459-2700 if you have any questions.

Event:
Date and Time:
Location:
Telephone:
Additional info.:

CAMPUS NOTES

To submit *your academic honor or graduation announcement to Campus Notes, send the material printed or typewritten to: Nancy C. Pennington, Plymouth-Canton Observer, 744 Wing Street, Plymouth, Mich. 48170.*

■ BRYAN P. SCHULTZ, junior was among 80 Kalamazoo College students to participate in a foreign study program. He is the son of Ms. Marlane Kendra of Canton and John P. Schultz of Freeland. He is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School. He is living with a host family in Hannover, Germany, becoming acquainted with different cultures and people while studying at a selected college.

■ ANDREW ANDRYSIAK of Canton was named to the deans' list at Detroit College of Business. To qualify, students must achieve a 3.50 or better grade point average at the end of a quarter.

■ JUSTIN CARINCI is among 750 American and European musicians to participate in Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp's 24th-annual International Exchange Program. The West Michigan summer arts school will send 298 musical ambassadors to Europe during June and July, selected from more than 1,000 students who were auditioned while attending Blue Lake last summer. Carinci is one of 94 members of the symphony orchestra. He plays violin. He is a junior at Plymouth Centennial Educational Park. He is the son of Arthur Carinci.

■ THREE PLYMOUTH residents have been awarded the Merit Awards for the 1992-93 academic year at Madonna University. This award is for outstanding students by the Admissions Office. Recipients must possess a minimum grade point average of 3.25. They are Heather Pastor, Michelle O'Brien and Holly Kimball.

■ DENNIS HOBAN of Plymouth will perform with the Wayne State University Men's Glee Club at its presentation of the Annual Alumni Concert at 8 p.m. Friday, April 23, in the Community Arts Auditorium. The Langsford Singers Male Choir, the WSU Vocal Jazz Ensemble and a number of Glee Club alumni will join the WSU Men's Glee Club in song as they perform favorite selections from past years.

■ JIN SHIN KWAK of Canton was recognized as a NRPHSS perfect scorer. The National Recognition Program for High School Scholars recognizes 10-grade students who demonstrate high aptitudes in English, math, reading or science by virtue of scores on the PLAN test. The Connie Belin National Center for Gifted Education welcomed over 1,500 people at a ceremony March 27 at the University of Iowa which recognized nearly 240 academically outstanding students and almost 150 teachers from Iowa and across the United States.

■ STUDENT BROADCASTERS at WSDP were honored by the Michigan Association of Broadcasters April 3 at the Great Lakes Radio Conference. From Plymouth Canton High School, they are: First place sports, Paul Thomas of Plymouth, senior; second place sports, Alyson Noune of Plymouth, junior; and third place promo announcement, Paul Phelps of Canton, senior. This was the third year in a row a student at WSDP received top honors in the sports division. WSDP is the student radio station for the Plymouth-Canton communities since 1972.

■ MARY E. LAWSON, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Deene Lawson of Canton has been elected to membership in Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing. She was inducted as an undergraduate member of Kappa Iota chapter at Madonna University on April 4. Sigma Theta Tau International is awarded to candidates who achieve high scholastic averages and to graduate of the college programs who achieve excellence in nursing leadership roles. The undergraduate inductee must have at least a 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale and be in the upper one-third of their class. Lawson is a member of the class of 1988 at Westland's John Glenn High School.

OBITUARIES

JAMES C. PINKERTON
Services for James C. Pinkerton, 53, of Westminster, S.C., previously of Plymouth, were Friday, April 9, in Ovid, Mich. Burial was in Arlington National Cemetery, Virginia.

He was born Dec. 9, 1939, in Plymouth and died Monday, April 5, in Brevard, N.C. He grew up in Plymouth and graduated from Plymouth High School in 1957. He was a past boy scout leader. He was Chief Warrant Officer in the US Army. He served in Italy, Korea and Vietnam. He was a member of Cripple Creek, Colo., Elks.

He is survived by his wife, Bonita Pinkerton of Westminster, S.C.; two daughters, Beth Ellis of Colorado and Kathleen Poff of Colorado; two sons, Steven Pinkerton of California and Robert Pinkerton of California; his mother, Doris Brady of South Branch, Mich.; one brother, Gerald Pinkerton of Plymouth; two sisters, Judith Olds of Plymouth and Jill Lockhart of Livonia and seven grandchildren.

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DAVID C. SOUTHERLAND
Services for David C. Southerland, 57, of Dalton, Ga. were Wednesday, March 10, at the Chapel of Ponders Funeral Home in Dalton. Burial was in Center Hill Baptist Church Cemetery."

He was born June 16, 1935, in Gordon County, Ga. He died Monday, March 8, at Hamilton Medical Center.

He is survived by his wife, Joyce A. Southerland of Plymouth; one son, David M. Southerland of Plymouth; one daughter, Bonnie Southerland of Plymouth; four brothers, Neil Southerland of Dalton, Steve Southerland of Dalton and Cotton Southerland of Dalton and Horace Southerland of Detroit; two sisters, Aline Maudrie of Beaver Island, Mich., and Margie Knight of Lake City, Fla., nieces and nephews.

The Rev. Clayton Brown officiated the service.

DOROTHY M. SMITH
Services were recently held for Dorothy M. Smith, 74, of Canton. Burial was in Big Bay, Mich.

She was born Oct. 18, 1918, in Sagola, Mich. She died Saturday, April 10, in Ann Arbor. She was a homemaker.

She is survived by three sons, Claude C. Smith Jr. of Westland, Charles L. Smith of Garden City and Perrance M. Smith of Inkster; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; and one sister, Evelyn Waltman of Elkhorn, Wisc.

Arrangements were made by Vermeulen Memorial Trust 100 Funeral Home in Westland.

High school prom, graduation dates set

If you're related to a Plymouth-Canton high school senior, make sure your camera is loaded May 29. That's the day of the senior prom for both Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem high schools. The event is scheduled for 8 p.m. Saturday, May 29, at the Grand Manor at Fairlane, 1900 Hubbard Drive in Dearborn.

Salem's senior honors convocation is scheduled for 7 p.m. Thursday, May 20, in the Plymouth Salem High School Auditorium.

Graduation will be at 1:30 p.m. Sunday, June 13, at the University of Michigan's Hill Auditorium. The senior party will be from 9 p.m. to 4 a.m. Sunday, June 13, at Salem.

The lowdown for Plymouth Canton High School is as follows: Canton's prom also will be at 8 p.m. Saturday, May 29, at the Fairlane manor, 1900 Hubbard Drive in Dearborn.

For more information, call 451-6600.

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OPINION

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Spring clean up

Our annual suggestion list

Well, spring is here, kind of. The Tigers are in town and winter weary plants are popping up their heads. The season is changing, but nothing much else.

And things do need to change in the Plymouth-Canton area. Here's our annual spring clean up list:

■ The dreaded school funding formula. As one local wag said, they "just don't get it." He meant the Plymouth Canton school district. "We don't want them to spend more money, we want them to spend less." He's right. A recent issue of Forbes magazine looked at the escalating cost of college and concluded that schools act like they're forced into tuition increases, but in reality chose to charge more. That's true with the local schools.

■ But there are others who "just don't get it." The opponents of Mettetal Aiport have become a joke and they don't know why people are laughing at them. The reason is the federal government and the state are playing Sugar Daddy, probably for the last time, by offering to pick up the nearly $4 million price tag for the airport. Get the joke? Who would turn down the money?

■ Tax assessments for farmers. They went up 300 percent in some cases for farmers in western Canton. But there's another side to it. It was the first property tax increase in 12 years for most. The situation points up why there is urban sprawl; farmers are forced to sell their land because of high taxes and houses sprout up where corn once grew. To stop the sprawl and allow farmers to stick around a new tax structure is needed, one which defers property taxes to when the land is sold for development.

■ The Canton Township Board wants to set up a complex system of house inspections that duplicates what is already done by buyers. Those inspections are nothing but make-work projects for government. Sellers would be forced to pay $200 to $250 for the inspections. It's nothing more than a tax. Canton should stay out of it.

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■ Roads. Always a sore subject in Canton, which has a population of 60,000 but the road structure of a rural township. The answer is cityhood. That way the Wayne County Road Commission won't control the situation, as it now does. But Canton clings to an outmoded political structure.

That's our spring wish list. Chances are not good that much will be accomplished by the time the leaves start to turn in the fall.

But one can hope.

Stop attack on abortion rights

Enough already. The Michigan Senate again is making an attempt to limit reproductive freedoms for women, an issue that has been argued, legislated, overruled and reconstituted to the point where all are tired of the ongoing machinations.

One court ruling isn't yet cold when the Senate tries another tack. Don't they get it? Not only does the U.S. Supreme Court see the issue as one of privacy — something so personal that it refuses any attempts to ban abortion. Last year the high court said that any law to limit abortions could not place an undue hardship on the patient.

"Undue hardship" all depends on whose point of view is being considered.

The Michigan Senate now is trying to pass an informed consent law, which would require physicians to provide detailed information to a woman prior to her abortion. The bill also includes a 24-hour waiting requirement. It's another attempt to manipulate women.

Informed consent is an idea that has been voted on before by the Legislature. A year ago — before the last Supreme Court ruling — the more conservative faction of the Legislature went after an all-out ban, chipping away at the rights, especially the rights of poor women to Medicaid-funded abortions. And those under 18 must submit to parental or court consent.

Now that a more drastic ban won't fly, the Michigan Senate wants to pass a bill that would make pregnant women who already have decided to terminate their pregnancies listen to a laundry-list of medical and social rhetoric and then wait 24 hours, which is especially a hardship for women in rural parts of the state who don't have easy access to abortion.

■ The Michigan Senate should look for better things to do than to make taking away reproductive rights for women a perennial quest.

Under this bill, a physicjan or another qualified medical person, not less than 24 hours before an abortion is performed, must tell the woman how old her embryo or fetus is, show a picture of an embryo/fetus near the same gestation period, specific health risks and possible complications, possible psychological effects and, of course, talk about options such as adoption or keeping the baby.

How many men would opt for vasectomies if they had to follow the same procedure? How many men could listen to details of the procedures, look at pictures and then return to the doctor's office 24 hours later? It's an interesting thought.

Again, the Michigan Senate should look for better things to do than to make taking away reproductive rights for women a perennial quest. It's obvious that the majority of people in the state don't want the Legislature to interfere with parts of their lives that are unquestionably private.

If the Legislature wants to do something about abortion, it instead should require sex education and counseling for teenagers. It seems that informed consent should be a part of a sexual encounter — when knowledge can stop an unwanted pregnancy — and not a punishment for women who become pregnant because they were ignorant of or unable to obtain birth control.

COMMUNITY VOICE

QUESTION:

How do you think the Detroit Tigers will do this season?

We asked this question in front of the Canton Post Office on Sheldon Road.



'Not so good. No good pitching. Pitching is 90 percent of the game.'
Matt Kiriazis
Canton



'Not well. They stink.'
Kevin Carrithers
Canton



'Bad. They don't have any good pitchers.'
Bill Vitale
Canton



'I think they'll do really good. I have lots of faith in them.'
Carla Smith
Canton

ARKIE HUDKINS



LETTERS

Insensitive

After reading the article in the Canton Observer, March 25, 1993, "Farmers Protest Skyrocketing Taxes," I could not believe that an elected official could make such an unsensitive remark to Roger Bordine.

We have lived in the Canton community since 1971, have seen the township grow and spread, taking over more and more of our open land. What a shame. Now we are trying to do it with taxes.

Our son has worked for the Gill family for years and they are such great people. Their farm and others like it in the Canton area seem to be disappearing more and more. Now with such an increase in their tax assessment they may be gone forever.

I hope that in the future you will think before you speak about some very sensitive issues in our community.

Kathleen C. Israel, Canton

Rude comment

I was shocked to read our township supervisor would make a joke of the fact that a good, honest, hard-working man was about to lose the family farm because his assessment caused his property taxes to jump from $6,000 a year to $26,000 a year.

Unfortunately, the callous, rude and downright absurd opinions and remarks of Mr. Yack seldom surprise me.

That isn't to say they don't still infuriate me. From his opinion that neighborhoods need matching mailboxes to his opinion that Meijer shouldn't have to deal with the competition that a Canton area Wal-Mart would bring, to his opinion that a family losing their property is a laughing matter — the man infuriates me every time he gives an opinion or remark on any subject.

Mr. Yack, I would tell you that you owe Mr. Bordine a public apology, but honestly, I have a feeling it would be so smug and insincere, maybe it's best if you just keep your mouth shut.

Lois Carlson, Canton

Farm values

Your comments at the McDonald's on the extraordinary increase in the assessed valuation of Canton farm land caused me to attempt to recall some matter from, I think, the 1970s when we lived in Pennsylvania.

New Jersey had addressed this issue by a law I thought to be effective and fair. The gist of it was that farm land having value attributed to its development potential was assessed at a net value excluding that potential. The concept included a lien or other device that permitted the government to collect taxes on the development potential for 10 years back when the land use changed. Taxes on development potential older than 10 years were waived. Cash available at time of development was presumed to be available without hardship.

I enjoyed the afternoon with Bill Joyner. You seemed to be having fun, too.

Jack Kenyon, Plymouth

True value

In response to the township's thinly-disguised land-grab attempt against its own long-term family farmers: Have you no shame?

I'm a Canton homeowner, and have no connections to the farmers. My only connection is my own experiences of growing up on a farm, and the realization of the benefits of preserving the few family farms that dot our community.

I'm not against the natural progression of a community, but I'm against the forced surrender of property to fulfill a government's "progressive" designs.

Is it not embarrassing to township officials that some of the original rural nature of our area be allowed to co-exist with the "high-tech" and "high-affluence" persona that our government is attempting to cultivate? Or are our township officials finally realizing that to pay for their proposed multi-million dollar community center and downtown area boondoggles, they must devise a way to develop every square inch of vacant acreage?

I question whether it's legal to tax someone for something they don't possess. How can the township tax these parcels of land at a residential rate, when the legal zoning for the land is listed as agriculture?

Don't claim the land is being taxed at its true value because it could be sold for development. Farmers couldn't build a subdivision on this land without changes in zoning, so how can they be taxed as if the land could have homes all over it?

The true value of the property will not be realized until the farmer is forced to give up the land. Only then will the land be rezoned, subdivided, and its value truly increased.

As a parting thought for all of you "suburbanites" who think the results of this issue will not affect you: If the township is successful in this "shell game" attempt to twist the zoning and tax laws to their advantage, who will stop them in the future when your neighborhood is in the cross-hairs of "progress"?

Todd D. Benner, Canton

Taking the pledge

I am a member of The Seniors Coalition and I oppose the proposal to tax Social Security.

I have written my U.S. Senators and my Congressman urging them to sign The Seniors Coalition "Congressional Pledge" that says: "I pledge to oppose any new taxes or cuts in Social Security."

I would like you to write a story informing your readers whether our representatives have signed this important pledge to seniors.

Louie T. Kordus, Farmington

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POINTS OF VIEW

Drug, alcohol problem must be kept in public eye

The impact of a Farmington Hills firm's new kit for home drug testing is not that there is such a kit.

Unless it is utilized under the supervision of a professional substance abuse counselor, it could actually do more harm than good. Because, according to police and substance abuse professionals, dealing with suspected drug use by our kids may be more than we as parents are equipped to handle.

Rather, the impact of such a kit is that it gets people talking about drug and alcohol abuse in our local communities again.

It hasn't gone away. It has decreased. But the new, hot-off-the-presses results of the annual national survey of secondary school students are less optimistic than past reports by the University of Michigan researchers.

In particular, the report keys in on increases in the use of drugs and alcohol by eighth graders, who are mostly 13 and 14 years old. And the researchers found that these eighth graders, and to a lesser degree 12th graders, don't perceive drugs as cocaine, crack and marijuana as being quite as dangerous as students did the year before.

"The drug abuse issue has pretty much 'fallen off the screen' in this country, both figuratively and literally," said U-M's Lloyd Johnston. ". . . Political leaders and the press talk about it less, television networks have backed off on their prime time placement of anti-drug ads, and in general, national attention has moved away from the issue."

He's right.

Thinking that drug and alcohol abuse was well on the downward trail, our communities and our newspapers turned to other areas: particularly diversity, abortion rights, sexual and physical abuse, educational equity, AIDS. Somehow neither the local press nor our local communities are able to keep all of our concerns in proper focus.

And I know it is frustrating to those agencies, such as the local chapters of Families in Action, because they know the problem, and especially in our area the alcohol problem, is still alive and well.



JUDITH DONER BERNE

That's why it was neat to see Southfield-Lathrup High School force us back to the drug and alcohol arena with their "Grim Reaper Day." It was deliberately held last week just prior to spring break.

Sponsored by the school's Students Against Driving Drunk chapter, it was designed to remind that someone dies every 24 minutes in an alcohol-related accident.

So every 24 minutes, junior Joanne Sitto rang the school bell, and the Grim Reaper, Jennifer Gruber, dressed in hooded black, selected a student from a S-L classroom to represent an alcohol-related fatality.

By the end of the day, 14 students were dressed in black representing the 14 people who had died somewhere in the country at the hands of a drunk driver.

The SADD chapter at Southfield-Lathrup got the idea from other schools that have done it. And it certainly seems to be a project that should be modeled at all of our local high schools.

Then each of our papers could do a story.

And that is, according to Johnston, some of what we need. Keeping the problem in the public eye.

He had a good analogy:

"Just as we think of drug dependence for the individual as a chronic, sometimes relapsing disease, we need to think of drug problems in society as chronic, relapsing problems."

"Like it or not, we are in this for the long term," Johnston said.

A hopeful sign is the thrust to put warnings on televised beer and wine ads that the products could be hazardous to your health. And the recent publicity that many of our local health and educational institutions hold stock in alcohol or cigarette companies is causing them discomfort — and already some have said they will sell their shares.

I remember that one of my daughters was out ill for the two weeks of middle school in which grammar was taught.

We can't afford to have that happen on the subject of drugs and alcohol. We owe each generation a thorough education on a subject so potentially hazardous. And the press isn't excused from this endeavor.

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Freedom of Information Act applies to 'all persons'

The customer was *very* dissatisfied.

He had ordered a videotape. The vendor gave him a long story about why it was unavailable. Finally the vendor said it was available — for $78.

The customer paid but never saw the videotape and never got back his $78.

Sounds like a nightmarish version of an ordinary consumer problem. Well, the vendor was the law enforcement system in Detroit. The videotape was of an interrogation. The very dissatisfied customer was an inhabitant of the Charles Egeler Facility, Jackson — in other words, a guest of the Michigan Department of Corrections.

He was in my audience Saturday when I spoke about the state Freedom of Information Act.

FOIA is a law that applies to "all persons." You don't have to be a white male adult, an adult, or even a citizen to make an FOIA request. A 12-year-old Mexican wetback has the same rights under FOIA as the Wayne County prosecutor, who once had to use the act to pry evidence from a certain mayor.

I'm not an attorney and don't file FOIA lawsuits. The Michigan FOI Committee does stock copies of the law and major court decisions. We encourage people to exercise their rights under Michigan's twin "sunshine laws," FOIA and the Open Meetings Act.

The inmates were upset over a ruling against David DeSorcy, who sued the Department of Corrections and its library. DeSorcy wanted to inspect final orders in prison discipline cases and their supporting records.

But the state Court of Appeals held that the Legislature had removed disciplinary hearings from the Administrative Procedures Act, thus removing those hearings from the definition of "contested cases" for purposes of FOIA.

Inmates can't learn the underlying reasoning, just the final order. They want to know why, when four men have done the same thing, one gets off, one gets five days discipline, and so on. Does personal favoritism have anything to do with it? Or maybe race? It's an official secret.



TIM RICHARD

They grouse over having to pay the state 20 cents a page for FOIA requests.

At the State Law Library, one floor below the Michigan Supreme Court in Lansing, I pay 10 cents a page for copying. Most libraries charge 10 cents. Some commercial copiers are even cheaper.

At that, prison inmates are better off than people requesting information from the Livonia Police Department, which charges $5 for the first page and $2 for the second page. Police in Farmington Hills charges $4 and in Redford Township $3 for the first page.

A black inmate wanted to know how juries were selected in an outstate county. The county seat city has a large black neighborhood, but somehow his jurors came from the white population of the surrounding townships.

The prosecutor wrote him that the jury selection process was "exempt" under FOIA. The inmate smelled a rat.

The inmate smelled right, too. I had discussed jury selection with the clerk of that county. Yes, indeed, he did put older white township residents on the jury panel because they were looking for something to do and needed a bit of extra cash.

We chuckled over the obtuse Pontiac police sergeant who denied an inmate's FOIA request because "the case was still under investigation." Not even a Bloomfield Hills lawyer could get Pontiac cops off the hook in the Court of Appeals for that booboo.

Some friends think I'm nuts for being nice to inmates.

It's not Liberalism. I learned my lesson. When authoritarian government intends to shaft people, it starts with minorities like inmates, high school editors, Gypsies and Jews. To protect the suburban white middle class, we have to protect other groups first.

Tim Richard reports regularly on the local implications of state and regional events. His office number is (313) 349-1700.

Schools, teachers must focus on children, not power plays

QUESTION: At a social outing, I heard a group of parents talking about the 1993-94 teacher contract negotiations that are going on in our community. Some were saying the Michigan Education Association will target our district for a strike next fall because we have some money. Some of these parents have already been laid off from General Motors and other parents are in fear being laid off. I didn't hear much sympathy for teacher strikes this year. Do you think there will be many teacher strikes this fall?



DOC DOYLE

Answer: The Michigan Education Association is at a crossroad. The days of the militant teacher strike to gain community support — that hopefully raises the anger of local citizens toward school administration and boards of education are over. The MEA, over the years, has performed superbly for teachers. Salaries are decent, benefits excellent, working conditions improved far beyond what I experienced as a young teacher in the '60s. An era when my former Trenton High School classmate, driving a dump truck, made much more money than I — and didn't hesitate to rub it in. An era when I paid my own retirement, Blue Cross, dental and other benefits.

Auto unions in the metropolitan Detroit area were the role models in the '60s when the right for teachers to negotiate was made law — when I was president of the Plymouth Education Association. Indeed, I can remember Ken Bannon, Reuther's right hand man, telling me, "Jim, you have to get this in your mind — it is no longer professional begging, it's professional bargaining. Take your hat out of your hand and quit shuffling your feet in front of the superintendent."

Good advice at that time and appropriate for those of us who got into education, not for money, but to teach kids. Which is still true for most educators today.

However, this is a new era! The MEA and local teacher organizations need to consider G.M., Chrysler and Ford automotive unions' change of philosophy since their plants started relocating in Tennessee and with Mexico breathing down their back.

Automotive management and union leadership is now moving into a more collegial relationship — a sharing of the decision making power for survival as opposed to the old adversary position of striking until it hurts them in the pocket. Auto union's focus now is on survival — how to save the company and keep employment in the good ole USA.

Similarly, teacher and administrative representatives, in this era of diminishing resources, need a very clear focus on the needs of the children as opposed to power plays.

The truth is that teacher wages in Southeastern Michigan, along with New York and California are the highest in the country. And the California union will need a trip to Fantasy Island if they think the upward wage trend over the past 20 years is going to continue. California is flat broke!

And in Michigan, increased millage votes are in for troubled times. However, it will be a tragedy for education if citizens vote down any and all renewals to keep present programs going or bond issues for roofs that keep the rain off children's heads. A "destroy the system" position is not the answer for the '90s.

No more an answer is a teachers' strike led by verbally abusive malcontents who hate any and all administrators — for whatever reason.

You ask, "Do you think there will be many teacher strikes this fall?" Very few, if any. The uncertainty of Engler's plan, the economy, Sears turning into a WalMart, G.M. possibly going under leads me to believe the MEA will not promote strikes as the answer. The MEA would be committing professional suicide in these trying times.

So let's hope Boards of Education, Central Office Administration, the MEA and local teacher organizations finally figure out how to work in a collegial atmosphere, an authority- and power-sharing model, as opposed to more of the same — the strikes, the angry citizens, the kids deprived — an antiquated system that has no support of the citizens — an anachronism for these times.

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SCC welcomes 2 to management team

Suburban Communications Corp., the parent company of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, has named Richard "Rick" J. Norton of Troy as senior manager-systems and technology.

Suburban Communications Corp. is a Livonia-based publisher of community newspapers, specialty publications and information services.

Also named to a new post in the corporation is Chris Butland, who will work as systems technician/ networking and telecommunications.

The two appointments were announced recently by Richard D. Aginian, SCC president.

Norton was previously project manager for Arbor Drugs, Inc.

"We are delighted to have a professional of Mr. Norton's caliber join our technical team as we proceed with comprehensive systems innovation across our company," said Aginian.

Norton will report to C.S. Wood, vice president of manufacturing at SCC.

Norton's previous experience includes work with Gannett Co. Inc., where he participated in development systems support to launch USA Today and with that company's outdoor advertising, radio and TV operations.

He was senior marketing support specialist for Digital Equipment Corp. and a field engineer for IBM. He also worked as operations group director for Micro Magic Rating Services.

Norton holds a bachelor's degree from the University of North Carolina, where he enrolled after serving three years in the U.S. Army.

Butland's responsibilities will include installation, maintenance, repair and end-user support for new and existing systems.

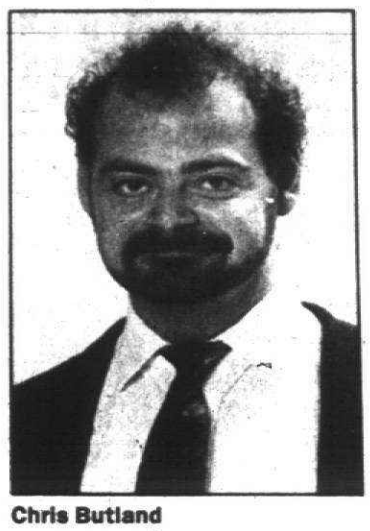
He previously worked at Inacomp Computer Centers, where he specialized in desktop publishing and was responsible for assisting the sales staff on pre-sale calls for Macintosh computers and network solutions.

He also worked with Computer Depot and the J.L. Hudson Co., where he was an electronic sales consultant.

Aginian said Butland's position is newly-created "to strengthen our support staff as we aggressively install new technology and utilize existing technology to maximize the efficiency of our operations."



Richard J. Norton



Chris Butland

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Art, jewelry, trips top list of Madonna auction items

Madonna University is holding its fifth annual "Around the World" Scholarship Auction at 5 p.m. on Saturday, April 17, in Livonia's Laurel Manor Banquet and Conference Center.

The vacation packages read like a travel brochure: Alaska, Orlando, New York City, Minneapolis, Hawaii, Los Angeles and London.

Other items to be auctioned include: artwork by Hubert Wynne Massey, Theresa Politowicz Heires, Jeanne Poulet and Edward Ferguson, as well as Soupy Sales, Joe Namath and New York Jet Geo Nock.

The list also includes: jewelry, electronics, sports equipment and memorabilia, tickets to theaters and sporting events, dinners, swimming pools, home collectibles, Millionaire for a Day and a Cadillac Seda De Ville which will be raffeld the night of the auction.

More than 700 items will be sold during the live and silent auctions.

Proceeds from the auction go to Madonna University student scholarships. Last year's auction raised more than $200,000. The goal this year is $250,000.

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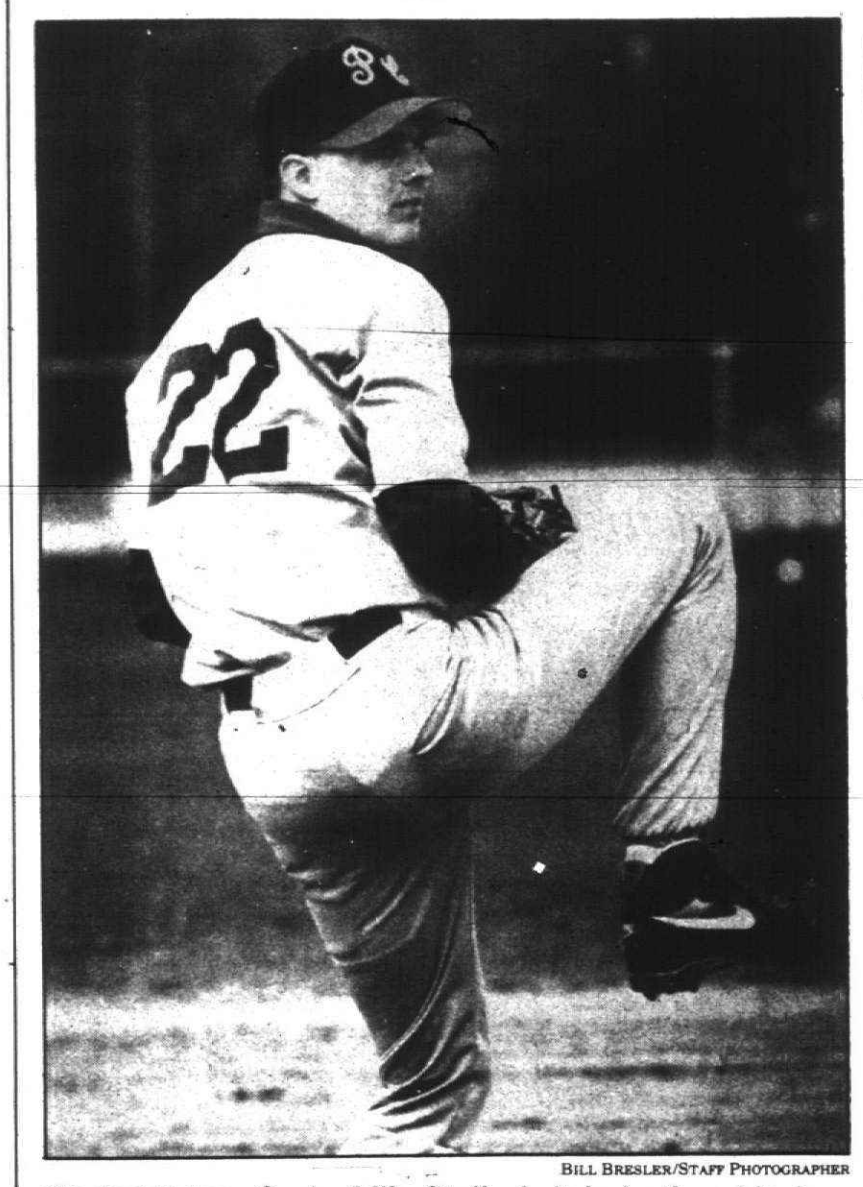
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Chiefs split with defending champ



BILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Winning pitcher: *Senior Mike Stafford pitched a three-hit victory Monday in Canton's 6-1 win over Birmingham Brother Rice.*

The Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem baseball teams had some disappointments to go with some successes to start the 1993 season, but both coaches saw enough good things to be encouraged about their teams.

Despite winning one of its first four baseball games, the Plymouth Canton team found the experience worthwhile, according to coach Mark LaPointe.

The Chiefs used a pair of early-season doubleheaders to toughen up against formidable non-league competition.

Canton split with visiting Birmingham Brother Rice Monday, winning 6-1 and losing 2-1, after dropping a twin bill to Redford Catholic Central on Saturday, 3-1 and 12-1.

"We feel, in the four games we played against two of the better teams in the state, we held our own and, by the end of the season, we're going to be very competitive," LaPointe said.

The Chiefs led 2-1 in the first game with defending Class A champion Rice when Chris Johnson's pinch-hit, three-run homer in the bottom of the fifth inning clinched the win.

Senior Mike Stafford made a strong showing in his pitching debut, tossing a three-hitter over seven innings. He struck out three and walked two.

Senior Matt Horn had the first of two RBI singles in the second, scoring Ryan Fordham with the tying run. Horn doubled and scored the go-ahead run on Matt Paupore's third-inning single.

Johnson cleared the left-field fence at Central Middle School with his 315-foot homer. Fordham scored another run on Horn's third hit in the sixth.

Canton should have won the doubleheader, according to LaPointe, but base-running errors cost the Chiefs that opportunity. Canton had a runner at third base three times and failed to score the run.

Craig Benedict, considered the team's ace pitcher, had an excellent game but still suffered the loss.

He was working on a perfect game through five innings and ended up throwing a two-hitter. He struck out seven and walked three.

Two walks and Rice's first hit tied the score in the top of the sixth, and Benedict gave up a bases-loaded walk for the winning run in the seventh.

"We're 1-3 but we've played great baseball teams; we haven't played any cupcakes," LaPointe said, adding the Chiefs also scrimmaged defending Class B champ Dearborn Divine Child and Howell.

"We saw a great deal of growth in our team today. We should have come out of there with a sweep, not a split. We just blew too many scoring opportunities."

The Chiefs were minus Stafford, who made a recruiting visit to Ohio State, when they played CC on Saturday.

Brad Paskievitch pitched a four-hitter for six innings and took the first-game loss, fanning two and walking two. Dean Rovinelli worked a hitless seventh. Mark Schankowski scored the lone Canton run on a wild pitch.

Rovinelli was the pitcher of record in the nightcap after giving up five first-inning runs.

Salem splits with Kimball

Plymouth Salem opened its season Tuesday by splitting a double-header against visiting Royal Oak Kimball, winning 4-1 and losing 11-1.

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CANTON SPORTS SCENE

Eagles excel in class

The Plymouth Christian Academy boys varsity basketball team has been recognized for its academic achievement by the Basketball Coaches Association of Michigan.

The Eagles have the highest cumulative grade-point average of any Class D team in the state. Eleven players combined for a 3.5 average on the 4.0 scale.

The team members are seniors Sunil Bhat and Jason Neil, juniors Mike Gonzales, Matt Junker and Ryan Bigelow, sophomores Daniel House, Ryan Thomason, Chris McCoy, Aaron Jones and Art Partain and freshman James Neil.

"I try to make it a point with students that academics and sports are equally important," Plymouth Christian coach Dan Brandel said. "Now that we have (the BCAM award) we can model it a little better for the students.

"We have plaques for winning the conference championship, sportsmanship and academic honors. We can show the kids all three areas are important."

Bhat plans to study medicine and Jason Neil engineering at the University of Michigan, according to Brandel.

Chiefs get soccer win

Despite being without a number of key players, Plymouth Canton defeated host Midland Dow 1-0 in girls soccer Saturday.

The Chiefs (2-0) were minus eight players — six seniors who went away during spring break and two others who are injured.

"The other girls played well," Canton coach Don Smith said. "They just don't score as well. It was good work for the young kids, because they got to play a lot. They had pressure put on them, and they had to play (hard to win)."

Angie Page scored the lone goal four minutes into the game with an assist from Julie Majewski.

Jori Welchans, the only senior besides Kelly Reeves to play, was in goal for the Chiefs. Canton attempted 22 shots and Dow four.

"(The Chargers) were not bad," Smith said. "They didn't have a lot of scoring opportunities, but they played pretty tough."

Plymouth Christian plays good brand of softball, too

BY NEAL ZIPSER
STAFF WRITER

Trivia question for the day: Which softball team from Plymouth won its league last year by going undefeated?

You're wrong if you said Plymouth Canton, who did win the Western Lakes Activities Association. But if you said Plymouth Christian Academy, you're right.

The Eagles, who finished 12-4 last season and won the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference with an 8-0 record, are used to being the *other* team in Plymouth-Canton. That doesn't bother third-year coach Steve Ritchey.

"I realize we're not Plymouth Canton," Ritchey said. "That's a totally different league. We're only class D. Instead of having 1,000 girls to choose from, I have about 40."

Even though he fell just short of proposing a challenge to the Chiefs, Ritchey did speak optimistically of his team's chances of winning the expanded MIAC and advancing past the district tournament.

"I don't want to sound like I'm bragging, but our only weakness is a bad day," Ritchey said. "We're solid on defense and pitching, but I suppose our hitting can be stronger. It's early though and it will improve."

PCA's hitting was impressive last Tuesday as the Eagles displayed some of their promise in a 15-3, opening-game drubbing of Taylor Baptist Park. PCA stole 19 bases in that game.

"They really surprised me," Ritchey said. "We heard Baptist Park was good. They were 2-0. The team was nervous and so was I.

"But this season, the team has that attitude, kind of like the University of Michigan (basketball team). They want to win and have the desire. (Kristina) Tilly is determined to win the league's most valuable player award. I don't have to prime them to play, and that makes my job easier."

The MIAC has added Oakland Christian, Southfield Christian and Fairlane Christian this year. Ritchey expects the toughest competition to come from Oakland and Southfield.

Ritchey's reason for optimism is simple: only one starter from his first-place team is gone. Christen Thomason, a first-team, all-conference catcher who batted .520 last season, graduated and is now Ritchey's assistant.

The top returnee is Tilly, a junior pitcher, who finished a vote away from being named the conference MVP last season. The right-hander compiled an 11-3 record and allowed only six hits and 13 walks in the eight league games. She also batted .582.

Tilly, whose forte is speed and control, is faster this season and hopes to duplicate her performances from last season. In a 4-2 victory over Huron Valley, Tilly threw a one-hitter and struck out 18 batters.

The lone senior on the squad is Jill Adams, who played left field and batted .380 but has moved to third base this season.

Speed is a strength for PCA. The top base burners are Nancy Cobernick and Karin Reed, both of whom stole 21 bases in league games last season.

Cobernick, an all-conference center fielder, bats leadoff and hit .480 last season. Reed, who led the team with a .605 average as a freshman, has moved from shortstop to catcher.

"She's the type that would rather win than be a superstar," Ritchey said. "She loves shortstop but made the move for the team. That's the way she is."

See **EAGLES,** 4B

Canton golfers rely on veteran trio

BY NEAL ZIPSER
STAFF WRITER

Plymouth Canton's hope for finishing atop the leader board this season will depend on the swings of three seniors.

The Chiefs, who went undefeated and captured the Western Lakes Activities Association title two years ago, finished 5-4 last season, good for fourth in the conference and second in the Western Division.

Canton coach Dan Riggs said the Chiefs will rely on seniors Audrey Meissner, Kristine Wertanen and Val Smith to return to the top of the WLAA.

"The three seniors will be the key to how well we do this season," Riggs said. "We've already talked about it. It's up to them how badly they want it."

Meissner, who shoots in the mid 40s, returns for her fourth year on the varsity. She has been a steady performer for the Chiefs, even as a freshman when she sank a hole-in-one in a varsity match.

"She's a good athlete and a good leader," Riggs said. "She hits the ball hard and is good around the green. She is capable of scoring very well."

Wertanen (mid 40s) is one of the longest drivers on the squad, according to Riggs. Smith (low 50s) will see considerable action on the course for the first time in her four-year varsity stint.

Making up for the losses of co-captains Katie Konavliv (high 40s) and Ann Vernon (mid 40s) to graduation is freshman Allyson Meissner. The newcomer reminds Riggs of her older sister.

"She's a good athlete and has shown a lot of promise," said Riggs, who expects Meissner to shoot in the mid 50s. "If I had to compare Allyson with Audrey as freshmen, I'd say they're about even."

The other two who will contribute are junior Karen Kelly and sophomore Michelle O'Brien, both of whom shoot in the high 50s.

Riggs, who enters his 10th season as coach, is concerned about a lack of practice time outside but added all of his competition is experiencing the same problem.

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Connecting: *Madonna's Michelle Birchmeier, a freshman from Redford (Thurston), manages to get a piece of this pitch in Monday's double-header against Aquinas. Birchmeier's fielder's choice in the first game delivered a run for the Crusaders.*

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Aquinas outslugs Madonna

BY C.J. RISAK
STAFF WRITER

If it's not one thing, it's another.

Whatever it takes.

Both could be mottoes for this year's Madonna University softball team. The Lady Crusaders have thus far been extremely efficient at finding ways to lose.

They did it Monday in an important double-header against NAIA District 23 foe Aquinas College at Massey Field in Plymouth. Facing the top pitcher in the district, Jodi Borowicz, didn't bother them — they rocked her for six hits and three runs in the first four innings of the opener.

In the second game, they scored five times in the first inning. But they couldn't manage to gain a win in either, losing 5-3 and 7-6.

"It seems like we're playing to lose," said a frustrated Dave Racer, Madonna's coach. "Our two pitchers pitched well enough to win. It's very hard to take. You jump out to a lead like that (in the second game) and you figure you're going to win one. But it just didn't happen."

What doomed Madonna was its fielding. The Crusaders committed 14 errors in the twinbill — eight in the first game, six in the second. Julie Terrasi was the losing pitcher in the opener, but she allowed just two earned runs.

Lynda Weichel was the second game loser, just three of the seven runs she allowed were earned. Borowicz, the district's MVP last year, pitched three innings of shutout ball in relief in the second game to earn the victory.

In the first game, Madonna got a two-run single from Weichel in the second inning and a triple from Kim Supron followed by a run-producing base hit from Jill Burt in the third. But Aquinas, now 4-0 in the district, regained the lead with a run in the fifth, then added an insurance run (unearned) in the seventh.

Supron and Burt each had two hits in the game, with Supron scoring twice.

The Crusaders started out the second game by pushing across five runs in the first. Supron singled in a run, Michelle Birchmeier brought in a run on a fielder's choice, Kristen Wasil singled in two more and Hughana Wilkie delivered one with a sacrifice fly.

Aquinas answered with two runs in the bottom half of the first, but Madonna pushed its lead to 6-2 on Holly Jondro's run-scoring base hit in the second. That was as much as the offense could muster. Aquinas closed the gap with a run in the second, then tied it with a three-run rally in the fourth.

Borowicz slashed an RBI single in the fifth to bring home the game-winning run.

Jondro and Supron each had two hits for Madonna, now 7-17 overall and 2-4 in the district.

"As bad as we were playing, we still should have split," said Racer. "But if you can't pick up the ball, it doesn't matter how many runs you score. The way we're playing, you can't take anything for granted."

Still, Racer refused to give in. "I have a good feeling that we're going to make the playoffs," he projected. "There's such a thing as peaking."

With the toughest part of the schedule behind them, Racer believes the Crusaders can turn it around and reach the four-team district tournament. The tournament winner gets a berth in the NAIA Regionals.

Aquinas, Northwood and Siena Heights are the top district teams, and Madonna has already played Northwood and Aquinas. Still, the team can't afford another defensive performance like Monday's, and it must improve its hitting (the team batting average is .264; last season, it was .320).

The next week could go a long way towards determining the Crusaders' season. They play at the Indiana University-Purdue University-Indianapolis Tournament this weekend, then host Spring Arbor Tuesday and Concordia Wednesday in district double-headers before traveling to Siena Heights for a twinbill next Thursday.

1st-place Crusaders dedicate field

Superb pitching propelled Madonna University to a baseball double-header sweep, 3-1 and 3-0, at Siena Heights Saturday.

The wins boosted Madonna's district-leading record to 5-1. The Fighting Crusaders are 17-8 overall. Siena Heights fell to 7-5 in NAIA District 23 play, 12-27 overall.

The Crusaders will dedicate their new field, Madonna University Park, Saturday when they host district-rival Grand Rapids Baptist in a double-header starting at 1 p.m. Admission is free. The park is located on Five Mile, between Farmington and Merriman, at the former Livonia Bentley HS.

Shaun Hayward, a senior right-hander who transferred from Concordia College, improved his season record to 3-0 with a five-hitter in the first game against Siena Heights. Hayward walked one and struck out one, earning himself district pitcher of the week honors. Hayward was 2-0 for the week, allowing one run on seven hits and two walks, striking out nine in 12 innings.

Siena Heights' Todd Boike nearly matched Hayward's performance, giving up just five hits, but six walks, an error, a balk and a hit batsman cost him. "We made the most of (our hits), that's for sure," agreed Madonna coach Mike George.

Madonna got its first run on an error by the Saints' shortstop on Rich Roy's grounder, after Jim Solak and T.C. Raptis had singled in the fourth. The Crusaders added a run in the fifth when Joe Brusseau was hit by a pitch, then was balked to second and bunted to third. He scored on Jeff Miller's sacrifice fly.

The final Madonna run came in the sixth. Bill Terski walked, was bunted to second, went to third on a fielder's choice and scored on Roy's single.

Brusseau had two of Madonna's five hits. Jerry Koester, Siena Heights' leadoff hitter and sparkplug, had two hits but was eliminated on the basepaths after each. Catcher Steve Coffell threw him out trying to steal, and outfielder Craig Oversitis tossed him out trying to stretch a single into a double.

In the second game, Madonna junior right-hander Louie McKaig challenged Hayward for pitcher of the week honors, tossing a two-hit shutout. McKaig walked one and struck out two, improving his overall mark to 3-0. McKaig was also 2-0 last week, allowing one run on six hits and two walks in 14 innings, striking out seven.

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Eagles put emphasis on individual efforts

BY NEAL ZIPSER
STAFF WRITER

No team goals? Stress individual accomplishment? If this sounds strange for high school athletics, don't blame Steve Bauslaugh.

The Plymouth Christain Academy track coach is in the odd position of coaching a team that emphasizes individualism. With 15 of the school's 115 students on the team (five boys and 10 girls), the Eagles can only participate in about a third of dual-meet events.

"We have a small team and can't compete against the larger schools, but we do receive some outstanding individual efforts," Bauslaugh said.

"We have to go into each meet with that idea. We have to concentrate on individual achievements. We have to do the best we can with what we have."

Senior Lee Nowicki is the leading returnee. She was the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference champion in the 100-meter sprint and the 100 hurdles. Nowicki finished fifth at the Class D meet in the 100 dash (12.7). She also will compete in the long jump and 200 dash this season.

"When Lee placed in the state meet, it was exciting for her, but it was also very exciting for the school," Bauslaugh said.

Senior Chris Martin, who missed half of last season with an ankle injury, has fully recovered and is the top thrower. Martin throws the shotput 38-4 and the discus 103 feet.

Senior Eric Jefferies hopes to bring some of his cross country success to track. The three-time state qualifier in cross country will run the mile and participate in the high jump.

Sprinter Scott Frans also returns for his fourth season and will provide experience and leadership, Bauslaugh said. Junior transfer Heather Belch will showcase her talents in the high jump.

Other athletes are sophomore Trevor Lehoczky and freshman Dan Marlow in the sprints, freshman Jill Barnett in the hurdles and sophomore Russ Robillard in the mile and long jump.

THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP BASEBALL
Thursday, April 15
Wayne at Westland Glenn (2), 11 a.m.
Dbn.-Fordson at Garden City (2), 11 a.m.
Ypsilanti vs. Redford CC at Capitol, noon.
U-D Jesuit at Liv. Franklin (2), noon.
Southgate at Ply. Salem (2), noon.
Friday, April 16
Farmington at Harper Creek (2), TBA.
Saturday, April 17
Redford CC at Redford Union (2), 11 a.m.
Farmington at Saline (2), TBA.

GIRLS SOFTBALL
Saturday, April 17
Taylor Invitational, 9 a.m.

BOYS TRACK
Saturday, April 17
Elks Relays at Dearborn High, 10 a.m.
Farm. Harrison at Milan Relays, TBA.

GIRLS TRACK
Saturday, April 17
Lady Chief Relays at Ply. Canton, 10 a.m.
Farm. Harrison at Milan Relays, TBA.
COLLEGE BASEBALL
Wednesday, April 14
Madonna at Spring Arbor (2), 1 p.m.
Thursday, April 15
Concordia at Madonna (2), 1 p.m.
Saturday, April 17
G.R. Baptist at Madonna (2), 1 p.m.
Sunday, April 18
Siena Heights at Madonna (2), 1 p.m.
COLLEGE SOFTBALL
Friday, April 16
Indiana-Purdue Indy Tournament
Madonna vs. Mo.-St. Louis, 3:45 p.m.
Madonna vs. Grace (Ind.), 7:15 p.m.
Saturday, April 17
Indiana-Purdue Indy Tournament
Madonna vs. St. Xavier (Ill.), 10:45 a.m.
Madonna vs. Spring Arbor, 12:30 p.m.
Madonna vs. IUPUI, 3:45 p.m.

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CC, Divine Child content with split

BY STEVE KOWALSKI
STAFF WRITER

There was some real good baseball played Monday at Dearborn Divine Child's Levagood Park.

Redford Catholic Central and DC agreed to move the site of the double-header from Livonia's Madonna Park to Levagood because of field conditions and neither coach went home upset.

DC sophomore pitcher Luke Bonner threw a one-hitter and his teammates scored an unearned run with two outs in the bottom of the seventh to win Game 1, 1-0.

CC came alive in the second game, scoring three times in the seventh to gain a split with a 5-2 victory.

Divine Child, the defending Class B champion, went home with a 2-3 overall record and the feeling it can play with one of the best teams in Class A. CC is 6-1 overall.

"I'm pleased with the split," DC coach Mark Falvo said. "CC's a very good club and we'll battle, too. We have nothing to be ashamed of. We're a small Class B school and I think we can play with them."

CC's junior right-hander Andy Kummer lost Game 1 despite allowing only three hits, striking out seven and walking four. Kummer, who was sick last week and pitched only one inning prior to Monday, was victimized by the bottom of the Falcons' order in the seventh.

After getting the first two hitters out, Kummer walked the No. 8 hitter Dave Terski, and the No. 9 hitter Todd Pratt (Garden City resident) singled to send Terski to second. CC second baseman Mike Brusseau dropped Matt Hansen's pop fly while backpedaling in short right field, allowing Terski to score the winning run.

"Andy threw real well," CC coach John Salter said. "He had decent control and came back when he got down on some hitters. Their first kid (Bonner) really threw well and was around the plate."

CC was hitless through five innings before Bruseau led off the sixth with a double. But DC's first baseman Greg Ryan, who is from Redford, speared a line drive hit by Brian Hicks and threw to second for a double play to end the threat. The Shamrocks also had runners on first and second after consecutive walks with two outs in the fourth but Jeff Gutt grounded out to end the inning.

The Shamrocks had better luck at the plate in the second game, collecting eight hits off losing pitcher Steve Guibord. Gutt, Andy Slankster and Juan Sanchez (two RBI) keyed the attack with two hits each.

Jerry Nozewski, pitching in relief of starter Dave Kapla, earned the win after pitching out of a jam in the fifth and allowing no hits and striking out four in 2⅓ innings.

The Shamrocks scored three runs in the seventh to break a 2-2 tie. Four straight walks produced one run with one out and Sanchez and Gutt drove in the other two runs with singles.

DC scored a pair of runs off CC Kapla. Pratt tripled in the third and scored on a sacrifice fly by Hansen. Ryan doubled in the fifth to drive in a run.

Baseball *from page 1B*

The youthful Rocks were facing a senior-dominated Kimball team that is ranked among the top 20 teams in the state.

Mike Marsella was the winning pitcher in Game 1, tossing a six-hitter in five innings of work. Marsella allowed one run and struck out seven. Nirav Kher pitched two innings of one-hit relief with four strikeouts to pick up the save.

Salem scored all of its runs in the bottom of the fourth after Kimball had jumped to a 1-0 lead in the top of the inning.

Eric Stryker started Salem's rally with a single, and Marsella was hit by a pitch to put runners on first and second.

Stryker and Marsella tried a double steal and Stryker went home on the play when the Kimball catcher's throw sailed into the outfield to tie the score 1-1.

Jamie Owens was safe on an infield error with two outs and Charlie Winstel, Eric Kida and Brandon Los followed with singles for a 4-1 lead.

"They opened the door and we took advantage of it," Salem coach John Gravlin said. "We played an almost perfect game in Game 1. But we can be very, very good or very, very mediocre."

Mediocrity overcame Salem in the nightcap as the Rocks committed five errors in an 11-1 loss.

Losing pitcher Dave Knight left after 3⅓ innings and giving up seven Kimball runs. The Rocks took a 1-0 lead in the first after Matt Abbott led off with a single, went to third on an error and scored on John Klask's groundout.

"I was pleased with our pitchers, especially in the first game and given the way Kimball swung the bat in the second game," Gravlin said. "But Dave Knight deserved better."

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The Board of Trustees will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 27, 1993, in the Meeting Room of the Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170. Phone number: 453-3840 X 224.

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SPORTS SHORTS

Items for the *Sports Roundup should be submitted by 5 p.m. Tuesday (for Thursday edition) and 5 p.m. Friday (for Monday edition).*

■ S'CRAFT GOLF

Schoolcraft College's golf team carded a 329 to finish fifth at the Muskegon CC Jayhawk Invitational last Thursday at the Chase Hammond Golf Course. Lansing CC won with a 308, one stroke better than Siena Heights.

Dan Alcock led SC with a 78. Dennis Alcock and Steve Brining each shot 82s, Michael Brady had an 87 and Pete Theophelis shot 100.

■ TENNIS LESSONS

Canton Parks and Recreations Services is offering tennis lessons from April 26 to June 4. The lessons are for all skill levels and last for six weeks.

The fee is $29 for Canton residents and $35 for non-residents. The lessons will be divided into three age groups: 7-12, 13-17 and adults.

All lessons will be at Griffin Park, with one lesson given per week. Call 397-5110 to register.

■ SENIOR GOLF

A senior citizens golf league begins Tuesday, May 4, at Fellows Creek Golf Course. The league is sponsored by Canton Parks and Recreation Services.

The registration fee is $12 plus weekly greens fees. Play begins at 8 a.m. every Tuesday through mid-August. The league is open to all area seniors age 50 and over.

There will be a league meeting 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 27, at the Canton Township Administration Building. Call 397-5110 for information.

■ WOMEN'S GOLF

■ Women who would like to play nine holes of early-morning golf without rigid league rules, are invited to join The Thursday Group. An informational meeting will take place at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, April 22, at Hilltop Golf Course. Play begins April 29. For information call 451-0575 or 455-9496.

■ The Canton Parks and Recreation Services Women's Friday Morning Golf League begins May 7 at Fellows Creek Golf Course. The fee is $12 plus weekly greens fees. Tee times are 9 a.m. until mid June, then 8 a.m.

League play runs for 16 weeks. Residency is not required. Each week league members will play nine holes and establish a handicap. Call 397-5110 for more information.

■ RACE FOR THE CURE

The Michigan Cancer Foundation's Race for the Cure will be Saturday, April 17, at the Detroit Zoo.

Registration for the 5K race/walk/racewalk and one-mile fun walk begins at 7:30 a.m. The race begins at 9 a.m.

Boots to coach Churchill boys

By Brad Emons
Staff Writer

■ SOCCER

Mark Mason is out and John Boots is in as Livonia Churchill boys soccer coach.

Boots, who went 32-8-3 during two seasons with Redford Catholic Central (1989 and '90), was elevated to the varsity position after spending the past year as the Chargers' JV coach.

Mason's exit, meanwhile, was not unexpected and had been in the works for the past several months.

Churchill principal Rod Hosman decided before the start of last season that Mason's contract would not be renewed. Boots, one of three candidates interviewed for the vacant position, was hired last week.

"Mark did a good job and he was successful in terms of wins and losses, and we thank him for the work he did for us," Churchill athletic director Don Albertson said. "But we had a difference in philosophy as far as communication and training practices for all concerned."

Mason coached one of the state's premier teams for three seasons, going 45-9-8 overall. His 1990 squad fell to Warren DeLaSalle in the state Class A championship final.

Mason's 1991 team, featuring five Division I college players including Under-20 U.S. National Team members Jeff Cassar and Mike Gentile, was upset in the district final by Plymouth Salem.

"Before the season they (Churchill administration) said they were going to post the job," Mason said in an interview two months ago. "I guess my training methods were too aggressive even though I stayed within the state's (athletic association) parameters. As far as fitness and conditioning, I guess I worked them too hard. They wanted it to be conservative and low key, and I didn't want that.

"I got off to a rocky start. They felt the communication between me, the athletic director and the principal was not what it should be."

Mason said he also differed with Churchill administration over travel, scheduling, practice fields, equipment and uniforms.

"It was a combination of things each year," Mason said. "I wanted to play the toughest teams from Ohio, Indiana and Ontario."

Albertson said he received a "number of phone calls" last fall from parents concerned about training procedures and communication.

"We needed to change a few things," Albertson said. "The school district has a different philosophy, as far as traveling and scheduling. We cannot go more than 60 miles and cannot leave the state. There's a difference between high school soccer and running a club soccer team."

Boots, an Indiana native, is currently the girls varsity coach at Brighton High. He has also coached extensively at the club level. His 1990 Metro Magic, an under-16 boys team, reached the final four of the U.S. Youth Soccer Federation nationals.

"We're very happy he accepted the job at Churchill High School," Albertson said. "The kids are having fun with John around and there's communication. He'll become part of the school. He'll be a visible person with interest in some of our other activities besides soccer."

Boots, a sporting goods sales representative, said he is looking forward to the challenge of coaching the Chargers.

"I saw a difference in the way they (Churchill) approached soccer," said Boots, who ironically had differences with CC's administrators about that program.

"We had three key players graduate and we lost a great goalkeeper (Kal Kaliszewski), but we have a good nucleus for next year's team. It's a Livonia school. They'll always have a good nucleus."

Eagles

from page 1B

Another all-conference player, first baseman/pitcher Melissa Yoder, also returns. The clean-up hitter could be the team's best clutch hitter, according to Ritchey. After hitting .600 as a freshman, her average dropped to .433 last season.

Sophomore Dawn Muneio (.400) has moved from third base to second. Last year's second baseman, sophomore Shruiti Nandani (.300), will play left field. Sophomore Beth Copeland, who has the strongest arm on the squad, will play right field.

Ritchey is happy with what he has seen from freshman Lisa Erickson, who has filled the void at shortstop. Erickson, who also pitches, had two RBI, two walks and a hit in her debut against Baptist Park.

Rounding out PCA's roster are sophomore outfielders Tina Williams and Keri Mandeville and freshmen outfielders Carrie Whitaker, Krissy Zedan and Leah Jones.

CLARIFICATION

Plymouth Salem softball player Amber Trombetta was misidentified Monday in a photo cutline.

Local author to sign book at area libraries

Five public libraries in Wayne and Oakland counties will celebrate National Library Week April 18-24 by hosting autographing parties for Redford Township suspense author Robert C. Wilson.

Wilson will autograph his latest book "Second Fire," published March 1.

Libraries hosting book-signing parties are:

■ Wayne Oakland Library Federation, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday, April 15, 33030 Van Born, Wayne.

■ Auburn Hills Public Library, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Monday, April 19, 3400 E. Seyburn.

■ Taylor Community Library, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 21, 12303 Pardee.

■ Novi Public Library, 1-3 p.m. Thursday, April 22, 45245 W. 10 Mile.

■ Redford Township Public Library, noon to 3 p.m. Saturday, April 24, 15150 Norborne.

Copies of "Second Fire" ($5.50) will be available for sale at each library.

The allure of fire to man is both its compelling and fearful nature. And in the tradition of Native American Indians, fire also is all-powerful. "Second Fire" draws from the myths and modern problems of Native American Indians to pen this terror-suspense story.

The Ojibwa Indians protest a planned excavation of an ancient burial site led by anthropologist Christopher Fielding. Attempting a compromise, Fielding recuits Native American Indian anthropologist Jean Shawshequay to supervise the dig, hoping to assuage any accusations of sacrilege.

But a radical Indian rights group, headed by an intense Ojibwa named Blackbear, is insulted by this compromise. His group first responds with petty terrorism against the dig workers. But Blackbear takes it one step further by summoning the spirits of The Ancient Ones. And the death and destruction, by fire, begins.

The police and Fielding cannot stop the force of the Ancients. Only Jean may be the answer. But can she convince Chris of the true source of these deadly fires. And, more importantly, will she be able to stop it?

Other Wilson suspense thrillers include "Crooked Tree" and "Icefire."

Ficano's request to block airport force fails

An attempt by Wayne County Sheriff Robert Ficano to block a controversial plan to establish a separate airport police force was exiled Tuesday to committee by the Wayne Board of Commissioners.

Some county staffers suggested that the plan will die there.

Ficano was on hand to fight off the "attack on his turf" Tuesday, but was left waiting in the wings when the amendment, introduced by Commissioner Bernard Parker, was not even considered by commissioners.

Airport director Robert Braun has studied the value of having a separate airport police force and recommended creation to County Executive Edward McNamara. Braun said Wednesday that he is waiting for the "go-ahead" from McNamara before setting the plan in motion.

The executive's staffers said last week that McNamara was "not involved" in the issue.

Engler to sign trailways act to mark Earth Day

Gov. John Engler will use an Earth Day observance April 20 to sign Sen. Robert Geake's trailways act.

"Citizens of Michigan and all outdoor enthusiasts are big winners today," said Geake, R-Northville, after the Senate unanimously concurred in House amendments.

The plan is to turn idle rail corridors into recreational facilities. Under a package of bills, the Department of Natural Resources will work with local units to develop multi-use trailways for bicycling, hiking and equestrian uses.

Geake's bill would:

■ Set criteria for designating a "Michigan Trailway" and determining permitted uses.

■ Allow creation of local trailway management councils to run trails under agreements with DNR.

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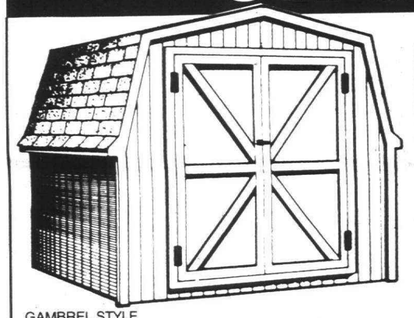
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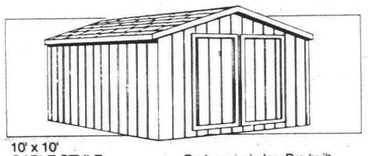
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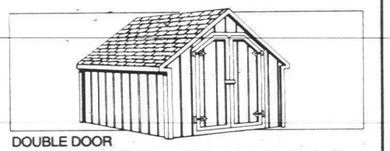
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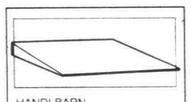
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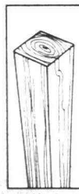


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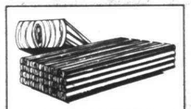
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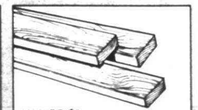
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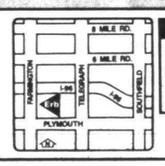
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CLASSICAL

■ CLASSIC BRUNCH
Brunch with the Classics features "The Kobayashi-Gray Duo," with Laura Kobayasshi, violin and Susan Keith Gray, piano in a concert featuring works by Leclair, Schubert, Clara Schumann and Cesar Franck, noon to 2 p.m. Sunday, April 18 at the Somerset Collection Rotunda, 2801 Big Beaver Road, Troy. Call 643-6360 for tickets.

■ LYRIC CHAMBER ENSEMBLE
Southfield-based Lyric Chamber Ensemble winds up its Gem Theatre Brunch series with "April in Paris," a morning concert of French music, 10:45 a.m. Sunday, April 25 at the Gem Theatre, 58 East Columbia, Detroit. Continental breakfast followed by concert at 11:15 a.m. For ticket information, call 357-1111.

■ DETROIT CHAMBER WINDS
Troy-based Detroit Chamber Winds will draw its 11th season to a close with a performance entitled "Finale Ultimo," 8 p.m. Friday, April 23 at the Lila Jones-Johnson Theatre on the Royal Oak campus of Oakland Community College, 739 S. Washington. For ticket information, call 362-2622.

VOCAL MUSIC

■ PLYMOUTH CHORUS
Spring concert, "Best Seat in the House," 8 p.m. Saturday, April 24 and 4 p.m. Sunday, April 25 at Plymouth Salem High School Auditorium, 46181 Joy Road, Canton. For ticket information, call 455-4080.

■ LIVONIA CHORUS
Spring concert, "Just off Broadway," 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 7 and May 8 at Clarenceville High School, 20155 Middlebelt Road, Livonia. For ticket information, call 261-2260.

■ COMMUNITY COLLEGE
The 80-voice Oakland Community College chorus will present a concert, "Steppin' Out — Around the World," 8 p.m. Monday, April 19 and Tuesday, April 20 in the Smith Theatre on the Orchard Ridge Campus, Orchard Lake Road at I-696. Tickets $3. For informaiton, call 471-7700.

DANCE

■ OAKLAND UNIVERSITY
Oakland Dance Theatre spring showcase performances 8 p.m. Friday, April 16, and 3 p.m. Sunday, April 18, in Varner Recital Hall on campus in Rochester. Tickets $8 general, $6 senior, $3 student. Call 370-3013.

■ BALLROOM DANCING
Ballroom dancing has returned to the historic Botsford Inn where Henry Ford and his wife Clara often danced. Traditional ballroom dancing to live Big Band sounds 8-11 p.m. Wednesdays at the inn, 28000 Grand River, at Eight Mile in Farmington. Admission $4 per person, and for the novice or non-dancer, dance lessons will be offered for $2 per person 6:45-7:45 p.m. For information, call 474-4800.

THEATER

■ MARQUIS THEATRE
"Jack and the Beanstalk," Easter break performances 2:30 p.m. April 15, 16, 17 and 18. Tickets $6. Call 349-8110. The theater is at 135 E. Main Street, Northville.

■ OAKLAND UNIVERSITY
Benefit performance "Cloud Nine," 8 p.m. Thursday, April 15 in the Varner Studio Theatre on the campus in Rochester. Tickets $50 minimum donor, $20 minimum general admission. Proceeds to go to the funding of the show's travel to Washington D.C. to participate in the American College Theatre Festival at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts in Washington, D.C. For ticket information, call 370-3013.

■ FARMINGTON PLAYERS
"Anything Goes," a musical by Cole Porter will be presented 8 p.m. Thursday, April 30 through Saturday, May 22 and 7 p.m. Sundays at the Farmington Players Barn, 32332 Twelve Mile, Farmington Hills. For ticket information, call 553-2955.

■ BERKSHIRE HOTEL
"Berkshire Live," a comedy revue of music and dance will be presented 9 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays through June 26 at the Berkshire Hotel, 26111 Telegraph, Southfield. Tickets $12.95 each, $24 per couple. Overnight packages which include dinner and breakfast buffet, available. Call 356-4333 for information.

■ TROY THEATRE
"West Side Story," will be presented 7:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, April 30, May 1, May, 7, and May 8, Thursday, May 6, and 2:30 p.m. Sunday, May 2. Show features a full orchestra, cast of 60. Show will be presented in the Troy High School auditorium, 4777 Northfield Parkway, Troy. Tickets, $5 per person, reserved seating. Call 952-6206 for tickets.

FOLK

■ COMFY CONCERT
Paint Creek Folklore Society hosts the Conkers, and singer, songwriter Judy Piazza of Rochester at a Comfy Concert 7 p.m. Friday, April 18 in Rochester Hills. Call 375-2513 to reserve your seat.

JAZZ

■ LAUREL PARK PLACE
Janet Tenaj and Classic Trio 1-2:30 p.m. Sunday, April 25 in the North Court of Laurel Park Place east of I-275 at West Six Mile and Newburgh roads in Livonia.

■ JAZZ LUNCHEON
Zonta Club of Southfield annual Auction and Jazz Luncheon 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, April 18, at the Ritz-Carlton, Dearborn to benefit the Oakland Community College's Program for Academic Suport Services, the Salvation Army Child Care Center Education Room, Bed and Bread and other local charities. Live entertainment by the James Robinson Trio. Tickets $35 per person. Call 342-4532.

Concert features Trinidad Steel Band

Southfield's Concert in the Garden Series will present Hugh Borde's Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band 11 a.m. Sunday, April 18, at the Marriott Hotel, 27033 Northwestern Highway, Southfield.

Concert and continental breakfast served at 10:30 a.m., $7.50, concert and coffee only, $4. For information, reservations, call 354-4717.

The band performs a repertoire of music that ranges from calypso and reggae to classical and rock'n'roll on oil drums.

During the days after World War II, when it was impossible to get instruments to play their calypso music on, the natives of Trinidad discovered that they could play tunes on abandoned steel oil drums. Thus began the original steel band, from which this group evolved.

The Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band has performed at Rockefeller Plaza, Central Park and Lincoln Center Plaza in New York, the Pan American Union in Washington D.C. and the Montreal Museum of Fine Art. The band also toured two years with Liberace.

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Dance festival

Sixth-annual International Folk Dance Festival 3:30-7 p.m. Sunday, April 18, at the Southfield Civic Center Pavilion at 26000 Evergreen, north of 10 Mile in Southfield. Tickets $15 at the door. An international buffet featuring entrees and desserts, served by area restaurants, will be offered 3:30-6 p.m. For information, call 354-4854 or 871-8600.

Chef's salute

The Schoolcraft College Gourmet Club will present "A Salute to Michigan's Great Women Chefs," 7 p.m. Friday, April 16 at the Waterman Campus Center at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia. Featured chefs include Chef Mary Brady of Diamond Jim Brady's, Chef Carolyn Haskins of the Townsend Hotel, and Chef Lorraine Platman of Sweet Lorraine's Cafe. Tickets $75 per person includes a champagne and hors d'oeuvres reception, five course meal, bottle of wine per table with each course served to compliment the cuisine, a raffle drawing for prizes and booklet of recipes featured at the dinner. Call 462-4422 for ticket information.

Chautauqua

The Bloomfield Township Public Library, 1099 Lone Pine Road in Bloomfield Township, is hosting the Chautauqua Express which features American songs from every decade, 7-8 p.m. Tuesday, April 20. For information, call 642-5800.

Opera

Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty, Livonia, will present soprano Beverly Rinaldi in a free concert noon to 1 p.m. Wednesday, April 21, in the college's Forum Building Recital Hall, F 530. A "Meet the Artist" reception will follow the concert. For information, call 462-4400, Ext. 5225.

Jewish Ensemble Theatre

Jules Feiffer's "Grown Ups" opens for preview performances 8 p.m. Wednesday, April 21 at the Aaron DeRoy Theatre, at the Jewish Community Center, 6600 West Maple Road, West Bloomfield. Regular performances begin 8 p.m. Sunday, April 25 through May 16. For ticket information, call 788-2900 or Ticketmaster, 645-6666.

Meadow Brook Theatre

Banjo picking and Bible thumping will be heard at Oakland University's Meadow Brook Theatre when the bluegrass gospel musical comedy "Smoke on the Mountain," opens 8 p.m. Thursday, April 22. Performances will be given Tuesdays through Thursdays until May 16 on the university campus in Rochester Hills. For ticket information, call 377-3300 or Ticketmaster, 645-6666.

Avon Players

Avon Players will present "A Chorus Line" weekends starting 8 p.m. Friday, April 30, through Saturday, May 22, at the playhouse in Rochester Hills. For ticket information, call 375-1390.

Singer puts major effort into minor role

Michigan Opera Theatre's 1993 Spring Grand Opera Season opens with Giacomo Puccini's "La Boheme," sung in Italian with English subtitles, Saturday, April 24. Performances Wednesday, April 28, Saturday and Sunday, May 1 and May 2 at Masonic Temple, 500 Temple, Detroit. For ticket information, call 874-SING or TicketMaster, 645-6666.

■ 'This story is about the camaraderie among the bohemians and the extent friends will go to support each other.'
— James Patterson


MARY JANE DOERR

Colline may seem like a minor role in Giacomo Puccini's "La Boheme" for bass James Patterson of Bloomfield Hills to debut with Michigan Opera Theatre. However, it is this selfless bohemian's last act effort that brings real meaning to the opera.

"This story is about the camaraderie among the bohemians and the extent friends will go to support each other," said Canadian Patterson, a graduate of Lahser High School and the University of Michigan Music School.

In the opera's final touching moments, Patterson will sing the aria, "Vecchia zimarra," as the philosopher Colline sets out, in the dead of winter, to pawn his overcoat to pay for a doctor for his sick friend Mimi.

"Often we see Colline portrayed as self-centered because in this aria he bemoans the loss of his valued coat, but Colline is really socially awkward. He backs off when dealing with people, preferring to crawl inside himself instead," Patterson said.

This is the third time Patterson has sung in this opera, the opera he debuted in at the San Francisco Opera 10 years ago. Since then the 34-year-old singer, whose 6-foot-6-inch appearance is more like a basketball player, has been singing Fafner in numerous "Der Ring des Nibelungen" (Richard Wagner's four series opera masterpieces) and appeared in the video of Peter Sellers' avante-garde "Don Giovanni."

"Colline is the first role I have sung where the character is younger than I am," said Patterson.

Age is vital to the visual success in any "La Boheme" production which is one reason Mitchell Krieger, director of artistic resources, is thrilled with Patterson and other cast members in this production. They are all look like the young bohemians.

"La Boheme" is one of the ABC operas, one of the three most often produced operas in the world's major houses. ("Carmen" and "Aida" are the other two.) Loved, because it centers on the artist's need for freedom of expression and their libertine life style, the parallels with America's Greenwich Village, the Beat Generation, and Hippiedom are obvious.

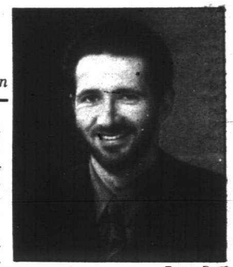
"Even today, artists are still struggling to pursue their art," said Peggy O'Shaughnessey of Troy, a chorus member and veteran of 14 MOT productions. This will be her second "La Boheme" with MOT.

The young, struggling bohemians, talented and free, living in a garret has the romantic stuff that make Puccini the composer of passion while Patterson's interpretation of the meaning of the opera seems closer to the truth. The opera is about friendship.

Colline returns in the final act with bread and a herring, more like a red herring when the fun loving youths engage in playful antics turning away from the inevitable doom that follows. When Mimi arrives, sick and near death, the feeling turns to anguish. Musette goes off to pawn her earrings for a hand-muff for Mimi.

As Colline, Patterson will sing Colline's aria bidding farewell to his youthful utopia as Mimi bids farewell to life. The opera ends with the final bars from that aria.

"It is not often a bass has the opportunity to be the focus of the audience," said Patterson.


THOMAS DREW

Opera debut: *Bass James Patterson of Bloomfield Hills makes his Michigan Opera Theatre debut as Colline in "La Boheme."*

Concerts to feature outstanding musicians

If your musical tastes lean toward classics, you'll find plenty of concerts to choose from this month. Make a note of these upcoming performances.

■ The Julius Chajes Music Fund Concert series will present Brazilian-born pianist Flavio Varani in concert at the Jewish Community Center of Metropolitan Detroit, 6600 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield, 3:30 p.m. Sunday, April 18.

The concert will be in the Janice Charach Epstein Museum and Gallery at the center. For concert and ticket information, call Annette Chajes, 661-1000, Ext. 352.

■ The Pontiac Oakland Symphony will herald the arrival of spring with a special performance featuring works by Tchaikovsky, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, April 18 at the historic Strand Theatre, 12 N. Saginaw in downtown Pontiac. Guest conductor is Karen Nixon Lane, founder of Farmington-based "Group Du Jour." Featured guest soloist is Debra Fayroian, Detroit Symphony Orchestra cellist. Tickets are $10, seniors and students, $5, and will be available at the door. For information, call 334-6024.

■ Group du jour, "Farmington's Philharmonic," presents Bach to the Future! — subtitled "The Old World, The New World and Out of This World!," 8 p.m. Friday, April 23, at Mercy Center, 28600 11 Mile Road, Farmington Hills. Come early for the 7 p.m. pre-concert coffee hour featuring chamber music from the Renaissance to avant-garde. Orchestral selections include Antonin Dvorak's "Symphony No. 9," "From the New World," and excerpts from Gustav Theodore Holst's "The Planets." For ticket information, call 478-2075.

■ Musica Viva! International Concert series will feature the spell-binding artistry of Cuban-born Manuel Barrueco, classical guitar, 8 p.m. Friday, April 23, at the Smith Performing Arts Theatre on the campus of Oakland Community College, Orchard Lake Road at I-696, south of 12 Mile Road, Farmington Hills. For ticket information, call 473-2228.

■ Mark your calendars, the Michigan Flute Festival, featuring various flute ensembles, the Michigan Flute Orchestra, Mass and flute choirs with more than 300 participants from all around Michigan, will be 3:30 p.m. Sunday, May 23, at Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward, Detroit. Call 833-3700 for ticket information.

■ The Birmingham-Bloomfield Symphony will perform "Great Romantic Symphonies" including Johannes Brahms' "Symphony No. 2 in D Major" and Peter Tchaikovsky's "Symphony No. 4 in F Minor," 7:30 p.m. Sunday, April 25, in the sanctuary of Temple Beth El in Birminhgam. For ticket information, call 645-BBSO.

■ Celebrate the French masters of the 18th century when Chamberworks presents Music at the French Court 8 p.m. Friday, April 25, at Christ Church Cranbrook, Guild Hall, 470 Church Road, Bloomfield Hills. Call 643-7788 for ticket information.

■ Pianist Steven Rosenfeld will perform at the Birmingham Temple's Vivace Performing Arts Series, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, April 25. The program — "Forms of Music: Concert and Commentary," will include music of Scarlotti, Beethoven, Chopin and Schubert. Afterglow will follow concert. Admission $10, students and seniors, $9. The Birmingham Temple is at 28611 W. 12 Mile Road, Farmington Hills. Call 647-4632 for ticket information.

■ The Schoolcraft College Community Choir will present a "Choral Celebration," featuring Brahms, Nanie, selections from Mendelssohn's "Elijah," and traditional folk music, 4 p.m. Sunday, April 25, at Northville First United Methodist Church, 777 Eight Mile, Northville, and 8 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at Faith Lutheran Church, 3000 Five Mile, Livonia. Donations will be accepted during intermission. For information, call 462-4448.

■ The American Artists Series wraps up its 23rd season with flutist Ervin Monroe, 3 p.m. Sunday, April 25, at Cranbrook/Kingswood Auditorium, on the Cranbrook campus, 1221 Woodward, Bloomfield Hills. Peter Schoenbach, chairman of the Wayne State University Music Department, will give the 2 p.m. preview lecture. For ticket information, call 851-5044.


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'Oklahoma' brings actress home

Performances of the Birmingham Theatre production of "Oklahoma!" continue through May 2. For ticket information, call the box office at 644-3533.

BY KEELY WYGONIK
STAFF WRITER

Until her "big break" comes, Jennifer Laura Thompson of Birmingham says she'll continue doing regional theater.

She's back home, on the Birmingham Theatre stage for the first time, in the chorus of "Oklahoma!"

"Everyone in the chorus has a name," said Thompson, a graduate of Birmingham Groves High School and the University of Michigan's Musical Theatre program.

"It's one of the few productions where the chorus isn't nameless. I play Vivian, one of Laurey's many friends. I'm one of four women in the chorus. People tease me because I look like a schoolmarm."

Look for Thompson in the first and second acts. We talked shortly after the show opened.

"It was great. The audience was overwhelming. Everyone is having a great time," she said.

Thompson recently returned from a six-month European tour of Andrew Lloyd Webber's "Jesus Christ Superstar" that took her to Italy, Germany, Switzerland and Austria.

She portrayed Mary Magdalene. Her other credits include the role of Polly Peachum in "The Threepenny Opera," Rachel in "Reckless," and Florinda in "Into the Woods."

Since graduating from the University of Michigan in 1991, Thompson, 23, said she's been able to "mostly support myself performing.

"I'm always doing other jobs," she added. "I hope to be on Broadway, someday."

After she finishes her stint at the Birmingham Theatre, Thompson will travel to Shawnee, Pa. to perform the role of Louisa in "The Fantasticks" at the Shawnee Playhouse. Rehearsals start June 6.

"Louisa is 16 years old. She's special, but she has a lot to learn," said Thompson. "I seem to be playing younger and younger women as I get older."

It's not likely she'll forget her role as Vivian in "Oklahoma." This is the musical's 50th anniversary.

The U.S. Post Office has even issued a stamp in honor of "Oklahoma!" which opened in New York on March 31, 1943 at the St. James Theatre. This Rodgers and Hammerstein musical has since become a Broadway legend. It ran for five years, 2,212 performances.

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Rising star: *Look for Jennifer Thompson of Birmingham in the chorus of "Oklahoma!" now playing at the Birmingham Theatre.*

Laurey is set against the drama of the Indian territory about to achieve statehood to become Oklahoma, the 46th state of the United States of America.

Second City seeks actors, actresses

If you're a comedian waiting for a "big break," here's an opportunity.

The Second City, which will open its new comedy theater next door to the Fox Theatre in downtown Detroit late this summer, will host auditions for its Detroit cast 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2-5 p.m. Monday, April 26 and Tuesday, April 27.

The auditions are open to the public and will be at the Fox Theatre, 2211 Woodward, Detroit. For more information, call 965-2222.

The Second City is looking for actors and actresses with improvisational training.

'Forever Plaid' crew moves to Gem Theatre

Sparky, Jinx, Frankie, Smudge and the rest of the crew of "Forever Plaid" are dismantling their set at Ferndale's Magic Bag Theatre, loading their 1954 Lincoln-Mercury convertible, and moving to the Gem Theatre in downtown Detroit.

Beginning Friday, April 16, through April 30, "Forever Plaid" will be at the Gem Theatre, 58 East Columbia, across the street from the Fox Theatre. For ticket information, call Ticketmaster 645-6666 or the Gem box office 963-9800.

Show times are 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Thursdays, 7 p.m. Fridays, 4:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturdays, and 2 p.m. and 7 p.m., Sundays.

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aftermarket system if Zexel is able to find a partner.

"We wouldn't want to do it ourselves — we're not set up that way, but if we can find someone who can do the distribution — that's the way we would go."

How it works

After the car is started, the computer locates itself by signing into the Global Positioning System, a network of U.S. Air Force satellites that transmit navigation data. The computer locates several satellites, triangulates its current position, cross references with the computer database and pops up a map of where the car is. This takes about two seconds.

The database also includes points of interest ranging from hotels and businesses to golf course and amusement parks.

"Could we do it with just the satellites? No. Could we do it with just the database? Again, no," O'Connor said.

Satellite triangulation works by line of sight and needs several satellites to get an accurate fix on a car's location — impossible in an urban area with buildings.

The extensive database needs the satellites to fix its starting point," O'Connor said. "We needed both for this to be accurate enough to be useful."

Simply identifying a car's location isn't enough, if the driver can't figure out where he or she is or where he or she is going, O'Connor said.

Zexel originally designed the overhead map to always display with the map in one position, but preliminary testing showed a preference for a heads-up display with a constant north so drivers could more easily follow their progress.

Another addition is the use of arrows to signal turns, rather than a map. "We felt the map would be too distracting — the arrows communicate a direction more succinctly than an overhead map."

This "turn-by-turn mode" has been so well accepted the overhead map has become secondary and may be offered as an option rather than a part of the system.

The system also warns people if they've deviated from their selected route and will recalculate another route — sometimes by sending the driver back to the previous route.

Powerful future tool

While the thrust of the system is currently a means of navigation, it will one day be part of more complex system that warns drivers of traffic snarls and directs them around the problem.

The system itself is already capable of such feats, O'Connor said, but the infrastructure is not yet in place.

In such a system, a central computer receives data on traffic from sensors installed along road ways, collate and tabulates that data and then transmits the information to receivers in cars.

The computer, once alerted to a traffic snarl, warns the driver and computes the best way around it.

O'Connor said it's inevitable that — as communities search for a way to alleviate traffic congestion — an intelligent highway vehicle navigation system will arise.

An experimental program is already in place in Oakland County, he added.

Whether these systems are government or privately run is uncertain, O'Connor said. He speculated a privately run group would be a more likely option if for no other reason than the cost.

A private group could possibly offset the cost of equipment through advertising.

One of the reasons NAVMATE was developed was to improve safety on the roads — is there anything more dangerous than a person trying to read a map on a congested freeway?

The trick, O'Connor said, was to make certain the NAVMATE was a safety improvement and didn't just replace a map.

"The first thing we did was design the system so it can only be activated while the car is not in motion," he said. Destinations are input after the car is started, but before it is put into gear.

No system is foolproof, O'Connor said. Databases will have to be updated to account for road changes and new construction.

The computer also warns the driver when the system is first turned on that the NAVMATE is a tool and should not replace the driver's own common sense. "If the NAVMATE tells you to turn the wrong way onto a one way street, obviously you shouldn't turn," he said.

The data base is accurate, but it is also complex, he said.

Digitizing every road is a daunting task, O'Connor said, so it will take a while before the entire road network is complete.

San Francisco and the Detroit area — San Francisco because that is where Zexel's headquarters is and Detroit because the automotive companies are here — were completed in 1991. Los Angeles, Miami, Washington D.C., Flint, Chicago, Lansing were added in 1992.

By the end of 1993, the entire U.S. highway system will be complete; by the end of 1994, major metropolitan areas will be included.

Invest *from Next page*

areas of stocks, municipal bonds and mutual funds. If the children decide to go on to more expensive private colleges, or if Walter is laid off, their options would be limited.

Taking money out of their IRAs or the 401(k) to meet expenses would result in high taxes (ordinary income tax plus a 10 percent early distribution penalty). It would also leave their retirement planning in a shambles.

Walter has expressed an interest that he may want to "purchase a business venture for Jody, possibly a franchise." Before they enter into this type of commitment, they need to review the situation carefully and do a lot of investigation. Typically, these business ventures require a significant initial cash investment. If they do not have liquid assets, they would have to resort to borrowing, which we do not recommend.

Check insurances

One glaring financial weakness is their insurance coverage. Walter carries only $75,000 of personal insurance, plus the $140,000 of group term at work. If he were to die, the potential income generated from policy proceeds and current assets would not replace his current earnings.

Because Walter is a diabetic, the cost of life insurance is more expensive for him. We suggest two avenues to pursue. First, Walter should check with his employer to determine if he is eligible for additional group term insurance. The rates for this type of insurance are typically identical for all employees in a similar age group, regardless of health. He should maximize this opportunity.

Second, there are some insurance companies that specialize in underwriting people with certain health problems. It could be worthwhile checking this out.

Walter and Jody should also review the amount of property insurance. Although they value their house at about $290,000, they list only $185,000 of coverage. Replacement value, not market value, is the gauge of the proper coverage. We suggest they check with their insurance agent to make sure that their property is covered for 100 percent of this replacement cost. Most homeowners' policies offer a rider that guarantees replacement cost coverage for their dwelling regardless of the face amount listed on the policy. They should seriously review this possibility with their agent.

The financial strengths of Walter and Jody far outweigh their weaknesses, allowing them for planning flexibility to meet their goals. A repositioning of assets to increase liquidity for a possible business venture and a review of their life insurance and homeowners' insurance should add further to the strength of their situation.

Dan Boyce, a certified financial planner at the Center for Financial Planning in Southfield, has been recognized by Money magazine as one of the top financial planners in the nation. Alan Ferran is a partner in the Farmington Hills law firm of Couzens, Lansky, Fealk, Ellis, Roeder & Lazar. Both have served in leadership roles in financial planning professional organizations.

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■ **FINANCIAL EXPERT'S ROLE**
The Detroit Chapter, Institute of Management Accountants will discuss "The Role of the Financial Expert in Business Litigation" at it's Thursday, April 15 meeting at 5:30 p.m. at the Livonia Marriott. Call 596-7889.

■ **DEVELOPING A MARKET PLAN**
Deloitte & Touche is sponsoring a series of seminars for companies coping with growth at the Livonia Marriott at Six Mile and I-275. "Developing a Successful Market Plan" is scheduled for April 16, from 6-9 p.m. Speaker: Geri Larkin, Ph.D. Call 769-6200.

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The International Association of Business Communicators/Detroit is sponsoring a professional development seminar for communicators entitled "Examining the Role of the 21st Century Communicator" on Monday, April 19, beginning at 8 a.m.

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1993 CONSTRUCTION CALENDAR

April 14. *Preparatory work begins on detour routes.*

April 26. *Northbound Middlebelt closes from Wick to Smith; I-94 is reduced to two lanes each direction plus an on/off ramp lane in each direction; all ramps from Middlebelt to I-94 are closed, and two ramps to I-94 from Merriman are closed. Most ramps and Middlebelt Road will reopen to traffic at the end of July.*

August and September. *Northbound Merriman is reduced to one lane north of I-94; the northbound Merriman to eastbound I-94 ramp is closed for two weeks (dates to be determined); the ramp from both southbound and northbound Middlebelt to westbound I-94 remains closed.*

Late November to Spring, 1994. *I-94 is opened to three lanes each direction plus ramp lanes; Merriman and Middlebelt Roads opened completely; all ramps fully opened for traffic.*

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SUBURBAN BUSINESS LEADERS


Bradley

Angela Bradley has been promoted to Assistant Director of Pharmacy Development for Arbor Drugs, Inc. in Troy.

In this newly created position, Bradley directs the department which implements the scheduling and training of all pharmacy support staff, including the undergraduate pharmacy interns.


Berryman

Michael J. Berryman, a native of Garden City, Michigan, has been appointed executive vice president at Modern Marketing Services.

In his role as executive vice president, Berryman is responsible for the design and implementation of marketing strategies for existing accounts as well as new business development.


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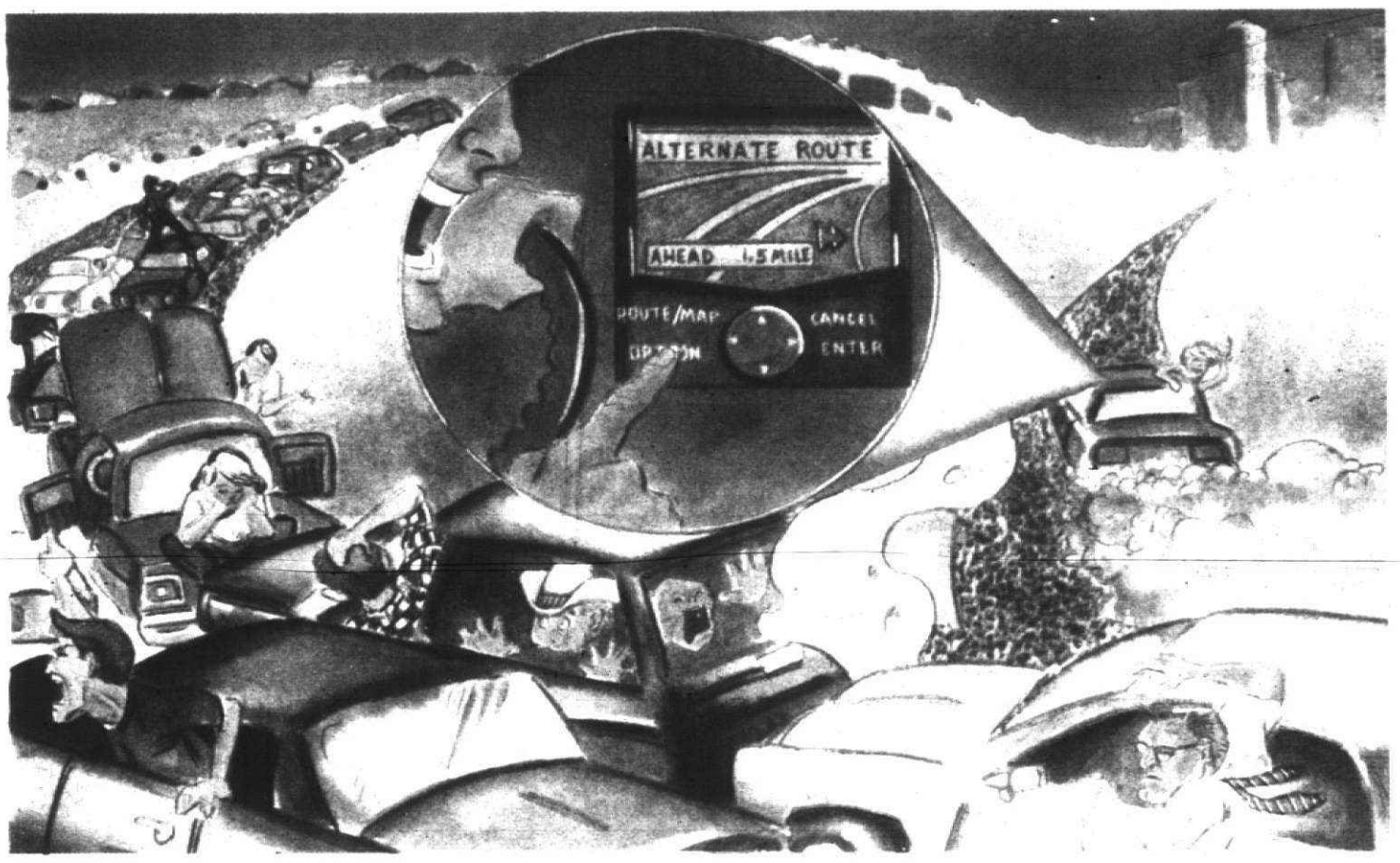
Henry Ford Health System (HFHS) in Detroit has named **Jay E. Berkelhamer, M.D.,** chairman of the Henry Ford Medical Group (HFMG) Department of Pediatrics.

A recognized leader in primary care pediatrics, Berkelhamer is a national spokesman foe the American Acadaemy of Pediatrics and president of the Academy's Illinois chapter.


Droste

Paul Droste has joined the staff as an Account Executive at Multi-Communications Systems & Service, Inc. (MultiCom), of Livonia.

Prior to joining Multi-Communications Systems & Service, Droste was a highly recognized member of the Comcast Sound & Communications office in Detroit.



Car computer, monitor to map route

■ A device that may make asking for directions obsolete is under development for automotive applications but its main function is safety.

BY GERALD FRAWLEY
STAFF WRITER

Punch in an address on a key pad and a small monitor mounted on the dashboard tells you how to get to your destination.

It's more than just a map. Drive a mile, the screen tells you it's time to turn left. Drive another four miles, the screen says right turn in three blocks.

People have been talking about interactive maps that help drivers navigate around town and warn them of traffic tieups for years.

Zexel USA Corp. Technology and Information Division in Farmington Hills, a division of Zexel USA, is on the cutting edge of automotive navigation systems with its NAVMATE now in the developmental stage.

The interactive navigation system costs approximately $2,500 now, but the cost would fall as the technology becomes less expensive to produce, said Vincent P. O'Connor, marketing manager.

Zexel located in Farmington Hills to be closer to the automotive companies, he said, because the intention is to have the NAVMATE system offered as an option in new cars.

There's also a possibility that NAVMATE could be offered as an

See **MAPPING,** PREVIOUS PAGE

Insurance plans, tax-exempt investments merit closer look

BY DANIEL BOYCE
and ALAN FERRARA
SPECIAL WRITERS

To receive a free financial planning brochure or to obtain a questionnaire to participate in this column, contact the Center of Financial Planning, Dept. 100, 26211 Central Park Blvd., Suite 604, Southfield 48076 or call 948-7900. Names of participants are withheld upon request, and submitted financial data is confidential.

"There are only two lasting bequests we can hope to give our children. One of these is roots; the other wings."

This month's couple, Walter and Jody Hepfer, hope to help give their children wings by the attainment of their primary goal for them, a college education.

Walter, 41, is sales representative for an auto supplier. Jody works part time as a receptionist in a dental office. Walter earned $67,000 last year, but his income can fluctuate significantly from year to year because it is based partly on commissions. Last year, Jody earned $5,000.

The Hepfer children are 13 and 11. Walter and Jody have an advantage in that they saved on a regular basis for college expenses by using Uniform Gifts to Minors Act accounts, but their concern is whether they have done enough and if there are better investments for these accounts.

Walter and Jody's other major goal is to provide for retirement.

In analyzing their need for additional education funding, it appears that the Hepfers are in very good shape. They expect their children to go to in-state public universities at a total cost of $9,000 per year in 1993 dollars.

Currently the accounts for the 13-year-old are worth $31,000. If we project a reasonable rate of return for these assets, while also assuming the cost of education continues to rise faster than the Consumer Price Index, we project that they are only about $1,000 short of fully funding their son's educational costs.

For the 11-year-old's needs, it appears they are about $10,000 short (in 1993 dollars) in funding her education. We calculate that they need to place about $125 per month between now and the onset of college for their daughter to meet this goal.

They are currently using mutual funds as an investment vehicle, and these are performing satisfactorily. During the junior years of high school, they should begin looking for a favorable time to lock in their profits and move into more stable assets.

Walter and Jody have made good financial decisions in the past. They have kept their debt load to a minimum, which Walter credits to his "conservative German upbringing." Their only debt is their home mortgage, which they refinanced to take advantage of favorable rates.

No pensions

But their goal of retirement requires more thought. Neither Walter's nor Jody's employer have any type of employer-funded pension or retirement plans. Walter does participate in an employee-funded 401(k) plan. He has elected to fund this to the maximum every year, which is a decision we strongly support. Walter and Jody have also been contributing to non-deductible IRAs every year.

Even after maximizing 401(k) contributions, there are dollars available for discretionary savings. Both Walter and Jody say they would "love to minimize or defer more taxes."

But for now they have few options. We suggest they look at investments that earn tax-exempt income and compare the net return on these investments to the net after-tax return on their current investments.

Liquidity or accessibility is a potential problem area for Walter and Jody. Less than 15 percent of their total investment assets are liquid (their stocks and bank accounts). We would suggest that they build up their non-retirement assets, especially in the

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ASSETS:	
Investment –	
Checking and Savings	$8,000
Stocks	15,000
IRAs - Stocks/Funds	71,000
401(k)s	70,000
Subtotal . . .	$164,000
Personal Use –	
Home	$290,000
Car	6,000
Other possessions	20,000
Subtotal . . .	$316,000
TOTAL ASSETS	$480,000
LIABILITIES:	
Home Mortgage	$112,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	$112,000
NET WORTH	$368,000

Assets for children (UGMA accouts):
Son (age 13) $31,800 in mutual funds
Daughter (age 11) 21,000 in mutual funds

STRENGTHS:
- ✓ Regular retirement savings
- ✓ Mortgage is the only debt
- ✓ Good disability, auto, health insurances
- ✓ Education funding is on track

WEAKNESSES:
- ✓ Inadequate life insurance
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- ✓ Fluctuating income
- ✓ Assets not positioned for possible business venture

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FAMILY LIFE



EARTHA DEYAMPERT

Celebrating our children during April

In 1971, the National Association for the Education of Young Children proposed that a week in the month of April be designated as the Week of the Young Child. In 1985, Jan Nieuwenhuis, a board member of the Michigan Association for the Education of Young Children, felt that the concept was important enough to extend the celebration for the entire month of April.

So today children are celebrated nationally by parents, early childhood educators, child care providers and professionals and those individuals working on behalf of youth throughout the month of April.

Although the key focus is children, the celebration would not be complete without saluting those individuals who care for America's children.

We hear and read so much about children being our hope for tomorrow, our most precious resource. Somewhere I either heard or read these words: "And a child will lead," "Out of the mouths of babes," "We must become as little children," "Children are our future," and "Children live what they learn."

All of these phrases are symbolic of the real asset, value and importance of children. "Children live what they learn" is a real thought-provoking statement. The very thought of children today living what they learn somehow isn't very comforting, considering the chaos in our society and our world. (I could spend hours on this.)

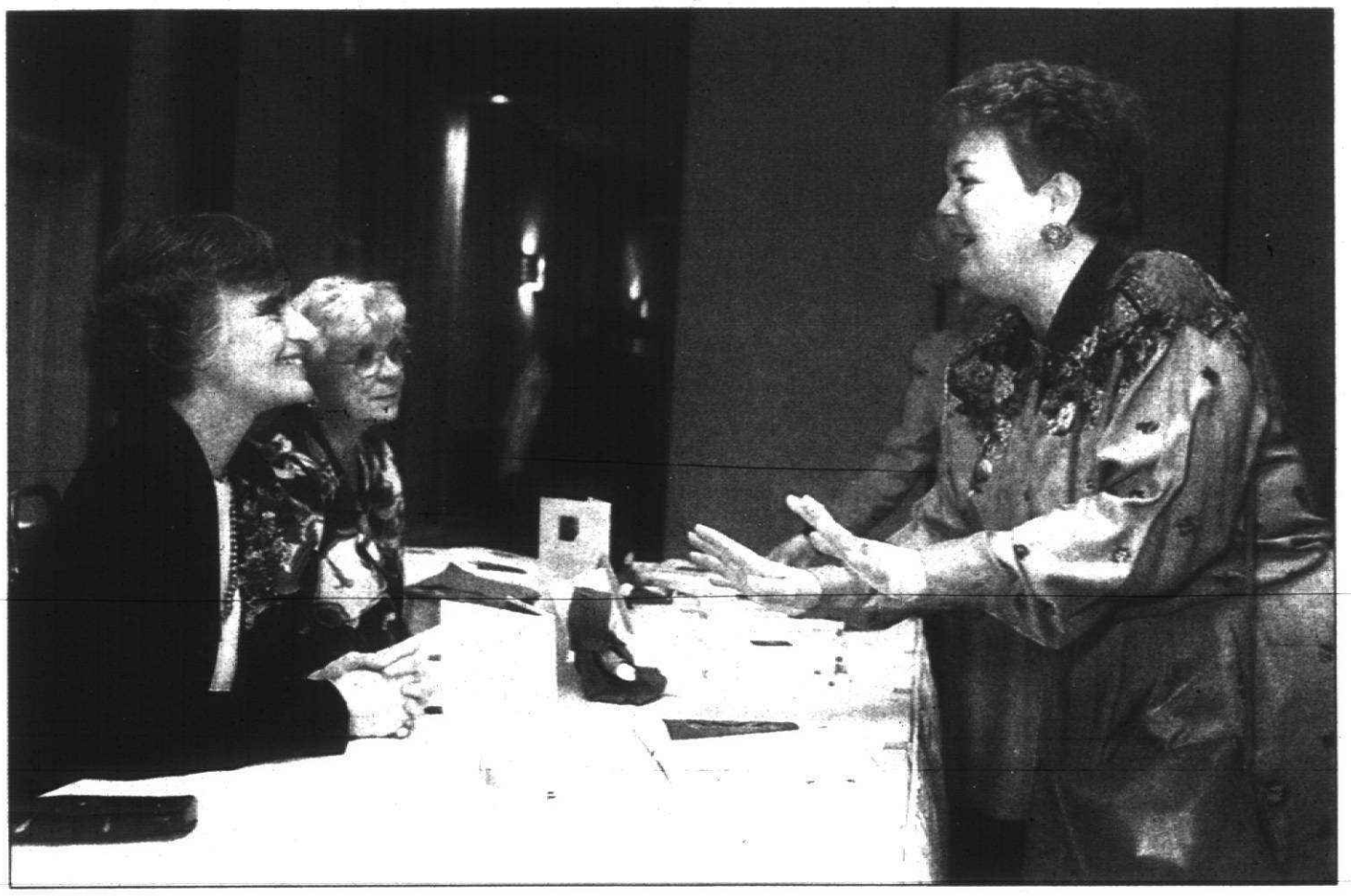
On the bright side, children should be celebrated for their unique ways and abilities to learn what they live, yet somehow successfully fitting into difficult situations and sometime difficult people without losing their innocent childlike appeal. Truly, children are special, so let's celebrate!

Here are some ways to celebrate Michigan's Month of the Young Child. Offered by the Michigan Association for the Education of Young Children, it focuses on parents and families.

- Plan at least three sit-together meals during the week. Use the time to take a break from the stress you all are feeling. Talk to each other about your day.
- Plant a "family tree" in your yard, on the street-side, in a park — anywhere you will be able to visit it. If you can, plant a tree for each family member. You can also take advantage of Earth Day being just around the corner this way!
- Finally get around to sorting out, labeling and displaying family pictures. This can provide wonderful opportunities for reminiscence, stories, family facts and history and sharing the growth of your family.
- Bring out the tape or video recorder and create a family history tape. Use this as an opportunity to chronicle the "days of your lives" for this and future generations. Take a tour of your neighborhood, visit the aunts, uncles, grandparents, godparents, cousins, etc., to capture their impressions and stories for the future.
- Plan a family reunion of any sort. Why not include your child's caregiver(s) and teachers(s), as they truly become part of our extended families.
- Spend an evening writing letters to out-of-town family — people your children know and haven't seen in a long while. Strengthen those family ties.
- If it is feasible, visit the family cemetery. Again, this is a wonderful manner in which you can share personal memories with your children, stories of your childhood and how those now departed helped you to grow and shaped your life — and therefore your children's!
- Take the week to write a family history. Interview each other about life facts, hopes, dreams, funny memories, favorite vacations, etc.
- Be sure to do something for families less fortunate than yours. Rejoice in your sharing some time with the homeless or orphaned. You can arrange for this by calling various human service organizations in your area. Do give them enough time to set up the arrangements.
- Create a time capsule with each member of the family donating certain items, each with a note identifying the importance of that item.
- If you haven't done it already, designate a door jamb, basement wall, or some other inconspicuous place to serve as the "Growing Zone." Use this space to mark and date each person's height. Include the babies, too, marking their length along with everyone else's height.
- Take the time to finally get a family portrait done. Either by a studio, a friend or self-timer — just get it done!
- Visit your child's daytime place of activity. Schedule a visit to each classroom or center that your schedule will allow. And, if possible, have

See FAMILY, 2C

At last: *Livonia Town Haller Susan Rigley had just one short sentence for Sue Bender. "I've been waiting for you to come," she said, while waiting for the author to autograph her book, "Plain and Simple."*



JIM JAGDFELD/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Amish way: 'Plain and Simple'



It started with some quilts and has turned into a 20-year obsession for Sue Bender, a former New Yorker who recounts the simple nature of the Amish way of life in her book "Plain and Simple" and has captured the beauty of their quilts in a companion diary.

BY SUE MASON
STAFF WRITER

Sue Bender tells you up front. She's "not a new wave Californian that hears voices" although she admits to a quirky obsession. Wife, mother and author, Bender has spent 20 years learning — and savoring — the Amish lifestyle.

"They have three things — family, faith and the farm," said Bender who closed out the 29th season of Livonia Town Hall. "They pray for five minutes in the morning and five minutes in the evening and the rest of the day is spent doing what they believe in.

"They live each day by what they believe in and it made me question whose life was richer."

Bender discovered the Amish when she saw the Amish quilts used as backdrops for men's suits. That chance encounter started a 20-year saga that culminated in a best-selling book about the Amish, "Plain and Simple," and a companion diary, filled with photographs of Amish quilts.

The quilts attracted Bender to the Amish and it was the faceless Amish dolls that told her to "risk your heart's desire." With the help of two quilt dealers and an "Englishman" who worked with the Amish, she eventually found a minister's family who took her in for seven weeks.

For Bender, the unhurried lifestyle of the Amish was refreshing. She discovered that they value work. No one's job is unimportant.

"They have a high standard, but they're not competitive," she told the Town Hall crowd. "For them, it's do the best you can, don't do it to be the best. I had one woman tell me, 'Sue, if you make vegetable soup, it's not right to say the carrots are better than the peas or the peas are better than the cabbage. It takes all of the vegetables to make a good soup.' "

Bender rejoined the Amish the next year, staying with two sisters, both midwives. One was single and the other had 12 children. They have now become the Amish family she goes back to every year.

Pitching in

She left at home her husband Richard and two sons, who "pitched in" while she was gone. Bender likewise pitched in and did what the Amish women did — "My husband said I was an au pair for the Amish; I did what the women did."

Bender found Amish society patriarchal in nature. Men have the power and women have a complementary role although "their work is appreciated." She also found an absence of sibling rivalry, much of it because of "the emphasis on we and not I."

"The emphasis is on the community," she said. "In a catastrophe I would want to be Amish because I know the community would take care of me. They have no insurance on their house; their insurance is brotherly love."

Amish children don't have a lot of career choices. They are not allowed to go beyond the eighth grade. They are very smart about their natural world and when they have time to read, it is the Bible and The Budget, the Amish newspaper, that they peruse.

"I was brought up with the idea that more choices you have in life the better," Bender said. "But in looking back, I realize I was drowning in choices. With the Amish, I learned the difference between having a lot of choices and making a choice. When you make a choice you eliminate something on your plate.

"The Amish don't spend their time wishing for something else or wishing they were someone else. Whatever is on their plate is enough."

Conscious choice

But while their choices are limitted, there is one choice each and every member of the community must make. The Amish are Anabaptist and members wait until they are adults to decide on baptism. They make a conscious choice and those who decline membership generally join the more wordly Mennonite sect, Bender said.

"When the children become teenagers, they're given a lot of space, especially the boys," she said. "It's not in keeping with their beliefs, so they have to trust that the values imbued in them as children will lead them to choose the Amish way of life. Every family has a few who leave, but overall the community is alive and well and many of the children choose to stay."

As serene and ordinary as Amish life appeared to Bender, she admitted she "smelled a rat" — the dark side of Amish life. There is no room in Amish society for deviation, for people who may be an artist, poet, gay or lesbian. And if that person isn't brave enough to leave the community, life can be hard. As a result there is a lot of depression and suicide in the Amish community, Bender said.

The Amish also practice shunning. If you break the rules, they cut you off and among the sins deserving of shunning is "extramarital anything," Bender said.

"It seems like such a terrible thing, but if they didn't shun, how would they hold the community together," she said. "If you're willing to confess your faults, the community is willing to welcome you back. Otherwise, you can't defend yourself."

No more questions

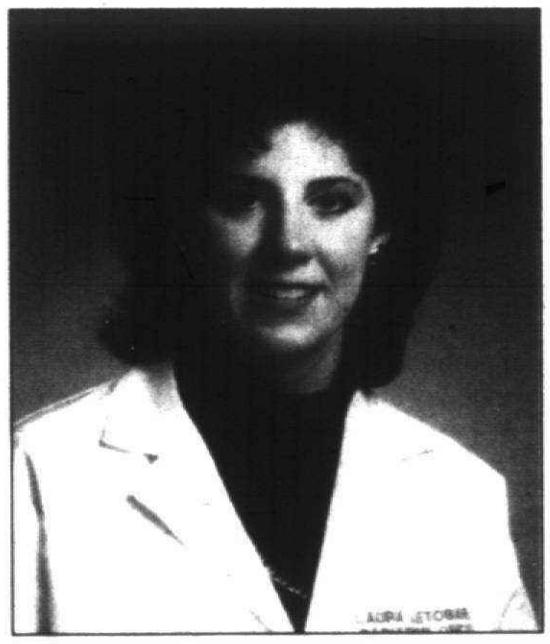
It was during a fourth or fifth visit to the Amish community that Bender realized she had no more questions and that all the answers were within herself. About six months later "a voice deep inside" told her it was "time to tell the story."

She didn't want to listen and tried to ignore it. Bender had never taken notes during her visits and when she finally gave in to the voice she found herself writing notes about her experiences on scraps of paper and tossing them on the floor of a room in her home.

"As I began working on the book, I realized that the scraps of paper were forming patches; I realized I was writing a quilt," she said. "It took five

See AMISH, 3C

BPW careerists vie for district honor



Young careerist: *Laura Letobar represents the Garden City BPW.*

When members of District 9 of the Business and Professional Women organization gather in Southfield Saturday, April 17, all eyes will be on some very special guests.

Those "guests" are young career women who have excelled in their careers, education and community work. Selected by local chapters, they are vying for the district honor and the right to compete for the state title in competition at the state BPW convention on Mackinac Island next month.

Among the candidates for district honors are Laura Letobar, representing the Garden City Chapter; Sherry Zylka, representing Livonia's Suburban West Chapter; Diane Young, representing the Plymouth-Canton chapter, and Theresa Margerm, representing the Southfield chapter.

Laura Letobar

As the Garden City YCW candidate, Letobar also believes in the benefits of education. In her case, education comes in the form of providing quality information about low-fat eating in "a very easy to read format."

While Letobar works with cancer patients as a clinical therapist in radiation therapy at Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak, it was questions posed by the patients that have steered her in a new direction — speaking to cancer support groups and now stroke groups about good eating.

"My goal . . . is to educate as many people as possible on this topic," said the Livonia resident. "To do this, I plan on focusing on ways to make this information available on a national level."

She's already started. With the help of a home computer, she is publishing "Laura's Fat-Free Kitchen," a monthly eight-page newsletter, filled with fat-free and low-fat recipes. Sponsored by the American Heart Association and the American Cancer Society, Letobar, 30, encourages her readers to send in their favorite recipes which she converts to low-fat versions, thereby showing readers products that can be used in a recipe to reduce fat in everyday cooking.

A graduate of Dearborn Fordson High School and Wayne State University where she earned her bachelor of science degree in radiation therapy, Letobar also is doing a cooking show for cable television that like the newsletter "provides helpful tips and kitchen hints to reduce dietary fat."

In fact, at age 30, she considers that — "educating people and providing quality information" — as her most significant career accomplishment.

Sherry Zylka

As the Livonia YCW, Zylka also believes in education and what it offers people at every facet of their lives. Part of that belief stems from her work as the coordinator of Continuing Education Services at Schoolcraft College. As program coordinator, Zylka is responsible for the detailed planning of approximately 800 classes per year. But Zylka

See CAREERISTS, 3C

Writer's empathy, compassion, caring attracts others

GRAPHOLOGY PROFILES



LORENE GREEN

Dear Ms. Green,

I have always had a fascination with astrology, palm reading and handwriting. I feel the more we know about ourselves the better person we can be.

I am 45 years old and am right handed.

Thank you for your time in analyzing my handwriting.

B.P., Brighton

Today we are studying the handwriting of a genteel young woman, one who often wears her heart on her sleeve. Empathy, compassion and caring glide along these lines. Others are quick to sense this and are attracted to her.

Her sympathies are easily aroused and she can be drafted into working for worthy projects and/or causes.

This is a lover, not a fighter! She is adaptable and promotes peace and harmony in her interpersonal relationships. Occasionally, she may look at certain people in a critical manner.

Our writer wants to experience as much of life as she can. She reaches out to embrace people and the future. Still she remains grounded in the past. When feeling down as she sometimes does, she looks for emotional support from the mother figure.

I realize my next statement may sound like a contradiction, but it really isn't. Both attitudes exist within her and may cause indecision at times.

Her security needs are strong. She is not a big risk-taker and may feel safer with the tried and true. When attempting something new she can be cautious and hesitant. By nature she is idealistic and seeks culture, refinement and self-improvement in her life. Mental attitudes are often conforming, possibly for fear of stepping out of line. Has she been under the influence of someone with a strong personality.

She has a nice way with words and expresses herself very well. She can be fluent, persuasive or tactful, depending upon what she feels is most appropriate at the time.

It is not easy for her to conceal the way she is feeling. Whether sad, happy, upbeat, tired, etc., her body language gives her away.

Our writer enjoys variety and change in her life. If things become too routinized she may become bored. At times she is nervously on the go, moving from one thing to another.

When this letter was written I think she was a little overly involved. This could be either emotionally or physically. There are some pent up emotions here that are not finding release. In spite of her need to be busy and active, she does not appear to be completely satisfied with present accomplishments.

Seemingly there are many things she wants, probably small things. Is she a collector?

This young woman tends to rationalize when things do not turn out as she hoped they would. Is she refusing to face facts because the situation is beyond her control? Or is she simply disinclined to obtain all the facts? Whatever the answer, she can easily come up with a plausible sounding excuse for what she did, or did not.

A bit of humor found here tells us she makes time for fun in her life. Although she may not be the humorist herself, she can appreciate another's funny side.

Intuition weaves through this handwriting. She often feels or knows things but would probably have difficulty telling us how she knows. This is a very valuable trait, both in the world of business as well as in friendships.

I have always like astrology, palm reading & feel the more we k...

If you would like to have your handwriting analyzed in this newspaper, write to Lorene C. Green, a certified graphologist, at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Please use a full sheet of white, unlined paper, writing in the first person singular. Age, handedness and full signature are all helpful and objective feedback is welcome.

Family *from page 1C*

your child come to work with you during this week. It will help all in your family to better understand what each other's day is like, seeing the level of responsibility and the physical nature of the day.

■ Work on stress control this week as a family. Talk about your stresses, those at work and at home (within reason, of course), and ask each other for constructive ways in which to control it. Talk about your feelings of stress and encourage the children to voice their problems and feelings as well.

■ Do something totally out of character for your family. If you rarely do any family recreation during the week, plan an activity. Go bowling, go out to dinner, go to the movies, go for a walk! Anything fun and unusual for your routine will do.

■ Spend the week showing each other how much you care, and how important you all are to each other. Hug a lot, smile a lot, kiss a lot — and be sure to say "I love you" even more than usual. It's important to feel important, for young and old.

■ Write letters to the president and governor, letting them know how important family legislation is to you. Tell them about your taxes, your child care arrangements, your maternity/sick child policies at work, etc. This is a golden opportunity to put your feelings in writing and to try to effect changes and to create some excitement in respect to these critical issues.

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also is an example of the options available to someone who values education.



Zylka

At 33, Zylka holds a bachelor's degree in biology from the University of Michigan and a master's in education from Eastern Michigan University. Her long-range plans are to pursue a doctorate "to provide the qualifications needed to work toward an executive level position in an academic institution or in the business world."

She hopes to become a director of a continuing education center in the next five years.

She has worked at Schoolcraft for the last 12 years, starting out as a student assistant.

"Fortunately, each position has provided measureable milestones," said Zylka. "I feel the experience I have gained in a department considered one of the state's best has helped prepare me to provide leadership in this field."

While attending U-M, Zylka and her husband Tim Schmieding, a technical engineer, started an electrical subcontracting company and hired four people to assemble circuit boards. Zylka says the experience gave her "an opportunity to develop my business sense."

Her commitment to education doesn't stop with her own. She is a member of the Wayne-Westland Community Schools Business Education Partnership Task Force which is looking at ways to link businesses and schools.

A graduate of Cherry Hill High School, she also moderated a half-hour video for the Professional Secretaries International organization and served on the strategic planning committee for the city of Wixom where she lives.

For the past three years she has volunteered her time at the Crossroads Soup Kitchen in Detroit. Twice each year, she helps prepare meals for approximately 350 people.

Zylka says being one of seven children and one of two females has also spurred her on.

In addition to her full-time duties at Schoolcraft, Zylka is mother of Elizabeth, age 19 months old.

Diane Young



Young

Likewise, Plymouth-Canton Young Career Woman has an interest in educating people. Young, a Clinton Township resident, had the job of teaching quality training to 350 employees at American Bearing and Power Transmission.

As the training manager, it was Young's job to set up a training department for the Charlotte, N.C., manufacturer and conduct seminars on the quality improvement process.

"As the training manager . . . I was faced with many challenges," she said. "Perhaps the biggest challenge was doing something that was not previously defined, it was just a vision that the company had. I approached the challenge like an artists and created my work from a blank canvas."

Young, 29, now is a human resources specialist at Invetech in Detroit, where she is involved in employee relations, employee career development and employment and salary administration.

A graduate of Warren High School, she received her bachelor of science degree in human resources from Oakland University. She is working on an education degree in instructional technology at Wayne State University.

Young is active in the Michigan Chapter of the National Society for Performance and Instruction, serving as its membership chair. She also was involved with Oakland University's Career Day, serving as a NSPI representative.

She has set several goals for herself for the next 10 years, including completing work on a master's degree in human performance technology and developing a strategy and plan to operate her own business.

■ 'I will continue on as a controller and team member at Health Care Professionals. I wish to increase my knowledge and skills as I face new challenges in working towards Health Care Professional's goals to increase its market share.'

Theresa Margerm
contest candidate

Theresa Margerm



Margerm

As the Southfield YCW, Margerm has discovered that being a team player means "sharing in success and learning from the setbacks." The Westland resident is the controller for the Southfield-based Health Care Professionals Ltd.

In her role as a member of the firm's administrative team, she counts as successes the adoption of continuous quality improvement (CQI) throughout its operations, the development of levels of care to meet the client's needs and a partnership with Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. to offer "Rent-a-Mom" (dependent care) as an employee benefit.

"Our challenge is to listen to the needs of the customer and adapt our models and standards to meet their needs while continually improving our quality to decrease costs and retain our competitive edge in the market," Margerm said.

Margerm, 32, is a graduate of Churchill High School in Livonia and of Cleary College in Ypsilanti where she earned an associate's degree in business administration. Her major was in accounting, management and computers. She has been with Health Care Professionals since 1984.

A BPW member, she also is a corporate representative to the Oakland County Chamber of Commerce, the Greater Detroit Chamber of Commerce and the Small Business Administration of Michigan.

Her future plans include CQI in her life.

"I will continue on as a controller and team member at Health Care Professionals," she said. "I wish to increase my knowledge and skills as I face new challenges in working towards Health Care Professional's goals to increase its market share."

Amish *from page 1C*

years to write 151 pages . . . the last two years I realized that I was making a quilt of my life.

"I spent five years moving patches around and the quilt was finished and I realized life is moving our patches around and finding a pattern for life."

When she finished the book, she sent copies to her two families. Their calls were the "best compliment" she could have received : "They said they loved it, especially because I hadn't made them interesting."

Bender has incorporated what she learned from the Amish into her life. When she gets overwhelmed, she "can stop and say what is busy work and what is really important work."

"I'm not a calm person, but some of the calm of the Amish comes through," she said. "What is extraordinary about the Amish is that they seem much more content with their life. I have the soul of the Amish and the blood of a New Yorker, but I've learned to say who I am is enough. I'm struggling now with when is enough enough."



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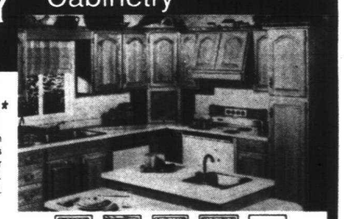
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NEW VOICES

JOHN and NANCY GLODICH of Canton announce the birth of **HANNAH RUTH** March 5 at St. Joseph Hospital in Ann Arbor. Hannah has a two-year-old brother, Ian.

JOHN and JANE HAMPTON of Canton announce the birth of **SARAH ELIZABETH** Feb. 1 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Sarah has an older brother, Jeffrey. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hampton of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Donna Rome of Port Huron.

MARK and KATHLEEN SHOOK of Canton announce the birth of **VICTORIA KATHLEEN** Feb. 8 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Victoria has a sister, Jocelyn. Grandparents are Merle and Carol Baese of Elsie and Max and JoAnne Shook of Kettering, Ohio.

JIM and ROBERTA DORWALDT of Plymouth announce the birth of **ERICA SUE** Jan. 7 at St. Joseph Hospital in Ann Arbor. Grandparents are Bob and Rose Weit of Belleville and Carl and Joyce Dorwaldt of California.

LARRY and JOANNE CALLEGARI of Canton announce the birth of **BRITTANY LYNN** March 22 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Grandparents are Donna Elwart of Westland and Louie and Gert Callegari, also of Westland. Great-grandmother is Elsie Pryor of Port Huron.

JIM and JEANEAN KASKE of Canton announce the birth of **KATELYN HELEN** Feb. 19 at Providence Haopital in Southfield. She has two sisters, Jacquelynne, 3½, and Jenelle, 2½.

DONALD and AMY LAPENTA of Novi announce the birth of **GINA ANN** Jan. 12 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. She has two sisters, Ashley, 5, and Lauren, 3, and a brother Marshall, 16 months. Grnadparents are Edward and Lillian Triesky of Canton and George and Helen Lapnets of Plymouth.

KENNETH and LORI TAUBE of Westland announce the birth of **SARA MICHELLE** March 26 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Peter and Doreen Walkuski of Livonia and Tom and Patricia Taube of Canton.

WILL and BONNIE CARPENTER of Canton announce the birth of **GARRETT WILLIAM** March 23 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He has a brother Zachary Patrick, 14 months.

JEFF and TERRI WOHL of Canton announce the birth of **BENJAMIN JEFFREY** Jan. 19 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

TIM and SUSAN KLOTT of Cantona announce the birth of **SAMANTHA LYNN** March 4 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. She has an older brother, Timothy, 2½.

DAVID and JENNIFER TRUBY announce the birth of **BRIAN DAVID** March 17 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He has a sister, Michelle, 3½. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson of Perrysburg, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Truby of Royal Oak.

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Monday Evening 7:00 P.M.
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29887 West Eleven Mile Road
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Worship & Church School
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April 18th
"A River Runs Through It"
Dr. Ritter preaching

Dr. William Ritter
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Rev. William Frayer

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422-0149
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9:15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
April 18th
Youth Choir Sunday
(Joseph Musical)
Ministers:
Dr. Gilson M. Miller
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Evening Worship & Youth Meeting 6:30 p.m.

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EVENING WORSHIP & YOUTH MEETINGS.....6:30 P.M.

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Livonia 422-1150
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Sunday School 9:45 A.M.

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Church School - 10:05 AM
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Redford, MI 48239 937-3170
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April 18th
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Children's Sunday School 11:00
Pastors M. Clement Parr and Bufford W. Coe

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Worship at 9:00 am & 11:00 am (Nursery Provided)
Church School 9:00 am - Children's Worship 11:00 am
Sermon Title for April 18th
"The Transformation"
Pastors: John N. Grenfell, Jr.; Kevin L. Miles; Dr. Frederick C. Vosburg
Music Director: Michael E. Gross
Organist: Larry A. Visser
Wednesday Education
4:30 pm Children's Choirs
5:30 pm Dinner
6:30 pm Classes - all ages
Director of Education: Linda A. Hollsberry
Ministers: The Entire Church

RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the *religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the following Thursday's edition.*

■ DANCE
St. John's Episcopal Church will hold a dance 8-11 p.m. Friday, April 16. The event includes hors d'oeuvres and music by Rhythm Productions. Tickets are $10. The church is located at 555 S. Wayne Road in Westland. For more information, call 721-5023.

■ COVENANT PLAYERS
The Covenant Players will present a drama workshop 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, April 17, at Lake Pointe Bible Chapel, 42150 Schoolcraft, Plymouth. Participants will learn drama techniques for church skits. There is a fee for the workshop. To register, call 420-0515. The troupe also will perform at 7:30 p.m. that evening at the Bible Chapel.

■ LIKE MAGIC
Dan Korem, an investigative journalist, author and TV producer, will use his sleight-of-hand talents to explain to parents and children what they need to know about truth and deception with two shows, "Streetwise Parents — Fool-Proof Kids" (for families) at 10 a.m. and "Fraud and the Supernatural" (for singles) at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, April 17, at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. Complimentary tickets are required and are available by calling 422-1836.

■ PRAISE RALLY
Memorial Church of Christ in Livonia will hold a "Celebration Praise Rally" Sunday through Friday, April 18-23. The week of spiritual renewal will start with services at 9:30 and 10:45 a.m. Sunday. It will continue at 6:30 p.m. that evening and at 7 p.m. Monday through Friday. Memorial Church of Christ is at 35475 Five Mile, between Farmington and Levan, Livonia. For more information, call 464-6722.

■ DOBSON SERIES
Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church of Livonia will present Dr. James Dobson's "Turn Your Hearts Toward Home" video series starting at 9:45 a.m. Sunday, April 18. The purpose of the series is to help parents reflect on the meaning and importance of the family. Christ Our Savior is at 14175 Farmington Road, Livonia. For more information, call 522-6830.

■ ACCESS SUNDAY
Plymouth First United Methodist Church will celebrate its third annual "Access Sunday" at its 9 and 11 a.m. services Sunday, April 18. The staff and congregation of the church will recognize and celebrate people with disabilities. The goal is to call attention to the need for all churches to be totally inclusive and accessible to all people. The church is at 45201 N. Territorial Road, west of Sheldon. For more information, call 451-8685.

■ REVIVAL SERVICES
Main Street Baptist Church in Canton will have a spring revival April 18-21. Services will begin at 11 a.m. Sunday and continue with services at 7 p.m. Sunday through Wednesday. The Rev. Charles Martin, pastor of Cornerstone Baptist Church in Winston-Salem, S.C., will be the guest speaker. Special music and singing will be under the direction of Julius De Chavez, Main Street music director. The church is at 8500 N. Morton-Taylor Road. For more information, call 453-4785 or 981-7226.

■ MAKING PEACE
West Woods Community Church will offer a seven-part program, "Making Peace with Your Past," at 10 a.m. Sundays, beginning April 18. Topics to be covered include dysfunction — recognizing the obvious (April 18), denial — uncovering the hidden hurts (April 25), transference — experiencing the effects of dysfunction (May 2), lifestyle — identifying the characteristics of dysfunction (May 9), enablers — perpetuating the dysfunctional behavior (May 16), counseling — knowing if, when and why you need it (May 23), and recovery — breaking the dysfunctional cycle (May 30). West Woods is at 44401 Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth. For more information, call 455-8200.

■ GOLDEN AGERS
The Golden Agers, a Christian senior citizen group, will celebrate its 20th anniversary at 11 a.m. Monday, April 19, at Memorial Church of Christ, 35475 Five Mile, Livonia. The Golden Agers began at Kenwood Church of Christ in Livonia and met there for 19 years before moving to Memorial Church of Christ in 1992. The membership is drawn from three counties and represents 25 cities and 13 different churches. The group meets on the third Monday of the month, except in July and August, at Memorial Church. Seniors are invited to join in the celebration. Lunch is potluck, and each participant brings a dish to pass.

■ BIBLE STUDY
Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church starts a new Bible study series at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 20. The group will continue to meet at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesdays. The church is at 42690 Cherry Hill Road, just west of Lilley. Call 981-0286 between 9:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. The church will also hold an open house 9:30-11 a.m. Thursday, April 22. For more information, call 981-0286.

■ OPEN HOUSE
Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will have an open house for Little Lambs Preschool 9:30-11 a.m. Thursday, April 22, at the church, 42690 Cherry Hill Road, Canton. Little Lambs Preschool is a co-op preschool program that encourages parental involvement in classroom activities. Families of children age 3 through pre-kindergarten interested in the fall enrollment are invited to attend the open house. For more information, call 981-0286.

■ MARRIAGE SEMINAR
Dr. Robert Hemfelt of the Minirth-Meier Clinic will present the "Passages of Marriage" seminar 7-9 p.m. Friday, April 23, and 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, April 24, at Calvary Baptist Church, 43065 Joy, Canton.
Participants will learn the principles to help keep love alive, how to experience emotional healing, forgiveness and closeness, avoid unnecessary friction and conflict, work through barriers in sexual intimacy and discover new ways to share in spirituality.
For more information about the seminar, contact the church at 455-0022.

Saintly work still needs people

By Diane Hanson
Special Writer



Diane Hanson

Volunteers: *Helen Rubbo (from left) and Roberta Burgines work with Marcy Moynahan, store manager, at the St. Vincent De Paul store on Michigan Avenue in Dearborn.*

This priest worked a job to earn money just so he could give it all away to the poor. He would bring sick people into his home so that he could personally care for them. Poor children clung to him and he would give them food, toys, clothes and a heartful of love. What a saint!

And, indeed, he was. Saint Vincent de Paul was canonized by the Roman Catholic Church and is the patron of charitable societies. Today, more than 300 years since his death in 1660, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul is alive and very active right here in the Detroit area.

While the society has a Catholic foundation, one only need consult a dictionary or watch the organization in action to appreciate the "all-inclusive" application of the word catholic.

"What makes us catholic is that we take and we give to everybody," said James Carron, executive director of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. "As Catholics, we say the word catholic is universal. We help everybody and we don't ask questions. That's what makes us catholic."

The word help requires a bit more clarification.

"We provide help for people to begin to reconstruct their lives," Carron said. "It's important to know that we are an emergency organization. My recommendation is that we empower individuals rather than just helping individuals. If someone comes to us and they are three months behind in their rent, to help with one month is OK, but we need to go further.

"The society reaches beyond the rent, beyond what is the problem."

To reach beyond that problem, the society has its own employment agency. De Paul Employment was opened at the central office on East Grand Boulevard in Detroit in 1985 and expanded to St. Alfred's Parish in Taylor and St. Timothy's Parish in Trenton last year.

There is absolutely no cost for those seeking jobs or the potential employer. In 1992 alone, more then one-third of the 1,400 applicants were employed by the end of the year.

Volunteers' 'servants'

Carron, formerly self-employed in public relations/marketing, has served as the highest classified individual in the society for nearly two years. Even so, he views himself as "the lowest of the servants."

Referring to the paid staff, he said, "We're employed by volunteers to administer their programs which they own. The volunteers own the stores. The volunteers own everything. They own my office, they own my desk. They can come in and see them any time they want. We're the servants of the volunteers."

There are some paid workers and administrators, but Marcy Moynahan of Garden City is one of those who generously donates her time and talent.

Moynahan is the manager of the St. Vincent de Paul store on Michigan Avenue in Dearborn, one of 16 in the Detroit Archdiocese. That store services much of western Wayne County and was specifically requested by Moynahan and her husband 12 years ago because they believed there was a real need in that area.

Moynahan has worked there all 12 years and volunteers 30 to 40 hours each week as the store's manager.

"I enjoy meeting the people," she said. She treats everyone with respect and warmth and appears to embody St. Vincent de Paul's philosophy that the poor must be allowed the dignity to be poor before they can be helped.

She asks that donors send in items in good repair.

"We don't want to give junk to the poor just because they are down on their luck at the time. You don't want to make them feel any worse."

Items in great demand are stoves, particularly gas since they are less expensive to operate than electric, beds and children's furniture and clothing.

"Bed frames are next to impossible to get," Moynahan said. "A lot of times, we don't have the frames but will give them box springs and a mattress. We figure that's better than sleeping on the floor."

The demand for infant items far exceeds the incoming supply, according to Moynahan: "We get calls for cribs, sometimes three or four a day."

All the items received in the stores, food for the society's 14 food depots, and money for operating costs and other society programs are received through donations.

All with donations

"We are a non-funded organization," Carron said. "All the funds we receive are donated funds." Most of the donations come from Catholic parishes supporting St. Vincent de Paul activities. One hundred ninety-five of the 310 parishes in the Detroit Archdiocese support such activity and are known as conferences. They have special drives for funds. There are food drives and poor boxes and they also have Bundle Sundays.

On such Sundays, a St. Vincent de Paul truck is parked in a church's lot all weekend to collect goods on Bundle Sundays. The goods are then delivered to the

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Trialogue offers a blend of 3 faiths

The melodious sounds coming from Temple Israel in West Bloomfield Sunday, April 18, will be an unusual mix of voices — those of Jews, Christians and Muslims — for an unusual program, a Musical Trialogue.

"Never before have Muslims, Jews and Christians raised their voices in song together at one time under one roof," said Cantor Harold Orbach, the originator of the historic Musical Trialogue. "Not only is the program an exciting one, but it also represents an important bridge in getting to understand each other better in a world marked with altogether too much friction between us."

The Trialogue, open to the public free of charge, will be at 7:30 p.m. at the temple, 5125 Walnut Lake Road.

The Catholic-Lutheran Connection through Christian Choral Music was formed as the result of planning for the "Trialogue" and will perform some of the finest in Christian choral music, Orbach said.

Participating will be the music ministries of Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church in Bloomfield Hills, St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Canton and the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Detroit, conducted by Norah Duncan IV, Deborah Frisaff and Todd Sager.

The Dawah Ensemble, a quartet which sings a capella, will represent the Muslim community. Encouraging its audience to remember the Creator, its purpose is to give "dawah" or information about the religion of Islam, using the Koran as a source of inspiration for its material.

Nadim Sulaiman Aii, who composed each of the pieces for the program, lead singer Jamaal Abdul Hakim, Haroun Abdur-Rahman, Yacub Abdulla-Deen Saafir and percussionist Ramadan Abdul-Mu'Min have all made pilgrimages to the city of Mecca.

Featured in the Jewish portion of the program will be Cantor Carl K. Naluai Jr., singing a Sephardic version of Kabbalat Shabbat. The music will illustrate the joy that the arrival of the Sabbath should inspire and include selections of the Western Sephardim.

Naluai is with Congregation B'nai Israel in Sacramento, Calif., where he is also the dean of the Sacramento Chapter of the American Guild of Organists.

Also participating will be the Temple Israel Choir, directed by Ellen Duncan, and the Temple Choral Group, directed by Elaine Greenberg. Accompanist is Zina Shaykhet.

The concert is sponsored by the Harry Laker Memorial Fund. Irving and Martin Laker, the children of the late Harry Laker, have established the fund at Temple Israel to enhance the cultural enrichment of the entire community.

Organizations joining together for this historic concert are the Catholic Archdiocese of Detroit, Evangelical Lutheran Church in America — Southeast Michigan Synod, Greater Detroit Interfaith Round Table, the Muslim Genter, the Jewish Community Council of Metropolitan Detroit and Temple Israel.

Complimentary tickets are available by calling Temple Israel at 661-5700.

In concert



Brassy sound: *The Bentley Brass, a British ensemble, and the Bungee Chords, a local vocal jazz ensemble, will perform at 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 16, at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile Road, Livonia. There is no admission charge, but afree-will offering will be taken. For more information, call 422-1470.*

Society needs grandparents' stability

MORAL PERSPECTIVES



REV. DAVID STRONG

Grandmothers and grandfathers are important people. Why? My two sons have a relationship with their grandparents which is both amazing and wonderful to me.

What I have noticed between my sons and their grandparents is an appreciation of history, a respect, an interest in how the older family members lived through the years of their lives. Grandmother and grandfather have been reference points for my sons' identities.

Grandparents are different from parents or from peers. They are not a parental kind of authority. They are dependable, wise and experienced in the world. Even when my boys were young, there was a conservative, stable, connected quality in their relationship with their grandparents.

I believe that children suffer when loving grandparents are not available either because of distance or because of death. They are needed to serve as a stability in society. Grandparents become a reference point in identity as a child grows.

Children can face change and tension if there are relationships that matter which remain the same. In the words of Ross Snyder, "A person who trusts us and we trust, continues us." Nurtured by this relationship of a second generation past, we are enabled to envision the future.

The social fabric of life is strengthened by those who have already lived through most of their years. What are the key elements in this intergenerational weaving of life?

The first key element is that a person from the past recognizes a grandchild as special, important. What is of most value in this kind of relationship is both the recognition of specialness and emotional space. The grandchild is both engaged with the older adult and is free to test himself or herself against that reality. The stories about how it used to be years ago are important. My sons love to hear these stories told by their grandparents.

Second, a key element is that the older adult wants the young person to thrive. Snyder suggests, "Like a freshman football coach, he is solely concerned to help us make the team." Grandparents do not worry if their grandchildren will win, but they hope they will make the team.

Third, the older adult offers the new generation wisdom. What this means is that the older person helps the young person to understand life. This happens through stories, convictions and values that are offered but not forced upon the younger person. Such a person can become a door to meanings and even to religious faith.

Perhaps the most important element in the positive impact of older adults upon young persons is a transmission of a vital hope for the future. If an older adult is living a vital, future-oriented life, their impact upon young people can be tremendous. Older adults who live on the edge of a new time rather than falling back into the past attract young people.

Older adults who have a growing edge approach to life are powerful mentors. The Hasidic saying, "Every day we shall go forth out of Egypt, out of distress," suggests how such older adults may impact the new generation. Every day they continue to live out the dream of freedom.

We witness in our society today the breakdown of generations. This is a painful dilemma for our time. We who value religious meaning must pay attention to this tearing of the fabric of society. We and the world will pay the costs if young people only belong to an anonymous youth culture.

The costs will be counted in the agony of the Vietnam War, or race riots, or in psychic and spiritual destruction. No generation has the final truth. We need to be woven into a fabric of compassion and of discernment if we as a human race would avoid the darkness.

The Rev. David Strong is pastor of Central United Methodist Church in Detroit. If you have a question or comment, call him at 953-2047, mailbox number 1878, on a Touch-Tone phone.

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main warehouse in Detroit where some minor repairs can be done on appliances. The goods are then distributed to the stores according to needs.

"A lot of people get upset because we sell things," said Moynahan, adding that those who can't afford to pay may obtain vouchers to receive needed goods at no cost.

A Vincentian (a volunteer from one of the parish conferences) will come to the home to determine need and will write a voucher for those items that can be taken to the store or food depot. Vouchers may also be written by others, most notably the Department of Social Services.

Carron estimates that the 16 stores combined donate $1 million worth of goods each year. The money acquired from sold goods is first used to pay the bills.

'After the bills are paid, we send money to our council," Moynahan said.

"The council has a poor and needy fund that's set up so we can help with utilities, medical bills, even if you need gas for your car," Carron said.

Rising demand

And help is exactly what the society does in a big way. In western Wayne County alone, the 25 parish-level conferences spent more than $59,000 last year to help with housing emergencies. Those emergencies included back mortgage payments, back taxes and emergency home repairs. That amount was up more than 50 percent over the 1991 figures.

Assistance with utilities was up 29 percent over last year at more than $35,000. Transportation assistance rose a whopping 146 percent and medical assistance soared 179 percent above the 1991 expenditures.

The society assisted a total of 37,407 families last year in the six counties covered by the Archdiocese of Detroit and spent more than $1.5 million in direct emergency assistance. Many of those families were within the parish conferences in Plymouth, Canton, Redford, Westland, Livonia and Garden City.

Moynahan's husband, Jerry, volunteers as a Vincentian involved with the home visits and is also the society's Metro West District Council president.

"Our society and other charitable organizations are rapidly reaching the limit of their ability to respond to even the most basic emergency needs of the poor and disadvantaged in our community," he said. "Since we rely, for the most part, on donations given by parish members, our resources are necessarily limited. We've done our best in the year just past, but frankly, we just cannot keep up with the needs of people in our communities."

Carron voiced similar concerns.

"How long can we keep it up? We're reaching the limit of our ability," he said. "I think it's rather noble to have state cuts, but can the charitable organizations and non-profit organizations and volunteer organizations pick up the slack with all the cuts?"

Carron anticipates that both needs and costs will continue to rise. In fact, business is booming and the society needs donations. High on the list of needed donations is money. In addition to all the other charitable activities, the society also supports two Christian summer camps for needy children. Camp Ozanam for boys and Camp Stapleton for girls, both on Lake Huron, were attended by 1,360 needy children last year.

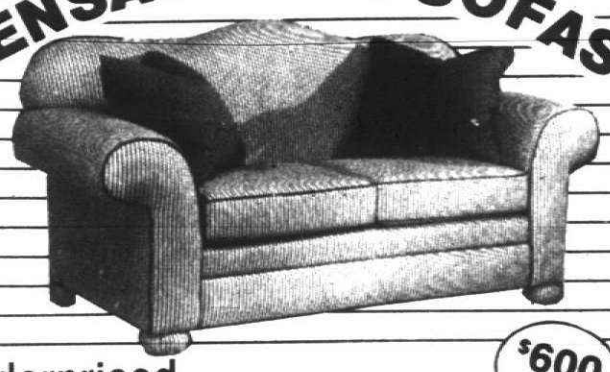
Cash donations are greatly appreciated for running the camp. The cost per camper per day to the society is $36 or $360 for the entire 10-day period. There are many areas to put cash donations to work at the camps from the cost of buses to camp counselors to a gallon of milk. Private and corporate donations are gratefully accepted. And money donated can be specifically earmarked for a particular area or it can be put in the general fund.

Carron also expressed the need for more volunteers.

"The society acts as an apostolic vehicle for 1,900 Vincentians," he said. "If you want to help people — through the De Paul employment, through the camps, through the food depot, through the stores, as an individual — you are being given the opportunity to help people through the society. If you really want to do something for someone, become a Vincentian."

For more information on the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, call 972-3100. For pickup of clean, usable items from your home or business, call 567-1910.

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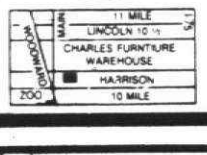
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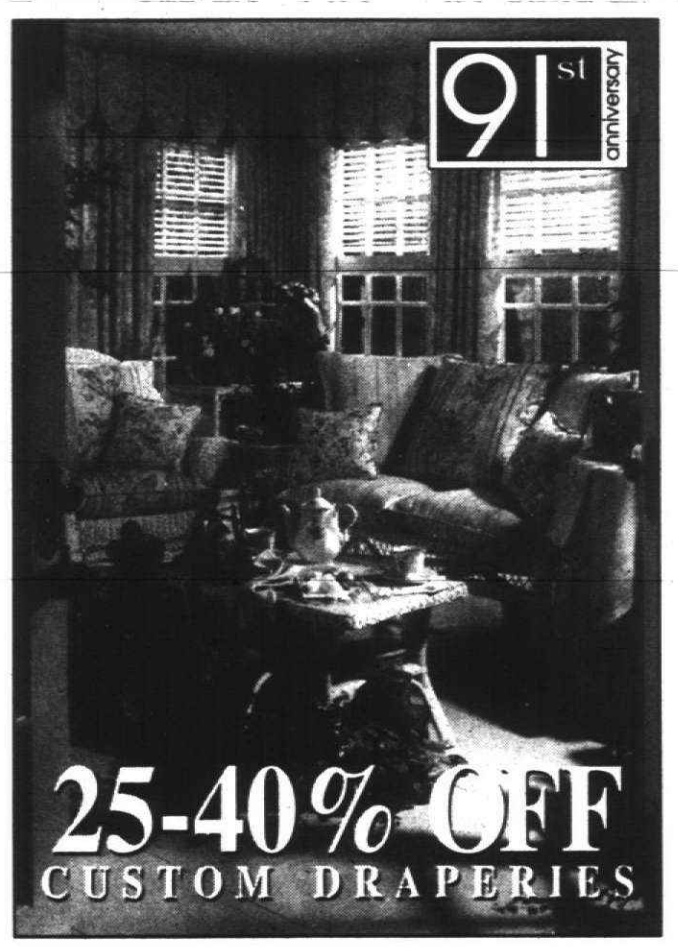
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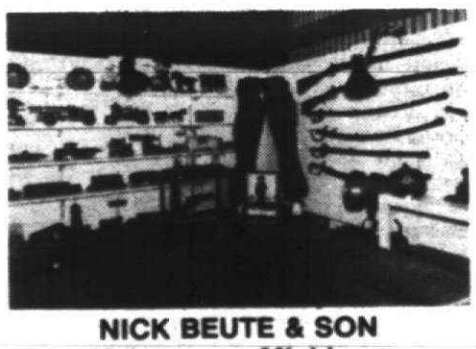
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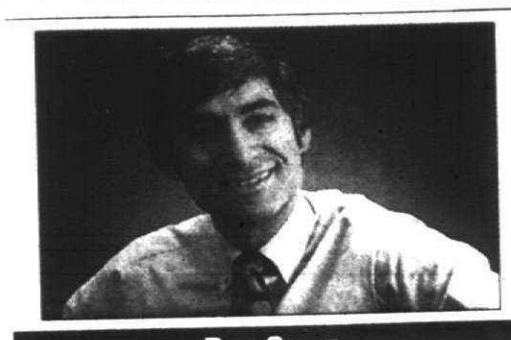
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BOB SKLAR

Canton book to trace 1-room schoolhouses

Joan Palmer's reason for writing a book about the history of Canton's 10 one-room schoolhouses during the years they doubled as school districts is simple enough:

"Our past is part of us. I want to save that history. Children of today *should* know something about what these country schools were like," says the Canton Historical Society trustee and Canton Historical Museum volunteer.

Canton Historical Society will publish "Canton Country Schools" this fall. All proceeds will go to the society.

Three years in the making, the book will help researchers of Canton's pioneer families and schools. Each chapter will chronicle a different schoolhouse via factual accounts verified by the author and personal memories elicited from former students and teachers.

Palmer is tracing the 10 schools from their primitive log beginnings between 1830 and 1850 to their brick or frame successors to when they were consolidated into larger school districts in Plymouth-Canton, Wayne-Westland or Van Buren Township. School district consolidation was complete by the mid-1950s.

Spotlighted schools are Hough, Cherry Hill, Sheldon, Canton Center, Hanford, Walker, Truesdell, Palmer, Bartlett and Kinyon.

Memories solicited

Palmer will help former teachers and students record remembrances from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tuesdays and Saturdays in May at the Canton Historical Museum, Canton Center Road at Proctor. Or call her at 453-5231.

She's also looking for class pictures, building snapshots, report cards, play programs, souvenir holiday cards and other school artifacts. "On report cards, I'm interested in the year and the teacher's name, not the grades."

Responses so far have topped 75. "But I don't want anybody to say after the book is published, 'I went to a one-room school in Canton but I'm not included,' " Palmer said.

"Canton Country Schools" will include a township map pinpointing each school's location, a partial list of teachers at each school and the years they taught, student newspaper excerpts, land acquisition records and selected records like annual school district meeting minutes.

Schools often went up on a corner, within two or three miles of the farms they served. Families in each district teamed up to build and support the school, paying a tax for each child attending and donating a cord of firewood for the school stove.

Three of the 10 one-room schools are gone: Bartlett (Canton Center Road, south of Warren), Palmer (at Geddes and Beck) and Kinyon (at Joy and Ridge just inside Plymouth Township).

The other seven are still standing.

Hough, at Warren and Old Haggerty, is vacant. Canton Center houses the Canton Historical Museum. Cherry Hill, at Ridge and Cherry Hill, is a restored public facility.

Sheldon, on Michigan Avenue west of Sheldon, is being restored for use as leased space by a nonprofit group. Hanford, at Ridge and Hanford, has been converted to a single-family residence.

Where Walker stood on Michigan Avenue east of I-275 is now a modern Wayne-Westland elementary school. Where Truesdell stood on Haggerty south of Cherry Hill is now a modern Plymouth-Canton elementary school annex.

In 1850, Aaron Palmer, great-great-grandfather of Joan Palmer's husband Richard, leased an acre to the Palmer school district for as long as a school existed there. A frame school came about 1851 and a brick school about 1935. Palmer School was consolidated into the Van Buren school district in 1953. It later reverted to Aaron Palmer's heirs. It housed a church and businesses before burning in the late '60s. Palmer family members have lived in Canton since 1833, a year before townshiphood.

"We live three and a quarter miles from where Aaron first settled — and we've lived here 40 years," said Joan, a Northville native who grew up in Plymouth.

Last year, Canton resident Duane Rodenberg donated to the township the Palmer School treasurer's record books from 1866 to 1925. From these yellowed pages, Joan Palmer learned that, in 1866, Louise Corwin earned $48 for teaching 16 weeks of summer school, just $28 more than William Artley was paid for five cords of winter firewood!

"Country schoolhouses were such a pervasive way of life in our country throughout its history," said Canton historic district commissioner Melissa McLaughlin. "It's only been since the mid part of this century that we've moved away from them.

"Folks who went to these one-room schoolhouses are moving into their later years," she added. "And a lot of stories and memories and pictures and documentation they have will be gone once they're gone. We've got to capture these memories now or they'll be lost — *forever.*"

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Facets of glass: *Jack and Marie Linden create glass magic in their shop, Linden Art Glass. Here, they work on one of eight traditional Victorian stained-glass windows for a Plymouth Township church.*

Artistry

Their stained glass glistens

■ Stained glass, like jewels, shine in the shop of Jack and Marie Linden. The husband and wife glass artists offer services such as glass restoration and special orders along with everything you need to make your own stained-glass creations.

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
SPECIAL WRITER

From stained-glass church windows to decorative suncatchers, kaleidoscopes, plates, Tiffany-style lamps and jewelry, Jack and Marie Linden produce these sparkling wonders and more at Linden Art Glass, 580 Forest, Plymouth.

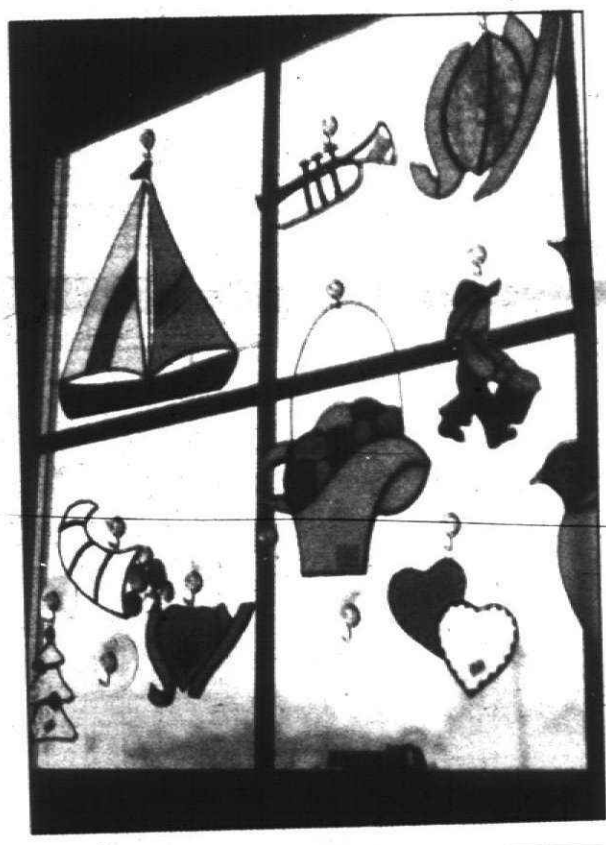
Throughout the shop, stained-glass panels, one of which is after a design by architect Frank Lloyd Wright, abound.

MICHIGAN GLASS MONTH

"I love glass. Everything new in glass, I want to try it," Marie Linden said. "I love the colors, and the combination of colors, all clear and textured glass, and everything you can do with glass."

The husband and wife glass working team employs slumping, fusing, lamp working and other hot-glass

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Light dazzlers: *Students of the Lindens start by making suncatchers like these in their first class.*



Sparkling: *Brenda Warburton's winning entry consists of a .99 ct. round brilliant cut diamond set with eight pieces of 0.07 ct. princess cut diamonds in 14k gold.*

Jewelry designer earns statewide Best of Show

Michigan Jewelers Association has recognized jewelry designer Brenda Warburton, a 1977 Livonia Bentley High School graduate, for artistic excellence.

She won first place for a design by a professional goldsmith and was awarded Best of Show in competition involving Michigan's finest designers. Judges considered design, craftsmanship, marketability and wearability.

Her winning design will represent MJA in the Jewelers of America national design competition in July in New York City. It will be on display at The Austin Diamond Co., 217 E. Washington, Ann Arbor, until late June.

Warburton has been a professional designer and goldsmith for 15 years. She is currently co-owner and chief designer at The Austin Diamond Co.

After buying Austin Diamond in 1985 with her husband, Craig, she scaled back her wholesale goldsmith and custom work to concentrate on individual design and custom manufacturing.

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Art Beat

■ FROM THE HEART

Nelson's Gallery continues its Artist-of-the-Month exhibitions with "29 Months-But Who's Counting?" The retrospective of paintings, dealing with social and environmental issues by Edward Ferguson, runs through May 7.

An opening reception to meet the artist will be 5-8 p.m. Friday, April 16, at the gallery, 16376 Middlebelt, Livonia. This is the only time the entire show will be available for viewing due to space constraints.

The more than 20-piece show, consisting primarily of acrylic and oil paintings with some mixed media, features selections from "Affairs of the Heart" and other abstract concepts, "Messages from God: The Habitat Paintings," and other recent work. It also includes his latest, which is being kept secret until the day of the reception.

"It's a retrospective of everything I've done in the last 29 months. My newest piece — I'm excited about getting people's reactions. It's four by five feet with a lot of color," Ferguson said.

The self-taught Livonia painter became a full-time artist 29 months ago, after one of his works was juried into a Detroit Artists Market show. It was at that time he quit his job as advertising department director of Sibley Shoes, where he worked for 12 years.

Prices for Ferguson's paintings range from $300 to $4,500.

Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

■ SPRING PAINTING

Frameworks of Livonia will present an oil and watercolor exhibition and sale by Canton artist Sharon Dillenbeck and Plymouth artist Hugh Burley at the shop, 34983 Ann Arbor Trail.

A meet-the-artists reception will be held 1-3 p.m. Friday-Saturday, April 16-17, at which time the artists will demonstrate their skills.

Dixieland provides peek into Thomas Wolfe's life

BOOK BREAK



VICTORIA DIAZ

Not long after novelist Thomas Wolfe's untimely death from tuberculosis at age 38, his devoted editor, Maxwell Perkins, said of the young writer: "I think no one could understand Thomas Wolfe who had not seen . . . the place in which he . . . grew up."

Fortunately for all of us, the childhood home of the author of such American classics as "Look Homeward, Angel" and "You Can't Go Home Again" still stands. Even more fortunately, it's well-preserved and open to the public. If you're ever in or near Asheville, N. C., don't pass it up.

As you may recall, Dixieland, as it was known during Wolfe's childhood (he was born in 1900), was not an ordinary, garden variety home. It was a rambling, two-story boarding house, a kind of hodgepodge of rooms, niches, nooks, and crannies — all overseen by Wolfe's efficient, extremely thrifty mother, the "Eliza" of his early, strongly autobiographical novels.

In the pages of "Look Homeward, Angel," Wolfe wrote of the actual/fictional boarding house and the "braided clamor" of conversations around the dining tables. Today's visitors may imagine echoes of those long-ago conversations as they pass through the large, high-ceiling dining room. The tables are always set as if awaiting the imminent arrival of a dozen or more clamorous boarders. A massive sideboard and the dark, spindle-backed chairs pulled up to the tables are typical of pieces found in many middle-class homes during the era, and most were in the house when the Wolfes lived there, according to tour guides.

Back in the no-nonsense, unpretentious kitchen, a gas-powered Oriole cookstove, plus a coal-driven range and oven stand opposite a sturdy worktable and unadorned cupboards, where Wolfe's mother oversaw and helped prepare the hearty Southern fare she served boarders.

Framed family portraits, an upright piano and small organ dominate the lace-curtained, antimacassared parlor. Atop the piano sits the original photo of the author, which appeared through the years on the jackets of many of the books he wrote.

Upstairs, the spartan bedrooms, with their iron bedsteads, flimsy coverlets and slightly sagging mattresses, look vaguely sad. (Wolfe sometimes likened the house to a tomb, using words like "dank" and "chill" to describe its feel.) His mother's tiny bedroom, with newspapers and magazines strewn about, resembles Eliza's "small dark room with a window opening on the uncertain light of the back porch" in "Look Homeward, Angel." The bedrooms are connected by a narrow, almost tunnel-like hallway, leading to the little cave of a bathroom that was shared by Dixieland's residents.

Before you leave, you may sit for a spell on the front veranda in one of the many cane-bottomed rocking chairs provided for visitors and look out on the wide, sloping lawn where Wolfe played as a young boy beneath enormous Carolina maple trees. The neighborhood has changed considerably since Wolfe left one day in 1916, on his way to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill to study theater and playwriting before eventually making his indelible mark on the literary world as a novelist. Across the street now, you'll see a bustling office complex and hotel. The home itself, however, according to guides, remains much the same.

The Thomas Wolfe home is at 48 Spruce St. It is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 1-5 p.m. Sunday. (From November 1 to March 31, the home is closed on Mondays.) Admission is $10 for adults and 50 cents for children. For information, write to the above address or call the Thomas Wolfe Memorial, 1-704-253-8304.

Last Words: Friends of the Canton Public Library will celebrate National Library Week with a special Author Brunch at noon Sunday, April 18. Michigan novelist Thomas Sullivan, author of "Born Burning" and "The Phases of Harry Moon," will be featured speaker. He will autograph copies of his books following the brunch. The event will take place in the Canton Public Library Meeting Room, 1200 S. Canton Center Road. Tickets, available at the library reception desk, are $12. Call 397-0999.

Victoria Diaz of Livonia tracks the books and literary industry. You can leave a message for her on a touch-tone phone by dialing 953-2047, then her mailbox number, 1854.

Livonia artist fashions exterior murals for Artrain

A Livonia industrial designer conceived and rendered the newly completed exterior murals on Artrain, the nation's only traveling museum in a train.

Glenn Dorshimer's murals feature depictions of Raymond Loewy's classic Broadway Limited locomotive, a late 1950s sports car, a futuristic bullet-nosed train and a luxurious ocean liner.

Smaller images in portholes and windows along the side of the train reveal artists' personal interpretations of the "romance of transportation."

Walter Gierschick of West Bloomfield was among the artists who participated in the mural project, under Dorshimer's art direction.

Artrain will mark the start of its 1993 season in its Ann Arbor home with the debut of a new exhibition, "The Romance of Transportation: Vehicle and Voyage in North American Art."

This weekend, the public will have a chance to view this exploration of artists' fascination with the technology of travel and the lure of the open road before the mobile museum embarks on its five-star tour.

Artrain's new Ann Arbor headquarters are at NEW Center, 1100 N. Main. Hours are 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, April 17-18. There is no admission charge, but donations are suggested. Artrain is wheelchair accessible.

The exhibition, curated by Ellen Plummer of the University of Michigan Museum of Art, features works of world-renowned artists like Thomas Hart Benton, Claes Oldenburg, Andy Warhol, Dorothea Lange and Richard Estes.

Hands-on activities, audiovisual presentations and artist demonstrations offer visitors of all ages innovative means of exploring the world of art.

Artwork in the exhibition is on loan from public and private collections, including the Detroit Institute of Arts, University of Michigan Museum of Art, Henry Ford Museum, Kresge Art Museum of Michigan State University, Cranbrook Academy of Art Museum, Flint Institute of Arts, Muskegon Museum of Art, Grand Rapids Art Museum and Dearborn Historical Museum.

Artrain has traveled to 33 states since its first stop in 1971. A nonprofit corporation, Artrain is supported in part by the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs.

Learn details of designing a perennial garden

The Community House in Birmingham is sponsoring a garden symposium featuring nationally renowned speakers 8:30 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. Saturday, April 17.

The symposium is entitled "Designing Your Perennial Garden."

Gary Koller from the Arnold Arboretum of Harvard University, Mary Ann McGorty of Hillside Gardens, Connecticut, and John Elsley of Wayside Gardens will be the presenters. The registration fee is $65, including lunch.

A special garden seminar, "The Garden as a Space: How to Create a Special Place," will take place 7-9 p.m. Friday, April 16. All three speakers will present this in a panel discussion format, leaving an opportunity for the audience to ask questions. The registration fee is $20, including coffee and dessert.

Registration for the Friday and/or Saturday program may be done in person, by phone or by fax. The Community House is at 380 S. Bates, phone 644-5832, fax 644-2476. Visa and MasterCard are accepted.

Koller, senior horticulturist at the Arnold Arboretum, will start the day Saturday at 9:15 a.m. with a talk about "Special Spaces: Designing the Perennial Garden."

He will introduce a sequential process that turns a yard into a garden room. He also will demonstrate how designing with foliage, using combinations of color or leaf variations, will enrich a garden.

McGorty, co-owner of Hillside Gardens in Norfolk, Conn., will continue the symposium at 11:15 a.m. with her talk on "Fabulous Flowers: Perennial Combinations for Northern Gardens."

She approaches garden design with an emphasis on color combinations and flower shapes to capture a harmonious effect of the garden as a whole.

The afternoon session will begin at 1:45 p.m. with Elsley, chief horticulturist, Wayside Gardens, who will speak on "Showcase in the Shade: Perennials for All Seasons."

He will teach the principles involved in growing shady gardens as well as interesting and unusual perennials and shrubs that can be successfully cultivated. He will talk about bulbs and woodland and native plants that can complete a garden cycle from spring through fall.

Gallery focus: art framing

Art Appeal Inc. will host a grand opening of a new custom art framing gallery Saturday-Sunday, April 17-18, in the Canton Ford Crossing plaza.

As special guests, "Women of Artistry" will exhibit their work alongside other area artists during the 2-5 p.m. celebration at 5840 Canton Center Road, Suite 212, north of Ford Road.

Art Appeal will regularly feature local artists in an effort to bring community awareness and exposure to local fine artists.

The gallery specializes in handcrafted custom framing and local fine art. Services include preserving valuable art and collectibles as well as design consulting for collectors and decorators.

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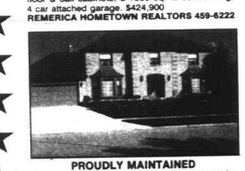
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techniques here in their six-year-old business.

A beveled glass window with broken panes leans up against the wall awaiting repair. Custom orders and stained-glass restoration are their specialty. The Lindens spend long hours lavishing loving care on heirloom windows, doors and panels.

"It's a workshop, not a showcase. We try to learn as much as we can about stained glass so we can teach," Jack said as he and Marie wrapped copper foil around the glass pieces for one of eight traditonal Victorian stained-glass windows commissioned by the Seventh Day Adventists for their church in Plymouth Township.

"This is one of the most important parts of stained-glass work because when these are foiled, they'll be ready for soldering."

Marie added, "Putting the foil on the glass, this makes the channel that makes it all work."

The Lindens use both methods of framing the glass pieces in their work: leading and copperfoil.

"The oldest method of glass working is 3,000 years old. Louis Comfort Tiffany came along at the end of the 19th century with copper foils," Marie said.

Tiffany's copperfoil method allowed very small pieces of glass to be framed and joined. It enabled him to create his magnificent wisteria lamp shade.

As one of the earliest crafts, stained-glass making was a major art form before painting in Europe. The earliest surviving example in an architectural environment is the 11th-century Augsburg Cathedral in Germany, which used techniques thought to be after sixth- and seventh-century Byzantine mosaics in Italy. Records of stained-glass windows exist for a 12th-century synagogue in Cologne.

Artists through the ages have used the faceted jewel-like colors of these dazzling stained-glass windows as canvas. Russian artist Marc Chagall, in his well known work for the synagogue in Hadassah-Hebrew University Medical Center in Jerusalem, created 12 magnificent windows. Each represented one of the 12 tribes of Israel.

Although today's stained-glass artists could never hope to produce the likes of such master works, the art form offers opportunities to create architectural and other pieces on a smaller scale.

Classes, instructional videos, books and supplies offered at the shop provide young and old alike with fun projects crafting cabinet door panels, sidelights, windows, kaleidoscopes, clocks, candleholders and lamps.

Beginner and intermediate classes run four weeks at a cost of $30 with a 10 percent discount on supplies and tools while attending classes.

"It's a contagious type of a class. The very first night they make a suncatcher. It gives them glass cutting skills, how to use the tools," Linden said. "This isn't the kind of craft you can go out and buy a kit so we keep our beginner's patterns simple. They'll have a nice 10- by 14-inch panel when it's done."

Advance classes in Tiffany lamps and lead cane, by appointment only, last three to six weeks at a cost of $30-$45. In late spring, the Lindens will offer glass beadworking classes.

Count on spending about an additional $60 for an initial investment in tools. "People say isn't this a little bit expensive, but you end up making a $400-$500 lamp," Jack said.

The Lindens first became interested in stained glass 14 years ago when they decided to take a class together. For many years, they sold their wares at arts and crafts shows.

Six years ago, when Jack retired after 33 years at American Airlines, they opened their Plymouth shop. Every five weeks, they travel to Chicago to hand pick and buy the glass from Germany, France, Italy and America stocked in the shop.

"Glass is really interesting. If you hold it up to a bright light, you've one color, hold it up to a different light and it's opaque. Stained glass combines artistic endeavors and enjoyment. It's a wonderful way to escape from reality," Jack said. "I tell my students this is not a hobby or a craft. This is a fine art."

Hours are noon to 8 p.m. Monday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday, and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday.

At the helm

Northville artist chairs state watercolor society

National awardwinning artist Linda Banks Ord of Northville is new chairwoman of the Michigan Watercolor Society, the foremost water-media group in the state.

The 500-member group includes some of the top university-affiliated professors as well as nationally recognized practitioners of water media.



Ord

Since 1997, Ord has won 23 state and national awards for her paintings, many of which are watercolors. Her work is quite realistic with strong abstract qualities and often deals with the figure.

Ord serves on the University of Michigan Alumni Board of Directors as representative of the School of Art. Last fall, the School of Art honored her as an "Alumni Success Story" and invited her to speak to students, faculty and alumni at the annual reunion.

A Northville resident for 15 years and a Michiganian for 20, Ord was born and raised in Pleasant Grove, Utah, a small town just south of Salt Lake City. Some of her paintings relate directly to her western heritage, combining portions of her mother's journal with old family images that survive from pioneer times.

Michigan Watercolor Society's annual exhibition is showing at the Dennos Museum in Traverse City through May 3. The exhibition was juried by William Weege, art professor at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. He's recognized as one of the top printmakers in the United States involved in water media as an associated medium.

EXHIBITIONS

Send calendar items *about Oakland County art gallery exhibitions to The Eccentric, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham 48009. Send items about Wayne County exhibitions to The Observer, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Attention: Creative Living editor.*

■ LIVONIA CIVIC CENTER LIBRARY

Continuing — Livonia Arts Commission presents a retrospective of 40 watercolor and oil paintings by artist/architect/author Louis G. Redstone through May 15 in the Art Gallery. An opening reception for the painter will be held in the gallery 3-6 p.m. Saturday, April 17, in honor of his 90th birthday. Vibrant watercolors in the tradition of representational abstraction, although nonobjective abstract also is represented here, dominate the exhibition, which spans more than 60 years. Oil and watercolor from the 1930s and 1940s sound a somber note in keeping with the times. Farmington Road and Five Mile. Hours: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday and 1-4 p.m. Sunday.

■ LIVONIA CIVIC CENTER LIBRARY

Continuing — Romulus artist Rich Katuzin will exhibit his pen and ink drawings of naval ships and Michigan lighthouses to April 25 in the Livonia Arts Commission second-floor showcases at the Livonia Civic Center Library, Farmington Road and Five Mile. Hours: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday and 1-5 p.m. Sunday.

■ THE GALLERY

Continuing — Livonia watercolorist Billie Thompson is among featured artists at the Pontiac Oakland Society of Artists exhibition in Great Oaks Mall, Walton and Livernois, Rochester. Call 651-1579.

■ UAW-GM HUMAN RESOURCE CENTER

Continuing — "Automobiles and Art," an exhibit by 13 artists and designers, including John Krieger of Plymouth and Roger Hardnock of Westland. To April 30. Hours: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday, 2630 Featherstone, one-half mile east of Opdyke in Auburn Hills, 377-6526.

■ ATRIUM GALLERY

Continuing — Work by glassblower Stan Megdall of Birmingham. All colors of the rainbow are shown in his perfume bottles, vases, three-footed bowls and platters. Some pieces are done in tortoise shell patterns and sea foam wraps. Saturday, April 24, from 1-5 p.m., is "For the Birds." Northville artist Bill Thelan will present his new line of steel bird sculptures for the yard and Milford artist Dee Segula will exhibit her artistically appointed wood birdhouses. 109 N. Center, Northville. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, noon to 4 p.m. Sunday.

■ CARY GALLERY

Continuing — Works by Redford Township sculptor Sergio De Giusti and Detroit artist Tom Humes will be on exhibit to April 16. 226 Walnut, Rochester. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday.

■ MARDIGIAN LIBRARY

Continuing — The Fine Art Associates of the University of Michigan-Dearborn will sponsor two exhibitions of glass art through May 16. The exhibitions, "Frederick Birkhill: Retrospective" and "The International Lampwork Glass Exhibition," include objects from Birkhill's collection and other local collections. "The innate beauty of glass provides me with an endless avenue for expressing my ideas, which range from natural images to a romantic belief in a European tradition of glassworking long since gone but not forgotten," said Birkhill, a Dearborn native. A planned University Art Museum, part of the U-M-Dearborn "Best in Class Campaign," would house art exhibitions as well as objects from the campus's permanent art collection. Evergreen and Michigan. Call 593-5087.

■ GALLERY AUTOMANIA

Thursday, April 15 — The seventh annual "Hot Rod Heritage Fine Art Exhibit" will run through June 5, featuring the works of leading hot rod illustrator Darrell Mayabb and 25 other artists. Reception 7-10 p.m. Thursday, at which Mayabb will unveil four new paintings and sign his prints. A few of the other artists will also be present. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 304 East, one block east of Main between Third and Fourth in Rochester, 656-8571.

■ CRANBROOK ACADEMY OF ART MUSEUM

Friday, April 16 — Student Degree Show I will take place April 17-25, featuring the departments of metalsmithing, painting, photography, printmaking and sculpture. Members' reception 5-7 p.m. Friday. Student Degree Show II will take place May 1-9, featuring the departments of architecture, ceramics, design and fiber. Members' reception 5-7 p.m. Friday, April 30. The shows are annual exhibits of work by the current candidates for the master of architecture or master of fine arts degrees at the Cranbrook Academy of Art. The museum is at 1221 N. Woodward, between Lone Pine and Long Lake roads in Bloomfield Hills. Call 645-3323.

■ SOUTHFIELD CIVIC CENTER

Friday, April 16 — "Scenes of the Great Lakes," an exhibit of oils and watercolors by Karen Carter Van Gamper, continues to April 29. Opening reception 5-7 p.m. Friday. The center is at 26000 Evergreen.

■ DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET

To April 16 — "Reform Function: Furniture and Costume." William Porter juried the furniture entries and chose 22 artists displaying fine craftsmanship in wood, steel and mixed media. An array of tables, lamps, screens, clocks and chairs will be exhibited. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, to 8 p.m. Friday, 300 River Place, Suite 1650, Detroit, 393-1770.

■ MICHIGAN COUNCIL FOR ARTS AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS GALLERY

To April 16 — "Native American Masters," an exhibit of black ash basketmakers, quill workers, beadworkers and finger weavers. The exhibit celebrates those custodians of traditions who have been recognized by their peers and the larger community for their mastery of knowledge and the role they have played in passing their skills on to the next generation. Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, 1200 Sixth, 11th floor, Detroit.

■ URBAN PARK

Friday, April 16 — The spring exhibit of the Detroit Society of Women Painters and Sculptors will take place to May 11. Opening reception 6-9 p.m. Friday. Famous artist Zubel Kachadoorian is the juror of the show. The society, celebrating its 90th anniversary, is the oldest organized art group in Michigan. Also exhibited at Urban Park through May 11: works by Romanian artists in the new International Artists' Association Gallery, and photography by Downriver photographer Richard "Dick" Fahnestock and Martina Guzman. Hours: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. Friday-Saturday, noon to 7 p.m. Sunday, 508 Monroe, third floor, Detroit, 963-5445.

■ MATRIX GALLERY

Friday, April 16 — In celebration

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of Michigan Glass Month, the gallery presents "Commonplace Transfigurations," an exhibit of recent sculptural works by Robert Gardner, April 15 through May 2. Reception for the artist 6-9 p.m. Friday. Working with a variety of materials ranging from fabricated steel and concrete to desiccated insects and wood, Gardner presents a fresh and expressive use of the molten medium of glass. Hours: 5-9 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Sunday or by appointment, 212 Miller, 1-½ blocks west of Main in Ann Arbor, 663-7775.

■ RUBINER GALLERY

Saturday, April 17 — "Victor Pasmore: Recent Graphic Work" will continue to May 1. The exhibit features a collection of aquatints, etchings and lithographs, many in very large sizes, by the renowned British artist. Born in 1908, Pasmore lived and worked in London before moving to Malta in 1976. He is one of Britain's most honored artists and is represented in the collections of most major museums in the world. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday or by appointment, 7001 Orchard Lake Road, Suite 430A, West Bloomfield, 626-3111.

■ SCARAB CLUB

To April 17 — The 1993 Annual All-media Silver Medal Exhibition and "Bette Prudden: Recent Paintings and Drawings." Hours: noon to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Sunday, 217 Farnsworth, Detroit, 831-1250.

■ ARTIST'S COOPERATIVE, THE

To April 17 — "Art Through Mechanical Reproduction," a group exhibit of photographs, copies and other mechanically reproduced works. 29 E. Grand River, Detroit. Hours: noon to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday.

■ CHET STREET GALLERY

To April 18 — "A Tribute to Spring," an exhibit of fine art photography by Brian Elrod. Hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Friday, to 8 p.m. Thursday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday or by appointment, 39550 W. 14 Mile on the northwest corner of 14 Mile and Haggerty, 624-3557.

■ ARTIST'S COOPERATIVE, THE

Friday, April 23 — "Recent Works," a group exhibit by Ted Carmody, Jim Slack and Therese Swan. Opening reception 7-10 p.m. Friday, 29 E. Grand River, Detroit. To May 22. Hours: noon to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday.

■ THE GUILD GALLERY

To April 23 — In celebration of Michigan Glass Month and the Year of the American Craft, the work of four Michigan stained glass artists: Barbara Krueger, Michael Myers, Connie Sullivan, John Sullivan. Both two- and three-dimensional pieces incorporating a variety of techniques, including glassblowing and sculptural casting, are on display. Michigan Guild of Artists and Artisans, 118 N. Fourth, Ann Arbor. Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays.

■ SUSANNE HILBERRY GALLERY

To April 24 — Works by Artschwager, Egner, Farber, Goodwin, Gorchov, Jensen, Mitchnick, Morley, Pfaff and Phelan. Hours: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 555 S. Woodward, Birmingham, 642-8250.

■ THE WETSMAN COLLECTION

To April 24 — "Transformations: Harry Anderson and Stephen Whittlesey," featuring lamps and furniture created from found objects. Anderson's colorful and whimsical lamps brighten the gallery during Michigan Glass Month. Whittlesey describes himself as an artist who makes furniture. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 132 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 645-6212.

■ MICHIGAN GALLERY

To April 24 — "Urban Dwellers," a focus on local black art. 2661 Michigan, Detroit. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday.

■ FEIGENSON/PRESTON GALLERY

To April 24 — An exhibit of new work on paper by New York artist Jane Hammond. The drawings are collage and employ a variety of techniques and materials such as rubber stamps, linoleum block prints, transfers, color Xerox, paint and graphite on rice paper. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 796 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 644-3955.

■ PEWABIC POTTERY

To April 24 — "Organicism," a group exhibit of sculpture by Anne Bridget Gary, Amara Geffen and recent Cranbrook Academy of Art graduate Yun Dong Nam, and a solo exhibit by potter Susan Bankert, continue. Sculptors Gary, Geffen and Nam work by handbuilding clay into sensuous, evocative forms that suggest the growth patterns of nature. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 10125 E. Jefferson, Detroit, 822-0954.

■ DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS

To April 25 — "Art and Flowers: A Festival of Spring," featuring an exhibit of entries for the poster design contest to commemorate the event. Activities culminate April 21-25 with lectures, floral demonstrations, entertainment and stunning floral displays throughout the museum. For more information, call 833-7969. Also, "American Drawings and Watercolors 1760-1960: Selections from the Collection" continues through May 9. This exhibit of about 150 works provides an eclectic overview of the DIA's holdings from the colonial period to the mid-20th century. Artists represented range from Benjamin West and John Singer Sargent to Edward Hopper and Morris Graves. Call 833-7963.

■ SISSON ART GALLERY

To April 27 — The 36th annual Henry Ford Community College Student Exhibition. The student works on display represent the various study programs offered through the HFCC art department, including ceramics, graphic design, interior design, jewelry, painting, photography, printmaking, sculpture and foundations. Hours: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday, to 8 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday, in the MacKenzie Fine Arts Center at HFCC, 5101 Evergreen, Dearborn, 845-9634.

■ JANICE CHARACH EPSTEIN MUSEUM/GALLERY

To April 29 — An exhibit and sale of work by 12 artists who are graduating or have recently graduated from local universities or art schools. The artists are Ben Konstantin, Douglas Fogel, Jefre Harwoods, Karen Izenberg, Marat Kady, Anna Kocherovsky, Robert Lowenthal, Terry Matlen, Scott Saltsman, Anita Sudakin, Scott Wittman and Terry Ziegelman. Hours: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, in the Jewish Community Center at 6600 W. Maple, West Bloomfield, 661-1000, Ext. 470.

■ MESA ARTS

To April 30 — Southwest furniture is featured. Handcrafted, handpainted furniture is treasured for its whimsical yet elegant look. Selected furniture artisans use the colors of the sky, mountains and sunsets and the imagery of indigenous animals either painted or carved on chests, nightstands, headboards, mirrors, cupboards, chairs and lamps. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 32800 Franklin Road, Franklin, 851-9949.

■ PARK WEST GALLERY

To April 30 — "Modern Masters: Picasso, Chagall, Miro" features more than 80 works from 1907 to 1979 and touches every significant aspect of these remarkable artists as printmakers. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, 29469 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, 354-2343.

■ ARNOLD KLEIN GALLERY

To April 30 — Color pencil and watercolor works by Karen Anne Klein. The show covers American Indian artifacts, rocks and feathers, represented in inventive ways. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 4520 N. Woodward, Royal Oak, 647-7709.

■ SANDRA COLLINS

To April 30 — "Hot Glass!" features works by Ginger Kelly, Michael Jaross and other artists in celebration of Michigan Glass Month. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 470 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 642-4795.

Redford author to autograph newest thriller

Five public libraries in Wayne and Oakland counties will celebrate National Library Week April 18-24 by hosting autographing parties for Redford Township suspense author Robert C. Wilson.

Wilson will autograph his latest book "Second Fire," published March 1.

Libraries hosting book-signing parties are:

- Wayne Oakland Library Federation, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday, April 15, 33030 Van Born, Wayne.
- Auburn Hills Public Library, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Monday, April 19, 3400 E. Seyburn.
- Taylor Community Library, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 21, 12303 Pardee.
- Novi Public Library, 1-3 p.m. Thursday, April 22, 45245 W. 10 Mile.
- Redford Township Public Library, noon to 3 p.m. Saturday, April 24, 15150 Norborne.

Copies of "Second Fire" ($5.50) will be available for sale at each library.

The allure of fire to man is both its compelling and fearful nature. And in the tradition of Native American Indians, fire also is all-powerful. "Second Fire" draws from the myths and modern problems of Native American Indians to pen this terror-suspense story.

The Ojibwa Indians protest a planned excavation of an ancient burial site led by anthropologist Christopher Fielding. Attempting a compromise, Fielding recruits Native American Indian anthropologist Jean Shawshequay to supervise the dig, hoping to assuage any accusations of sacrilege.

But a radical Indian rights group, headed by an intense Ojibwa named Blackbear, is insulted by this compromise. His group first responds with petty terrorism against the dig workers. But Blackbear takes it one step further by summoning the spirits of The Ancient Ones. And the death and destruction, by fire, begins.

The police and Fielding cannot stop the force of the Ancients. Only Jean may be the answer. But can she convince Chris of the true source of these deadly fires? And, more importantly, will she be able to stop them?

Other Wilson suspense thrillers include "Crooked Tree" and "Icefire."

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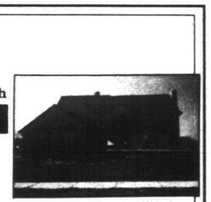


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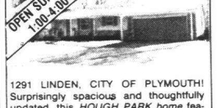
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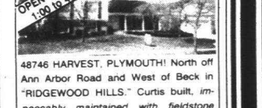
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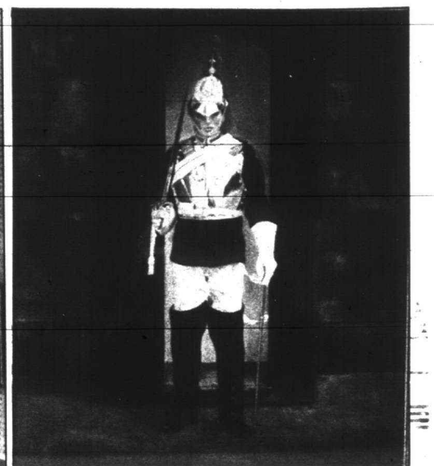
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Loving touch: *Evelyn Henry of Redford Township won second place in the Palette Guild spring show for this acrylic portrait of her grandson, Donny.*



"The Guard:" *This pastel by Betty Shaw of Redford Township took first place in the Palette Guild spring show.*

Palette Guild showcases art at Livonia City Hall

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
SPECIAL WRITER

Artworks featuring cats, horses, dancers, apple blossoms, barn scenes and a historic white clapboard house offer plenty of one-of-a-kind gift ideas for occasions such as graduations, weddings, house warmings or Mother's Day.

You can find this artistic variety at the Palette Guild's spring art show and sale continuing through April 29 in the lobby of Livonia City Hall, Farmington Road and Five Mile.

Watercolor, acrylic, oil, pastel, pen and ink, colored pencil, graphite, collage and mixed media art works shine for prices ranging on average from $30 to $300.

A reception to meet the artists and learn more about their work takes place 7-9 p.m. Friday, April 16.

"It's very colorful, striking, electric and just so alive. It's a tremendous show," said chairwoman Pat Quiery of Farmington Hills.

Florals, landscapes, portraits and still life in this 110-piece annual show were judged by Christine Unwin of West Bloomfield. Unwin, a watercolorist featured in American Artist magazine, will teach workshops in May as part of a Royal Odyssey cruise to Italy, France, Greece and Mexico.

Betty Shaw of Redford Township won first place for the pastel, "The Guard." Shaw gives life to this lone sentinel rendering the lights and shadows impeccably. Metals of silver and gold in his outfit dazzle the eye.

"I want to thank the judge. I was quite surprised she chose to pick one (that was) more realistic," Shaw said. "The guard was kind of a challenge because of the small features. It was difficult to do in pastel."

Shaw took a honorable mention for a graphite drawing, "Saturday Matinee."

A consistent award winner, she began drawing in charcoal 12 years ago. For a long time, she favored working in black and white.

Seeking instruction in pastel and colored pencil at Art Store & More in Livonia opened a world of color to Shaw. Before long, she was teaching others the art of "seeing" many hues.

Redford Township artist Evelyn Henry took second place for an acrylic portrait of her grandson "Donny," as well as honorable mentions for two pastels, "Bloomin' Time" and "Sixteen."

Wispy brush strokes capture the fine hair of childhood in "Donny." As light and shadow play on his face, a lifelike expression of curiosity reveals nothing escapes these big brown eyes.

Although "The Way" did not receive a prize, this inspirational work captures a mood as Henry portrays somewhat of a yellow brick road to a rainbow sky and hot white sun on the horizon. Lyrical stick trees add rhythm, motion and a sense of peacefulness to the scene.

"It's one of the first things I've tried from my mind," Henry said. "It's sort of a religious piece. It came as an inspiration to me."

Henry worked 21 years in the art department of Campbell-Ewald in Detroit. Design skills and color sense carry over into her art today.

She started painting with oils in the 1950s. Her work has been exhibited in one-woman shows at Livonia City Hall, Farmington Community Library and the Scarab Club in Detroit.

Third-place honors went to Marlene Zazoulinsky of Farmington for an untitled acrylic painting. Impressionistic brush strokes color this garden scene primarily in tints of green and blue.

Honorable mentions went to: Shirley Ceasar for a watercolor, "Fish Town"; Jackie Daniel, oil, "The Ballerinas"; Sofia Taj, watercolor, "Deusenberg 1931"; Callie Thomson, collage, "Waiting for Tea"; Marie Tuthill, watercolor, "The Old House"; Joan Welsh, watercolor, "Tea Time," and mixed media, "Emergence."

Founded in 1954, the Palette Guild numbers around 60 members. Members meet at noon the fourth Monday of the month in the Livonia Civic Center Library, Farmington Road and Five Mile.

City hall lobby hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday and 7-9 p.m. April 20-21, 26-27.

Winners chosen

Award winners from Artifacts Art Club's second annual exhibition of membership artwork at Livonia City Hall have been announced:

■ People's Choice: 1st) "Anybody Down There?", Sherry Eid, Livonia; 2nd) "Wolf Head No. 1," Diane DeLuca, Dexter; 3rd) "Crowned Crane," David Messing, Livonia.

■ Artists' Award: 1st) "Water Lilies," June Weidel, Livonia; 2nd) tie, "Platter Dish," Judy Blanchard, Northville; untitled abstract, Elaine Major, Livonia.

"The versatility of the show is evident in the variety of media chosen for recognition — colored pencil, clay title, scratchboard, watercolor, pottery and watercolor collage," said Joyce Colaluca, Artifacts publicist.

Selected members juried the 60-piece exhibit in March. Three artists had sales from the show and two commissions were requested.

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REAL ESTATE NEWS

Open houses a sign of spring marketing efforts

BY GERALD FRAWLEY
STAFF WRITER

For sale signs are springing up like daisies — it must be spring.

No one has to tell that to William McCullen, regional director for Century 21 Great Lakes. Century 21 is planning what is being billed as the country's largest open house.

Open houses are a vital part of the real estate business because they get people who were previously only thinking of buying a home into action, he said.

"It welcomes people into homes and makes it convenient."

At least 500 homes in the seven-county metropolitan region are scheduled for open houses on April 24 and 25. More than 10,000 homes will be part of Century 21's nationwide open house.

Valuable tool

Michael Bartlett, vice president sales management at Real Estate One, said his company is planning its first spring open house promotional April 25.

"We have open houses every weekend — and this isn't our first open house promotional of the year," he said, "but this is are first spring effort."

Open houses are a particularly valuable tool in the spring because that is when people are out and about, Bartlett said.

The real estate industry has become increasingly more sophisticated with the use of computers, marketing studies and sales techniques, but in some ways selling a home is the same as it's always been.

"What we find is that these tools are a tremendous aid, but it all starts with people selecting an area and driving around," he said. They want to see what an area is like, who lives there, what's nearby — if they don't get an initial good impression, all the tools in the world won't help sell a house there.

That's why open houses are so valuable — it is the best way to get a person's attention when they're looking over an area, Bartlett said.

Realtors have many reasons for throwing open houses, McCullen of Century 21 said. "They don't necessarily think every person who walks in intends to buy that house."

Some people do buy the house they visit on an open house, but many are interested in an area and stop in at several open houses to get a feel for the area, he said. "A typical open house will generate as few as three and as many as 25 callers."

People who don't buy a home they visit are still important to the real estate agents because it gives the agent an opportunity to meet with potential buyers and perhaps discern what they may be looking for.

"Open houses are an easy no-obligation way for buyers to look around — it's very low pressure," Bartlett said of Real Estate One said. It's also an easy, low pressure way for an owner to market a home.

Perhaps some people feel uncomfortable allowing strangers to roam though their home during an open house, but if Bartlett wanted to sell a home, he'd take advantage of the marketing tool.

"It really depends on your motivation," he said. "If I were in the market and wanted to sell a home in 60 to 90 days, I would have it open as often as possible."

Open houses are one of simpler ways to increase the pool of potential buyers, he said.

Brokers and sales associates are are trained in everything from scheduling and what to look for in a preopen house walkthrough to greeting guests to working with the homeowner to prepare the house.

Homeowners are expected to do all the things that make a house inviting. A house that is clean — both inside and out — and well maintained is more likely to make an impression.

Once the house is presentable, there is another more important task for the homeowner — leave. "We ask them to gracefully bow out."

When people are looking at houses, many tend to look critically at them. The last thing the real estate associate needs at an open house is a homeowner who is angry at a potential buyers because he or she inadvertently insulted a decorating scheme, he said.

"We know it's your home, but it's also a product and people are going to look at it that way," he said. "If someone doesn't like a home, they should be able to express that honestly," he said.

Suitability of property questioned

CONDO QUERIES



ROBERT M. MEISNER

Is there an obligation upon a landlord in a commercial setting to disclose certain defects to the tenant?

In a recent California case, the tenant's store was burglarized. He sued the landlord for negligently failing to warn him that the premises could be easily broken into and that this failure to disclose caused the loss. The Court of Appeals of California held that while the landlord had no duty to protect the property of the tenant, the tenant could state a cause of action for failure to disclose information pertaining to the suitability of the premises for their intended use.

The court noted that commercial leases are typically of long duration, and potential lessees, therefore, need full information as potential purchasers. The rule set forth by the court is similar to that applied to landlords in cases of personal injury to tenants caused by latent defects of the property that are known to the landlord.

The tenant is liable for failure, intentional or not, to disclose the potential danger. This case opens a new area of potential liability for commercial landlords. The landlord may well want a lease to contain a clear statement that the landlord has made no representations or warranties other than those explicitly set forth in the lease and is relieved of any implied warranty or representation as to the condition or suitability of the premises for the tenant's proposed use.

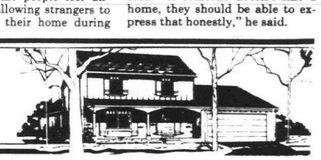
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In answer to the question, it would apear that you have recourse against the co-owner upstairs for negligence as well as the co-owner's contractor. The fact that the contractor has no insurance is unfortunate but does not relieve the contractor from liability to the extent that it caused injury to your unit through negligence.

Moreover, the association may have recourse against the co-owner or the contractor to the extent that any common elements were damaged for which the association has a responsibility. I would also double check your condominium documents with an attorney to make sure that there is not a specific provision covering this situation, which is normally the case.

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Spectacular 3,100 sq. ft. of luxurious living in Carriage Hills offering 25x19 four season room w/wet bar & jacuzzi (seats 8), New ceramic tile floors & new carpeting, family room & living room and dining room. Call today for more information.
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PLEASANT RIDGE - Open Sun. 2-5
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Beautiful 3 bedroom, 3½ bath two-story home. Living room has hardwood floors, 9 ft. ceiling, and marble fireplace. Dining room French doors to family room, Master bedroom has vaulted ceiling and fireplace. $339,900
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BLOOMFIELD HILLS -
Attractive 3 bedroom end unit, 3½ baths, newer kitchen, beautifully landscaped atrium, den off foyer leads to front deck, newer furance & security system. $239,000.
EC-H-63STR

BLOOMFIELD HILLS -
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Franklin. Lovely 3 bedroom ,brick ranch on a gorgeous lot. Library, finished basement, 2 baths, 2 fireplaces, newer roof, porch & furnace. Great buy. $152,900. Call,

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With Birmingham schools. Move right into this sharp ranch on large private lot among more expensive homes. New furnace & Pella windows & living room & dining room. Large deck off kitchen. $137,650
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Spectacular wooded 1 + acre in city of Bloomfield Hills. 4-5 bedrooms, 3½ baths, family room, den, lower level, 3 car garage. $698,000.
JULIE HERMAN
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Ralph Manuel, 647-7100

POPPLETON PARK-brick English cottage-3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, fireplace, security system, 2 car garage, $205,000 0433-1521

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Location plus magnificent home! Spectacular 1992 Mutschler kitchen with Corian countertops, Sub Zero, Jenn-Aire, ceramic. First floor master suite with luxurious marble bath, doorwall to redwood deck with hot tub, custom closets. Magnificent library with oak paneling, built-in book shelves, black granite fireplace. Lovely custom millwork throughout. Phone for further amenities and a private showing. $695,000. B-08470
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WHISPERWOOD SUB - immaculate, charming ranch, 3 bedroom, 3½ baths, finished basement. Sprinkler, alarm, intercom systems. Many built ins. $239,500. 852-6665

303 W.Bmfld. Keego Orchard Lake

BY OWNER, W. Bloomfield, large shady lot, 3 bedroom Cape Cod, summer porch, 2 baths, 1st floor laundry, lake privileges. $112,000. Consider owner financing. 360-4429

NW WEST BLOOMFIELD, By Owner 4 bedroom colonial w/library. Inside neutral & contemporary. Mint condition. Lovely lot on commons, super family sub. $169,900. 363-7166

OPEN HOUSE
FRIDAY
9-12
SUNDAY
1-4
4184 Wendell
West Bloomfield
S. of Long Lake
W. off Middlebelt

Immaculate 5 bedroom colonial, Bloomfield Hills Schools, new oak kitchen, new roof, new high efficiency furnace and air conditioner, 3 car garage, 3/4 acre lot. Priced to sell quickly. Mr. & Mrs. Clean live here.

$265,000

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S. side of Walnut Lk.,
E. of Middlebelt
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in great sub. 3/4 Bedroom, 2¼ bath brick home. Huge Great Room with woodburning fireplace, library, formal dining room, country kitchen with built-ins, professionally landscaped, finished basement, 2¼ car attached side garage. $239,900.

SPECTACULAR CONTEMPORARY
4 Bedroom, 2¼ bath home, professionally landscaped. Natural fireplace in Great Room, library, formal dining room, super kitchen, breakfast area, 2 tiered deck, 3 car attached side garage. $252,000.

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HOME NEEDS WORK
but in super great area. 3 Bedroom brick ranch on a scenic wooded lot backing to stream. Fireplace in living room, formal dining, large kitchen, Florida Room, 2 car attached garage, walkout lower level. If you're creative & ambitious, you could really make this house a palace. $164,900.

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SMASHING COLONIAL
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New baths, new kitchen.
Jacuzzi. Doorwall to patio.
Excellent! $126,900.
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FULL ACRE WITH POND
Do you want a private & secluded location? Enjoy this 4 bedroom, 3½ bath colonial with over 3000 sq. ft. on 1 full acre with pond (fish, swim, picnic). Walk out basement, huge rooms & breathtaking views, being offered at $248,500. Call
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w/1st floor laundry & library. Kitchen w/built-ins, mirrored doors throughout, magnificent landscaping, must see! $175,000. F-25BR-FH. Call 474-3303.
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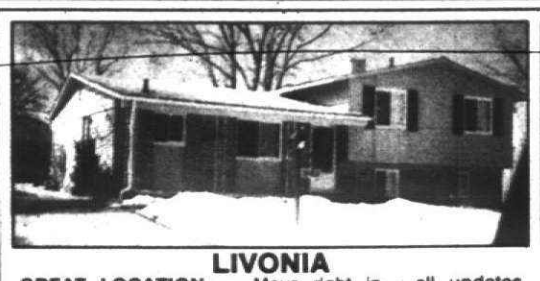
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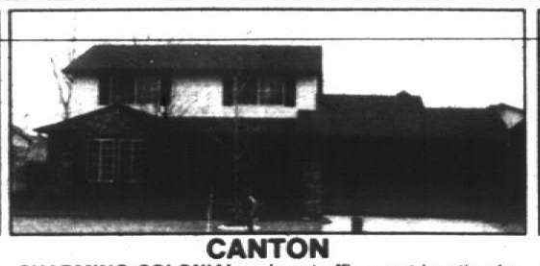
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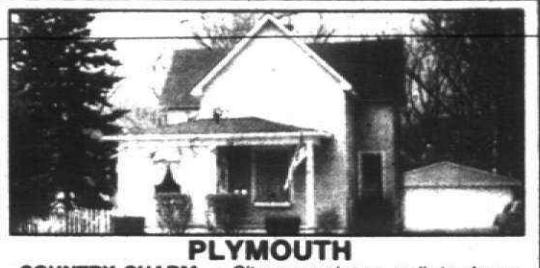
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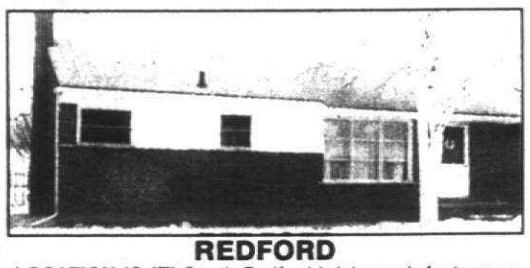
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CHARMING COLONIAL – Low traffic court location for this 4 bedroom, 2½ bath Canton Colonial with cozy family room, natural fireplace and wet bar, master bedroom suite with designer bath and formal dining room.
$127,900 23R-06484 **455-7000**



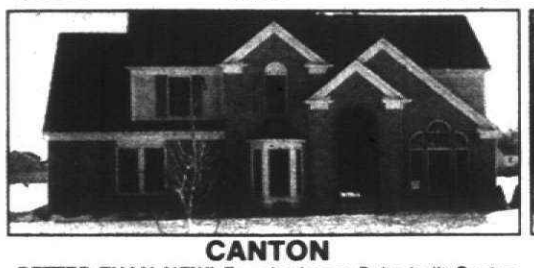
PLYMOUTH

COUNTRY CHARM – City convenience, walk to downtown. Hardwood floors, newer furnace, air conditioning, hot water heater. Some newer windows. If you like the uniqueness of older homes don't miss this.
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BETTER THAN NEW! Four bedroom Pulte built Canton Colonial, premium elevation, premium lot, Marrilat oak cabinets, classic trim package. Additional features too numerous to mention.
$269,900 23D-047891 **455-7000**



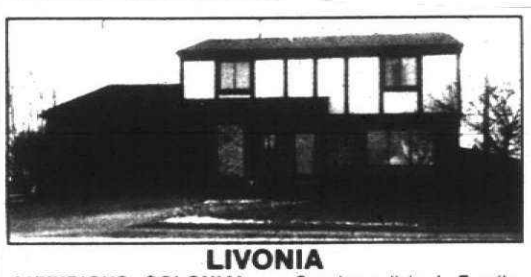
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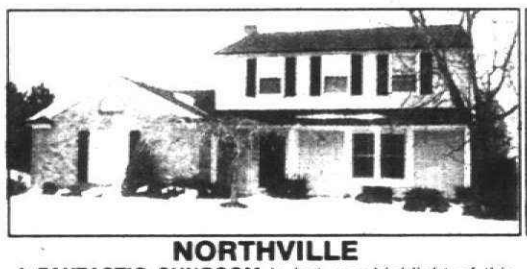
WESTLAND

NEAT, SWEET, SO COMPLETE. Condo offers 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 doorwalls, overlooking peaceful commons area. Wayne/Westland schools. Upgraded cabinets, ceramic tile, appliances and more.
$83,900 **326-2000**



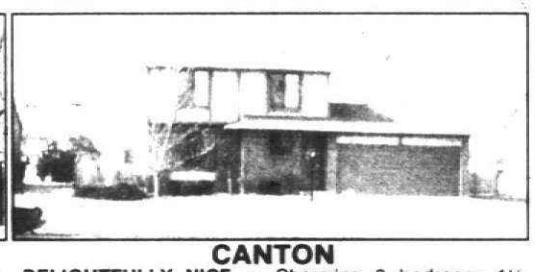
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DETACHED CONDO – Absolutely stunning. Executive builder model with extras galore! Spacious, open great room, three bedrooms, 2 full baths, master suite, first floor laundry, huge decking, 24x22 attached garage.
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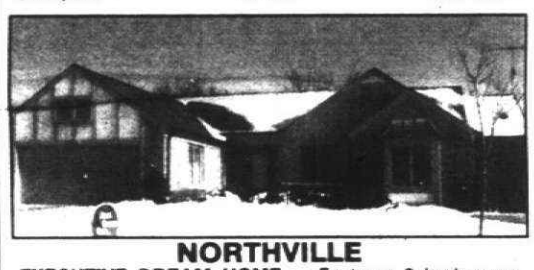
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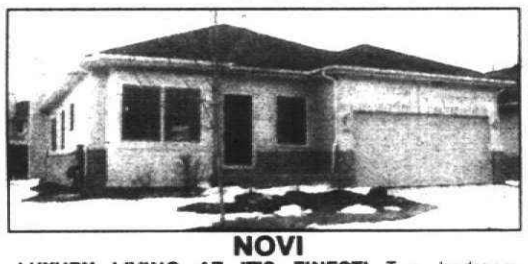
WESTLAND

TOP OF THE LINE – Built in 1989. Quality construction, upgrades throughout. Two full baths, a great room, huge basement and lot. Wood windows, oak cabinets, doorwall and deck.
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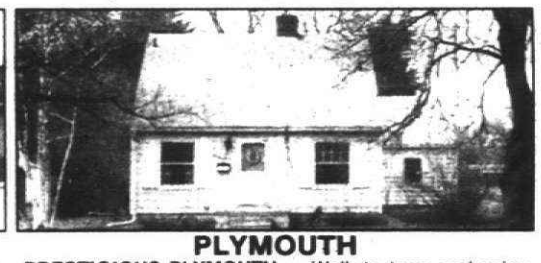
NORTHVILLE

EXECUTIVE DREAM HOME – Features 3 bedrooms, 3½ baths, great room, dining room, dining room, and library. Walkout basement provides additional 2100 sq. ft. of living space. Home reflects class and elegance!
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GARDEN CITY

COMFY AND LIVEABLE – Is this 3 bedroom aluminum bungalow. Two full baths, master suite with bath, remodeled kitchen with oak cabinets, 2 car attached garage.
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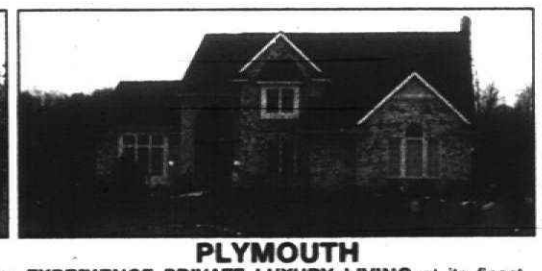
LIVONIA

GREAT LOCATION! Beautiful three bedroom, 2 full bath ranch. Newer carpeting in living room and hall. Finished basement with wet bar, great patio with privacy fence. Immaculate, move-in condition.
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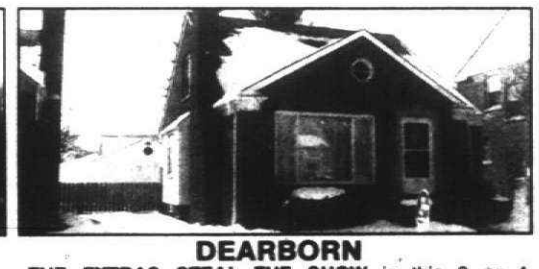
CANTON

MAKE YOUR MOVE and take advantage of these interest rates. Spacious 2 bedroom condo with fireplace and cathedral ceiling. Large kitchen with appliances and skylight. Full basement, other nice features.
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PLYMOUTH

EXPERIENCE PRIVATE LUXURY LIVING at its finest. Beautifully designed and elegantly landscaped executive home. Breathtaking panoramic views, 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths. Master bedroom on separate level.
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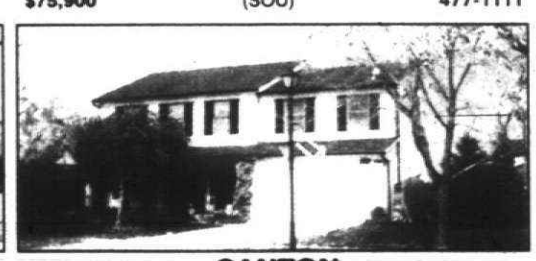
DEARBORN

THE EXTRAS STEAL THE SHOW in this 3 or 4 bedroom brick Dearborn Cape Cod. 1½ baths, rec room, brand new kitchen with oak cabinets, pantry and snack bar. Two car garage.
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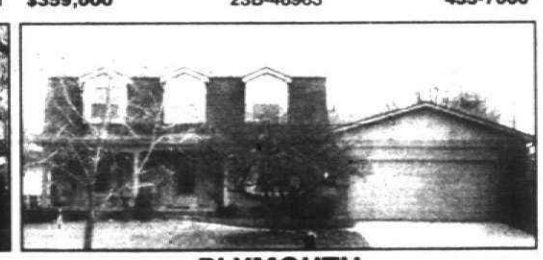
WESTLAND

AFFORDABLE RANCH – This three bedroom home is close to everything. Why rent when you can buy? Call for all the details.
$58,850 W629 **261-0700**



CANTON

"FOREST TRAILS" – Four bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial, master bedroom with walk-in closet and private bath, plus a 2nd bedroom with access to main bath! Newer premium carpets thru-out & more.
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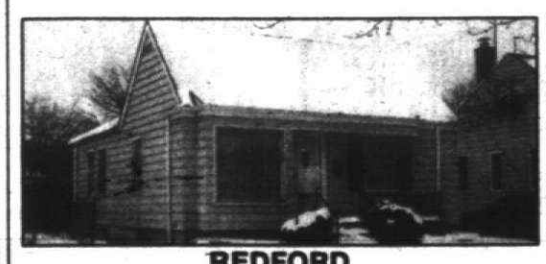
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PICTURE PERFECT! Beveled glass entry door greets guests to this gracious 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath Cape Cod with first floor laundry, office/den, breathtaking cathedral ceilinged family room.
$194,900 23C-9632 **455-7000**



WAYNE

UNBELIEVABLE! You must see this home! Too many extras to list all. Some include newer furnace, central air, new roof, kitchen floors, finished basement. Don't miss this.
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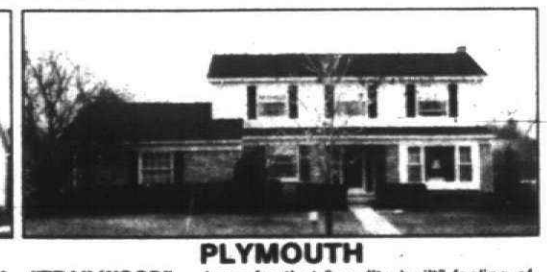
REDFORD

SHARP RANCH! Many updates on this well-kept three bedroom home. New kitchen, new carpeting, new plumbing, central air, finished basement, extra insulation, privacy fence. All for only
$60,900 K20419 **261-0700**



CANTON

SIMPLY WONDERFUL. Enjoy this no maintenance 3 bedroom, 1½ bath Canton condo. Private entry. Neutral carpeting, new vinyl windows, appliances. Super townhouse!
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PLYMOUTH

"TRAILWOOD" – Long for that "quality built"-feeling of yesterday? Hardwood floors, spacious rooms, 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, library/den and family room with fireplace. First floor laundry and side entry garage.
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JUST REDUCED on this beautiful three bedroom great room ranch with two full baths & two levs, professionally finished basement, central air & attic fan. Bath Carpet with lots of updates. Priced to sell. Call Ken Gentile 347-3000

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LIVONIA AND AREA:

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LIVONIA

Lovely brick ranch, 3 bedrooms, finished basement, fireplace, 2 car garage fireplace in rec room. $94,900

BRICK RANCH - 3 bedrooms, family room, 1½ baths, finished basement, 2 car garage. Priced right at only $89,900

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LIVONIA - 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 1725 sq.ft. quad, near elementary school, private patio, central air and more $138,000 See by appt. 462-2397

MADONNA ESTATES - 4 bedroom colonial, 2½ baths, family room, 2 car attached garage. Priced right at only $148,500. Call Ken Gentile 347-3000 or page 306-3042

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OPEN SUN. 1-4 - 20340 Floral, brand new - $86,900. 3 bedroom, 1½ baths. Basement.
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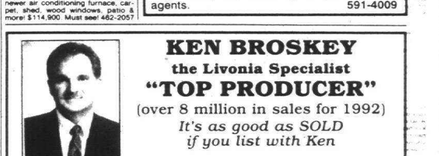
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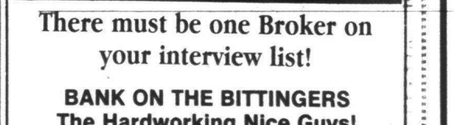


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HAPPY SUMMERS

for the whole family with this in-ground pool in mind! Beautiful fenced-in backyard! Updates in this newly and nicely decorated home include remodeled kitchen, windows, deck, and central air. Finished basement and 2 car garage $139,900.

THIS HOUSE IS DEVOTED

to everyday enjoyment. Centrally located in a friendly family oriented neighborhood this 4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial features a finished basement with its neutral decor and professionally landscaped yard. Priced a little too numerous to list. $215,000.

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and walkers delight! Livonia Schools. Certain to please is this 3 bedroom 1½ bath Colonial. Good construction and many recent items including newer roof, furnace, water heater, fixtures, and hardwood floors. Basement is beautifully finished with a cozy fireplace in family room. Priced to sell at $114,900.

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Give your kids the best and they deserve in this sharp, clean, and beautifully maintained 3 bedroom, 2 bath Colonial, with friendly neighbors, good schools, and a terrific playground area. You'll appreciate the finished basement, central air and sprinkler system. $174,900

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313 Canton

FIRST OFFERING
Transferred owners must part with this exquisite newer contemporary Colonial in desirable Sunflower Village! Impressive 2 story foyer with balcony, hallway upstairs overlooking family room & 2 bedrooms, 2½ baths, den, family room with fireplace & California style fireplace, French doors to formal dining room, 1st floor laundry, eat-in kitchen, central air, deck overlooks beautiful landscaped yard. Must See! $181,900

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CHARMING WINDSOR PARK Move-in condition, 3 bedroom colonial with 1½ baths, finished basement, & more. Totally updated since 1988. $131,900. 455-7023

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314 Plymouth

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317 Redford

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13612 Mercedes
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Gorman

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NTH specializes in geotechnical and environmental engineering and building technology services.

Property management

Axiom Real Estate Management is the newly formed joint venture of Grubb & Ellis and IBM in which Axiom is providing property and facilities management for IBM.

Axiom has inherited the former Grubb & Ellis national property management division and its network of offices in 26 markets across the country. IBM turned over 17 million square feet of its space to the new venture. The resulting 90 million square feet Axiom now manages makes it one of the largest property managers in the country.

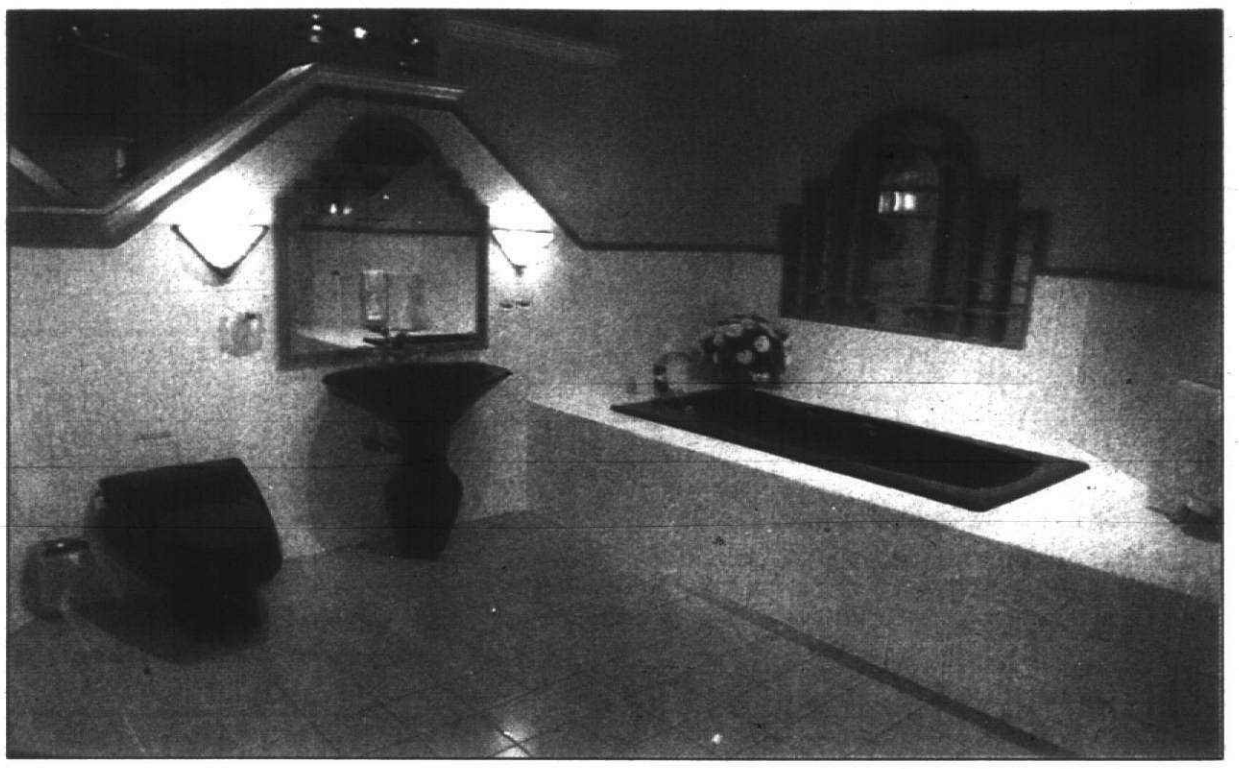
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Information for inclusion in this column should be sent to Marilyn Fitchett, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

Bathrooms polish old, stodgy image

■ Once the hidden room, the bathroom is making its own fashion statement.

BY DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER


STEPHEN CANTRELL/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Choices: *Consumers have all kinds of choices, like this modern pedestal sink/toilet combination, when it comes to selecting style and color of bathroom fixtures. Showrooms like Classic Baths in Birmingham serve remodelers as well as builders of new residences.*

What is perhaps the most private room in the house is taking on a new dimension.

"The bathroom is not just a place to go and take care of business," said Bob O'Brien, general manager of Kurtis Kitchen & Bath Center in Livonia.

"They are now the heartbeat of the house," said Mary Ellen Vigna, showroom manager of Classic Baths in Birmingham. "You have a lot of two-income families who want something luxurious to relax in.

"One woman came in and said, 'My husband likes to sit in the tub and he has a telephone, TV and stero right there.'

"Bathrooms aren't hidden in homes," Vigna added. "Whirlpools look out over a window and onto a wooded lot."

"People want a separate shower, a stall shower, and a whirlpool tub," said Ellen Whitefield, marketing director for the Selective Group of Farmington Hills.

"When we do that, we try for a dramatic window around the tub," she said. "Sometimes, we'll do a window that's half round on top. Sometimes it will be decorative.

"If it (bath) is upstairs, we're in good shape. If it's downstairs, we'll do something with glass blocks where you can't see in or out but you can get light," Whitefield said.

"Whether people use them (whirlpools) or not, they want them in the house," said Joyce MacLeish, a decorating specialist and vice president of a custom building company in Troy.

"Deck tubs are absolutely a must, a flat surface surrounding on at least two sides where you can set plants or towels," she said.

Sherry Wheeler, a Jacuzzi consultant for a plumbing supply company, has seen tremendous growth in whirlpool tub sales in recent years.

"Six years ago, we sold 451. Last year, it was 2,038," she said. "On almost anything over 1,200 square feet, it's mandatory."

John Bollan Jr., a Troy builder, doesn't necessarily find that to be the case, though, in his $159,000 to $190,000 price range.

"I kind of think my buyers find things more important to them . . upgraded windows, cabinet types, flooring, carpeting," he said.

Whirlpool prices vary according to size, material, jet stream and heating capacity. Wheeler's most popular standard model is six feet long, three feet wide and 20 inches deep lists for about $1,800.

But whirlpools aren't eyed only by buyers of new homes.

"A third of people coming by here ask about replacing an existing tub," Wheeler said at the recent International Builders Home, Flower and Furniture Show. "They don't want to knock out a wall, but they ask about what's available."

A five-foot whirlpool lists for as low as $600. Some rewiring may be needed to install a whirlpool in an older house.

Saftey concerns

"Another thing becoming very big in the '90s for bathrooms is safety," Vigna said. "People want grab bars and higher toilets."

That only makes sense, she added, when you consider concerns about getting in and out of a higher tub and the increased possibility of straining muscles and the onset of arthritis with aging.

"The biggest population is over 50, isn't it?" Vigna said.

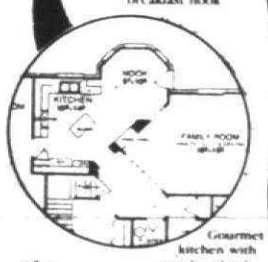
There are all kinds of available sink basin styles. "China holds up better," she said. I think the finish will stay on longer."

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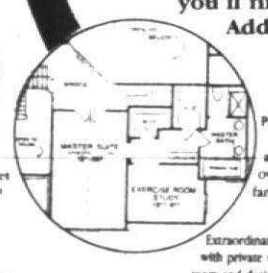
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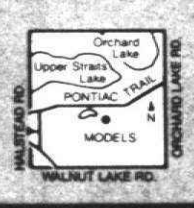
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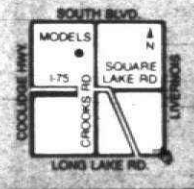


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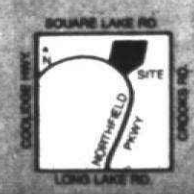


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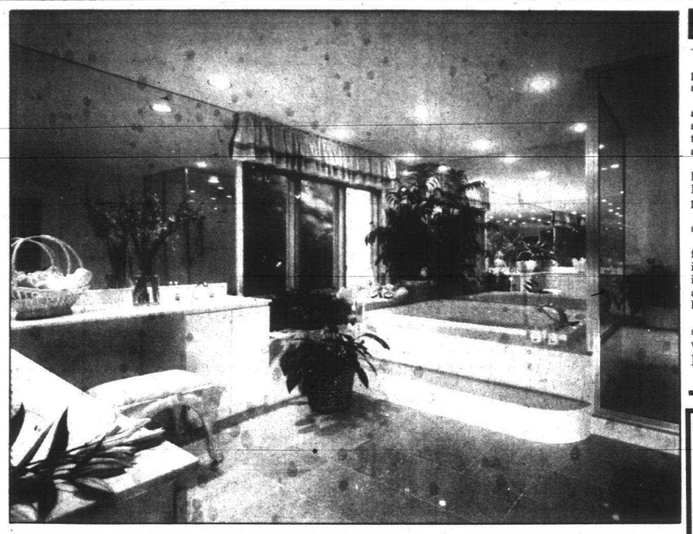
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Luxury bath: *Some homeowners prefer to relax in the lap of luxury. This master suite, built by Holtzman & Silverman in the Franklin Ravines Subdivision in Bloomfield Township, features a step-up tub, separate shower, double vanity, mirrors and recessed lighting.*

Bathrooms *from page 1F*

"Faucets are probably the hardest thing for people to pick out," Vigna added. "There are so many choices."

Other popular bath amenities people are asking for include electric towel warmers starting at about $300 and towel racking systems that can be customized to an individual's tastes.

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Buyers look for large mirrors and counter space in bathrooms, Bollan concurred.

"Two separate vanities are very important for most people," said Janet Compo, a Farmington Hills builder. Other popular amenities include "walk-in closets for him and her and a dressing area intricately confected with the bath," she added.

"I don't think people are saying, 'I want to spend a lot of money,' " Vigna said. "They want value, something that's going to last."

Practical considerations

"Whatever space people are getting at whatever price, they're looking at how functional a room can be," Whitefield said. "They want to build in a linen closet, tuck in a medicine cabinet wherever they can. They like two sinks.

"People are looking for some perk," she said. "We have a wall-hung vanity with a light underneath for some drama. It may be some special treatment for a countertop, marble or granite."

"Budget definitely dictates a lot of this," Compo said. "Bathrooms are the most expensive rooms. There's a lot of plumbing and electrical connections."

Electronic zoning available for homes

Some people aren't as cool as others. The opposite is true, too: One person might be hot, while another reaches for a sweater.

Building Ideas magazine says it's rare when everyone in a household agrees on the optimal air temperature. Many people even like to vary temperatures from room to room. Unfortunately, most homes have a single thermostat to control the heating and cooling for the entire house.

What to do? Install electronic zoning, an advanced heating and cooling system allowing independent control of temperatures in each room or group of rooms. Though the concept has been used in commercial buildings for many years, affordable equipment (usually about $2,000 more than standard equipment) for homeowners has only recently reached the market.

The idea is simple. A thermostat or temperature sensor is installed in each zone, along with motorized dampers in the air ducts serving these zones. Activated by the thermostat, a duct's dampers open to allow heated or cooled air into a zone. When the temperature reaches a preset level, the dampers close. Each zone can be temperature tailored to fit you.

These systems are a practical solution in homes of more than 3,500 square feet, where maximum comfort has often required installation of two heaters and two air conditioners.

A typical two-story house might have four zones: the living room and dining room; kitchen and family room; upstairs master bedroom suite and additional upstairs bedrooms.

Though electronic zoning is usually installed in new construction, it can be fitted to an existing house. Cost will be determined by how difficult it is for installers to gain access to a home's duct system.

Electronic zoning made such economic sense to Tom Gabrilson, owner of Gabrilson Heating and Air Conditioning Co. in Davenport, Iowa, he installed it in his own home. "You wouldn't buy a house with one light switch, so why buy a house with one thermostat?" he says.

Effective zoning can save as much as 30 percent in fuel costs by heating or cooling only those zones that need it.

Some utility companies offer rebates for installing a zoning system.

More efficient use means longer life for heating, ventilating and air conditioning equipment.

Larger homes may not require expensive tandem furnaces and air conditioners.

Thermostats can be programmed to cool or heat at those times of the day when rooms are generally occupied.

Some systems are so sophisticated, they will draw solar-heated air from one side of the house to the other without turning on the home's furnace.

Refinancing makes up bulk of mortgages

AP — The lowest interest rates in 20 years are spurring the highest volume of mortgage refinancings ever, a banking trade group said Thursday.

The Mortgage Bankers Association of America said its weekly surveys showed that refinancing activity, which has been on the rise for three months, reached a record during the week ended March 12.

At that time, the association's refinancing index stood at 1523.1, surpassing the previous high of 1428.4 set during the week of Jan. 17, 1992.

Refinancing means trading in existing mortgages with high interest rates for new loans with lower rates. That usually translates into lower monthly payments for homeowners.

Warren Lasko, association executive vice president, said refinancings saved homeowners $16 billion last year.

"We are projecting similar savings this year and this increase in spendable income should give a significant boost to our recovering economy," he said.

Refinancing activity has not been limited to homeowners. Businessmen and corporate leaders have been taking advantage of the low rates to cut interest costs.

The Mortgage Bankers survey found that refinancing activity represented 62.1 percent of all mortgage applications during the latest reporting week. That was 3.4 percentage point higher than the previous week.

The remaining 37.9 percent of applications were for new mortgages to purchase homes.

Overall, applications totaled $4.1 billion during the week ended March 12, a 10.5 percent increase over the previous week and 112.9 percent above the comparable week a year ago.

In addition to making more money available to homeowners, the lower interest rates also have cut the mortgage delinquency rate, according to the Mortgage Bankers.

They reported last week that the delinquency rate had fallen to 4.24 percent during the final three months of 1992, down from 4.60 percent during the July-September quarter and the lowest in 18 years.

"The outlook for continuing improvement in delinquency rates is excellent," association President Herbert B. Tasker told a news conference.

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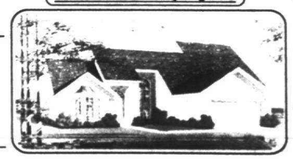
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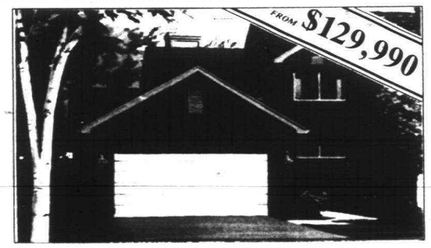
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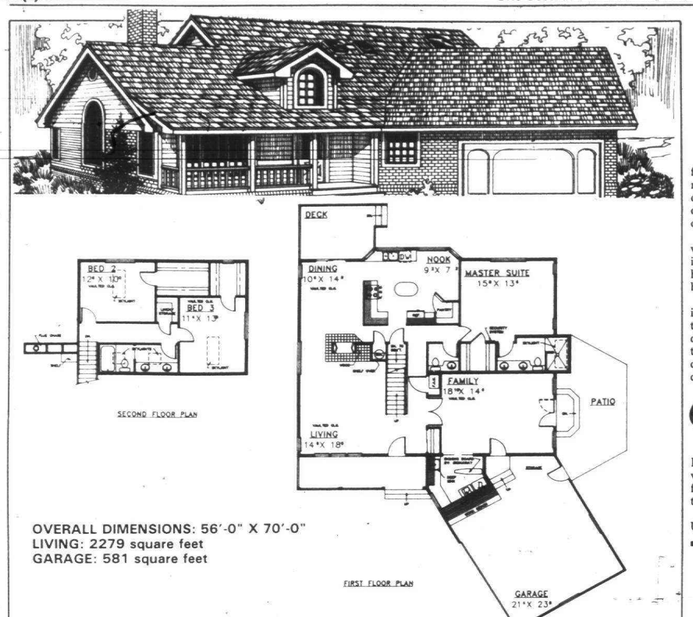
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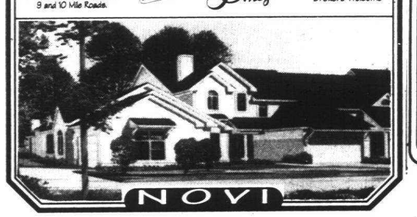
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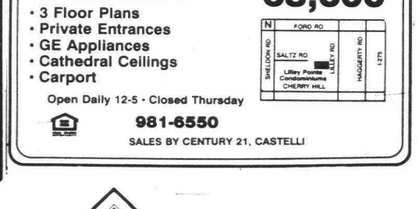
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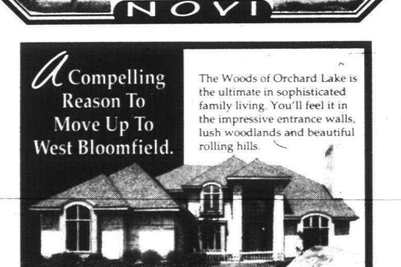
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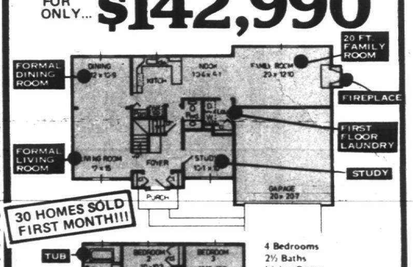
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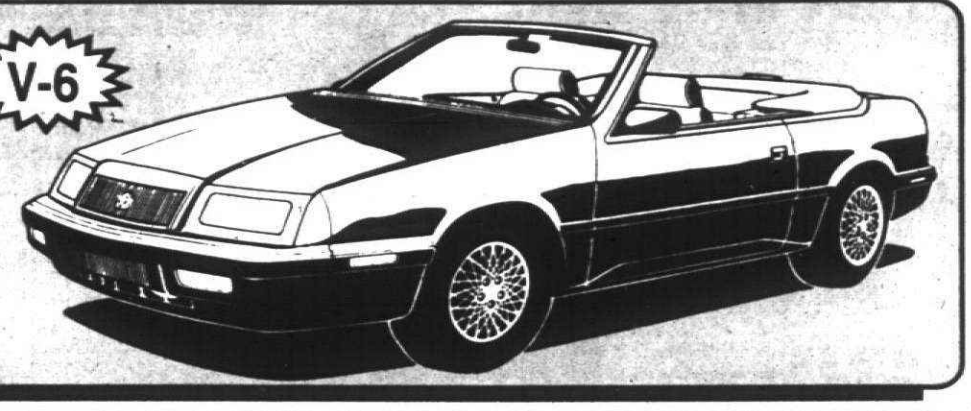
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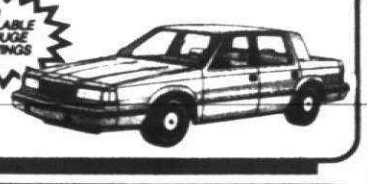
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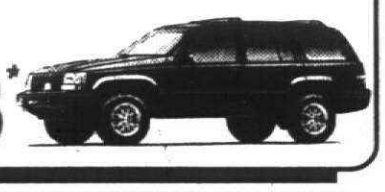
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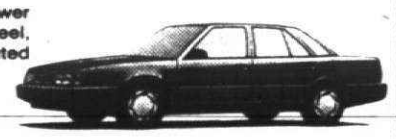


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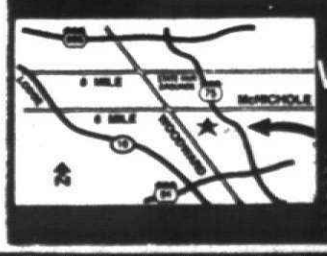
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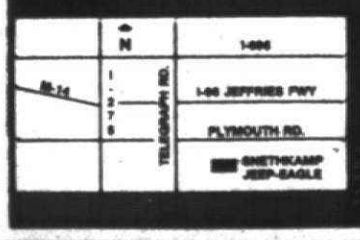
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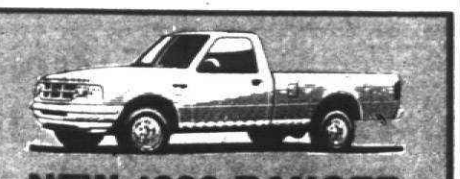
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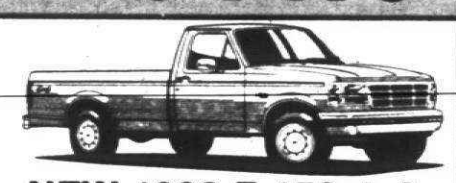
NEW 1993 RANGER 4x2 XL/108"
Stock #11668
Was $8781 IS $7473*



NEW 1993 RANGER 4x2 SUPER CAB XLT
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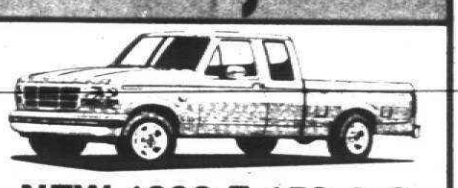
NEW 1993 RANGER 4x4 XLT/114"
Stock #12150
Was $17,400 IS $14,094*



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Stock #11529
Was $11,618 IS $10,024*



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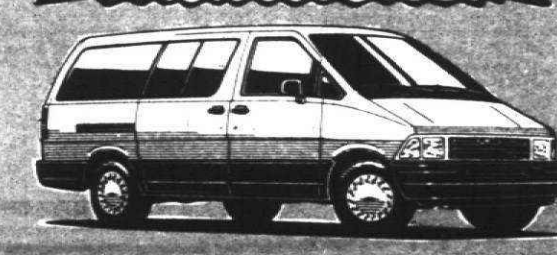
NEW 1993 Aerostar XL Plus Wagon
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Stock #10412
Was $19,531 IS $14,416*

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Stock #12930.
Was $24,513 IS $20,963*

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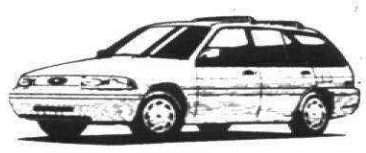


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Was $20,264 IS $15,818*

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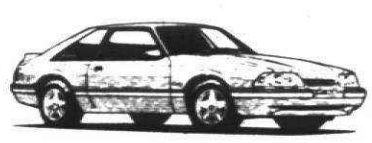
NEW 1993 TEMPO GL 2 DOOR SEDAN
Stock #11707
Was $12,042
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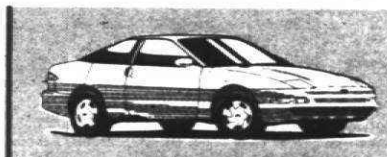
NEW 1993 ESCORT LX 4 DOOR WAGON
Stock #12853
Was $12,654
IS $9252*



NEW 1993 ESCORT GT 3 DOOR
Stock #12679
Was $13,544
IS $10,694*



NEW 1993 MUSTANG LX 2 DOOR HATCHBACK
Stock #12587
Was $14,928
IS $11,520*



NEW 1993 PROBE 3 DOOR
Stock #12382
Was $15,633
IS $12,441*



NEW 1993 THUNDERBIRD LX
Stock #11450
Was$17,030
IS $14,371*



NEW 1993 TAURUS GL 4 DOOR SEDAN
Stock #12567
Was $17,965
IS $14,401*



NEW 1993 PROBE GT 3 DOOR
Stock #10826
Was $18,222
IS $15,675*

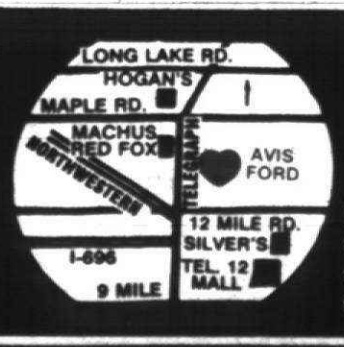


NEW 1993 MUSTANG GT CONVERTIBLE
Stock #12091
Was $23,076
IS $19,221*



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DINING ROOM SET-JUNIOR 7 piece, light oak, $75. and Light oak bunk & chair $40. 356-2931

DINING SET - contemporary, oval, 54" table, seats 8 cream upholstered chairs. $1,000/best. Excellent condition. 477-1582

DRESZEL, 8-piece sectional sofa, beig, $300 Cabinet bathroom sink w/faucets, $100. 855-1743

ESTATE SALE
FRIDAY & SATRDAY
APRIL 16-17 10-6
DISTINCTIVE FURNITURE IMPORTED DIRECTLY FROM ENGLAND
1930, 1940 & 1950's
WALNUT BEDROOM Suite, includes double chest/vanity/night stand & dressing table.
BIRDSEYE MAPLE bedroom suite includes double bed, double wardrobe, single wardrobe & vanity.
OAK WARDROBE & dressing table.
DISPLAY CABINET with built in desk.
OTHER PIECES of furniture include armoires, sideboards, display cabinet, chest of drawers, hall wardrobes, Welsh cupboard etc.
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- CONDUCTED BY -
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FARMINGTON - Sat. only 10-4 Grand N. Manor Dr., Apt. #704 Queen sofa bed, end tables, mirrowave & kitchen misc.

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DRESZEL bedroom set, king headboard, triple dresser with mirror, highboy, 2 nightstands. 2 Onyx Lamps 642-0247

ENTERTAINMENT CENTER, black laminate, natural ash trim, drawers, shelves, doors. $400. 642-1783

ESTATE SALE - April 15,16,17 1-6pm. Household of furniture & appliances, etc. 18262 Wismer, W. of Telegraph, S. of Grand River

ESTATE SALE BY DEBBIE
Thurs. Fri. & Sat. 10-3
7462 Coolidge, Centerline, MI 1 mile S. of 696 & VanDyke, 2 blocks S. of 10 mile. (off) VanDyke.

Featuring mahogany walnut, tons of oak, misc., over 50 pieces of antique furniture circa 1860-1920's also 30's & 40's, victorian sofa & chair, Dresser, mahogany, Duncan Phyfe dining set, upright/ mophone/ secretary, mahogany Sheraton Williamsport bedroom suite, 1890 4 poster brass bed, victorian marble top dresser, Southfield 355-5552, 4-16, 4-17 & 18, 9:00-3:00.

Dinette Set. Beautiful white-washed, round pedestal, top table, 4 upholstery. Perfect. $79-2144

DESIGNERS MOVING SALE
Contemporary & antiques. Armoire, deco mahogany table, modern sofa, coffee tables, chairs, lighting, accessories, and other quality household goods etc. 25680 12 Mile Rd., #201, Farmington Hills. Southfield 355-5552, 4-16, 4-17 & 18, 9:00-3:00.

DINING marble custom table - 80x42, perfect. $2000. RCA 27 in. console remote TV. $200 Acrosonic, spinet piano. $400

ESTATE SALE - Oriental rugs, all sizes, antique glassware, clocks, pictures, misc. Double & twin Jenny Lind-style beds, washstands, gateleg drop-leaf table, chairs. 788-3510

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ONE OF THE AREA'S LARGEST SHOWROOMS.
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FOUR piece living set, exc. condition. Includes couch, chair, end/coffee tables, brown. $300 355-5973

FURNITURE - Couch, Berkshire lounge, kitchen table & chairs, more. Also refrigerator. 478-7756

GIRL'S dresser & nite stand - $95 Sears wood/mirror dresser bed, 6 drawer pedestal, $225. 477-6206

HOUSEHOLD SALES CONDUCTED BY
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A HUGE ESTATE SALE
The
Clearance Center
Fri. Sat. Sun. Apr. 16 17 18, 10-4
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15 estates sales at one location!
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ESTATE SALE
6166 Wellesley
West Bloomfield
(N. Off Maple, W. of Middlebelt)
SAT. April 17, 10-4pm
SUN. April 18, 12-4pm
Traditional and contemporary contents. Beautiful Chippendale crown glass breakfront by Metz, walnut drapeleaf table, 4 Chippendale chairs, Henredon sofa and loveseat, Baker table, walnut contemporary bedroom credenza, Rosenthal dinnerware, Royal Doulton figurines, old glassware, Nipon, Hisey, china, flowers, lots of german steins, holland items, nautical items, kitchen items, etc. Wurlitzer organ, model 4000. Color TV's, records, linens, comforters, cedar chest freezer, etc. Garage items. wagon wheels, Sears lawn mower. Too much to list.
House has not been cleaned for yrs! House is also for sale
DEBBIE 538-2939

ESTATE SALE - Quality items! 2 couches, twin beds, lamps, end tables, rockers, living room chairs, pictures, dishes, cuisinart. Sat. 9am-5pm. Adams Woods, 1400 Bramblewood, just off I-75 at Adams, turn at Timberview Trail, left at Brambleknoll Court. 299-5648

ETHAN ALLEN Dining set. Table w/ 2 leaves, 4 side chairs, 2 end chairs, breakfront & china cabinet. $1,500. Days 868-0544; after 6pm 752-6643

FLORAL couch & loveseat, lazy boy chair, $250. Miscellaneous wall decorations. Curio cabinet. $50.

FRENCH PROVENCIAL furniture, excellent condition. Coffee table, 2 end tables w/ marble tops, 2 figurine lamps, 3-cushion sofa, wingback chair. All handcarved 661-6335

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HOUSEHOLD SALE
The following contents of the home of Mr. & Mrs. Fred Gravage are being offered for sale. This priced sale of quality items in excellent condition includes: Vineyard Restaurant dining room suite, 10 piece slate bedroom suite! Beautiful Duncan Phyfe walnut, dining room table, Baker table, walnut contemporary bedroom credenza, Rosenthal dinnerware! Beautiful rattan kitchen set! 2 person 9ft.x8ft. Jet Wave paddle boat! Fireplace tools! Books! "Baby Ruth Dies" newspaper! Lamps, Dempsey & Margaret Truman autographs! Golf clubs! Wicker plant stands! Christmas items! Fishing equipment! World globe! Padded patio seat! Manicure pool & ping pong tables! Costume jewelry! Marilyn Monroe tin tray-golden dreams model! Sewing machine! Electric fishing motor! Childs rocker! Various games! & much more!
5600 Wing Lake Rd.
Corner Lahser Dr. W. of Telegraph, & S. of Quarton, Bloomfield Hills.
April 17-18, 10am-4pm
Numbers at 9am.
Conducted by:
Richard Paul Associates, 644-2860

MOVING SALE - Lots of misc. & everything. 2315 N. Fairview, Rochester Hills (Crooks & Hamlin) Fri.-Sun., 9am-6pm

MOVING SALE - Antiques, clothing, toys, furniture, primitives, furniture, 9th-Sat. 9-5. 21166 Seminole,Southfield, E. of Inkster, off Shiawassee

MOVING SALE-5 piece bedroom set, queen size, $250. Kenmore washer/dryer, $150 each. Whirlpool washer & electric dryer $400 each. 6582762

NEW LIVING ROOM COUCH - Green. Black lacquer and tables & lamps to match. Gold tea cart. Very good condition. 559-8614

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MAGNIFICENT Quality queen mattress set, beautiful, very comfortable! Must sell, new, $800 (retail $670). Also, beautiful queen brass bed & footboard w/heavy duty frame, new $245. After 5, 391-3340

5 PIECE solid cherry bedroom suite, $1,500/best. 363-7536

SECTIONAL family room sofa, 3 chairs, 2 end tables, $365. 313-477-3194

Queen headboard & platform with lights, white formica. $200. Grey twin platform, $125 644-9611

RED STEEL Frame twin full bunk bed with mattress, $350. Call after 4pm 852-8315

SECTIONAL 3 piece; dining & bedroom sets; rollaway; dishes; wing, back; chairs, etc. 334-7047

SOFA, blues & mauves. Swivel rocker, blue, Chest, white. County cupboard. 2 swivel stools. End table. 348-0109

SOLID CHERRY drop/leaf dining table w/cushion pads, $425; accu-cutwork tablecloth, 12 dinner napkins to fit, $150; solid mahogany oval drop/leaf dining table, 2 leaves, 42" wide, seats 8, $350. Cane back dresser, mirrored dresser oak, $150 547-5597

THOMASVILLE BEDROOM set, antique lamp, sewing machine, much, new sleeping bag. 851-7386

TWIN bedroom set, light walnut includes dresser, mirror, chest & nightstand. Bloomfield Hills. Call after 5:30 647-3231

TWO GIRLS Schwinn: Lil Chix 20" bikes, pink & purple; Little Tikes cottage & kitchen set. 473-0571

WANT TO BUY: leather sofa, chair, ottoman, prefer green or beige/excellent condition 851-7386

WATERBED/QUEEN:, 6 drawers headboard, waveless, $375/best 540-7591

WOODARD BREAKFAST TABLE. Leaf pattern, glass top, 32x80 w/pad, 6 chairs, white, $550. 540-7591, no answer leave message

WEST BLOOMFIELD Moving Sale by M & M SALES - Refrigerator, microwave, pots & pans, dishes, small appliances, washer & dryer, desk, lamps & paintings, glassware, designer clothing, humidifier & much misc. Thurs, Fri & Sat., April 15, 16 & 17th, 9-5pm. 5505 Castleton, North of 14 Mile, between Northwestern Hwy. & Middlebelt

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TWO LOVESEATS & chair, 6 months old, 477-7389; 477-2827

WATERBED, sans wave/mirror, queen, oak, 3 yrs. old, with drawers, 3 sets of sheets. $200. 477-8666

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ANTIQUE DINING SET - 9 piece walnut, $1,250. Old oak cupboard, refinished, $225. Walnut china cabinet, $75. 421-2541

BED-queen, cherry headboard, stained glass & box springs, comforter & canopy, $400. 459-7086

BEDROOM set, queen size, white washed oak, rattan look, 7 drawer dresser. 5 drawer chest, 2 nightstands. $650/ 2 bar stools, wicker look, pecan finish. $540. 347-1763

BEDROOM SET - Solid pine, excellent condition. $550. Single bed, $150 & $50. After 7pm, 522-3464

CERTCO ESTATE SALE
7303 W. Fourteen Mile, Westland
1 block W. of Middlebelt,
N. off Warren.
Sat. 10am-4pm, Sun. 11am-3pm
ENTIRE CONTENTS: matching sofa & chair, console color TV., 1930's bedroom set & dining room set, washer & dryer, stove & frig, Maytag refrigerator, old kitchen cupboard, maple dinette set, china, misc. housewares.
Richard Stempniewicz 522-1736

DINETTE or kitchen table. Formica, white shape, 6 chairs, in good condition. $125 522-0137

DINETTE, set, table & 4, padded chairs. $100 730-0921

DINING ROOM table, 4 chairs, china, hutch/curio finish. $600/offer. Call after 5pm 420-0363

FINE CHINA, chandelier-prisms, ceiling fixtures, gold floor lamp, black slate coffee table. 881-4772

FREEZER, Coldspot, 22 cu. ft., 10,000 BTU air conditioner, queen bedroom suite, Grandpa Fischer woodburner, maytag table. 421-2464

KING SIZE - 4 piece bedroom set. Also full size bed. Walnut bookcase headboards. $300/best. 562-0058

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CARPET
Nice, 1 family home is covered throughout yards of top quality
Stainmaster II - Warry Free & 100% nylon carpet. I will carpet your living room and hall in a great new 100% nylon carpet, plus pad, installed for $289. Price includes carpet, pad & installation. Call 699-1449 or 261-3934. Add 9 bedrooms-save even more, $699, special sale 75 sq. yds. 471-2803

CONTEMPORARY brass & glass 5 piece group, 2 etageres, coffee table, end table, sofa table. $700. Canton 459-9611

ENTERTAINMENT CENTER - Aromatic style, solid oak, $400. Desk, oak finish, $75. Octagon oak & formica table, $100. 981-0262

LIVONIA - garage & moving sale, Fri. Sat. & Sun. 8am-5pm, furniture & misc. items. 29620 Wentworth.

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ESTATE SALE - Fri., Sat. Sun. 10-5:30pm. Living room, dining room, bedroom, kitchen, appliances, everything goes. Brand new windows! 2 boiler, 4490 West Outer Drive, E. of Inkster.

GAS STOVE: TAPPAN. Avocado matches. Frost-free refrigerator 14 cu. ft. Frostless. Copper. Good for 2nd fridge. $50 firm. Call, 313-421-1986

HONDA-348000 Lymouth, corner of Levan, N. of Schoolcraft. Baby items, etc. Fri. April 16th, 9-4.

MISC. - Living room furniture, plus curio cabinet & sofa bed. Sunday, 12-5. 261-3334

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NEW Simmons curved sectional w/ recliner & recliner. Paid $1000. Won't fit, make offer 953-9525

QUEEN ANNE - solid oak, coffee table & matching drop leaf end-table. $130 each or best. 730-8674

SAT. & SUN. 9-4 - 4-family sale, misc. items. 434 Elm, Canton, Royal Holliday Mobile Home Park.

2 LARGE living room chairs, off white, cherrywood trimmed, new $150 each. 278-1449 or 562-3686

WATERBED - super size, excellent condition, $150 or best offer. 522-5074

WHITE FRENCH PROVINCIAL bedroom suite, 2 twin beds & dresser, excellent condition, $400. Swivel/rocking pool, 4'x 7'x 18 ft., excellent condition, $425. 356-1375

710 Misc. For Sale Oakland County

BAND SAW - Delta, Rockwell 6 in. jointer - 2 pieces 548-9600

BOOKS
Trory Library Used Book Store, lower level. Open every Fri., 10-1pm.
Sat. April 17, 10am-3pm.

DOORWALL, Avon, 10', new, best offer. Lawn mowers (6), non-working. 544-9445

KING SIZE mattress & box springs. Gray formica lamp table, combination commercial air conditioning/heating unit.

MOVING Sale-bedroom sets, freezer, sofas, dinette set, mattress, kitchen cabinets, desk etc. 474-0966

OIL PAINTING of cat & small girl, 26 x 24, value $200; will sell for $75. 569-8633 647-8213

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BEAUTY SALON equipment for sale. Dryers & stations priced right. more. 425-7236

CHINA, Manhattan by Gorham, 10 piece settings, more. $400. Jeff days 337-1098, eves 416-9850

7 RAINBOW woodburning stove, insert, built-in dishwasher & misc. 937-1780

GOLF CARS, all reconditioned, some painted, & new (never used) to 20 ft. landscaping trailer. Two down gates. 313-453-2060

JUKEBOX, good working condition, with 45's & 800 or best offer. Also sleeper sofa $65. 722-0275

Liquidation Sale
Name Brand Mattresses
Sold Secondhand Or In Sets
All Sizes From $69.95
CALL LIQUIDATION PLUS
Livonia, 427-6650
Taylor, 291-3603
Garden City, 427-6717

NORITAKE CHINA - Mayfield pattern, gold hand painted, 12 piece place settings, service for 12 + serving pieces. $2500. 433-7833

OLDER CRAFTSMAN woodshop machinery plus workbench & many extras. Call 478-4429

POOL TABLE 8' all accessories, excellent condition $250 Table saw, 10" craftsman, new motor, good condition, $200 981-8172

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OUTDOOR FURNITURE - top of the line Brown Jordan. 12 piece set. Best offer. 626-7377

SEVEN piece swingset, approximately 14 years old. Very good condition, $50. 456-4066

SWING SET - Flexible 10' top of swings, glider, slide, U bar, 4 seat lawn swing - $90 433-1367

TOOL SALE!
1000's of Items
Brwn Middlebelt & Orchard Lk. Rd.

TRAILER - professional set-up, 1 door, 6x4x4, like new $1,000. 313-380-1591

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APRIL SPRING SALE
CLOSE OUT SPECIALS
UP TO 50% OFF
ALSO RECONDITIONED BIKES
& FITNESS EQUIPMENT
LIVONIA SCHWINN
BIKE & FITNESS CENTER
28860 W. 7 Mile 476-1818

714 Business & Office Equipment

AT&T 4 SET "SPIRIT"
PHONE SYSTEM COMPLETE
Asking $900.00
J. Wells at: 358-0060

COMPLETE EXECUTIVE OFFICE for sale. 6x6 credenza, 2 bookcases, 3 file storage cabinets $800 firm. 313-661-1025

DISPLAY CASES - (doughnuts.) $500 - $900 525-9011

KELVINATOR 16 dlp ice cream freezer, w/prep table-cooler many extras, mint condition. $1,500 or best. Ask for Ron:855-9688, 825-5200

Large handsome doctor's desk w/ file drawer. $200 774-7083

MOVING SALE. Modular Steelcase, 8 stations, 5 years old, power panels, great condition, tan value/ crystal blue, 10 Steelcase chairs, set $23,000, asking $4800 932-5300

SELLING NEW Beauty & Barber Equipment at Liquidation Prices! Easy financing. Low finance charges. 348-2305

6 FOOT formica wrapping counter, metal & glass display units. $650 firm. 348-2241

ELECTRIC WHEELCHAIR - Less than 1 year old $900 427-0282

EVERYTHING LISTED IS NEW and 50% below dealer cost. Wheelchair, patient lifter, scooter, walker & portable oxygen system. 380-1591

LIFT-SEAT CHAIR. $250 & contour lounge chair. Like new. Bloomfield Hills. After 5:30pm 647-3231

NEW BATTERY POWERED scooter can be equipped for 2nd rider. Lowest price, guaranteed. 313-380-1591

NEW HOSPITAL BED with mattress, automatic, $1,000/best. 7 function machine, $500/best. 851-8650

WHEEL CHAIR - 22" GENDREN, excellent condition, $200/offer. Call $700 Asking $300/best. 553-3596

712 Appliances

MICHIGAN USED APPLIANCE OUTLET
Some like new. Guaranteed, in home service. Lowest prices. Refrigerators. 1912 Venoy Rd. at Palmer, Westland

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WHIRLPOOL Washer & Dryer, 6 cycle each. Range $125. Refrigerator $200 897-7222 or 729-0276

713 Bicycles

BIANCHI 12 speed racing bike. Excellent condition. Blinds set, matresses $250/best, 255-4827

PLANNING to do kitchen remodeling? Call me to see what $650 will buy 363-3639

STEEL double-entry, 6 panel, Steel-Bilt. Excellent condition. $150/best offer 650-0362

719 Hot Tubs, Spas & Pools

COLECO POOL, 25 ft. round, cover, all parts, $200 326-1807

HOT TUB/SPA, 4 person, 6 jets. Light, Cover. Redwood cabinet. Marble. Cover. Redwood cabinet. $1900. 313-422-7519

HOT tub - 6 person. Extra propane heater $675. Call 313-356-2007

18x30 aluminum pool with deck, 2 years old, won't rust, great condition. $5,300. 313-663-1025

720 Flowers-Plants Farm Produce

BEAUTIFUL RED PINE TREES 12 to 14 footers, $200 installed. 332-1848

RASPBERRY plants for sale. Everbearing. 851-2219

SHADE TREES, Flowering Trees and Shrubs. 5 years old, power dug, choice Valley Nursery, 20515 Ryan Rd., Livonia. 476-4429

721 Hospital-Medical Equipment

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723 Jewelry

FINE WATCHES
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Small Console, $700
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548-2200

CONN CORNET, $125. Martin "Indiana" Alto Sax, $450. 478-2985 5 piece Drum Set - extras, $825. 3 piece Xylophone (wood), $150. PSR-11 Yamaha Keyboard with stand, $125. After 6pm, 348-2241

CONN ORGAN - approximately 15 yrs. old, great condition. $250/best 397-0707

MASON & HAMLIN piano, French Provincial console. Excellent condition. $2,800. 855-2928

PACE AMERICA, 1988 Trailer, 24ft enclosed. Can haul mower, tractor, etc. Excellent Condition, $5500. Call 313-356-2007

PIANO-CONSOLE & bench, restored, great condition, $800. After 6pm, 348-8031

PIANO-Walnut console, $800. Guitar, $80. Both excellent condition. 752-9890

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All new & used pianos, organs & keyboards, including grands & consoles. Up to 5 years to pay. Yamaha, just to name a few, are on sale, priced from $795.

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KIMBALL 1924 Grand Piano, 5'9", ebony, like new, $2,000. Kimball Artist Spinet, dark mahogany, excellent condition, $1,000. Kimball 1890 Delivered within tri-county area to first floor location. $1500. Call 9-4 weekdays 822-2814

PIANO - 1988 Schimmel, grand upright. 740-9077

TAKAMINE F-349 accoustic guitar, plushee hard case. Never played, played $450. After 5PM. 981-3007

WURLITZER electric organ, double keyboard, excellent condition. $250. 326-7773

728 VCR, TV, Stereo, Hi-Fi, Tape Decks

SEARS 19 inch color TV. $50. 650-3776

730 Sporting Goods Exercise Equipment

ALL CASH for golf clubs, bags, golf balls, all golf equipment. Men's & ladies. Any condition. We also sell all golf items. 421-2844

AMT.22 Auto Mag. case, holster. $250/best. 455-7066

CUSTOM wood gym set (located in Northville)- 1 year old, 2 swings, fire fighting, overhead ladder, rope climber, 2 decks, $1100.

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GOLF CLUBS, left handed, 3 sets of irons, 3 thru S/W. Reasonable. 422-1807

GOLF SET - Spalding Cannon advance, graphite driver, complete set, bag & cart. $150/best 981-1154

LADIES new Topaz golf clubs, 9 irons, 3 woods, Gold Plus shafts. 474-6218

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All sizes, antique, ultra modern.
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POOL TABLE, 8 ft slate, $750/best. 2P. Air Stroke exercise bike, $150. 543-8952

SCHWINN Air-Dyne excellent condition, used 3 yrs. $425 or best offer. 953-0553, 455-3290

SEARS Lifestyle 2000 Skier, paid $170, sell for $75. Call after 4pm 981-1154

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730 Sporting Goods Exercise Equipment

STEPPER - Nordic Track, $100. Call after 5pm 420-0363

TREADMILL, variable speed, $150. 11533 Deering, 1st house south of Plymouth Rd. Livonia

730 Wanted To Buy

ALBUMS 45's, Old Comics, Cards, Magazines, Models, Toys, Motorcycles, Beatle Items. 284-1581

BLACK & WHITE TV. 12" used (good condition) or new for person allergic to color 348-2241

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FIGURINES & ANIMALS: Beswick, Lladro, Hummel, Goebel, Precious Moments, Royal Doulton, etc. Call: 360-9144

HAVE YOU bought a table at Livonia's City Wide Garage Sale (May 1) and you can't use? I'll buy it from you. Call Bob 525-6688

NORDIC TRACK
Wanted. Call: 553-3317

PINBALL MACHINES
wanted! Any condition, will pay cash. You don't want it, I do. Call Jim 526-5203

WANTED Boy Scout memorabilia. Order of the Arrow patches, National & World Jamboree patches, badges, crickets & medals, pre-1930 Scout Rank patches, merit badges, pins & medals, Silver Beaver awards, Eagle, Silver & Ace medals. Will pay top dollar. Please contact 442-9238

WANTED: Lionel trains. Private collector wants to purchase old Lionel trains. 476-0159

736 Absolutely Free Runs Mondays Only

MOTORIZED recliner, needs motor, recovering. Eves. 459-7066

738 Household Pets

ABANDONED CAT: 9 mo. orange/white haired female. Desperately needs good home 422-6809

620 Men Seeking Women

ABLOOM - Slender, white male, 38, creative, fit, sensitive, witty, enjoys: 5'10", environ dance, learning, exercise, music, seeks never mat-ried female, 28-36, intelligent, technical background, strong mind, independent thinker, tall, athletic, interested in, strong, permanent relationship, creative writing, sports, performance vehicles. ☎ 44176

A DOMINANT white man, 39, seeks adventurous, white woman. Curious? ☎ 44972

ADVENTUROUS. Attractive, tall, single white male, 40, very easy going. Seeks sensuous female companion for discreet or open? ☎ 45061

ADVENTUROUS, attractive, funny single white male, 36, 6', 180, looking for single slim, white female, 25-33, who likes golf, tennis, outdoors, music. Grosse Pointe. ☎ 44134

AFFECTIONATE nice-looking white professional male, 54, 5'8", Enjoys golf, boating, movies, dining out; non-smoker. Seeking white female 42-50, for friendship or possible relationship. ☎ 44801

ALL MEN aren't the same! Single white male, 25, 5'8", 155 lbs. with dark brown hair, blue eyes. Honest, friendly, likes being with people, financially & emotionally secure. Seeks a white female for a relationship. ☎ 44140

ARE YOU LOOKING for a cute, intelligent, caring employed man? Here I am! 31 & under please give me a call. Race no barrier. ☎ 44006

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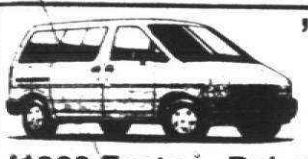
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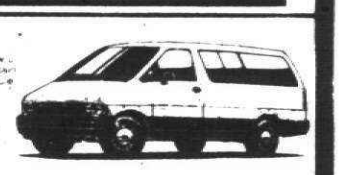
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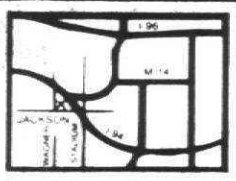
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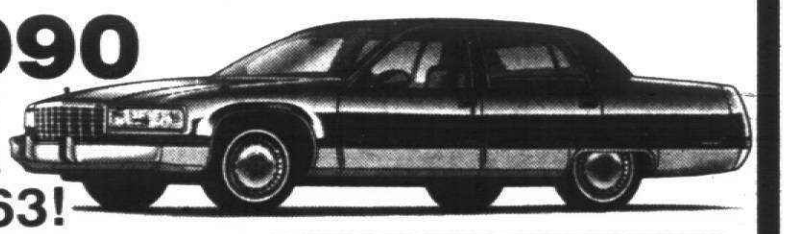
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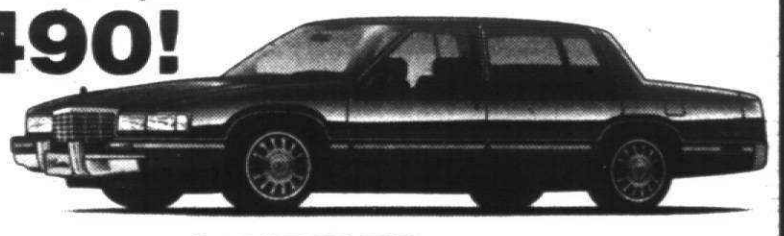
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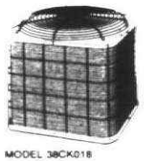
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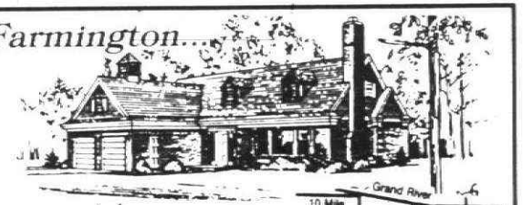
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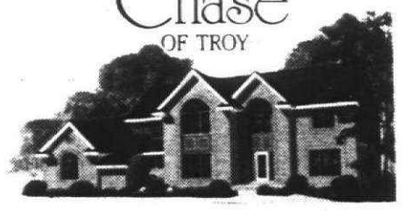
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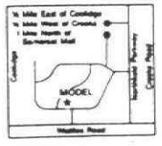
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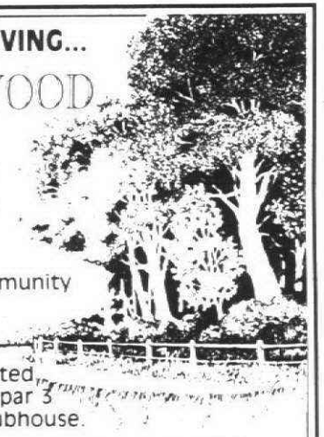


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Layered Financing Strategy Overcomes Tight Real Estate Issue To Bolster Stonebridge Community

A creative financing strategy borne out of economic necessity and involving numerous Ann Arbor-area investors, has resulted in success for Stonebridge, the area's premier planned golf course community located just south of Ann Arbor.

The residential community and golf course, situated on 650 rolling acres of woodland amid lakes and streams, is in its second year of development with a variety of custom homes and golf view villas. The 18-hole golf course designed by renown course architect Arthur Hills is in its second year of play and has already received national recognition. The course was recently ranked 17th in Golf Digest's 1992 survey of America's best new public courses, adn was ranked third among courses in Ohio and Michigan.

Development of Stonebridge did not take place overnight, however. Rather, it required the innovative financing strategy of "layering" to involve area investors in various segments of the project's development.

Devised by Don Chisholm, president of the Vernon Development Company, which is building Stonebridge, the strategy enlisted the participation of area business and professional people and organizations.

Explained Chisholm: "In 1988, Myron Serbay and I were partners in Stonebridge. We began to work with Firstate Financial, a savings and loan in Orlando, Florida, which had some experience in golf course communities and some familiarity with Ann Arbor.

Bank regulations changed drastically in 1989, limiting the amount that a bank could loan to $2 million from $20 million. Firstate was at $3.8 million for Stonebridge and the new regulation meant it had to be paid in full. Stonebridge completed the payoff by using the new financial strategy: use local investors and "layered" investments.

The Stonebridge partners sought groups with local lending capacity. This direction drove them to the "layered" financial strategy, which said they would cut the entire project into smaller pieces with good loan-to-value ratios and prudent first mortgage collateral.

Chisholm's background included sound familiarity with the complexities of financing: 15 years on the board and loan committees of the former National Bank and Trust as well as four years of teaching at the University of Michigan Business School.

He engaged First of America, with local expertise and authority for the first-phase development of roads, sewers and water on 110 acres.

Michigan National was interested in a golf course loan only when the golf course was operating as a business. The problem: how to get to that point.

A local investment firm, Beacon Investment, saw the merit of the development for the area and structured a conservative first mortgage financial package that would utilize funds from local pension plans managed by Beacon.

In late 1990, 30 Ann Arbor-based pension plans invested more than $5 million in Stonebridge. Larry French and Sam Edwards of Beacon play an active role in supervising the program.

In 1991, Ann Arbor Commerce Bank invested to help finish the golf course construction. Then Michigan National stepped up with the golf course loan.

Now, the golf course is open for its second season and 10 of the area's best builders are building custom homes throughout phase 1. The Villas are being offered in 4 different spacious floor plans and all border the golf course. This summer Vernon begins their building of duplex townhomes also with golf course views.

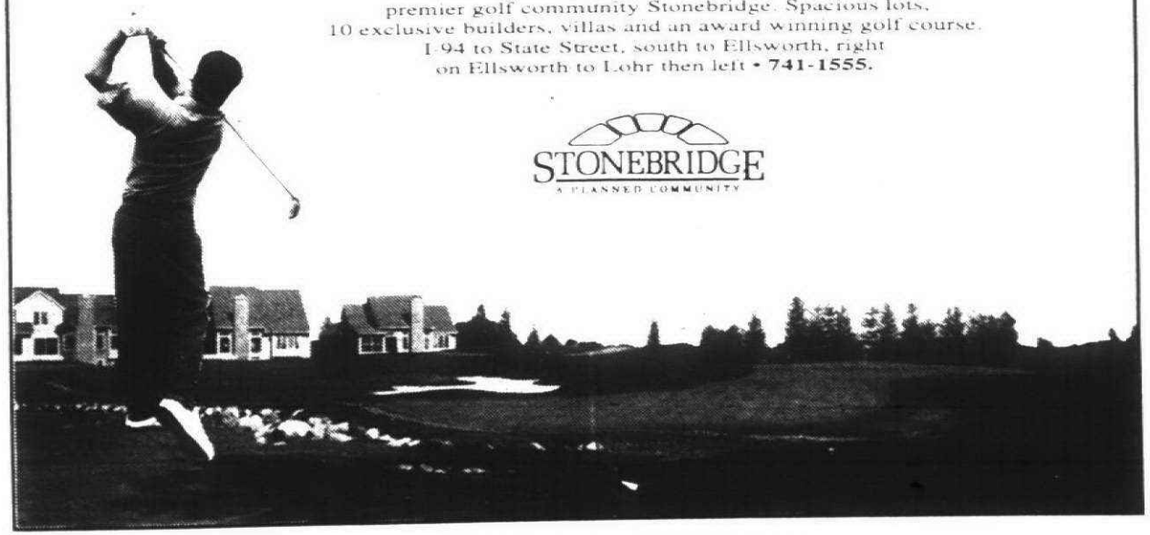
The utilities for the first phase of 164 homes – sewer, water, electric, gas and cable television – have been installed through financing associated with the Town of Southfield special assessment bonds. Nine other property owners joined to form the West Side Utilities Consortium, in which the tax monies was used and property owners pay all costs.

Stonebridge is located 2½ miles southwest of Briarwood Mall – take I-94 to the State Street exit and head south on State to Ellsworth. Turn right on Ellsworth and follow for a ½ mile to Lohr Road, turn left onto Lohr and Stonebridge is down ½ mile on the right. Open 1-6 daily, 1-5 weekends (closed Thursdays) or call 741-1555.

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This plan is designed to fit a narrow lot. The covered porch entrance is to a private foyer with a commanding view to the second-floor bridge, the U-shaped stairway and to the spacious great room. The great room boasts soaring ceiling treatment, a fire place and deck access.

The extraordinary kitchen and dining room are to the rear of the plan with access to the sun deck and two car garage. A powder room and laundry facilities flank the garage entry hall.

There are three large bedrooms shown for the second floor, the master including a tray ceiling and private bath. The remaining two bedrooms share a central bath. A crawl-space foundation is shown.

The country exterior is accented by multiple roof breaks, horizontal wood siding and a covered front porch.

The plan is Number 477. It includes only 1,477 square feet of heated area and is drawn to comply with FHA and VA requirements. It is a computer-generated plan. For further information write W.D. Farmer, P.O. Box 450025, Atlanta, GA, 30345.



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The great room and breakfast room are a full two stories high in this plan, and a view from the second floor is through an open rail in the upstairs central hall. The kitchen is designed with a breakfast bar and sink that have a full view to the great room activity or the breakfast room, while the full formal dining room is separate for those formal gatherings.

The luxury master bedroom suite is complete with an enormous walk-in closet and private master bath with garden tub and shower. The location of the master bedroom suite is intimate.

There are three additional bedrooms and two additional full baths included on the second floor. Each bedroom is provided with a walk-in closet.

The impressive European exterior is achieved through decorative corner quoins, classic windows, gable roof design and stucco finish.

The plan is Number 2372. It includes 2,397 square feet of heated area, the upper foyer, activity and breakfast room adding another 636 square feet of volume. It is a computer-generated plan. All W.D. Farmer plans include special construction details for energy efficiency. For further information write W.D. Farmer, P.O. Box 450025, Atlanta, GA, 30345.



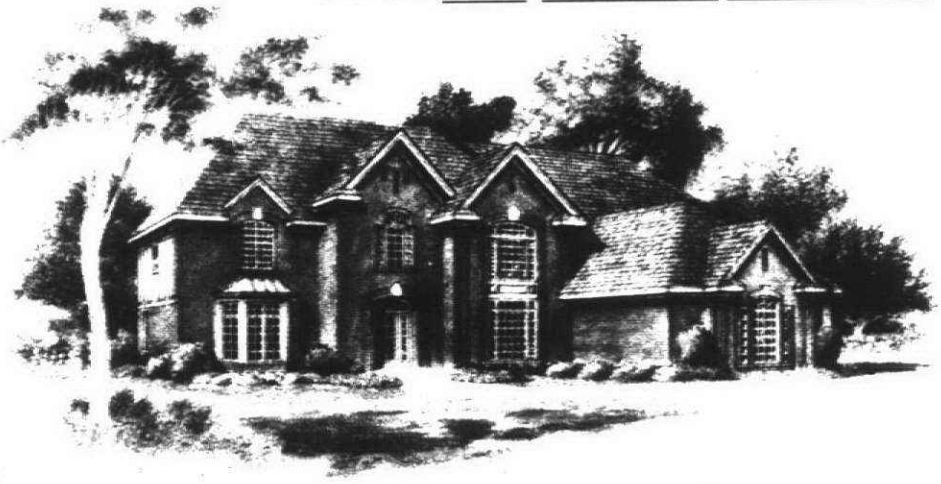
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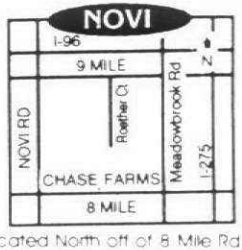
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