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HERE'S HOW TO REACH US

Schools opt for 4-mill request



The school board was looking at either putting a 2.25or 4-mill property tax increase proposal on the June 14 ballot, but on Monday night a citizens' committee pretty much talked the board into the 4-mill proposal. A final decision will be made May 10.

BY M.B. DILLON STAFF WRITER

Voters in the Plymouth-Canton Community School District won't have a choice between a 2.25-mill and 4-mill tax increase after all in the June 14 election.

The citizens' election committee

pretty much talked school officials out of it.

The district is seeking a higher property tax rate in an attempt to avoid layoffs and program cuts.

Voters will be asked to approve the 4 mills even if Gov. John Engler's tax proposal passes June 2. That plan

Positively Pasta

would cap property taxes and raise the sales tax from the current 4 percent to 6 percent. Also on the June 14 ballot is a 17.74-mill renewal.

On the citizens election committee are 30 people representing a cross section of the district. "One of them summed it up the best with this statement," said Trustee David Artley. "You have people who are in a position to say no to 2.25 or 4. It doesn't really matter. There are people out there who can't afford either.'

To put both measures on the ballot "in essence dooms the 4 mills to failure," he added. "The essential difference in the average home in the district is \$12.50 per month. It's really not to our advantage to put both out

Artley said voters sent a clear message in defeating last year's millage request: "Get the message out early, and go for what you need.

"We need to have not only the programs we have this year, but to restore things to where they were a year ago (before the board made \$4.9 million in cuts.)"

See SCHOOLS, 4A

Schools

put 83 on layoff

BY M.B. DILLON STAFF WRITER

Central Middle School teacher Earl Harrington told the school board Monday night that if Jim Hatcher is in fact laid off next year, "Every one of our classroom computers will fall apart. Without him around to repair the machines, we're gone.

Board members didn't offer Harrington much hope about Hatcher, or the 82 other teachers pink-slipped Monday night in anticipation of cuts that will be necessary if millage proposals to be voted on in June suffer defeat. (See related story.)

Fifteen administrators also have been pink-slipped.

School board president Roland Thomas said the layoff notices are being issued to keep "within the \$4 million in cuts. We're taking the precautionary measure of going to 83 to give us flexibility (with staffing requirements)."

Trustee Dean Swartzwelter said, "I agree with Earl. You look and see what each of these people on this list does, and you realize every one of them is important. The idea would be to try to avoid any of these by passing the mills.

See LAYOFF, 4A

Liberty Fest getting ready to ring out again

By JOANNE MALISZEWSKI STAFF WRITER

Local festival fans are looking forward to the 1993 Liberty Fest in Canon Township this June.

"This year we have expanded in all areas," said Bob Dates, Canton recreation supervisor and chairman of the Liberty Fest committee.

In 1992 — the first year of the fest more than 30,000 people attended. More are expected this year with the expansion of activities, the majority of which will be free, at Canton's Heritage Park June 25-27.

Two years ago township officials took over where volunteers had left off with the former Canton Country and Challenge festivals. "We were all in agreement that it would be around the Fourth of July. Canton didn't have anything around that time," Dates said.

But other communities did, including Westland, which has its annual summer festival during the holiday

■ 'We wanted quality events, fun events for the whole family. We didn't want to stretch ourselves thin.'

chairman, Canton Liberty Fest Committee

weekend. Garden City has its annual Community Festival in the Park in mid-June, concluding on Fathers

Getting ready: Chefs Dave Young and wife, Alice, prepare the pasta for Positively Pasta, a

fund-raiser for the Plymouth Symphony to be held at 6:30 p.m. Monday at the Mayflower

Hotel in Plymouth. Alice Young is holding a torte. The cost of the dinner is \$20, with

proceeds going to the symphony. See story on page 3C.

Day, the third Sunday of the month.
"We really want to compete with
surrounding communities," Dates
added. That led to the weekend before the Fourth of July holiday.

The fest is designed not just for a weekend of family activity, but as a showcase for Heritage Park behind township hall on Canton Center Road at Proctor with its amphitheater, gazebo, three lakes, picnic areas and children's play areas.

By the time the Liberty Fest rolls around, township officials plan to have permanent lighting installed in the amphitheater, thanks to a \$20,000 Michigan Equity grant. The township will match another \$8,000. Renting lighting in the past has been costly.

We wanted quality events, fun events for the whole family. We didn't want to stretch ourselves thin," Dates said, referring to the decision to condense the fest into one weekend rather than stretch it for a week as in other communities.

This year's fest will begin with the dedication of the long-planned Veterans Memorial at 5:30 p.m., Friday, June 25, in Heritage Park. The dedication will be preceded by a memorial parade in the park complex featuring local veterans groups.

'It seems a perfect tie-in for Fourth of July and patriotism," Dates said.

That will be just the beginning. An vening of oldies thanks to the band Moose and Da Sharks will provide the entertainment kickoff for the weekend at 7:30 p.m. Friday, and last for about two hours.

In addition to music at the amphitheater and the gazebo, the fest will feature paddle boats in one of the ponds, miniature golf, a juried art show and an arts and crafts show and a mini-midway featuring the moon walk. A new Taste of Canton is expected to debut with foods from a number of township businesses.

On Sunday, June 27, a "Picnic in the Park" will be sponsored by the Plymouth-Canton D.A.R.E. board, with food provided by Canton's Outback Steakhouse. The Canton Cham-

See FEST, 4A

L marks the spot for Rouge photo program

BY KEVIN BROWN STAFF WRITER

"L" marks the spot.

Maybe you've noticed those Lshaped markings around town - on Hines Drive, on Sheldon Road, on subdivision streets.

Well, what the heck are they for? "They'll be used to make a map ultimately," said Jim Kratzer, an engineer with Orchard, Hiltz & McCliment Inc.

"In order to establish vertical and horizontal control for the map preparation, a series of points, visible from the air, will be located at intervals on the ground surface," according to an announcement on the project from the Livonia firm.

They're either yellow or white, the yellow on concrete and white on blacktop just for visibility from the

air," Kratzer said.

The markings are placed from 500 to 600 feet east to west and 1,500 feet north to south.

"What we're going to do is devise a geographical information system; when we get done we can sit at a computer and can punch in that area, and get information on sewer and water mains, streets, streams or whatever," he said.

The goal of the \$46-million federal grant project is to study pollution problems during wet weather or flood conditions.

The mapping and creation of a Geographic Information System is the first part of the 10-part project, according to the engineering firm.

"Ultimately they will control flooding and be able to predict what will happen in the north, south and

middle (Rouge River) branches; also they will be able to control pollu-tion," Kratzer said.

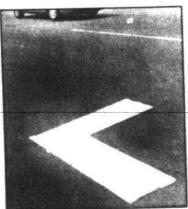
The markings — 1,200 to 1,300 of them — were placed last weekend.

David Mariner, executive vice president of the engineering firm, said the marking tape should be re-moved this weekend, as aerial phototgraphy would likely be completed

The photography must happen before foliage appears on trees and bushes, which would obscure the markings.

The project is being overseen by the Wayne County division of public works.

Kratzer said similar markings have been placed before in the area for aerial photographs, but not on this scale



What's that?: Those Lshaped marks spotted lately on area streets were placed there for an aerial photography project.

Who's minding the children? These people

Wayne-Westland board OKs cuts

A sharply divided Wayne-Westland school board slashed \$12 million from its \$86-million budget Monday, committing what the board president called "educational homicide."

In a 4-3 vote, a reluctant school board wielded a deadly budget ax that killed many educational programs and wounded others. A crowd of 225 parents and district employees voiced anger, despair - and even hope - during an emotionally charged meeting at the Dyer Center on Marquette.

The massive budget cuts revised slightly since a special board session Saturday touch every child in the 16,500student district, which includes about 300 students from Canton Township.

"I think this stinks." Superintendent Larry Thomas said, though he was forced to recommend cuts to comply with a state law that requires a balanced

Some 245 district employees. including at least 100 teachers, will be laid off as programs such as music, art, athletics and alternative education are dropped. That marks a 10-percent workforce reduction.

ing them to join him in accepting wage concessions that - if approved - would allow some programs to be restored. The depth of possible pay cuts would have to be negotiated. "I invite all unions to follow

me," Thomas declared during

the Wayne-Westland Education the cuts came from board mem-Association, which represents bers Welty, Laurel Raisanen, 1,000 teachers, declined to comment. Robert Kowalczyk, the Felan. union's executive director, said he couldn't discuss a proposal that he has not yet seen in writing.

Concessions backed

Some parents and school board members indicated strong support Monday for wage concessions. Roberta Paquette, a candidate in the June 14 board race,

suggested cuts of 20 percent. Vicki Welty, board vice presi dent, said the district could save \$2.5 million if teachers give up a 5-percent raise that goes into ef-

'Unless we all work together students, teachers, administrators, bus drivers, food service workers, all of us - we will not succeed," she said.

hearings last week. But Leonard Posev, the board president, defended teachers Monday.

"I'm tired of hearing the tacks on teachers," he said. Posey, joined by trustees Fred Warmbier and Francis "Bud" Winter, voted against the \$12million budget-reduction plan. The following day, a leader of But the majority vote to approve Richard LeBlanc and Sharon

> Despite Monday's cuts, the board still has to find \$2 million more in savings to avert a \$14million deficit. Officials hope to save \$1 million of that by reducing spending this school year; another \$1 million remains to be

The latest budget crisis hit hard when voters rejected two tax proposals in a special April 5 elec-

"This community has abandoned this school district," Posey told the crowd Monday, adding ater, "I'm tired of exposing your kids and my kids to what I call educational homicide."

Posey suggested following the lead of the Kalkaska district in northwestern Michigan and clos-

Thomas administration had warned that Wayne-Westland, an in-formula district, stood to lose much more state money than Kalkaska, an out-of-formula district. "If that means we only have school for a month and we have to shut this sucker down, then let's

do it," Posey said.

Winter, in opposing the planned cuts, said school officials erred by failing to warn voters of specific budget cuts before the April 5 election. Some trustees had said they didn't want to

"I call that planning. I don't call it threatening," Winter said.

Warmbier, in voting against the cuts, cited concerns about past salary increases awarded to teachers. He has repeatedly blamed what he considers a greedy teachers' union for the district's money

Board members have held out hope that district programs could be saved if a state proposal to cut property taxes and increase the sales tax is approved in a special June 2 election. Thomas indicated he wouldn't recommend another local tax election until August, pending the outcome of the state

Computer store to log on in Canton

nity will soon have a new place to the businesses in the area for ucational games, personal executive and business owners fill computer hardware and soft- computers, networking and conware needs with the planned May sulting. 1 opening of Executive Systems and Orange Computer Discount expanding from its present locaon Sheldon Center Road in Can-tion in Saline and will focus on

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A man and woman face lareny charges after they walked into a Canton business and tried to walk out with money.

A 25-year-old Southfield woman and a 24-year-old Westland man walked into Drinks Discount, 8673 Lilley Road in the Golden Gate Plaza, Monday. While the woman walked around the store, the man went into the back room

and walked out with money, according to police. As the man attempted to get year-old woman, stopped him to a police report.

and grabbed back the money The term "baby sitter" doesn't The pair fled and police arrestbegin to describe the work of ed them at a nearby gas stathose individuals who care for the thousands of children whose parents work outside the home.

House pelleted

A homeowner on Edenbrooke told police that someone shot three orange paint pellets at his house on April 21. A neighbor told police he saw three youths in a blue car out of the store, the clerk, a 41- shoot at the house, according

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care centers. It is appropriate that parents room she was both nervous and should seek out well-educated (ei- excited. The little girl spoke little ther through the classroom or ex- English and was shy at first, but Learning Center in Plymouth

Feeding time: Rebecca Digna of the Discovery Center in Plymouth Township tries to make mealtime fun for 3-month-old Christian Wines.

Special projects mark month of young child

the country to dedicate the entire children, child care and developmonth of April for the advocacy of young children.

Helping out: Gina Ricondo ties Alex Pier-

Nationally, the Week of the Young Child is celebrated the first week of the month, but several years ago Michigan extended the celebration to the entire

"A week is not enough time to dvocate for young children in this country," said Angie Karafa, teacher at The Learning Tree Child Care Center in Livonia. "Having activities throughout the month gives us more time to think about all aspects of young

The celebration was coordinatby the Michigan Association for the Education of Young Children. Each week was focused on a specific topic such as corporate

ment, parents and families and physical and mental health of

Last week, parents were asked to take time out and show their appreciation to their child care provider and support "appropriate wages" for this group of care-On Wednesday, April 28, many

area youngsters headed to Lansing for "Kids on the Capitol" for activities and lunch with Gov. John Engler and legislators. Locally, residents were asked to

wear purple ribbons in honor of the month and participate in spe-

time out to think about what we are doing to our children," said Judy Preston, owner of Little

Michigan is the only state in and community support for young Tots. "Here, we tell children that they are more important than anything. They deserve our atten-Youngsters at The Learning

Tree in Livonia and their families have been putting together care packages for homeless children in onor of the Month of the Young Child. Children at the Schoolcraft College Day Care hosted a multicultural family dinner.

Discovery Center students participated in Kites and Family Fun last Saturday in Plymouth Township Park.

It is encouraged that all parents with children in day care take time out to thank their caregiver with flowers, a card, or just a kind

These are the people who shape



Playtime: Norma LaValle, director and owner of a home day care center in Plymouth, participates in a team party with Morgan Bell, 3, and Samantha Schlamph, 23 months (pouring tea).

now she has made a place for her- Township.

"I love it more than anything," said Kathy Haycock, a Livonia resident and teacher at Little Tots Day Care in Livonia. "Chilher doing so well now." dren are so honest and so accept-Anne Szymanski of Livonia ing. They teach me to accept

their children. Some studies sug-

gest that people spend more time

selecting a new car than they do

selecting a day care facility for

time with the children as their

parents do in many cases, so it is

important that we are knowledge-

able about children and their de-

velopmental needs," said Norma

LaVallee, the owner of an in-

home day care center in Plym-

LaVallee is licensed to care for

12 children in her home and she

has an assistant at all times. Like

many mothers who offer day care

services in their home, LaVallee

started her business because she

could not find quality day care for

out there, but I didn't know how

caring for the children over her

for an air freight company.

old job as a sales representative

"I've learned that understand-

Most day care center teachers

ing children and what they do is

truly understanding adult behav-

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be studying child development

care their life's work do so for var-

espect for children.

Choosing kids

ious reasons, the most basic being

and they have assistants who may

Those choosing to make child

teaching me something new."

Now, LaVallee said she prefers

"I'm sure there was good care

her own three children.

to find it," she said.

very rewarding career where you have degrees in child develop-

'We spend almost as much

their children.

Types of care

Caregivers are teachers, nutri-

tionists, nurses, psychologists,

playmates and much more to the

young children of the world.

Whether they work in day care

centers or in day care homes, they

play a vital role in the develop-

"We aren't paid as much as

lawyers, but maybe we should

he" said Jean Shaughnessy, di-

rector of the infant and toddler

day care center at Schoolcraft

College's Radcliff Center in Gar-

den City. "We care for the future

and hopefully we will instill in

them the values that will bring us

In Michigan, at least 352,000

children under the age of 12 are in

need of child care. Only 40 per-

cent of them are in regulated

child care, according to statistics

from the Michigan Department of

"There is a real need out there

for committed people to care for

young children," said Angie

Karafa, who teaches a pre-kinder-

garten class at The Learning Tree

Child Center in Livonia. "It's a

can see the results of your work as

The state regulates all center

day cares and those in-home day

cares that are licensed. The Child

Care Coordinating Council of De-

troit -Wayne County Inc. reports

that there are 1,062 licensed day

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vides valuable referrals and infor-

mation about home-based day

care facilities, while the depart-

ment of social services will pro-

vide parents with reports on day

care homes in Wayne County.

the children grow up.'

State regulation

ment of young children.

peace in the world."

Social Services.

things for the way they are." When Haycock welcomed a Romanian child into her class-

"This little girl has been through more in her three years than I have in my lifetime," Haycock said. "It is so exciting to see

grew up as part of a large family but missed the children too much and has always known she would and returned to her position at work with children some day. Now, she studies elementary education and works at the Discovery

Everything is so new to these kids," she said. "They ask such

great questions, and I like to provide them with the answers. Alice Vargas, also a teacher at the Discovery Center, said she tried to move into business administration classes in school.

the day care. "The parents are working hard for their children and I like being

with quality day care when they cannot." Vargas said. "They learn a new word or do something new

Most day care providers are pleased to give parents a log of their child's activities during the day. Communication is considered key for a good relationship with the family.

that with their parents.

there to provide their children volved in the day care and think of this as part of their family, Shaughnessy said. "Unfortunate ly some of the families don't have and we are all so excited to share that much respect for us."

The Discovery Learning Center is located in an industrial park off Sheldon Road and I-275 and is very accessible for workers there. Center director Pat Troy said many of the parents join their children for lunch or just stop in during the day. This is something Troy and her staff encourage.

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Growing list of events includes music, parade

tivity for the 1993 Liberty Fest at

dedicated at 5:30 p.m., preceded by a memorial parade. Moose and Da Sharks will entertain with oldies beginning at 7:30 p.m., in the amphitheater.

At the amphitheater Saturday, June 26, the Spiriters Cheerleaders will open at 11 a.m.; Twisty the Fun Clown, noon; Ronald McDonald, 1:15 p.m.; Theater Etc., 2:30 p.m.; Earth Angels, 4 p.m., Saturday and Sunday. p.m.; Unity Island Band, 5:30 p.m. The Division Army Band 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., Saturday, and will dominate the evening with

fireworks display at sunset. At the amphitheater Sunday. Face painting booths through-

for kids at noon; Plymouth Fife and Drum Corps, 12:45 p.m.; Phillip Lega magic, 1:15 p.m.; Mr. Balloono, 2 p.m.; and Sun Mes-

sengers, 3 p.m. At the gazebo Saturday, June 26, Skylark will play at noon; Dixieland Band led by Robert Collingwood, 1 p.m.; Sweet Adelines, 2 p.m.; barbershop quartet, 4 p.m. At the gazebo Sunday, June 27,

the barbershop quartet returns at noon; Skylark, 1 p.m.; Canton Seniors Kitchen Band, 2 p.m. Events: Classic Car Show, 8 a.m. to 5

Fine Arts Show, a juried show 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday, patriotic tunes leading up to the Art workshops for youths, noon

to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. June 27, Dancin' Feet will open at out festival grounds all day Satur-

Here's a peek at the growing 11 a.m.; the Marc Thomas Show day and noon to 5 p.m., Sunday Arts and crafts show, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., Saturday, and 10 a.m. to

■ Paddleboat rides, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday, noon-5 p.m., Sunday. The cost is \$1.

p.m. Saturday, and noon to 5 p.m., Sunday. A small fee will be ■ Taste of Canton, noon to 6 p.m., Saturday, is tenatively

■ Miniature golf, 10 a.m. to 6

Picnic in the Park, noon to 3 p.m., Sunday, sponsored by the Plymouth-Canton D.A.R.E board. Tickets are on sale in advance, at the event or at the Outback Steakhouse, which is provid-

ing the food. Tickets are \$7 for

adults, \$3 for children. The menu

sale, as well as a raffle ticket sale.

Community service organizations will be on hand also in a big tent, where they can comfortably offer participants information about their particular groups. The Canton Public Safety Department will be there also displaying its equipment, including the Children's Fire Safety House.

And just like last year, the skies over Canton will illuminate with a fireworks display when the

thick of it with a townshipwide put on by Liberty Fireworks, the display should last about 40 min-

> "Anything that children like. we are going to have," Dates said. Another popular event for chil dren, an art workshop, which drew about 600 kids last year will be expanded this year to Saturday and Sunday. "We have professional art teachers and artists out. there working with the children,"

Township trustees provided the fest committee with \$15,000 for

ber of Commerce will be in the sored by the Burda Brothers and ready self-sufficient." Dates said. adding the committee was able to repay last year'stownship allocation. "Our responsibility is to seek business sponsorships to

augment the township money.' Because arts and crafts exhibitors, as well as food vendors, pay a fee to participate in the fest, the committee brings in money.

Business sponsorships are still needed, though. Some businesses donate cash, others services and products. "Local businesses have been very supportive. If someone

Layoff from page 1A

what would happen if the district does have to lay off Jim Hatcher. "We'd have to contract services somewhere along the line," said Superintendent John Hoben.

"Some things may be left undone. That's the situation we are left with," said Thomas.

Errol Goldman, executive director of employee relations, said, "Not only are each of these teachers and administrators important to the district, but we want to be aware of their individual situations and bring them back as soon Franklin; director of computer maintenance and energy opera-

on the list "are going to feel bad about being laid off. But in this understand it isn't easy." Ironically, Portelli was on the agenda Monday night, addressing the board in recognition of National Teacher Day and distributing commemorative goodies to the

Administrators on the layoff list include curriculum coordinaservices and instructional tech-

Chuck Portelli, president of the nology Donna Aveck; Salem athteachers' union, said the teachers letic manager Gary Balconi; Canton faculty athletic manager Jim Finn; adult education coordinator financial situation, people have to Mary Kay Frey; auditorium manager Cletus Karamon; Virginia Murdoch, in charge of supervisor/ child accounting, Jo Ann Ost, audio-visual technician: Gregory Pirtle, fleet service supervisor: David Rocker, transportation assistant: Thomas Rose, purchasing agent; Annette Kubeshesky, communication technician; and Mitors Sheila Alles and Ellison chael Swanson, supervisor of

Schools

raised concerns about the \$1.2 million the teachers' 3-percent raise will cost the district in 1993-

Trustee Dean Swartzwelter said it's to be expected that volunteers on a millage committee would favor the 4-mill proposal.

"As you go into groups of people, even at booster club meetings, there's out-and-out hostility, and this is from parents who are involved. People will tell you, 'I'm not voting for your renewal, so take that.' . . . We might as well

Artley suggested finalizing the

millage proposal May 10.

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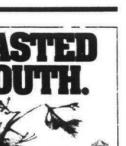
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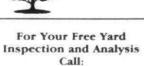
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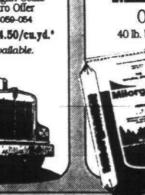
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applied science at Schoolcraft College, spent the greatest portion of his life teaching young people and designing technical programs that were up-to-date and meaningful to business and industry. Adams, 86, of Westland, died

early Monday after battling cancer for several years. Adams came to Schoolcraft in 1964 the year the college was founded and retired in 1973. He

guided the growth of the Applied Sciences Division from an enrollment of 550 in 1965 to 2,600 in 1973. Many of the career programs the college now offers were started by Adams (apprenticeship, medical record technology, welding and industrial fabrica-

tion, metallurgy, civil technology, culinary arts and numerous auto-He said that Adams was "rec-

said Shon, of Westland.

plishments at the college.

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"He was a perfectionist. Any on the inside. We would think he thing that went out over his sigwas really down on us, then he'd nature had to be letter perfect, take us all out for dinner and drinks. He worked hard, but he "We had an old-fashioned but also played hard." A native of Green Bay, Wis. very pleasant type of boss/secretary relationship," recalled Shon. Adams earned his bachelor's degree in industrial education at "He was so very proud of the peo-

Wisconsin State University and his master's at Bradley Universi-Fernon Feenstra, Schoolcraft's assistant dean of applied scienc-Adams taught high school maes, worked under Adams as a

chine shop classes in Maywood

During World War II Adams helped the war effort by establishing programs that trained thou-

For five years in the late 1940s Adams was the supervisor of trade and industrial education for the state of Illinois. In 1951 Adams founded and

guided the development of the Vocational Technical Institute at craft, Wayne County, Macomb

Ferris State University in Big Rapids, Michigan. Just before coming to School-

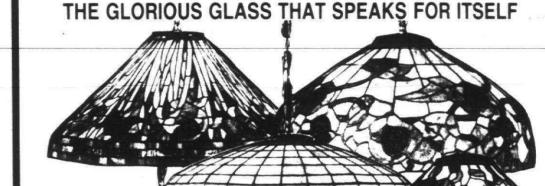
regional representative for the U.S. Office of Education's Vocational/Technical Branch After retirement in 1973 Adams served as a consultant to School-

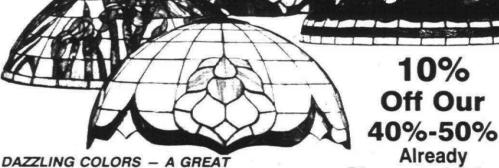
the dean of the Trade/Technical member of Kappa Delta Pi, a na-Division of Ferris Institute now tional honorary education society and Iota Lambda Sigma, a national industrial education soci ety. His most recent award was craft, Adams served three years as the distinguished alumnus from the University of Wisconsin.

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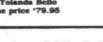




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R-West Bloomfield, and George

Voting no was Jack Faxon, D-

Farmington Hills. William

Faust, D-Westland, and Robert

Geake, R-Northville, had

In a loud dissent, Sen. Virgil

Smith, D-Detroit, accused co

leagues of "trashing" the 1970

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issued in the state of Iowa. The

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nations based on the facts in

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recognized that by fighting

through the Iowa courts all the

way to the (Iowa) Supreme

Sen. Vern Ehlers, R-Grand

Rapids, said Smith had it

wrong. "Our current law give

prospective adoptive parent

no standing in court to the

this matter . .

Z. Hart, D-Dearborn.

State Senate OKs

'Baby Jessica' bill

chign's Child Custody Act

turned into a donnybrook de-

bate when the state Senate

amended it to cover the emo-

"We cannot allow young Jes-

sica or children like her to have

their lives turned upside down

by dueling adults," said Sen.

Michael Bouchard, R-Birming-

His Senate Bill 191 was

amended in committee during

the Easter break to give legal

standing (the right to file a law-

suit) to prospective adoptive

of the child at least six of the

If approved by the House, the

bill would give Jan and Roberta

DeBoer of Ann Arbor the right

to sue in Michigan to retain

custody of the lowa-born baby

they have raised for the last two

The DeBoers have lost all

their battles in the Iowa courts.

They also lost in the Michigan

Court of Appeals, which said

simply that Michigan courts

The baby's mother, Cara

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Plymouth boy needs special bike

Daniel Caudill of Plymouth just wants to be as much like other kids as he can.

"The poor kid sees everybody else out on a bicycle," said his great-aunt Linda Mills of West-

But Daniel, 31/2, isn't quite like other kids. He has spina bifida, a congenital defect in the development of the spine. Daniel was born with a hole in his spine. Since his birth, he has had 12 operations, including brain surgery for hydrocephalus water on the brain, as well as on his eyes, knees and feet.

"We're trying to get him up or braces. He will never walk," said his mother, Rebecca Caudill. "He's trapped inside. He wants to do things like other kids."

What Daniel sees other kids doing is bicycling. He wants a bike he can ride. His parents Rebecca and Daniel, can't afford the special \$700-\$800 bicycle Daniel needs

"Mainly, all he can do is sit in the house." his mother said.

Because Daniel is paralyzed from the waist down, the special bike would allow him to push the pedals with his hands. "I was going to save up the money, but there's so many medica oills," Rebecca said. The Caudills have a 9-month-old daughter, Amanda, and a baby on the

The Caudills first saw the special bike, which looks like a tricycle, at Daniel's school in Livonia, which just received one as a donation.

The Caudills aren't looking for money. They are just hoping someone out there might be in terested in donating the special bike to Daniel.

"This isn't easy for him to go through," Rebecca said of Dan iel. "He'd like a bike so he won't be inside the house all sum

If anyone is interested in do nating the special bike Daniel needs, the Caudills are asking to hear from you. They can be reached at 416-1965



Homebound: Rebecca Caudill of Plymouth hopes someone is willing to donate a special three-wheeled bicycle for her son, Daniel, 31/2 years old. Daniel was born with spina bifida and is paralyzed from the waist down. But the special bike will allow him to ride using his hands and to be outside like other kids.

OBITUARIES

Services for Amy D. Bing, 22, of Lexington, Ky., previously of Plymouth, are at noon Saturday May 1, at St. Johns Episcopal

Church, 547 Sheldon Road. She was born May 16, 1970 in Baltimore, Md. She died Wednes day, April 7, in Lexington following a car accident. Since the age o 5 she was an avid horseman, graduating from Kentucky Equine School in 1990 and recently receiving a jockey license. She was an exercise rider in Keeneland. Ky. She is a 1988 graduate of

Plymouth Christian Academy. She is survived by her mother Gerrie Bing (teacher in Plymouth-Canton schools) of Northville; father, R. Thomas Bing of Northville; and one sister, Beverly-Jo (B.J.) Mitchell of Jackson-

given to Horsemans Benevolent and Protective Association, 700 Dudley Pike, Edgewood, Ky.

ELLEN BECKER

Services for Ellen Becker, 86, of Salem Township are at 1 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at Casterline Funeral Home Northville Burial will be in Thayer Cemetery.

She was born Sept. 25, 1906 in Salem Township. She died March 13 in Ann Arbor. She lived all her life in the area. She retired from Montgomery Ward and was a member of the Presbyterian

She is survived by two daughers, Annabelle Clark of Miss. and Wilma Wolinsky of Hartland two sons, DeWayne Becker of Plymouth and Calvin Becker of Washington; nine grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Memorial contributions may be given to Michigan Heart Founda-

LORENE L. BLOME Services for Lorene L. Blome, 65.

of Plymouth Township were Monday, April 26, at St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church. Burial was in Grand Lawn Ceme-

tery, Pigeon, Mich. She was born Nov. 22, 1927 in Pigeon and died Thursday, April 22, in Plymouth Township. She was a registered nurse and worked for Sisters of the Cross in Dearborn for 13 years. She also worked at Northville State Hospital and Plymouth Training Center. She is survived by her husband

John G. Blome of Plymouth Township; three sons, David Blome of Howell, Paul Blome of Plymouth, and John H. Blome of Belleville; and two brothers, Richard Heck of Atlanta and Robert Heck of Pinnebog.

The Rev. Peter M. Berg officiated the service. Memorial contri butions may be given to St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church, American Diabetes Asso ciation or Arbor Hospice. Arrangements were made by Vermeulen Trust 200 Funeral Home. Plymouth.

VERONICA D. OLEWNIK

Services for Veronica D. Olewnik 63, of New Hudson, previously of Northville, were Thursday, April 29, at Holy Family Church in Novi. Burial was in Mt. Olivet

She was born Oct. 13, 1929 in Akron, Ohio. She died Monday April 26, in Livonia. She was em ployed as a bus driver for the Plymouth schools.

She is survived by four sons. Charles Olewnik. Curt Olewnik Francis Olewnik and Paul Olewn ik: six daughters, Jan. Cecille. Veronica, Mary Jo, Susan and Ann: 24 grandchildren; one brother, Curt Saures; and one sister Cecile Ryan

The Rev. James Cronk officiated the service. Memorial contributions may be given to Christian Children Foundation, One Elmwood Avenue, Kansas City, Kan 66103. Arrangements were made by O'Brien Chapel/Ted C. Sullivan Funeral Home in Novi

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tive that it (cocaine trafficking) is decreasing. The 625 grams total

More people cultivating marijuana inside, cops say

Marijuana dealers are turning indoor growing operations to produce their illegal product and that's an encouraging sign to narcotics officers.

"It's an indication of our success in eradicating outdoor growing," said Michigan State Police Lt. Sandra Miller, who heads the Western Wayne Narcotics Enforcement Team. "Several of our operations put

heat on the sellers. They were not able to get out-of-state product, so they have to grow it domestically. We've noticed an increase in in-door growing." Marijuana and cocaine contin-

ue to be the drugs which are having the greatest effect in southeast Michigan and locally in western Wayne County, she said. In 1992, the unit seized 625 grams of cocaine, down from 1991

and 113 pounds of marijuana, a large increase from the previous "I think cocaine is down because we had several more complex investigations on marijuana," Miller said. "It's not indica-

seized is still quite a lot." The approximate street value of seized drugs in 1992 is \$187,729 down from \$300,662 in 1991.

"The street value is down part due to the difference between cocaine and marijuana seizures The cost of marijuana is less,' said Miller."The total forfeiture has not been adjudicated. It is actually higher."

Formed in 1987, the Western Wayne Narcotics Enforcement Team is run by the state police with additional personnel provided by member communities in cluding Livonia, Canton Township, Garden City, Inkster and Van Buren Township. Northville and Scheville participate through financial support.

In 1992, the unit initiated 141 new investigations and made 83 arrests on 115 criminal counts



Committed: Michigan State Police Lt. Sandra Miller SC offers 'College for Kids' who heads the Western Wayne Narcotics Enforcement Team said area chiefs show their commitment to the concept by assigning top-notch local officers to the team.

vere budget cuts over the past two

doesn't necessarily impact their

compared to 151 new investigations and 110 arrests on 152 counts in 1991.

"We had a slight drop in new investigations and arrests. At the same time (in 1991) we had two and Westland," said Miller, who ago. "We hope to expand the team an officer who is not seen and

years, she said, a situation shared by local police departments. "The chiefs show real courage by assigning officers. It's easy to do when the money is there," she additional officers from Wayne - said. "When the budget is tight, it's easier to have a blue uniform was named to head the unit a year that people can see. They commit

sica's father also said he had That is all this bill is designed never legally signed away his to correct," he said

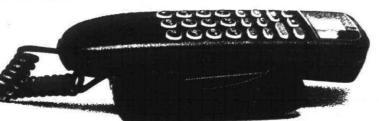
Kaleidoscope: A College for Kids will be offered this summer at Schoolcraft College. The program is designed for late elemen tary, middle and high school students ages 9 to 15, to enhance academic skills and stimulate

A parent information night on the program will be at 7 p.m. Monday, May 10, in Room 200 of Schoolcraft's Liberal Arts Building. Classes for youths in the areas of math, English, computers and Seven Mile roads.

will be discussed. Individual and group instruction will be offered.

Classes are scheduled to begin July 12 for two to three weeks, Monday through Thursday.

For more information, or to learn more about other youth programs offered this summer, contact Continuing Education Services at 462-4448. Schoolcraft is at 18600 Haggerty, between Six



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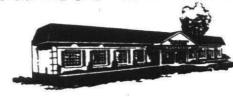
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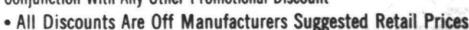
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Investigators fill niche tracking deadbeat dads

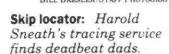
A Plymouth investigating firm's Skip Locator service is aimed at catching deadbeat dads.
"Deadbeat dad" is the popular

term these days for divorced fathers who don't pay child support. In their Plymouth office on Wing Street, Harold Sneath and partner Kathy Harvie - both of Canton - trace subjects by computer for firms and for private investigators through their firm In-

formation Plus Inc. They got into tracing deadbeat dads last June, when a woman approached them, saying she'd been looking 11 years for her exhusband, who hadn't been paying child support

"I found him in 8 minutes, said Sneath, a former Detroit Po-

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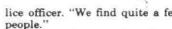


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Sneath is able to find fathers that county officials can't, because unlike the county, "We're a subscriber to three major credit

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That number, he said, "is available to them (ex-wives) on old tax

Sometimes, Sneath will contact the mortgage company financing the father's current house. A company representative is "able to tell me where he worked."

Sneath doesn't contact the father. Instead, he provides infor-

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standing child support payments dle-income father can handle and ter. are put on the father's credit

He doesn't recommend the wife trying to get the money back all at once. "If you take 50 percent of his pay, after two or three checks he'll quit his job," Sneath said.

"That doesn't do anybody any A better approach is to take \$60

"I would think that would be "Most of these guys are on the favorable to everybody," he said. "Most of these people (fathers) Sneath said, adding that once have feelings for their kids, but they got a few payments behind, they're afraid of looking them

Then again, "Some of these guys are real jerk deadbeats," located hadn't seen his daughter for years. Once caught, "He came

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Senate tries again to pass abortion law

The state Senate is trying a second time to pass an "informed consent" abortion law.

Again it is running into heavy ebate over whether it really informs women or parrots Right to Life's anti-abortion views.

"We have put together legislation that gives a woman the right to know," said sponsor Jack Welborn, R-Kalamazoo. "That's not happening today in the abortion clinic process. We are establishing the patient-doctor relationship that is not there today.

"Before our committee, women testified in support of the bill; 16 had had abortions; 13 of known, the name of the doctor who performed the abortion."

Change in House

Senators last week approved SB 384 by 26 to 8 and sent it to House, where it was killed last year. But two things are dif-

■ The House assigned it to the Public Health Committee instead of its previous cemetery, Judiciary. Public Health is chaired in April and June by pro-life John Jamian, R-Birmingham, and in

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The Senate roll call: YES - Republicans Michael Bouchard of Birmingham, Mat Dunaskiss of Lake Orion, Robert Geake of Northville, David Honigman of West Bloomfield and Democrat George Z. Hart of

NO - Jack Faxon, D-Farmington Hills Westland.

As usual, the debate was long,

the bill out of committee and bring it to the House floor.

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ABSENT - William Faust, D-

bitter and laced with attempts to

No amendments

amend the bill. Sen. Lana Pollack, D-Ann Arbor, lost an amendment to require

that women be counseled on the 'emotional stress" caused by giving up a baby for adoption, including the danger to "a parent's relationship with subsequent

That was shot down, 10 yes to 23 no. Honigman of West Bloom-

support it.
Pollack said the bill will force

women "to jump through another legal barrier put up by the dominant male police officers who serve as senators in this body individuals who never have been pregnant, never will be pregnant, many of whom I maintain have helped pregnant women with whom they have been involved,

an abortion.' Senators also rejected, 9 yes and 25 no, the amendment of prochoice Sen. Joe Conroy, D-Flint, that would have required women to be told the cost of neonatal intensive care and social services if they bear the child instead of ob-

taining an abortion.

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Sen. Fred Dillingham, R-Fowlerville, a pro-life point man, exploded at Conroy's amendment: 'I sat quietly through most of this debate today, but I just can't sit by quietly when we see an amendment that starts to place monetary value on life. Life is not a cost. Life is productive and pro-

The bill sets a 24-hour waiting period between the time a woman is counseled on abortion and the

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Senate tries again to protect home music teachers

State lawmakers again are working bills to protect home music teachers from being zoned out by cities and townships.

"The majority can't interfere with the rights of a minority to earn a living," said Sen. David Honigman, R-West Bloomfield, chair of the Senate Local Govern-

National education hearings at EMU

will host two regional public hearings of the National Education Commission on Time and Learnng, Thursday and Friday, April 29-30, in Ypsilanti.

The first of the hearings will be 1:30-3:30 p.m. Thursday, April 29, n Room 201 Welch Hall on the EMU campus. The second will be 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Friday, April 30, in EMU's Corporate Education Center, 1275 Huron St. in Ypsilanti.

The nine-member commission which includes EMU President William E. Shelton, was created by Congress two years ago with the passage of The Education Council Act of 1991. Its charge is to examine the quality and adequacy of time U.S. elementary and secondary students spend on study and learning.

In 1994, the commission will present its findings and recommendations in a report to Congress and the U.S. Department of

John Hodge Jones, school superintendent in Murfreesboro, Tenn., is NECTL chairman and Carol Schwartz, former special education teacher and Washington, D.C., City Council and Board of Education member, is vice

Serving with Shelton as commission members are: Massachusetts Sen. Michael J. Barrett; B. Marie Byers, vice president of the Washington County School Board in Hagerstown, Md.; Christopher r. Cross, executive director of the Education Initiative of The Business Roundtable and former assistant secretary for educational research and improvement in the U.S. Department of Education. Also Dennis P. Doyle, senior

fellow at the Hudson Institute in Chevy Chase, Md.; Norman E. Higgins, principal of Piscataquis Community High School in Dover-Foxcroft, Maine; and Glenn R. Walker, a former teacher and Fulbright fellow who is principal of Clifton-Clyde High School in Clyde, Kan.

The executive director of the commission is Milton Goldberg, ormer executive director of the National Commission on Excellence in Education, which 10 years ago this month produced the landmark report, "A Nation

SC outlines new classes

Schoolcraft College is accepting registrations for the following A motorcycle course for experi-

enced, but unlicensed, riders who want to get licensed meets 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday, May 2, at the Radcliff Center in Garden City. Fee is \$18.

A motorcycle course for touring bike and sport bike riders meets 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday, May 8, at the Radcliff Center in Garden City. Fee is \$18.

■ Document merge sorting and selecting meets 5-7 p.m. Monday, May 3, and Wednesday, May 5. Fee is \$35.

Pesticide application training meets 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, May 10, and Tuesday, May 11. Fee is \$125.

A course on supervising employees meets 7-10:10 p.m. on five Mednesdays beginning May 12.

Fee is \$125. A horse-grooming class meets 1-5 p.m. Saturday, May 15, and Sunday, May 16.Fee is \$32.

Airplane instrument ground school meets 8 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. on nine Saturdays beginning May

15. Fee is \$137. A firefighter course meets 6-10 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays from May 25 through Aug. 26, at the Radcliff Center in Garden City. Fee is \$475.

"You (local units) can't regulate them out of existence,'

Honigman and Sen. Jack Faxon, D-Farmington Hills, are sponsors of three bills (SB 507, 509 and 510) amending city, township and county zoning acts to prevent real quickly," said Honigman. them from prohibiting home music lessons and home tutorials.

The commimttee Tuesday gave them 5-0 approval and sent them to the full Senate floor for debate

The bills were prompted three years ago by the difficulties of piano teacher Betty Stasson with the ordinance officer of West Bloomfield Township.

"It happened in West Bloomfield, which changed its ordinance "But some big cities have these ordinances, and they are slow to

The Senate passed the mea-

ed over again this year.

The situation prompted Honigman, a philosophy student before essay on the balance between lo-

earn a living.

Honigman said zoning ordinances prohibiting home tutorials could be misused in a vendetta between neighbors. "These bills will spare people legal expenses

lic fight," he said.

he became a lawyer, to produce an former city councilman; Jim Berryman, D-Adrian, a former mayor: cal units' right to use police pow- Joel Gougeon, R-Bay City, a forers and an individual's right to mer county commissioner, and Jon Cisky, R-Saginaw, a former

law enforcement officer. In other business, the Senate longer contracts with hired city

The problem, he said, is that "a

manager without being held to

Also supporting the bills were future city council cannot be held Sens. George Hart, D-Dearborn, a to a contract approved by the last city council. Thus, if a council that approved severance pay for a manager, a future council could fire the

the severance amount. The bill was requested by the panel approved Honigman's bill Michigan Municipal League, a allowing city councils to write statewide association of cities and

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Proposal would let fines replace court

Local governments could streamline their ordinance enforcement by turning "criminal misdemeanors" into "civil infrac-

Two Oakland County lawmakers strongly supported a package of bills designed to let violators pay tickets at a violations bureau rather than make them appear in

"All local units can benefit." said Rep. Willis Bullard, R-Milford, a former township supervisor, "This (package) goes alone with making most minor traffic violations civil infractions as we did a number of years ago."

"It inflamed them (ordinance violators) when they found it was a criminal offense," said Rep. Penny Crissman, R-Rochester. We're having trouble with our

jams their schedules when they loose pet, or for not shoveling have to deal with people shoveling walks and posting signs. They (judges) don't want to take these

up," she added. Bullard and Crissman last week joined other members of the House Local Government Committee in reporting out 15 bills allowing — but not requiring — cities, townships, villages and counties to change local ordinances to

Such ordinances cover zoning violations, fences, signs, failure to obtain permits, dog control, burning, junk vehicles, weeds, snow removal, noise and even bicycle riding on sidewalks.

This legislation would allow local units to take the onus of criminality from the violation of ordinances like these," said the sponsor, Sen. Joe Conroy, D-Flint. "It's not right to deem a cit-

civil infractions.

their sidewalks, or for riding their bicycles on the sidewalk."

"Cities can have a civil infractions bureau, like a parking ticket bureau," said David Osborn of the Michigan Municipal League, an association of cities and villages supporting the bills. Lansing city attorney Kevin

McKinney said cities could save hundreds of hours of attorney time by not having to take rental housing inspection cases to court. If ticketed by a city inspector, a erson could:

Pay the fine at the violations bureau in person or by mail. Admit responsibility in person or by mail and wait for a court de-

Fight the ticket at either a formal (with attorneys) or informal (without attorneys) hearing, without jury, before the district judge,

just as with many traffic tickets. Fines and jail penalties would remain unchanged.

One-third of the fine money would continue to go to the local unit and two-thirds to the court. "There's no change. We don't want to fiddle with that," Conroy said in reply to a question from Crissman.

The House panel amended the bills to prevent an owner from losing his or her home for failure to pay a ticket. The Senate, which passed the bills last month, must concur before the bills become

The bills will go to the full House this week.

Conroy praised the House com mittee amendment. "It's a good argument for two houses in the Legislature," he said, chiding supporters of a one-chamber Leg-

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Vets host car wash

hil Pursell, owner of Main Street Auto Wash, 1191 S. Main, Plymouth, is handing over his car wash to the Plymouth/Canton Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 528 for a fund-raiser 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday, May 2.

Patrons will have the opportunity to have a professional wash while donating what they can to the local Vietnam veterans chapter, which is operating the Memorial Day parade this year. "We will keep all the donations," said Don Dignan ,former chapter president. "The money will go into our general fund."

While Pursell and some employees will be on hand, chapter members will be working right alongside them at the car wash.

Pursell and Dignan say this fund-raiser is more environmentally sound than those commonly held in parking lots. Pursell's system is tied to the sanitary sewer and the soapy water is treated before being released by the Detroit Water and Sewerage

Make your appointment

tate Rep. Deborah Whyman of Canton is holding office hours in the district at various restaurants. In consideration of the restaurant owner and other patrons, Whyman is asking constituents who wish to meet with her to call and make an appointment at (517) 373-2575.

Office hours are 8-10 a.m., Mondays. On the first Monday of the month, Whyman meets at Platos in Canton; the second and fourth Mondays at Golden Boy and Reflections in Belleville; and the third Monday is flexible.

Arts chief looks to fund-raising



BILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Local arts: Christine Ilas has a vision of bringing arts to residents in Canton and Plymouth.

Christine Ilas has been on the job as arts council director for four months now and has new ideas on raising money, sponsoring events, and getting programs going.

By Kevin Brown Stapp Writer



four months now, has a background in both the arts and

And business experience comes in handy in her position, seeing as the state has drastically cut funding to state arts groups.

Ilas, 28, is executive director of the Plymouth Community Arts Council. Her preparation for the job includes experience as a performing musician on keyboards and as a business per-

With her arts council job being part time, she also operates her own business, Mindset Marketing, which does promotion for hotels.

She also has a journalism degree from Bowling Green State University. Much of her job involves communications, as she often speaks about the arts council to community groups.

"Instead of talking about what the arts council does, I talk about why we want arts in our community. I have lived through some personal benefits of that," she said, recalling her musical performance experience.

But being aware of the arts also helps a person do creative problem-solving, Ilas said.

jor focus of the Plymouth arts counwhich also serves Canton. Ilas said she wants to restore Teacher Aid Grants in the schools, which have paid for projects such as Civil War re-

"I want to bring arts off the pedestal and get it up close and personal with the kids," she said, adding, "It's a challenge to get some canceled programs back on the budget."

Another program benefiting youth is the art person program. "Kids are introduced to different styles of art," she said, through the program in which volunteers make six presentations every year to each Plymouth-Canton classroom. Subjects range from sculpture to music.

To raise money to pay for programs, the arts council is kicking around ideas on the format of a major annual fund-raiser, to be initiated

Ilas said she'd also like to encourage local arts groups to coordinate ac-tivities and events. "Right now, if you want to schedule an event there is no place to check to see if it conflicts,'

The arts council has 250 members. Saying she'd like to see that number grow, Ilas added, "There could be more reasons to join the arts council."

The arts council has signed contracts with firms to renovate the former Wilcox Mill and turn it into the Wilcox Mill Arts Center - a headquarters and activity area for the arts

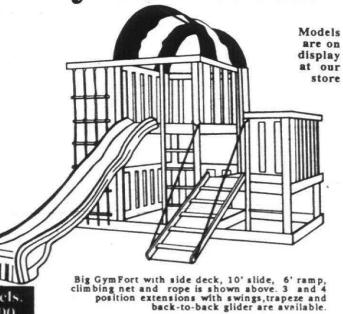
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Sale sponsored by the American Association of University Women is 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. May 6 and 7 and 9 a.m. to noon May 8 at the Starkweather Center Gym, 550 N. Holbrook (Old Village). Donations at gym entrance or Plymouth Dunning Hough Library.

E CANTON LIBRARY 7-8:30 p.m. May 19 - Dr. William Vasileff will discuss plastic surgery. Registration begins May 10

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SPRING CONCERT 'The Glory of Spring," a blend of religious, popular and folk music, is presented Territorial, Plymouth at 4 p.m. Sunday by Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, 1160 Penniman, Plymouth. Includes choir, -800-4929 Ext. 224. instrumental and adult bel

E STORY TIME

Stories, free milk and cookies for kids ages 2-6, 3:15-3:45 p.m. Tuesdays at McDonald's, 39700 Five Mile, Plymouth. Sign up, 420-0033.

istration required. Canton

Parks and Recreation Ser

SPELLING BEE Canton Rotary Literacy Committee will sponsor Community spelling bee at 7

p.m. Thursday, May 13, at the Canton High School Little Theatre on Canton Cen-M ANTIQUE APPRAISAL The Plymouth Historical Museum will sponsor a clin-

ic 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday

May 18, at 155 S. Main. Plymouth, Appraisals by Dumochelle Galleries in De troit. Appointment, 455-

FUND-RAISERS

II FLOWER SALE Order Mother's Day flowers before Saturday. Plymouth Canton Jaycees' hot line,

festivities. III CAR WASH

Plymouth/Canton Vietnam Veterans will accept donations for the local chapter 528 by offering a car wash 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday in Pursell's Main Street Auto Wash, 1191 S. Main, Plym-MUSIC AND FOOD

'Positively Pasta Two," 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 FOR YOUR pastry demonstration. Tickets at Hotel or 451-5681 or

B DINNER DANCE

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

III PCAC GARAGE SALE Plymouth Community Arts Council Treasure Mart

donations accepted 10 a.m. to noon Saturdays, 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 Canton graduates is 9 p.m. noon May 13, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. to 4 a.m. Sunday, June 13, May 14-15. Volunteers need at Plymouth Salem High ed. 455-5260.

> **III CANTON LIONS CLUB** Club will observe White Cane Week April 30 to May

bers will solicit street corners and business locations. Money collected for Lion Club projects, to aid the

JULIETTE LOW

p.m.) Friday, June 11, at Golden Fox at Fox Hills Country Club, 8768 North Sponsored by Huron Valley Girl Scout Council. Registration deadline is May 15.

SPORTS

T-BALL LEAGUE Plymouth YMCA league meets at Miller School Field. League 1 begins June 19 (register by May 31); league 2 begins July 31 (register by July 12). 453-2904.

E PLYMOUTH SOFTBALL For information on men's or women's slow pitch leagues, call Tom Willette, 455-6620,

at city of Plymouth Parks

and Recreation Department.

E CANTON SOCCER Club needs players for the

'79 Boys Recreational Division. Birthdate between Aug. 1, 1978, and July 31 1979. Call Don Kelm. 397. III GIRLS SOCCER

Good players are needed for the Canton Cruisers team playing in the Under 14 Division of the Little Caesar's soccer league. Call coach Carl Brey, 453-5547.

CLASS TIME

B PLYMOUTH CLASSES 453-8407. Delivery is May 8. Proceeds for fourth of July

ng/weight control seminar. 6-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 4, Plymouth City Hall Commission Chambers. Other spring classes: golf lessons, 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-

HEALTH

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uated magna cum laude from Eastern Michigan

University with a bachelor of arts degree in histo-

ry. She also is a member of Golden Key National

Honor Society and Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society.

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Symposium XIII participants.

Awards Banquet. Thomas W. Johnson, son of

Location:

Telephone:

screening is 1-5 p.m. May 3 at Beyer Drugs, 480 N. **WEIGHT WATCHERS**

Meetings in Plymouth: 5:45 p.m. Thursdays at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. Canton: Varia.m. to 1 p.m. (dinner at 6:30) ous times during the week,

> 553-3232 or 1-800-487-4777. M ADULT CARE Foster care is needed for adults with mental retarda-

Register - St. Michael Christian School and Pre School, ages 21/2 years

and 4-year-olds. Canton 5110. (Canton residents

Register - PLUS Pre school at Central Middle School, 650 Church, Plymouth. 451-6656.

ates, IBM training and GED training, Plymouth-Canton

E READING ASSISTANCE Free adult tutoring and confidential skills assessment. Community Literacy Coun-

GROWTH WORKS

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Volunteers are needed for and photocopying. Plym-

M ALZHEIMER'S

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.

III MEAL DELIVERY

ton community, 326-4444. F&M Canton Shopping Center, 42043 Ford at Lilley

2904.

tion. Call 455-8880 in Wayne County. WALKERS

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

EDUCATION

PRESCHOOL through third grade. Latchkey program available. 459-

Register - 8 a.m. Saturday, May 15, Canton "Crickets" preschool program, 3-Parks and Recreation, 397-

Community Education, 451-

Parks and Recreation De partment offers adult and outh classes, 455-6620. cil. 451-6555. YMCA offers a stop smok

VOLUNTEERS

E CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE typing and stuffing of envelopes, labeling and sorting of CANTON NEWCOMERS mail, making telephone calls | Last general meeting before

CALENDAR

Volunteers are needed to assist with adult day care profree screening the first Mon- gram for people with memory impairment. 557-8277.

Detroit News writer, will Volunteers needed to packspeak about writing as a caage or deliver meals to reer. All working women and homebound senior citizens living in the Plymouth-Canmen invited. Reservations,

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

III PLYMOUTH YMCA Volunteers needed, 453-

SENIOR CITIZENS E TRIPS

City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department offers trip to Holland on May E CANTON SINGLES

Dance for Canton residents is 7 p.m. Saturday at Canton ecreation Center, 44237 Michigan Avenue at Shel-

don Road. Band will play

music of the '30s, '40s and

'50s. Bring a friend. Call Mary Roy, 397-8803, or Betty Sears, 981-8412. # FOOD DISTRIBUTION Focus: HOPE provides food to eligible Canton senior citizens at the Canton Recre-

ation Center, 397-1000 Ext. **E PLYMOUTH CLASSES**

II FREE CLASSES **E SENIOR ALLIANCE** For non-high school gradu-

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

III CANTON CLASSES sponsors free classes. 397

CLUB CALL

Club will meet for a noon pot luck Monday at the First Plymouth on North Territorial. Bring plate to pass and service. Call Peter Suchanski, 459-9195.

Heidi Bartes, 416-0284.

Monthly dinner meeting is

She will attend graduate school in Pennsylvania

SHERI M. FISHER, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

at Pittsburgh University in the fall. She is the

Jim Fisher, graduated from Eastern Michigan

University with magna cum laude honors. She

earned a degree in Spanish and a teaching certifi-

cate. She is currently a student teacher at Plym-

TWO CANTON residents were among more

than 200 students named to the Kalamazoo Col-

outh Canton High School where she graduated in

daughter of John and Donna Thomas.

Ken Morley, 277-2709 (even-B PLYMOUTH PIECEMAKERS Meetings are 7 p.m. the munity groups or individuals announcing a community program or event. Please type or print third Thursday of the month the information below and mail your item to The Calendar, Canton Observer, 744 Wing,

> **III DEMOCRATIC CLUB** the fourth Wednesday each month at the Cherry Hill Schoolhouse, corner of Ridge and Cherry Hill. 397-

M WOOLGATHERERS Knitting Guild meets 6:30 p.m. the third Thursday of every month in the Salva-

S. Main in Plymouth Township. Call Karen Rumptz at 420-4022. **NEARBY**

tion Army building at 9451

STAMP CLUB Meets 8 p.m. first and third Fridays at the Plymouth

rant, Canton. Ellyce Field,

Kelly Baldrica, 489-4257.

WOMAN'S CLUB

E PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS

I IRISH FILM Founder of Irish Film Insti-Cultural Center, 525 tute will speak at 8 tonight

Luncheon and book review is noon Friday, May 7, at Plymouth First United Church, 45201 N. Territori al. Members only.

Monthly meeting is noon Thursday, May 7, at the Golden Fox. Fox Hills Country Club, 8768 North Territorial. Reservation deadline is May 3. 451-1525. Coffee for members and

PASTORS' SPOUSES

Plymouth-Canton pastor's spouses group meets at 7:30 p.m. tonight at the home of one of the members. 455-7053 or 459-4490.

prospective members is

20. 459-5328 or 455-9832

10:30 a.m. Thursday, May

M.O.M. Meet Other Mothers group will meet 9:30-11:30 a.m. Friday at First Presbyterian Church, 701 Church, Plymouth. Call Barbara Pearson,

421-6745, or Toni Shepherd.

Genealogical Society meet

ing is 7:30 p.m. May 12 at

brary, 32777 Five Mile. To-

pic is "Migration Patterns.

Lake Pointe Village Branch

of WNFGA will meet 6:30

p.m. Thursday, May 13, at

Farrand School parking lot.

Carl pool and tour Jackson

Park and Coventry Gardens

Post No. 6967 will meet at 8

p.m. the first Monday of eve-

ry month at Mayflower-Lt.

S. Mill in Plymouth. New

from other posts are wel-

III TOASTMASTERS CLUB

Oral Majority meets 6:30-

8:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Den-

ny's Restaurant, 39550 Ann

Arbor Road, Plymouth. Call

come. 397-2444 or 459-8027.

Gamble Post No. 6695, 1426

E VFW CANTON POST

In Plymouth, call Marge

Najarian, 455-1122.

M GARDEN CLUB

in Windsor.

Livonia Civic Center Li-

453-6134 Parks and Recreation offers I JAYCEES classes to seniors. 455-6620. Membership meeting is 8 to-

> night at Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, 453-M GENEALOGY Western Wayne County

Canton Recreation Center

United Methodist Church of

summer break is 6:45 p.m. Thursday, May 6, at the Canton Public Library. Call

E CANTON BPW 6:30 p.m. Monday, May 10, at Roman Forum Restau-

The Plymouth and Canton Observers welcome Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit com-

at First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 W Church, 455-3838. Canton Club meets 7 p.m.

at Birmingham Unitarian Church, 615 N. Woodward, Birmington. 729-2752. MOTHER'S DAY Brunch for Mom and family

is 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 9 at the Westin Hotel at the Renaissance Center, Detroit. Reservations at Summit, 568-8600; Cafe Rio, 568-

Pizazz contest is May 1-6 at Laurel Park Place Mall, Livonia. Entries in the Center Court. Also, fashion show is noon to 2 p.m. May 7 during lunchtime at D. Dennison's and the Garden Court Restaurant.

FUND-RAISERS

Angela Hospice Home Care Golf outing at Links at Pinewood in Walled Lake is May 20, 591-5157. Weight Watchers - 4-mile walk to benefit Hunger Action Coalition of Detroit, May 15, at Southfield Civic Center. 1 800-487-4777 Humane Society of Huron Valley - Dog Walkathon is 9 a.m. at the shelter, 3100 Cherry Hill, in Ann Arbor on May 8, Pledge sheets, 662-5585 Ext. 113.

United Cerebral Palsy

Association — Casual Day

kick-off is 5:30 p.m. May 6 at Plaza Hotel in Southfield Reservations by Friday, 557-5070. Arthritis Foundation - "Stars of Hope" gala and auction is Saturday at Omni International Hotel. Tickets, 350-3030. CROP Walk Against Hunger - Registra tion begins 1:30 p.m. May 16, at First United Methodist Church in Birmingham. Call the Rev. Art Ritter,

626-2737. Muscular Dystrophy Association - On May 3 mall managers of Lakeside Mall, Sterling Heights, are being "kidnapped," ransom obtained through donations. 228-0000. Leukemia Society of American — Buy signed baseball cards, 1-800-456-5413. American Lung Association - "Super Bowl for Super Kids" is 1-4 p.m. May 22 at Thunderbird Lanes in Troy. Bowlers of all ages must register by May 17,

IN SUPPORT

M RECOVERY GROUP Setting Addicts Free Eternally meets 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Main Street Baptist Church, 8500 N. Morton-Taylor, Canton. Interpreted for the deaf, 453-4785.

STARTING OVER Young widows and widowers meet the first and third Tuesday at First United Methodist Church, 45201 N Territorial, Plymouth. 677-

Group meets 7:30-9 p.m. every third Friday at Arbor Health Building Community Room, corner of Harvey and Ann Arbor Trail, Plym outh. Call Jack Bologna,

459-8787 (days only).

MEART PATIENTS

lege Dean's List for the last academic quarter. To achieve the honor, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average, or above, on a scale of 4.0. They are Anne M. Dibble, freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd J. Dibble, graduate of Plymouth Canton High School; and Bryan P. Schultz, junior, son of Ms. Marlane Kendra of Canton and John P.

■ DANA L. ROSLINSKI of Plymouth will graduate with honors May 8 from Central Michigan University, majoring in sports medicine.

Schultz of Freeland, graduate of Plymouth Salem

Pitchman Engler pushes tax shift plan to Rotary

BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW STAFF WRITER

district will have \$4,800 per stu-Like a big steel marble in a pin dent to work with. ball machine, Gov. John Engler is structure, featuring double-digit bouncing all over the place in an assessment increases, has "driven attempt to sell voters on the latest property tax relief plan.

people right out of their homes," Engler said Proposal A is the last Last Monday he bounced into best hope for tax reform. If it Troy to pitch the plan to the Ponpasses, homeowners could count tiac Rotary Club and received a on relatively stable tax bills and standing ovation when introduced not worry about being forced out. by Oakland County Executive L. Brooks Patterson Alternative: status quo The plan, which will be put to

Proposal A. would: raise the state sales tax from 4 cents on the dollar to 6 cents, dedicating the additional 2 cents to reduce most school district mil-

the voters June 2 in the form of

lage levies to somewhere between limit the growth of property assessments to 5 percent, or the in-

mills, \$6,700 per student) and the Dearborn school district (39

in the state.

Admitting that the current tax

The alternative is the status

quo, which "will be worse (be-

cause) it's not likely we can con-

tinue to (subsidize) the districts

that are spending the most money

As an example, Engler points to

and guarantee that every school the tune of \$400,000 a year. "I the millage reductions would be immediate personal interest, "but effect on cities, townships and think that's wrong," Engler said. In an interview with the Ob-

server & Eccentric after his speech. Engler agreed that a lot of folks are leery of Proposal A because they think the politicians will find some way eventually to turn this tax shift into a tax in-

there are no loopholes in the plan that politicians can use to boost property taxes back up. The plan's guarantees, he said, will all be written into the state constitution, meaning they can only be changed by another vote of the "I'm confident there are no

loopholes. We nailed all the back the Bridgman school district (8 doors, the side doors, the trap doors shut.

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& COMIC BOOK SHOW

Mon., May 31

Sat., May 22, 11 AM - 2 PM

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If Proposal A should be apmills, \$4,700 per student). Yet the proved, the additional sales tax state still subsidizes Bridgman to would go into effect in July, while

and 48" glass top table

reflected in the August tax collection, Engler said. More for students

In Observer & Eccentric communities, 12 of 13 school millages would decline, but per pupil spending would increase in every case. Lost millage revenue would be made up with state subsidies

derived from the extra sales tax.

Wayne-Westland school district residents, whose millage would drop from 47 to 27. On the other end of the spectrum is Bloomfield Hills school district, where the millage would increase by 0.5.

The big winners would be

Engler admits that voting for Proposal A is not in everyone's -the road with Engler's plan is the end of whoever is president."

in the democratic process we sometimes have to put our own personal agenda aside."

The governor believes that by educing taxes in high tax cities like Detroit and Westland, there will be more incentive for businesses to locate in those places. "Today there's a huge incentive

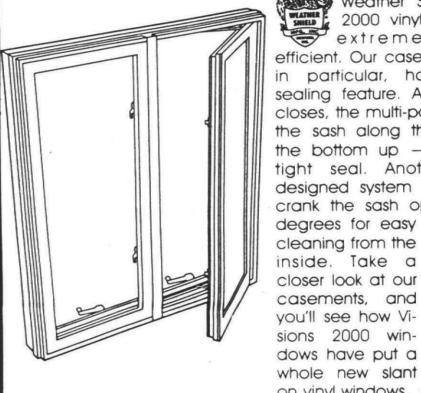
to move from the core cities and some of the suburbs to the more rural areas because the tax burdens are less," he said. "That disadvantage would disappear a little bit (if Proposal A passes). There may still be a differential, but it would be much less than it

is today.

flation comes back. With assessment increases limited to 5 per cent, an inflation rate of 10 percent for a few years would undermine the spending power of cities, townships and school dis-

In that case, Engler said, "They could always ask (voters) for more millage." But that might be the least of our problems. "If inflation ever hits 10 percent again there's going to be a lot of trouble in the economy," Engler said. "That's the greatest thief of all. When you talk about robbing someone, inflation will do that quicker than One potential problem down anything. It's going to mean the

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Theft led squad to Canton

Before it was stolen last year, a 1990 Ford Mustang Cobra was valued at \$22,000. But the theft of the car from Detroit led police to a chop shop in Canton.

When detectives recovered the car in a residential garage, it was in 41 pieces. Three suspects, two also started 391 new investigafrom Canton, were arrested for operating a chop shop and receiving and concealing stolen property.

That's one of the noteworthy cases officers of the Western hicles were recovered and 70 ar-Wayne Auto Theft Elimination rests made. In 1991, 436 new in-Effort were confronted with in vestigations were started. In 1992, 1992. Another includes the arrest officers recovered more than \$2.3 of a suspect for stealing auto million in stolen vehicles and parts worth more than \$150,000 parts, compared to \$2.5 million in from a Ford Motor Co. supply de-Statewide, auto thefts have de-

"The majority of crimes are committed by a few people. They are organized along business lines. We combat them by using the same techniques," said Lt. Sandra Miller, commanding officer of the Western Wayne Criminal Investigations.

cludes two special groups, the auto theft unit and the Western Wayne County Narcotics Unit.

That umbrella organization in-"These are multi-jurisdictional

1985. Nationally, auto thefts have increased 50 percent. "Obviously something in Michigan is making an impact," Miller said, referring to the cooperative task forces. Canton participates in the auto theft unit by providing

crimes." Miller said, which calls Director John Santomauro is the

covering western Wayne County communities, such as Canton. Last year, the auto theft unit, stripped for parts, continue to be law enforcement agencies, made

creased 16 percent since the Auto-

mobile Theft Prevention Authori-

a facility and the services of the

township's financial officer. Can-

ton Department of Public Safety

y began financing task forces in

among law enforcement agencies chairman.

which includes officers from 16 make auto thefts profitable. Task force efforts, however, have forced 69 auto theft-related arrests and chop shops into a new way of recovered 203 vehicles. Officers doing business. Now residential garages are growing in popularity as places to dismantle vehicles. Unlike chop shops of the past The 1992 statistics, included in that could be visible along the the unit's annual report, show a street, the residential garages are decrease from 1991, when 306 vea bit more difficult to detect.

Statistics show that chop

shops, where stolen vehicles are

for a multi-jurisdictional effort unit's project director and vice

"They don't want evidence left there so they tend to do one car at a time," Miller said. "When neighbors make noise complaints, sometimes these are chop shops."

Though not as prevalent in the western Wayne County suburbs as in Detroit, carjackings have added a new dimension to auto thefts, as have what are called "owner give-ups." These are actually crimes of fraud when an owner gives up a car in trade for narcotics and then reports the car stolen. "This gets very dangerous," Miller said.

The theft unit's officers aren't restricted to auto thefts alone. They conduct investigations into retagging operations, insurance frauds, larcenies from autos and

Unit tracks rise in local drug traffic

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI STAFF WRITER

Drug problems are following the westward development movement through Canton Township.

"I do think Canton is a problem because it's a growing community," said Lt. Sandra Miller, commanding officer of the Western Wayne Criminal Investigations which includes the Western Wayne County Narcotic unit and auto theft unit.

"Their drug problem is growing," Miller said, adding that the growth boom brings money and drugs along with it.

The narcotics team primarily investigates street and mid-level drug trafficking. And despite public perception, a majority of the

Miller credits area D.A.R.E. drug education programs for reducing drug use among students even though occasionally her unit receives calls for help from high

According to the narcotics annual report, marijuana remains a popular drug in western Wayne County. But it's not as cheap or olentiful as in the 1960s or '70s. "We are impacting the supply

oming into the state," Miller said. Now there's a smaller supply and higher prices. That contributes to dealers changing strategies and moving into the home-

In one of the noteworthy cases of 1992, narcotics unit officers helped with the arrest of a Canton drug problem in western Wayne man at his place of employment County is with adults, rather than in Plymouth. Officers seized five pounds of marijuana from him at

work. The unit provided information for a search warrant at the man's Canton house where more was found in his basement. In 1992, the narcotic unit, in

which Canton Township participates with an officer, made 83 arrests with 115 charges or counts. That's compared to 1991 when 110 arrests were made with 152

In 1992, 113 pounds of marijuana was seized, compared to 35 pounds in 1991. The amount of cocaine seized in 1992 decreased to 625 grams from 2.371 in 1991 and 8,603 in 1990. In 1992, 14 grams of heroin was seized compared to 8 grams in 1991. In the dangerous drug category, which includes other controlled substances such as LSD and prescription drugs, officers seized 220 units in 1992 and 81 in 1991.

MOTHER'S DAY

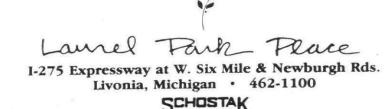
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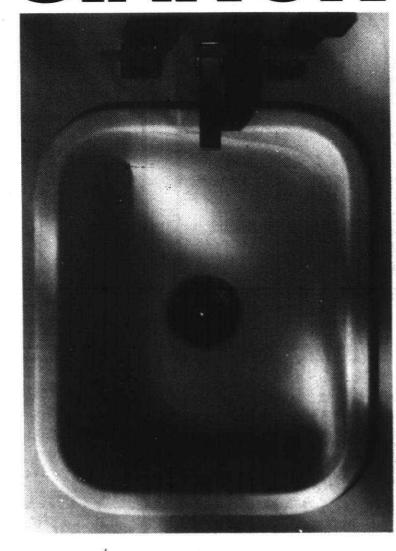




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To Extend Jobless Benefits: By a vote of 301 for and 114 against, the House appropriated \$4 billion in immediate deficit spending to provide up to 26 weeks of additional unemployment checks for those who have exhausted their initial 26 weeks of benefits. The bill (HR 1335) was sent to President Bill Clinton. It was all that he and congressional Democrats could salvage from a \$19 billion-plus economic stimulus proposal that hours earlier fell victim to Republican opposition in the

Supporter Vic Fazio, D-Calif., said Republicans who blocked the stimulus bill "are slapping the jobless in the face and slapping each other, giving each other high fives. It's putting politics before people and I think that's pathetic.'

Opponent Porter Goss, R-Fla., said the \$4 billion "should be paid for by cutting wasteful spending. In fact, many members have presented dozens of specific cuts . . . to

lions more . A yes vote supported \$4 billion

in deficit spending to provide checks to the long-term jobless. Area representatives voting yes were: Bob Carr, D-Pontlac, Dale Kildee, D-Flint, Sander Levin, D-Southfield, and William Ford, D-Ypsilanti. Voting no: Joseph Knollenberg, R-Birmingham.

save that \$4 billion and tens of bil-

To Add to George Washington's Birthplace: By a vote of 314 for and 93 against, the House passed a bill (S 326) authorizing federal acquisition of 12 acres to be added to the park in Westmoreland County, Va., that commemorates George Washington's birthplace. Taxpayers are to supply an estimated \$50,000 to \$100,000 for the land next to Pope's Creek Plantation, where the nation's first president was born in

Supporter Herbert Bateman, R-Va., said the land acquisition will 'ensure proper protection of this small but important part of America's heritage.

No one spoke against the bill. A ves vote was to pass the bill. Area representatives voting yes were: Carr, Kildee, Levin, and Ford. Voting no: Knollenberg.

SENATE

To Kill Stimulus Bill: The Senate failed to achieve the threefifths majority needed to end a Republican filibuster against President Clinton's stimulus package

(HR 1335) to prime the economy

with all Democrats except Richard Shelby of Alabama supporting Clinton. The vote officially killed the

Robert Byrd, D-W.Va., said Republicans "do not come into this court with clean hands. For 12

card. This president (Clinton) is trying to shift the burden to ourselves. He is having to raise taxes to avoid continuing to shift that.

burden to our children. GOP leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., said "the bottom line is this is just a terrible package. If you go back

spending first. If you cannot cut it, pay for it. At least you have to pay for it . . . ' That is all the American people want."

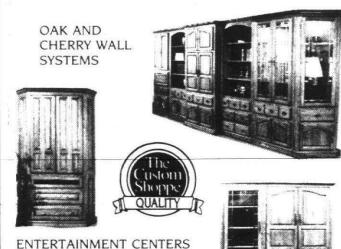
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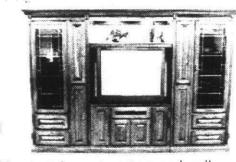
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Children were special to Buck

Buckman was raised on a farm

in Sterling Heights. He graduated

from Utica High School and stud-

ied engineering and accounting at

Northwestern University in Chi-

cago and Wayne State University.

turing, the Hudson Motor De-

fense Department, International

Detrola, and Masco Corp. A mem-

ber of the Signal Corps, Buckman

was drafted into government ser-

vice on special assignment during

the Persian Gulf War to work on

applications of the Patriot mis-

sile. He was honored after the war

He was preceded in death by

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Not so for Ray Buckman. Legions of friends, family, and admirers honored Plymouth-Canton Community Schools' retired legislative liaison at his memorial Mass at St. Fabian's Catholic Church in Farmington Hills Monday. Buckman, of Plymouth Township, died Friday after a battle with cancer.

Buckman volunteered as the district's legislative liaison until illness forced him to the sidelines last summer. He traveled regularly to Lansing, reporting on legislative action at board meetings.

His involvement in the schools extended beyond that. He was affectionately known to students he befriended at Bird School and other schools as "Gramps." Teachers and principals were often surprised with his delicious, homemade fruit pies.

Not content to look after just his own grandchildren, he took a special interest in at-risk students and helped keep them on tee, which helped pass a millage a

sharing his life, talent and good "He was someone who made a

difference, affecting the lives of children he worked with. Ray's patience, nobility, strength and simplicity touched our lives, and even the lives of people in neighborhoods where he lived throughout his life," Kendzierski said."He accepted all that came to him in life; the good and the

Those who knew Buckman, though, knew he wasn't afraid to speak up when he disagreed with a decision, even if the decision was to seek a tax increase. Last vear when the Plymouth-Canton board proposed a millage increase, Buckman opposed it, saying there wasn't enough time to launch a successful campaign.

The proposal failed. "The best way to sum up my dad," said Robert Buckman, "is that he really cared about people. He truly cared about people, not just the power people but the support people. He knew the secretaries as well as the administrators.

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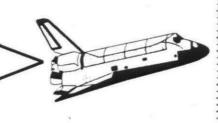
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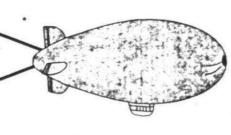
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Three area women - Althea calling 332-0844. Grant, Debra Cain and Jan Findlater — will be honored by WAND at 9:30 a.m. Thursday,

Corktown tour planned May 16 there will be a photo exhibit trac-Detroit's oldest neighborhood, Corktown, is opening its doors to ing the history of the area, which

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May 6 at The Community House, Police Department. Grant trains many women in the rape crisis movement.

Debra Cain was the longtime director of the Haven in Pontiac, a leader among Michigan's domestic shelters and rape crisis centers. At present, she is director of the Sexual Assault Prevention and Awareness Center at the Uni-

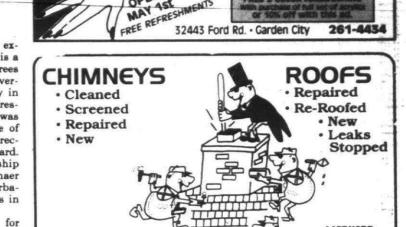
versity of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

Jan Findlater is a law professor at Wayne State University Law School. She played a key role in amending Michigan's criminal sexual conduct statute to make marital rape illegal. She is vicechair of the Domestic Violence Prevention and Treatment Board that oversees funding for Michigan's domestic violence shelters.

The keynote address will be de-

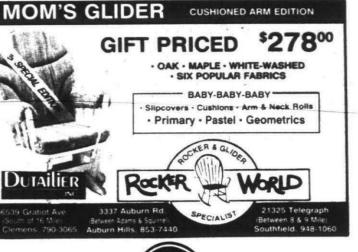
ecutive director. Susan Shaer is a native of Indiana with degrees from Bowling Green State Univer sity and American University in Washington, D.C. During her residence in Massachusetts, she was president of the state League of Women Voters and budget director of the league's national board. Before assuming the directorship of WAND early this year, Shaer was campaign director for Barbara Hidt, who ran for Congress in Massachusetts.

WAND. Women's Action for New Directions, is a national organization with local affiliates. WAND's mission is to "empower women to act politically to reduce militarism and violence and to redirect military resources to human and environmental



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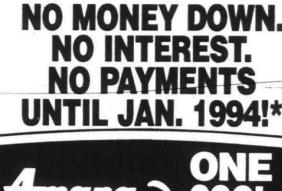




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Millage election

Board pulls fast one on public

he pending decision by the Plymouth-Canton school board to forge ahead with a 4-mill property tax increase proposal for the June 14 ballot is more than wrong, it was a ploy to get around Gov. John

Engler's tax plan. The Engler plan calls for shifting school funding to a higher sales tax that would go from 4 to 6 percent, while at the same time cutting property taxes to 18 mills. However, schools could levy up to 27 mills with voter approval.

If approved, property owners in Plymouth and Canton will rightly expect their school taxes to drop from 37 mills to 18 mills. But that won't happen if the 4 mills are also approved.

The millage rate for schools would be 22 mills, according to Richard Egli, schools spokesman. The district views voter approval of the 4 mills as falling under the Engler plan. The board will make a final decision May 10.

Such a view is a fatal mistake on the part of the school board. It's classic government. It's not exactly dishonest, it's sneaky. Such decisions are the reason people don't trust govern-

. If a voter casts his or her ballot for the Engler plan and it passes, the millage rate for schools in Plymouth-Canton should go down to 18 mills

and then schools could go back to voters to ask for more money.

That's the straightforward way. Any other way will leave voters crying foul and breed more distrust of government.

But let's go back one year in the Plymouth-Canton schools. Voters last June rejected a 1.5mill property tax increase, forcing schools to cut \$4.9 million, which translated into the loss of 57 teaching positions. At the same time, teachers rejected taking delayed pay increases as a way to avert layoffs.

Since then, the school board has been eyeing the 4-mill increase, which would raise \$8 million, as a way to hire back those teachers and make improvements to school programs.

However, at one point the board talked about a 2.25-mill tax hike proposal that would raise enough to restore programs, but not enough to make improvements.

The board should have stuck with that figure, especially in the face of the Engler proposal. A 2.25-mill proposal would have raised enough to get the district through this year of uncertainty, even if the Engler proposal fails.

The Plymouth-Canton school board is throwing voters a curve ball with the 4-mill proposal. Chances are voters will hit it out of the park.

When in doubt, just hang up

hen it comes to suspicious telephone solicitors, let's borrow a tactic (and the phraseology) of the anti-drug zealots, who tell us: "Just say no.

Now the good advice is: "Just hang up." Slam the phone on those pesky, annoying, overbearing - and often unscrupulous - telephone solicitors, if you don't like what you're hearing. In so doing, you'll be joining authorities from across the state who have launched a "Project Hang Up" campaign to put con-artist callers permanently on hold.

The Michigan State Police Troopers Association, according to press reports, organized the effort after people began complaining about mistreatment from fund-raisers claiming to represent law enforcement groups.

Indeed, many local telephones are rung to raise funds for POA (police union) causes, but very rarely is it a police officer doing the calling and asking. It's probably someone from a independent telemarketing firm on the other end of

Many residents complain about such begging calls. They can be annoying, especially when they come at dinner time. Small business own ers and the elderly are favorite targets of the telemarketer, who preys on their fear of crime.

Some boiler-room beggers claim to be raising money for bulletproof vests for cops or playground equipment for kids or drug education

programs in schools. Sometimes special treatment for the giver ("Hey, put our bumper sticker on your car") is implied, or there is a hint that police response time won't be as fast without the donor's help.

Some solicitations are on the level, however annoying, but many are unscrupulous. Such scams bilk state residents out of as much as \$15

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Now, we're not against police unions solicitng. We're not even against telemarketing with its boiler room operations. You can always say no and . . . just hang up.

Citizens who are thinking of give to a telephone plea should feel free to ask plenty of questions if they have any doubt. If the caller is rude or evasive, or if there is the least little suspicion, yep, you guessed it: Just hang up!

A new state law that took effect last December requires solicitors to register with the state and forbids them to say things that might intimidate people to give.

We're happy to have the help from Lansing. But residents should remember that they hold the real power here, hold it in their hands - the hands that hold the telephones.

Oh, was that noise we just heard the sound of million a year and damage the image of law en- a telephone receiver being slammed down?

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QUESTION: for the 6 per-

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We asked this question at the Canton post off-











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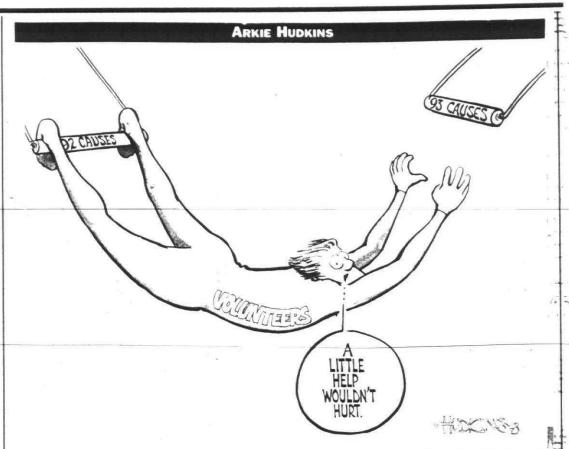
'It's hard to say. it depends on how much the property tax goes down." BIII Clark



Patricia Saah







LETTERS

Sound education ideas

e would like to assure readers of The Observer that the current wave of educational reform, especially with regard to the Plymouth/Canton Schools, are not alone in facing the question of how we can best prepare our youth with the knowledge and skills required by the real world.

The reality of the global economic restructuring that began in the 1950s and has dominated economic relations in the U.S. and world since the late 1970s has challenged traditional ways of doing things, from making cars to servicing customers to teaching and learning. Techniques and demands that worked in the

past fail to achieve the desired results. This

problem is faced by all institutions and all organizations. Twice before our nation faced the challenges of economic restructuring (1820s-1850s and 1880s-1920s). We are experiencing the pain of the decline of a mass production factory system economy that created the most prosperous mid-

dle class the world has known. New skills, new knowledge, and new work habits are required for success in the new emerging economy

The goal of preparing young people for the real world is a good one. The goal of giving students the experiences that will give them the knowledge, skills and habits to be successful is not only good for the students but good for the

The idea expressed by Jeff Counts in The Observer that all we have to do is get serious and avoid airy-headed educational philosophers and schools can be as good as they were in the 1950s no longer exists.

The U.S. Department of Labor under the Bush administration issued a report known as SCANS. It says, "A strong back, the willingness to work, and a high school diploma were once all one needed to make a start in America. They are no longer. A well developed mind, a passion to learn, and the ability to put knowledge to work are the new keys to the future of our young people, the success of our businesses, and the

conomic well being of the nation." The report goes on to say, "... the schools continue with a system and methodologies they inherited from a system designed nearly 100 years ago for the needs of business organizations that are now quite different."

Today, fortunately, we find responsible citizens, politicians, educators, and business people at the national, state, and local levels responding in dramatic and practical ways to the

new demands. Forty-seven legislatures have mandated educational reform. State and federal governments are trying to develop proficiency tests that will reshape curriculum and schooling experiences to foster success for students. We find educational partnerships in our own communities created to share in the solution.

The State of Michigan has passed Public Act 25 in response to the global economy that compels districts to create a core curriculum for all students and testing and reporting of the results to the citizens of Michigan. The MEAP tests too have been modified to help improve

instruction and student learning. Plymouth/ ucation" and "Cooperative Learning."

to succeed in the global economy. We all agree that schools should try to prepare students for in ways that threaten our students' prospects gently and thoughtfully and we are. The idea that the old system and some kind of down home plain talk is all we need unfortunately will not work. We wish it would, for it would be

David Seemann, Canton Dr. Stephen Williams, Detroit Philosophy teachers at Canton High School

Real world lessons

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Perhaps the educational establishment is sensitive to the phrase "real world" because their obsolete Soviet-style system bears no resemblance to it. High priced lobbyists, catchy slogans and public relations campaigns promot

pasic truth. Respect can't be forced on the public; it must be earned. Reforming the educational system to resemble the "real world" would create an environment where respect could be earned on an individual basis, through exceptional effort. If the educational establishment will not reform itself the voters will do it by removing school board officials who are sympathetic to the status quo (usually these are members of the educational establishment), refusing millage in-

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Canton Observer

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the real world, and if the real world is changing for achieving success we need to respond intelli-

any members of the educational estabcompetitive market pressures, "real world" im-

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ing self interests are not going to change this

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problems comes from the lack of skills in the workforce American school leaders and workers have fewer work-related skills than our foreign competitors. Jobs requiring low skills can be exported anywhere around the world. Conversely, if Americans are no more productive than Mexican workers, the best wages we can expect are at the

difficulties in adjusting to a

have provoked a sea change in attitude.

For the first time in a generation, there

now exists a consensus ranging from

reaucrats, from labor leaders to educa-

tors, from Republicans to Democrats:

■ Much of America's competitiveness

business leaders to government bu-

global competitive economy

■ We need to attack the skills deficit both for school leavers and for workers

who are at risk of being displaced because they possess obsolete skills. ■ Because the skills deficit exists throughout the entire economy, the appropriate remedy is universal and should not be targeted at sub-groups such as the poor or minorities. Recent political history bears out the

Jim Blanchard, as governor, recognized the skills need when he consoli dated management for the maze of job training programs that existed in Michigan. Keyed around the Michigan Opportunity Card, the system sought to offer job training to anybody who needed it, with a minimum of bureau-

The program excited a lot of national attention. It formed the basis for George Bush's Job Training 2000 proposal during the last year of his presidency, and it triggered much of President Bill Clinton's campaign rhetoric



PHILIP POWER

For the first time in a generation, there now exists a consensus ranging from business leaders to government bureaucrats. from labor leaders to educators, from Republicans to Democrats.

Interestingly, one of John Engler's first acts after becoming governor in 1991 was to tear apart the entire system erected by Blanchard. I criticized this at the time, arguing the program wasn't worthless merely because it wasn't invented by the Engler Admin-

And so nobody was surprised when Engler earlier this year signed a package of executive orders that, in effect, re-established the integrated system pioneered by Blanchard, A Michigan Jobs Commission will oversee both economic expansion and workforce de velopment. A Governor's Workforce Commission replaces the old Michigan Job Training Coordinating Council but does largely the same thing.

The phraseology in the press release was striking: "A single user-friendly system that will replace the confusing and wasteful maze of bureaucratic job training programs."

Republican Engler even praised

And let's not forget the Tailhook

Democrat Clinton's hopes of creating a "new unified job training system." I re-member writing stuff like that when was trying to get the same idea off the ground back in the late 1980s. Engler has made a sensible appoint-

ment to head the Workforce Commission: Juanita Pierman, director of gov ernmental affairs for Kelly Services. She works for a corporation that assesses the skill and then trains more people than any organization in America ca except the armed services.

The consensus on workforce skills is solid. Whether Blanchard or Engler Bush or Clinton, the public policy thrust is the same. The real question is whether government can find enough tough-minded results-oriented people to convert public policy prescription

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Reconsider pros, cons of homosexual rights

hat consenting adults do in the privacy of the the privacy of their own home That statement applies to politics, religion and sex.

The operative words are consenting and adults. Forcing someone to do something they'd rather not do, or involving children in illegal or immoral activities, is simply unacceptable.

Having said so, I have reached my limit on articles about gay people.

If you regularly read newspapers and magazines, you'll notice it's been impossible to go for more than 24 hours without reading a story about gay peo-

Gay men living together. Lesbians raising children. Awareness of homosexuality. Sexuality classes in schools Groups that condemn gay lifestyles. Senators who condemn gay soldiers. Companies that offer employee bene-

fits to same-sex partners. Publicly gay men who drag privately gay men into the public spotlight. Gay corporate executives who live in fear of having their lifestyles exposed. Companies that discriminate against employees suspected of being gay. Restaurants that announce they will not hire gay help.

That's not all. I haven't even gotten nto the religious arguments yet — gay priests welcomed by their congregations, gay priests kicked out of their churches, heterosexual priests presiding at gay marriages .

Enough. The pro- and anti-gay forces are doing themselves more harm than good. Both groups need to retreat, regroup and review the message they're sending out.

First, the anti-gay forces: No one be-

lieves for a moment that you lead the

J.S. senators and "experts" rail

prim, squeaky-clean lifestyles you It's great to turn on CNN and watch



PHILIP SHERMAN

against gay soldiers, in particular, and gay lifestyles in general, as though they are a blight on society and a rip in America's moral fabric.

These are the same hypocrites who cheat on their spouses and make a mess of it in public, ruin themselves and their careers, drag their families down with them and, just for good measure, embezzle a little tax money on their way out of town. Fine examples all of upstanding American behav

convention — an outstanding example of responsible heterosexual behavior on the part of 140 high-ranking Navy and Marine officers. Those officers were representatives of the same military groups that think homosexuals in their ranks will cause all kinds of gender Second, the pro-gay forces are no

better. Apparently it isn't enough to tolerate their lifestyles — they require approval as well.

It doesn't say anything about approval in the Constitution when religion or politics is discussed. It says they must and will be tolerated.

One's sexual orientation is no more r less important than religion or politics. When, for example, the religious fanatics rear up, they get slapped down by a public that says we aren't interested - do as you wish, but do not require my participation.

Pro-gay forces are absolutely correct

to insist on equal standing in this country. They should not have to hide or live in fear. They should not be out: lawed. They should enjoy the same rights anyone else does. That does not mean they should ex-

celebrate their lifestyles. Tolerance, on equal footing with the numerous religious and political groups in America, should be enough for anyone. Overall, both sides need to remember something: We're talking about sex. D

pect anyone to go beyond tolerance and

doesn't deserve a 10th of the discus. sion it has generated, and, in fact, is cheapened the more it's discussed. Besides, no one should be so ignorant as to step up and define what is= normal" in this realm.

Normal is defined by the partici-

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LETTERS

Slippery Tommy

believe it is time for the news media to let the people of Canton know the truth in regards to the increase in tax assessments on

Michigan Compiled Law 42.11a Sec. 11a states: "In any charter township, in addition to the supervisor, the charter township board may provide for the appointment of assessors, not exceeding 2, for such charter township. Whenever assessors shall be appointed, as in this act provided the supervisor shall be the chief assessing officer and such assessors shall in all cases be subordinate to such supervisor. Upon the completion of the assessments and making of the rolls, such rolls shall be deposited with

the supervisor. Now comes Mr. Yack claiming he knew nothing of the huge increases in the assessments on the farmers. The tax statements were mailed out in December 1992, therefore the tax rolls must have been in his hands several months before then, yet he persists in having no knowledge of the increases. But then again how is Yack Arena II going to be paid for if taxes are

It must be the breed of politicians now, the nation has Slick Willie, and Canton has Slip-

Eugene E. Daley, Canton

lllegal hunting

pery Tommy.

n response to the article "Judge drops charges against anti-hunters," the charges against the protestors were not dropped because of a technicality. The charges were dropped because the hunters were illegally hunting. In other words, the charges against the protestors should have never been raised in the

It is even more interesting that the DNR knew that the hunters were hunting illegally and suppressed testimony by a DNR employee. The defendant's research turned up evidence of testimony suppression resulting in the case being dismissed. Such events are not technical-

Lastly, the park hours stated in the article are incorrect. The park is only open from 8 a.m. Michael Chiado, Plymouth

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does not apply regular park rules to hunters, even though there is no official policy to exempt hunters. The DNR seems to have an incestuous relationship with the hunters of this state.

As was said in court, the DNR

A minority of park users, the hunting community, is getting special treatment by the DNR. As was said in court, the DNR does not apply regular park rules to hunters, even though there is no official policy to exempt hunters. The DNR seems to have an incestuous relationship with the hunters of this state.

Mettetal hearing

n March 31, 1993, a hearing was held in Lansing, Michigan 48913 before the Joint Capital Outlay Subcommittee regarding the state purchase of Mettetal Airport. Rep. Jerry Vorva, on behalf of his constituents, recommended non-approval of the intended purchase.

Rep. Deborah Whyman, on behalf of her con-

Roger L. Kehrier, Plymouth

stituents, recommended approval of the intend-

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Also, you said the police speculate that this

leave the sensationalism out. Brian Gaines, Plymouth

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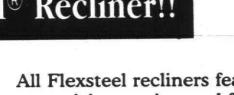


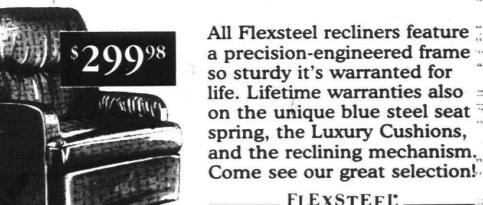
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Retiring SC philosophy prof recalls college's early years

BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW STAFF WRITER

If Schoolcraft College was a Navy boat, philosophy professor Angelo Chinni would be a plank

In Navy lore, if you were part of the original crew of a new boat, you were entitled to one of the boat's planks when the vessel was decommissioned.

Chinni (pronounced Keeny) started teaching at Schoolcraft in the first year of the college's existence, 1964.

It's unknown if he'll be awarded a Schoolcraft plank upon his retirement April 30, but the 62year-old first-generation American will settle for a pension and the good wishes of staff and stu-

Born 100 percent Italian in Detroit, Chinni graduated from Eastern High School (now Martin Luther King Jr. High School) in

Bucking the odds, he was one of 10 percent of his graduating class to attend college. Chinni worked his way through Wayne State University and the University of Detroit on a summer job at Dodge Main in Hamtramck paying \$1.50

One day at Wayne State, Chinni attended a philosophy lecture on a lark and found his calling. 'Students now would find it hard to believe that you would just go in and listen to a lecture,"

Philosophy became a serious avocation for Chinni, and he spent the next 13 years or so figuring out how to get paid for it.

Graduating from U-D in 1953, Chinni clerked for three years in the Army, then took an elementary teaching job in the Detroit schools. In his spare time he chiseled away at the courses required for a master's degree in philosophy.

By 1964 he had the degree, and some new-fangled thing called a community college was opening up in Livonia. Chinni reached for the brass ring and came up with a part-time job teaching political



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science to Schoolcraft College's inaugural freshman class.

It was something of an atypical political science class in that Chinni often digressed to included a philosophical analysis of politics, leading some of his students to inquire as to the availability of straight philosophy class the following year.

Chinni pitched it to the administration. "We were young, new, very flexible," he said. "Bang!" Schoolcraft had its first philosophy class in 1965 and Chinni quit the Detroit schools to go full time with Schoolcraft.

Some of the teachers I worked with in Detroit said, 'What are you, crazy?" "Chinni said. "They made the same mistake most people make. They think of it in terms of money." At the time Schoolcraft paid less than Detroit schools.

Since then life has been an outstanding success for Chinni. There's no telling how many students have passed through his classroom, but the number is large. Members of that freshman political science class in 1964 are now in their late 40s and early 50s, which Chinni finds "mind boggling."

In retirement Chinni plans to travel the country with wife Mary Rita, and he figures he's getting out at the right time, while vitality still occupies his id.

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SPORTS

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Chiefs perfect in golf

lymouth Canton remained unbeaten in girls golf Monday by winning its third straight dual meet, 260-273 over Livonia Churchill at Fellows Creek Golf Course.

Canton's Audrey Meissner was the match medalist with a score of 58. Christine Wertanen shot 63, Val Smith 66 and Allysen Meissner 73. Jenny Bakita carded 63 strokes, Brandy Bakita and Erin Murfey 68 each and Carrie Hutson 74 for

The Chiefs are entered in tournament play Friday at Brighton.

Heaton signs with Giants

oby Heaton, a three-year starter on the offensive line at Michigan State, signed a free-agent contract Monday with the New York Giants of the National Football League.

The 6-foot-6, 293-pound Heaton, who prepped at Redford Catholic Central High, leaves today for the Giants mini-camp.

'I was disappointed at not being drafted, but I'm happy where I'm going," Heaton said. 'Whether I was drafted or not doesn't make me better or worse as a player. I'm going out to win a job, be physical and play smart.

Heaton, a former state high school heavyweight wrestling champion, made second-team All-Big Ten at MSU. He was also an All-Big Ten academ-

All-American wins debut

ll-American Sports Center of Farmington Hills began a new season in the Livonia Men's Modified Fast-Pitch Softball League Monday with an 11-4 victory over Top Shelf Sports.

Jerry Staszel was the winning pitcher, allowing six hits and four walks.

All-American had 11 hits, including three from Bill Rowley (one RBI). Doug Kirkpatrick (three RBI) and Dave Mondoux (one RBI) had two hits

Jim Dillon had a two-run single and Mike Greener a run-scoring triple for the winners.

SPORTS SCENE Deja vu: No decision in soccer



Soccer quagmire: The normal flow of a game was sometimes interrupted and the ball obscured by water and mud Monday as Amy Westerhold (left) and Sue Parrish can attest.

It's wait til next time for the Canton and Salem soccer teams since their Monday game failed to produce a winner. BY DAN O'MEARA STAFF WRITER



Close games are the norm when Canton and Salem play each other in girls soccer, but someone usually scores at least one goal. How-

ever, even that has become rare lately. For the second year in a row, the regular-season meeting ended in a scoreless tie Monday as the teams went 80 minutes without reaching a

But the two hundred-plus spectators who braved the chilly evening at Centennial Educational Park were not without cause to cheer.

The field showed the effects of early spring weather and was muddy, wet and slippery. Two large puddles provided a diversionary form of entertainment, especially late in the game when the result seemed inevitable.

With their being few scoring chances, the girls got the biggest response whenever they had to chase the ball through one of these hazards.

"It's tough playing on this junk," Canton coach Don Smith said. "You can't run. It would be bad if it was just mud, but this is clay and it sucks the feet down. "It would be a better game if each

team could run well," Salem coach Ken Johnson said. "I have to congratulate the girls for making it look

The field conditions affected the style of play, causing both teams to play more of a defensive game.

The emphasis and advantage was on defense, as much from circumstance since the offensive players had trouble getting the right angle and setting themselves to take a shot.

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Rocks achieve another title

The Plymouth Salem girls track team has one more reason to boast after winning the Lyle Bennett Relays at Central Michigan University Friday.

The Rocks had previously won the Spartan and Lady Chiefs Relays and had won an important league dual meet with Livonia Stevenson less than 24 hours ear-

"We came back after the win over Stevenson and went right at Salem coach Mark Gregor said. "I was concerned as to how rested we were, but the girls got themselves prepared.'

The Plymouth Canton girls have done almost as well, finishing second in the Bennett and Spartan Relays (Michigan State University). Salem had 1001/4 points last week, the Chiefs 76 and Mount Pleasant 61.

Salem won four events at CMU.

There was an upbeat mood at

Plymouth Canton boys track

practices this week after the

Chiefs won the Belleville Tiger

Relays for the first time Saturday.

py. A lot of kids got medals, and

we got a nice, big (team) trophy,"

Canton coach Bob Richardson

said. "I was happy for the seniors.

There hasn't been a lot of trophy-

The Chiefs scored 75 points,

Ypsilanti Lincoln 71, Plymouth

Salem 681/2, the host team 65 and

Livonia Churchill 53. Saline (47),

Wyandotte (46) and Garden City

Canton won the meet with out-

standing balance, scoring in all 15

events except the individual 100-

The Chiefs accomplished the

team victory with only one first

place; however, they did have five

seconds, two thirds, four fourths

The distance runners played a

major role in the overall success,

beginning with Jeff Keith's victo-

ry in the individual 1,600 run

meter dash and pole vault.

winning the last few years.'

(101/4) also competed.

and one fifth.

"The kids were extremely hap-

GIRLS TRACK

including the high jump in which sophomore Melissa Hopson achieved a personal best of 5-6.

The Rocks won two distance relays as Kelly Stankov, Courtney Sheldon and Lynda Sebestyen combined with Karen Boudreau to win the medley (13:29.3) and Stacy Witthoff the 3,200-meter relay (10:19.3).
Witthoff was on two other re-

lays, also. Witthoff, Dana Driscoll, Marcia Parker and Tonya Wheeler won the sprint med-ley in 4:41.4, and Witthoff, Sheldon, Sarah Hamilton and Wheeler were second in the 1,600 relay (4:07.8).

The team of Hopson, Driscoll, Parker and Vanessa Benning gave the Rocks third in the 400 relay (52.2). Sarah Makins was third in

Chiefs capture relays crown

BOYS TRACK

Smith and Kevin Gudeth were

second in the 3,200 relay (8:35.8).

Yack also anchored the dis-

tance medley team, which includ-

ed Matt Demey, Marques Nelson

and Ian Bedford and finished sec-

and we're real strong there," Richardson said. "We dropped

some (runners) down to other

events and, basically, our dis-

tance crew got us through five

and John Martin placed second in

the 1,600 relay (3:38.1). The

Chiefs got their other second in the high jump (11-4) with Mark

"I knew we could place with

Koziol also combined with Tom

Raven and Jon Gallinger for third

place in the discus (329-2), and

those two kids, but getting second was a little bonus," Richardson

Koziol and Damon Collier.

Demey, Mike Erickson, Gudeth

Those are the distance events,

ond in 11:28.2.

events.

said.

best of 15.6, and Nicole Van Hees was fourth in the high jump (5-0).

Salem sent the other half of its team to Belleville for the Tiger Relays Saturday. Ypsilanti Lin-coln was first (81), Belleville second (65), Saline third (56), Canton fourth (44) and the Rocks fifth (43).

Alysia Sofios was on two second-place relays. She combined with Sarah Lapinski in the high jump (8-8), Courtney Kramer and Jaimie Gardner in the long jump (39-6).

Tina Balan, Leslie DeShazar and Sue Smith were second in the shot put (80-10). The Rocks got third in the shuttle hurdles (1:21.5) with Stephanie Hong, Karen Anderson, Jane Darby and Amanda Regenski. Amanda Parrish was fourth in the 100 hurdles

part of relays, but Nelson was

fourth in the individual high hur-

dles (17.1). Nelson, Leon Black, Rich Smolarek and Martin were

third in the shuttle hurdles

The Chiefs got fourths from

Collier, Black and Ben Greanya

in the long jump (52-21/2); Mike

Gurchak, Nelson, Collier and Rob

Lemasters in the 400 relay (47.0).

in the 800 relay (1:37.6) with the team of Gurchak, Erickson, Col-

lier and Lemasters.

Canton's fifth-place finish was

(1:10.5).

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the Canton side. "You can't look behind you, because there's so much ahead of you. Saturday is over and we have to get ready for the next one.

whole team together," Richardson

said. "We don't care who scores

the points as long as they're on

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The Rocks were led by Don Johnson, who won the high hurdles



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Raven, Gallinger and Brandt Blair gave the Chiefs fourth in the LAZY-BONES® Keith, Dave Yack, Todd Smith (15.9) and helped the team do shot put (116-2). and Shawn McNamara were secwell in three other events. Nelson and Collier scored in ond in the 6,400 relay (19:27.5), · MASTERCARD · DISCOVER · AMERICAN EXPRESS · DINERS three other events each, most as See TRACK, 3B and Justin McClain, Keith,

The end is in sight. And, as much as anything, that's a

Madonna University's men's basketball program is taking shape. Again. It's been four vears since a men's team took to the court at Madonna. Come November, it will reappear.

Bill Sharpe and his two assistant coaches, Pat Henderhan and Mark Poplawski have been trying to recruit student-athletes for a program that has never flourished.

In the years when Madonna did field a men's team, it struggled. In short, it was the kind of team with little fan, administrative or financial support. It was the kind of team other colleges added to their sched ule as an afterthought, halftempted to write in a "W" with Madonna's name.

Sharpe knows what he's up against. He knew it when he accepted the position last year.

It hasn't deterred him. Indeed, in a city scoured by basketball coaches from around the country, he has already managed to find what could be the makings of a pretty good team.

A month ago, Sharpe had commitments from seven players. He has added seven more and hopes to complete his recruiting with two more players. "I thought we'd have a good

situation," the former Univering is sound, too. sity of Michigan-Dearborn assistant coach said of his staff's recruiting efforts. "But we're doing better than I anticipat-Considering he's starting his

program from scratch, that he had to find 15 players - with out promising any of them a scholarship - that he could mold into some sort of team, his efforts deserve

But take note: The job has just begun. The Crusaders haven't played a game yet. Sharpe's initial recruits were

guards Doug Soper, Khari Hairston and Christian Emert, and forwards Mike and Bran don Slone, Andy Irwin and Jaulonni Dimes. Size was missing. The

Slones, at 6-foot-5, were the tallest of the recruits Sharpe has solved that prob-

lem, sort of. He's added 6-8 center Reggie Cash, a junior

BASKETBALL

from Detroit Cooley; 6-5 for ward Eric Zwierchowski, a freshman from Center Line St. Clement; 6-6 center Jason McNab, a freshman from Madison Heights Bishop Foley; and 6-4 forward Curt Carlos, a junior from L'Anse Cruse North and Macomb Community Col-

Three other guards have also been added: 6-2 Donnell Foster, a freshman from Detroit Osborn; 6-3 Ed Brown, a redshirt freshman from Clewiston. Fla.; and 6-1 Don Dombrow, a freshman from East

Cash, who has bounced around at a couple of schools (most recently, he attended Lake Michigan CC), could be Madonna's prize recruit. He has ability, but, according to

Sharpe, "he's a little out of shape right now. Zwierchowski's greatest attributes are his strength and rebounding ability. "And he's not a bad shooter," said Sharpe. McNab is strong and

smart but needs to develop, he Carlos is quite the opposite McNab. "This," said Sharpe, "is a man. He's built like a man. He's the strongest kid I've seen." Defense is what Carlos is expected to supply, and Sharpe believes his shoot-

Carlos, Cash and Soper (a sophomore) are the only upperclassmen on the roster thus far. Not surprisingly, Sharpe is expecting something more from them. "I've told them, 'Your job is to help us develop the younger guys,'" the Madonna coach said.

There's plenty to work with. Foster is a shooter with quickness: "He shoots the three unbelievably. He can do a lot ball handle, play defense and

be a leader on the floor." Brown is a sophomore with freshman eligibility, another good shooter with the ability to play guard or small forward. He, too, has exceptional quick ness. And Dombrow has poten tial at point guard but may

Summing up his team thus far, Sharpe said, "Potentially, we may have the best group of guards in the district.

CRAZE!

MU playoff chances suffer after split

Armstrong. After Megan Arm-

strong laid down a sacrifice bunt,

Jill Burt singled Mandy home to

make it 3-0. Birchmeier had three

pitching loss for Madonna.

The second game was easier for

clinched the mercy. Mandy was 2-

for-2 with a run scored and two

RBIs, while Megan went 2-for-2

Kristen Wasil got the win,

tom of the sixth made it 7-5. but

the Crusaders weren't through.

To start the seventh. T.C. Raptis

Roy then hit a hard shot down

raced home with the game-winner

Galloway was the loser

on the double play.

first-base line that was

each had two hits and an RBI.

coach Dave Racer summed it up succinctly Tuesday when he said 'Nothing's coming easy this year

True enough. The Lady Crusaders played their final NAIA District 23 games of the regular season Tuesday against the last-place team — Grand Rapids Baptist, which was winless in the district.

Until Madonna showed up in Grand Rapids.

The Comets scored three runs in the sixth inning to tie the game, then got the game-winner n the eighth when Madonna second baseman Mandy Armstrong's throw to the plate was wild. The 4-3 victory was Baptist's first in the district after 11-straight loss-

Madonna came back to post an 11-3 win in the nightcap, a game shortened to five innings by the district's eight-run mercy rule. But the Comets did their damage:

trict mark, within reach of Tri-State, which was 3-5 entering play Tuesday

Should Tri-State win five of its last six games, it would gain the final berth in the four-team district tournament. If both teams end up 7-7, Madonna would qualify because it beat Tri-State twice

Still, it should never have come to this. True, the Crusaders were without three key starters: ace pitcher Dawn Terrasi and left fielder Holly Jondro (batting .348) missed the games because of final exams, and first baseman Hughana Wilkie had the flu. But it should have been a

sweep, nonetheless. The Crusadwith one RBI and two runs ers had 10 hits in the first game, scored. Birchmeier and Parenti but "we didn't get the timely hits," said Racer. "We didn't adjust to their pitching."

started with singles by Jennifer up three runs on seven hits and two walks, striking out two. Madonna's overall record is 14-24. sacrifice by Geralyn Kepshire, and a two-run single by Mandy

III CONCORDIA 9.7. MADONNA 6-9: Just three days after a lopeided sweep of Concordia College in a district doubleheader, the Crusaders found themselves embreiled in a battle just to get a split in a non-district twinbill Saturday.

hits in the game; Tracy Parenti The Cardinals teed off on Madonna But Baptist tied it in the sixth the first game, scoring seven times on Wasil in the first five innings and twice thanks to a walk, a hit batter, an error and two singles, setting the more against Terrasi. A four-run stage for the eighth-inning rally Crusader rally in the seventh made the which consisted of a double, a score more respectable, but didn't fielder's choice and Mandy's erchange the outcome.

ror. Lynda Weichel took the Mandy Armstrong had two of Madon na's six hits - a pair of run-scoring sin gles, in the fifth and seventh. Trac-Parenti also had two hits. the Crusaders. It was 8-2 after three innings, and a two-run fifth

In the second game, the Crusaders got a two-run single from Burt in the fourth and a two-run double from Wilkie in the sixth in a come-from-behind win. Con cordia led 5-4 after three innings, but a three-run fourth put Madonna ahead fo

Terrasi went the distance to pick up the pitching win. Wilkie had two hits to

tied for second in the district at

12-4; now Madonna is 14-4 (27-15-

overall) and just percentage

points behind Aquinas (12-3)

Siena Heights is 9-9.

t Madonna University Park.

which were earned.

Spring Arbor is 12-6 (18-11) and

FERRIS STATE 20-4, MADONNA 7-

5: Four errors cost the Crusaders in the

opening game, but they came back to

win the nightcap in eight innings Friday

With two out in the fourth inning,

dropped fly ball led to a seven-run Ferri

Chad Zann (0-1) was the losing pitcher

State rally that decided game No. 1.

arrendering 10 runs - only three of

Roy went 3-for-3 with an RBI and

In the second game, freshman Mike

Grahl had a one-hitter and a 3-0 lead

going into the seventh, but Bulldog sen-ior outfielder Brent Beshears lined a

hree-run homer with two out to tie the

score and force extra innings.

Miller was 2-for-4 with two runs scored

going all five innings and giving Crusaders take 'huge one' from Spring Arbor

University's baseball team needed to clear to get past being mere y respectable, it was Spring Ar-

In the first 13 meetings beween the two schools spanning Madonna's first four seasons, the Fighting Crusaders had managed o beat Spring Arbor just once. It was a trend that needed reversing if Madonna was planning to extend its season beyond the NAIA

District 23 Tournament. On Saturday at Madonna University Park, the Crusaders twice battled back in the late innings to pull out 5-4 and 8-7 wins against their greatest nemesis, thus winning the regular-season series three-games-to-two

"It was a huge one," was how Madonna coach Mike George described the sweep. "Big isn't enough to describe it.

The Crusaders trailed 4-2 after five innings in the first game, but tied it in the sixth. Jeff Pendell and Jeff Miller started the rally with singles. The Cougars tried to get Pendell at the plate on Bill Terski's grounder, but he was safe, trimming their lead to 4-3. Shaun Hayward's sacrifice fly scored Miller with the tying run.

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BASEBALL Madonna's sixth-inning comeoack. After Pendell reached base Madonna won it when Rich on an error and Miller singled, Roy singled in a run and Terski Roy doubled and Terski singled singled in two more, narrowing him home in the eighth. Roy, who the Cougar lead to 6-5. was 15-of-28 for the week to raise Galloway's homer in the bot-

three runs batted in, the first on a ground out in the second inning walked. Brusseau doubled and Pendell put down a bunt single. loe Brusseau also singled in a run scoring one run. Miller's double scored another, tving the game. Jeff Kugelman improved his record to 4-1 with the pitching win, going all eight innings and snagged, with the runner at second doubled up. But Pendell

allowing four runs on seven hits and three walks, striking out eight. Dean Sisk took the loss for Spring Arbor. In the second game, the Crusaders trailed 6-2 after five

his batting average to a team-best

.376, had two hits and scored

twice Terski had one hit and

innings but rallied with a pair of three-run innings to escape with the win. Louie McKaig turned in a superb relief pitching performance, entering the game in the fourth for Shaun Hayward and going the

walks, striking out two. McKaig

improved his record to 5-1.

Spring Arbor. The game was more than a jinx-

final 3% innings. He gave up one run, a Chris Galloway solo homer in the sixth, on two hits and two



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Fate deals Canton pitcher another setback

Benedict added another page to his hard-luck baseball story Monday when the Chiefs lost 1-0 to host Northville.

Benedict pitched a no-hitter for seven innings before the Mustangs got two hits and the winning run in the bottom of the eighth inning.

"He should be 5-0 - and 5-0 against teams like (Redford) Catholic Central and (Birmingham Brother) Rice." Canton coach Mark LaPointe said. "He's

just phenomenal. Benedict (2-3) struck out 10 and walked none. Steve Christensen pitched a one-hitter for the Mustangs, striking out seven and walking two. Ryan Fordham had the only Canton hit.

"Their pitcher did a good job but we hit some screamers," La-Pointe said. "We hit him harder than they hit Benny, but we hit it

right at people."
In the Northville eighth, Danny Walsh had an infield hit and later scored from second on a line drive ' to center field by Chuck Apligian.

The Chiefs are 0-1 in the Western Division, 1-1 in the Western Lakes Activities Association and

Monroe Tournament Saturday, defeating Taylor Center 12-1 and Allen Park 10-0 in a pair of fiveinning, mercy-rule games before losing to Taylor Kennedy in the

final, 9-6. "We had a good time, worked hard and played well," LaPointe said. "It was old-fashioned Canton baseball. The games were reminiscent of the late '70s and

"Our behavior and intensity was like it was back then when we had our real strong teams. It was fun to recapture that feeling."

Kennedy scored three times in the sixth and seventh innings to lead 6-2 and 9-3 before Canton added three in the bottom of the seventh. Sophomore Chris Cortellini was

the fourth of five Canton pitchers and the loser. He entered in the fifth and worked one full inning, giving up two hits and two runs.

II 'It was old-fashioned Canton baseball. The games were reminiscent of the late 70s and early 80s . . . It was fun to recapture that feel-

Canton baseball coach

Dean Rovinelli started and went 1% innings, Scott Valimont four and Matt Horn two-thirds Ryan Ostach relieved Cortellini.

The Chiefs outhit Kennedy 11-Mark Schankowski, Eric Marcotte, Brad Paskievitch, Fordham and Horn had two each. Fordham had two triples and

two RBI. Paskievitch and Horn scored two runs apiece. Paskievitch. Ostach and Brian Lemke had single RBI. "We're in good shape and I

think we'll be a fine baseball team." LaPointe said. "I think this team can accomplish a lot over the next six weeks." Paskievitch was the winning

RBI and stole six bases.

laving scored 42 runs in a tour

clobbered Plymouth Salem, 12-2.

two RBI. Kathy Rabaut contrib-

uted two doubles and drove in a

run, and Jenny Czach had one hit

Pitcher Jenny O'Donnell im-

proved her personal record to 3-0.

She went the distance, allowed

just four hits, fanned four and

walked three. Jenny Garvey suf-

fered the loss on the mound for

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LIVONIA CHURCHILL 3 Monday at Churchill

No. 1 singles: Martin Knecht (LC) def. End

No. 3: Scott Boersma (PC) def. Jeff Durling 6

Monday as the Vikings

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run mercy rule.

and two RBI

the Rocks.

pitcher against Taylor Center

tossing a four-hitter. He struck

Schankowski, Mike Stafford, Adam Gilles, Marcotte and Chris Johnson had two hits apiece. Stafford broke a scoreless tie in the third inning with a three-run, 410-foot home run. He hit another homer and pitched a no-hitter in

the second game.

out seven and walked two.

"He has to be the best player in REDFORD CC 5, DCD 4: Redthe Observer area." LaPointe ford Catholic Central overcame a 4said. "I haven't see anyone who comes close to what he can do. Marcotte, Schankowski and Gilles had two RBI apiece, Lemke Day in a non-league game. and Johnson one each.

Stafford struck out nine and all, scored three runs in the third didn't walk an Allen Park batter. and added single runs in the fourth

and Stafford (two RBI) led the game. The game was stopped after 12-hit attack with two apiece. Stafford hit a two-run homer

Pitcher Andy Slankster earned the win after allowing four hits, no runs and three walks in three innings of relief of starter Dave Kapla. The Yellow Jackets chased Kapla from the mound after scoring four

runs in the first 1% innings. Juan Sanchez's two-out single in the fifth drove in the winning run for CC. Sanchez was 3-for-3 with two RBI. Brian Paluk was 2-4 with an RBI and Dave Susalla picked up the save in 21/2 innings of relief.

The Shamrocks won another nonleague game on Saturday, 13-8, over in the bottom of the seventh inning when Jeff Ross hit a two-out, twohost Northville.

CC jumped out to an 8-0 lead and strike double to score Wing from starting pitcher Paluk pitched onehit ball over four innings to earn the

Slankster led CC's 14-hit attack with three hits in four at-bats. Mike 0 deficit after two innings Tuesday Brusseau had a double and solo hoand beat host Birmingham Country mer and Sean Wheeler also hit a CC, which improved to 10-6 over-

Kapla was 2-3 with two RBI and

Sanchez was 2-5 with two RBI.

Chiefs dominate Mustangs SOFTBALL Muneio scored four runs, had an

23-2 behind the five-hit pitching

Holmes threw a no-hitter

against Allen Park, and Nicastri

and Tracy Ligner delivered key

In the win over Truman, a five-

inning mercy game, Karrie Drin-

khahn was 3-for-5 with two

homers, six RBI and three runs

Nicastri and Rowe also collect-

ed three hits each. Rowe had four

RBI and four runs scored, and

Nicastri drove in three runs and

scored two. Mortiere was 2-for-5

with two runs scored and an RBI.

lymouth Christian improved to

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doubles to help the cause.

of Jamie Sikora.

16 and allowed three hits Monday as Plymouth Canton's girls softball team defeated visiting North-

Canton, which finished third in the Monroe Tournament Saturday, improved to 4-1 overall and 2-0 in the Western Lakes Activities Association

The Chiefs had seven hits and scored in four different innings against losing pitcher Kari Krapinski, who walked seven with four strikeouts

Dani Mortiere had two hits, including a double, scored two runs and had one RBI for Canton. Lisa Nicastri was 2-for-4 with two runs scored and an RBI, while Tina Schafer scored a run and had an The Chiefs rested Holmes in

the first game of Saturday's Mon roe Tournament - a 2-1 loss to Taylor Center. Colleen Baker suffered the loss on the mound, allowing six hits.

Sarah Rowe's home run in the fourth was one of four Canton

"We just came out flat, weren't hitting the ball and had no key Canton coach Jim Arnold said. "Overall, our performance (for the day) was pretty good."

Holmes pitched Canton to an 8-0 win over Allen Park, and the Chiefs also beat Taylor Truman

overall with its 21-0 drubbing f Fairlane Christian Tuesday a Kristina Tilly tossed a onehitter with 11 strikeouts and two

walks in the five-inning mercy Melissa Yoder had two hits, including a double, drove in four

runs and scored four. Karin Reed was 2-for-2, was walked twice, had four RBI and scored four

Track from page 1B

Dan Johnson, Brian Herc, Yu Kobayashi and Johnson were second in the shuttle hurdles (1:10.6); Don Johnson, Ron Cul-George Hester were third in the long jump (53-5). Herc also was third in the high burdles (16.8).

Like Canton, Salem scored in every event but the 100 dash and pole vault, the latter of which neither teams competes. The Rocks finished third in the 400 relay (46.2), which in-

seven other events, including

four in the distance relays. Derek Cudini, was third in the .600 run (4:43) and combined with Josh Stickney, Mike Redmond and Justin Richardson for an 11:29.6 time in the distance

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Stickney anchored the 3,200 team (9:01.7), which included Andy McDonald, Russ Polcyn

Redmond, Polcyn and Hero were on the 1,600 unit (3:39.2) along with Adam Bakowski, who connected with Marcus Zevalkink, Steve Schumacher and Jay Casey in the 800 relay (1:35.9).

Casey was the anchorman on

cluded Don Johnson, Zevalkink and Schumacher. Schumacher, Rockland Johnson and Jeff Schumacher got third place for the Rocks in the

shot put (123-4).

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No. 2: Joe Kim-Mark O'Keefe (PC) def. Dave

Karolak-Matt Eszes 6-3, 2-6, 7-6. No. 3: Dave Bii-Mike Ratkewicz (PC) def. Kyle chaeding-Corey Williams 6-1, 3-6, 6-2.

No. 4: Brett Libby-Mike DeShetler (I Records: Ganton 5-0 overall, 4-0 Western

NORTHVILLE 7

No. 1 singles: Mark Schwagle (N) def. Martin No. 2: Matt Schwagle (N) def. Todd Estes, 6-

No. 3: Brad Smith (N) def. Jeff Durling, 6-2.

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No. 4: Vik Srinivasan-Divek Mohta (N) def.
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Wing pitched Walled Lake Central

to the Lakes Division victory over

the Rocks Monday. He held Salem

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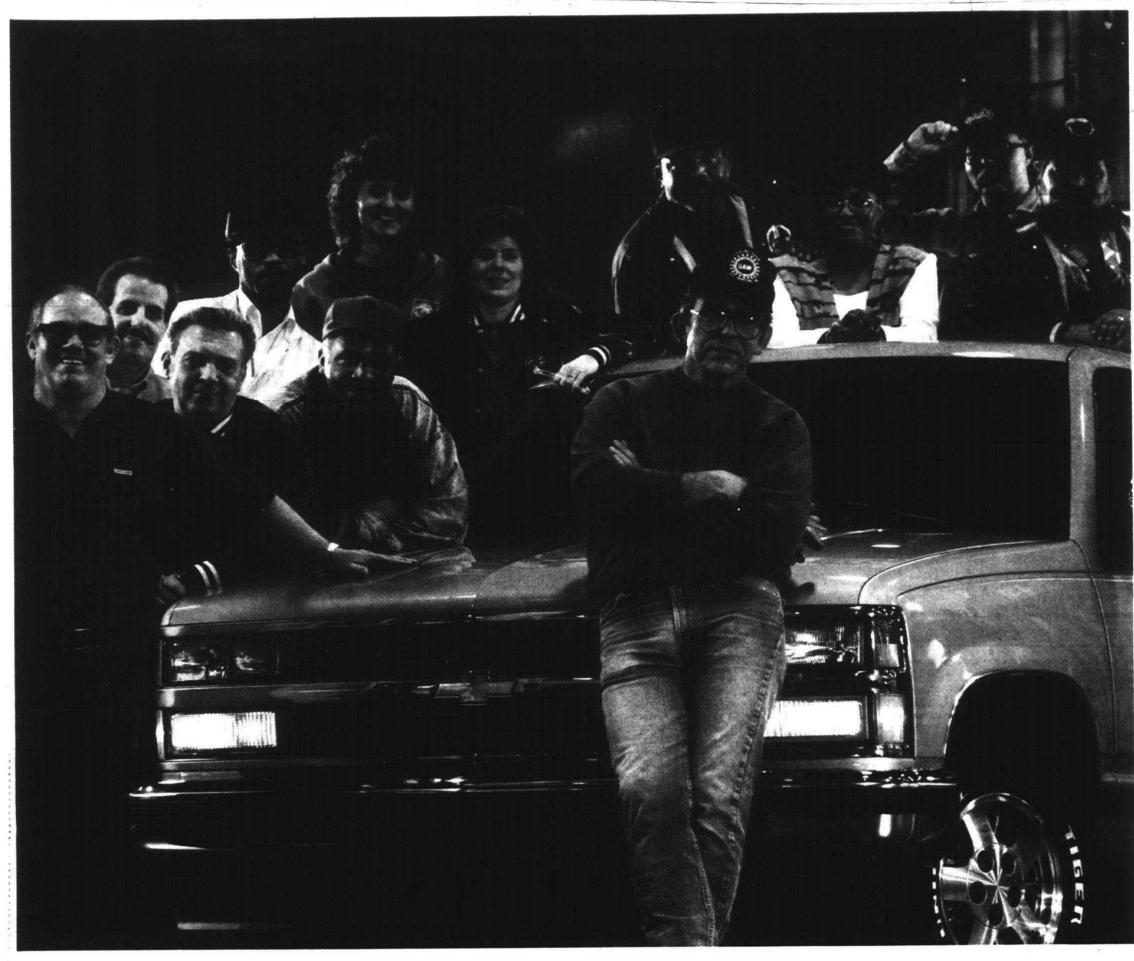
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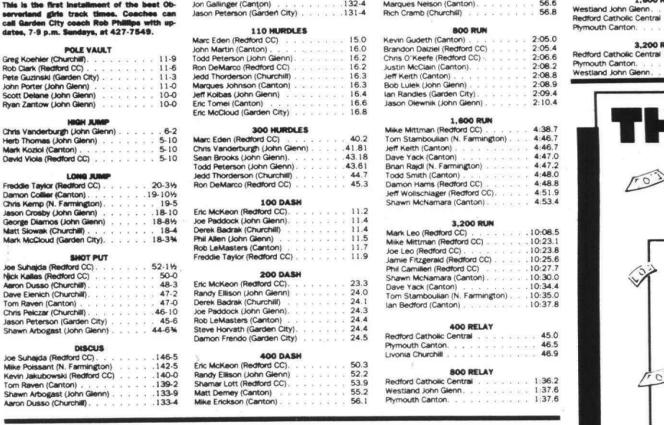
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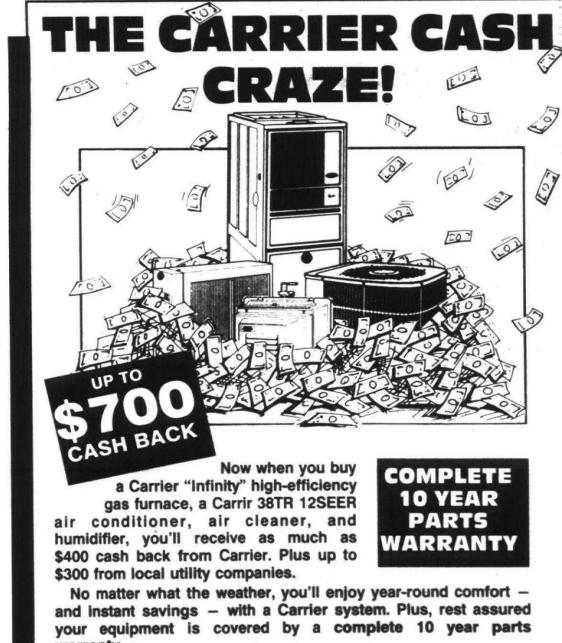
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Two to tango: Salem's Michelle Cronan (left) and Can-

ton's Leah Hutko jostle for position and possession of the

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The defense played well, but the forwards had a tough time of it," Johnson said, adding it could have been an easy game for either team to win or lose because of a

fluke goal. "We played more conservativey on defense. Kris Goff didn't have that many runs forward, because if she gets beat we're in trouble. I thought both defenses cut down people real quick if any obvious break was coming."

Salem outshot Canton 10-6, but there were few close-range at tempts and most were rollers the keepers could easily scoop.

Canton keeper Jori Welchans was challenged a couple times when the Rocks pressed the attack in the first half. Salem was in the Canton end only slightly more in the second, but neither team held a sustained advantage. "I think they played a better ballgame, but they didn't get us,' said Smith, whose No. 2-ranked

team remained unbeaten at 5-0-1. "I think they beat us to things out there, but we hung on. We're always tough to beat.' "The wings (on both teams) had speed and crossed the ball

well, but the keepers either got to them or they were cleared," Johnson said. "That indicates there were no clear chances. Nobody missed an open goal." The teams will have to wait until next month to decide the issue,

most likely when they have their

annual meeting in the district tournament. The Chiefs, having beaten Livonia Churchill, will probably win the Western Division title if, they can beat Northville on May 10 and get a chance to defend

their Western Lakes Activities

Association championship. Salem (2-1-2) will probably finish second in the Lakes Division since it lost to Livonia Stevenson. For the No. 7 Rocks to win, Stevenson needs a loss and a tie in its last three division games.

"We're going to see them again, and it's going to be much more important," Smith said. "Not that we didn't want to win, but this game didn't have a lot of re-

■ CANTON 8, ADRIAN 2: The Chiefs posted their fifth straight win Saturday over the visiting Maples, who trailed 2-0 at halftime. Coach Don Smith played his reserves for much of the game against outmanned Adrian, and the Canton goals were spread among seven players. All-state forward Leah Hutko was the only one with

Veteran senior defender Kathy Bahr scored her first career goal, and Erika Swegles and Robyn Vachow got their first goals of the sea-

Melissa Tomei had one goal and assisted on two others. Alyson Noune and Angie Page accounted for the remaining scores. Mandy Salin also had two assists: Dawn Koontz, Kara Movlan and Vachow

Jori Welchans played the first 10 minutes in goal before giving way to Sarah Warnke, who finished the game and shared the shutout.

"I was playing all the young kids until they got tired," Smith said. "All of them got a chance to play a lot. I subbed the other kids (start-

SPORTS SHORTS

Items for the Sports Roundup Tuesday (for Thursday edition) and 5 p.m. Friday (for Monday

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The Sixth Annual Kids Fishing Derby will be Saturday and Sun day, May 1-2, at Heritage Park in Canton Township. The event is sponsored by Canton Parks and Recreation Services and is open

only to Canton residents. Boys and girls ages 3 (by May 1) to 15 are eligible. The fee is \$1 per child to be paid the day of the

Times will be 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday and noon to 3 p.m. Sunday. Participants may register for one one-hour time period.

The Heritage Park ponds will be stocked with rainbow trout, and awards will be given for the largest fish caught. First prize is a \$100 savings bond.

Advance registration can be done in person at 1150 S. Canton Center Rd. or by calling Canton Parks and Recreation at 397-5110. Children can register the day of the event if space remains.

SENIOR SOFTBALL

The Tuesday and Thursday morning Can-Am Senior Softball League is looking for a few good men in the 55 to 65-plus age

Practices are 10 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at Canton's Heri tage Park, located off Proctor, west of Canton Center Road; and Livonia's Ford Field, Farmington and Lyndon.

The first games are May 4. For information call Jim Baldwin at 261-4468 (league office) or Kathy Clark at 522-2710 (Livonia Senior

FOOTBALL CAMP

Redford Catholic Central's annual Westside Football Camp (grades 4-8) will run from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m., Monday through Thursday, June 28 through July Wildflower:

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Though 100 years may seem

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ephemeral. Many spring time

events are also ephemeral and

must be experienced when the

opportunity arrises. Walking

trails on a regular basis is the

best way to make sure these

In spring, forests are alive

with life of many forms. Am-

phibians amble, or hop down

to vernal ponds created by

melting snow and spring rains.

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Birds migrating through the

area on their way north to

breeding grounds only stay

around for a few days. They

cannot afford to stay long be

cause the breeding period far to

the north is shorter than it is

Leaves and stem of a plant

may persist for long periods,

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signed to attract insects, or

produce pollen, so that seeds

can be produced, they cannot

Bloodroot is a spring wild-

flower that grows in rich moist

woodlands and blooms for just

a few days. Its 8-16 white pet-

als are striking against the neutral tones of the forest floor.

Leaves of bloodroot are large

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makes it easy to identify this

plant. If a small part of the leaf

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red liquid can be seen ozzing

from the leaf. Bloodroot

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paint, an insect repellent and

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were frequently used to de-

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Unfortunately, the petals o

bloodroot only last a few days.

and then all that remains for

the rest of spring and into

summer are the leaves. But

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ball Monday NOW THRU MAY 2ND HIGH PERFORMANCE

Livonia Ladywood upset Madison Heights Bishop Foley, the state's No. 2-ranked girls soccer team in Class B, on Monday, 3-2. The visiting Blazers (3-1 over-

Blazers earn victory

half to earn the Catholic League Senior Amy Yeager's header off a cross from Jamie Colliton with only four minutes to play proved

all) caught fire late in the second

to be the game-winner. Val Adzima's scored six minutes earlier to knot the game at 2-2 off a scramble in front of the

Ventures' goal. Ladywood jumped out to a 1-0 halftime lead when junior forward Kelli Colliton scored at the 19minute from sister Jamie, a sophomore midfielder

Foley (2-2 overall) then answered with goals at the 15- and 20minute marks of the second half. but the Blazers responded.

"Defensively, it the best game I've coached at Ladywood," Ron

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Predmesky said. "Defensively it was a team effort. ■ STEVENSON 4, FARMINGTON 1: Sophomore forward Laura Fedrigo scored a pair of goals Monday, leading host Livo-

junior forward Amy Marcoe each conibuted a goal and one assist. The Spartans, rated No. 5 in Class A coaches poll), led 4-0 at halftime.

Beeton and Kathi Kucharski also tallied goals for the Chargers.

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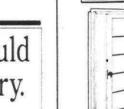


nia Stevenson (4-1 overall) to the Western Lakes Activities Association (Lekes Division) win over the visiting Falcons. Senior midfielder Michele Brach and

Senior goalie Karen Groulx, who made five saves, could not stop a second-half penalty shot attempted by Farmington's Michelle Lorenz

III CHURCHILL 7. WESTERN 0: Freshman Marie Spaccarotella scored a hat tricl Monday, propelling Livonia Churchill (2-1 2) to the WLAA-Western Division vin over host Walled Lake Western. Aimee Cousino, Kerri Verardi, Emily

Mary Beeton went all the way in goal to earn the shutout for Churchill, rated



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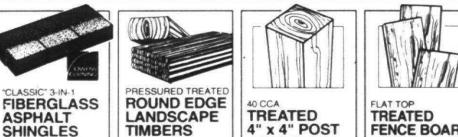
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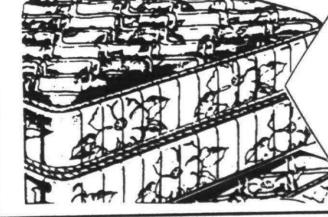
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Among the musical performers will be a vocal choir from the Burger Center for the Autistic in Garden City, and the Schoolcraft Players, a chime choir from Red-

Live musical and dance performances, hands-on art activities, demonstrations, and a statewide art exhibition spotlight the Very Special Arts programs shared throughout the year by children and adults with hearing, sight,

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ment impairments.

"It's definitely something for the family. We're going to have visual art. They can enjoy the performances, learn about dance therapy, or make something, said festival co-chair Connie Lott. "We want to invite schools from all over the area to come over and take a look."

Very Special Arts was founded for children and adults who could not participate in the sports of Special Olympics. The festival serves as a model for the ways that the arts can be used to integrate the disabled and non-disabled in cultural and educational activities, said Lott. It is part of a larger, ongoing program of yearround arts experiences taking place in schools and communi-

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Founded in 1973, the Burger Center for the Autistic is the largest public school program in the nation and serves as one of those settings, encompassing the entire

Wayne County area. The Burger Choir will perform 10:30-11 a.m. Friday; the Schoolcraft Players 11:30 a.m. to noon Saturday. The 30-member choir is the only autistic choir in the country, and one of only two in the world. Since forming in 1987, the group has sung the national anthem at Tiger Stadium and resented Christmas concerts at Westland and Wonderland malls.

After recording the school song, "Reaching Rainbows." at a professional studio, interest in autism by the media spurred an appearance on the Kelly & Co. show. "Autism is a developmental disability, a brain disorder usual-

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rector Stan Bialach. "It's not a choir of perfect technique. It's a choir of perfect emotion. It keeps a happy medium of sound in their Due to state budget cuts, choir

The choir is to help the child de-

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The choir, spotlighting vocal and trumpet soloists from within the group, will perform the selections "I Wanna Know What Love Is," "Reaching Rainbows," "Save the Sunlight" and "One Moment

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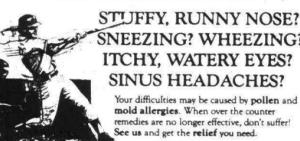
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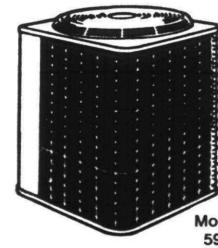
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Amy Plassins, of Livonia has been named a leading district sales manager for 1992 by I.C. System, Inc., a national collection

Plassins ranked twelfth in I.C. System's President's Sales Club. The rankings are determined by sales volume, number of sales and collection fees derived from their accounts.

Plassins has represented I.C. System since May 1991. TMs was the first Awards Banquet to which she has been invited. Plassins has also earned an Honor Roll for a monthly sales perform-

Livonia representative Dennis A. Wallot, CFP, regional vice president Frank Kenny, James Tillman, Larry Lumsden, district mana-

gers

and Russell Navarre, account executive attended the Money Concepts International Financial Planning Congress recently where Wallot was a featured speaker due to his outstanding achievements the past year.

Kenneth R. Hale, CIC, owner Cambridge Underwriters of Livnia, has been elected a member of the board of governors of the society of Certified INsurance Counselors, a national not-forprofitorganization dedicated to rofessional insurance education.

Lori A. Buhl of Sporrs Florists and Green Houses in Plymouth has been certified as a senior designer by Florists' Transworld Delivery Association. Achieving certification means Buhl has completed flower identification and design style identification tests, and passed a series of tests requiring the design of specific floral arrangements from predetermined categories.

Paul Martin, Pella sales representative in Livonia, has been recognized as a Pella Most Valuable Performer for outstanding sales and customer satisfaction.

Mark Evans, of Westland has Phyllis Rediem, legal secrebeen promoted to Regional Marketing Manager for the Michigan and Ohio region of Minuteman Press International Inc., the fran- Daniel Herriman, consultant-

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Evans is a 9-year employee of Minute man Press International, and was formerly a Technical Representative for the same re-

announced its new officers for 1993, electing Gary Dembs, of The Public Image, as president David L. Banks. Greater Detroit Society for the Blind, as vice pres-

gion of the United States.

sance West Community Health Services, as vice president of programming Susan Floyd Voyles, Family Service Detroit and Wayne County, as secretary, and Joan Witte,

Wain Saeger, Ph.D., Renais-

ident of membership

Credit Counseling Center, Inc., as In its third year, the Non-Profit PR Network is the only Michigan trade organaization dedicated to communications professionals in education, human services, the arts and government.

Community Federal Credit Union announces the 1993 Board of Directors, who were officially inducted at the Annual Meeting held in March at the Northville

Four seats on the board were filled at the conclusion of the ballot counting. The election resulted in the return of three incumbent candidates: Albert Berrie, Ronald Griffith and Joyce Wil-In addition, Elaine Ableid-

inger was voted into office to fill the vacancy left by retiring director John Genitti. Genitti, owner of Genitti's Hole in the Wall Restaurant and Samuel H. Little Theatre in North-

ville, served on the Community Federal Board of Directors for 6 1993 Community Federal Credit Union Board of Directors: ■ Albert Berrie, director of en-

ginerring-FAAC Inc., chairperson

tary-Don Morgan, attorney, vice chairperson Herriman & Loiselle, treasurer Patricia Reese, psychologist-Plymouth-Canton High School,

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ger-Colonial Collision The Non-Profit PR Network Ron Griffith, dean-Schoolcraft College)

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Russ Webster, owner-Penniman Dell and, Joyce Willis, executive director Ann Arbor Public Schools.

Credit union directors serve on the 11-member board without pay. They are responsible for reviewing credit union policies and

James Lindsey has been promoted to Acting Assistant Director of Operations-Transportation for the Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transportation (SMART). Lindsey will be responsible for

assisting with day to day transit

system operations at all SMART nehaul terminals. T&N plc has named Rita Grisham president of T&N Industries Inc., holding company for its U.S.

operations.

Grisham's responsibilities will include oversight of all operations at the T&N Ann Arbor office, with administrative responsibility for the performance of accounting and finance, insurance, taxation, environmental and legal services. Gresham will report to the directors of finance and personnel for T&N plc in the United King-

Grisham has served in a variety personnel, human resources, and sales management positions during her professional career. Prior to her appointment as president of T&N Industries Inc., Grisham served as director of human resources for T&N Industries from 1990 to 1992, and was vice president of human resources for Ferodo America, Inc., manu-

facturer of friction materials and a member of T&N's Friction Products and Engineering Group from 1985 to 1992.

Charles Hooper of Livonia was one of 12 top AAA Michigan built in the city in decades. agents named to the 1993 President's Council March 13 at the Ritz-Carlton in Dearborn. AAA Michigan President and CEO Ronald L. Steffens (left) presented Hooper with a custom-tailored jacket commemorating the event. The President's Council is designed as a partnership with the

specific goal of building a stronger future for AAA Michigan by identifying and meeting things in a charitable sense that the needs of its members and inrelate to our housing activities," sureds

Honeywell today awarded Joe Jarczewsk of Livonia the company's 1992 Technical Services Citation for his outstanding performance. This award is presented to Honeywell's finest technical people and is the company's highest honor for technical service representatives.

Jarczewski received the award for consistently demonstrating the highest level of professionalism and ability as a technician. He is a senior systems specialist for Honeywell Home and Building Control in Farmington Hills,

by hand. Peter J. Santogade, M.D., "In the future, I think we'll see gastroenterologist, of Ypsilanti, tremendous consolidation. I think the financial field is overrecently joined the medical staff of St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. banked. I think we'll see a lot

A native of New York City, Dr. Santogade received his medical degree from the University of Wisconsin Medical School in Madison, Wis., in 1978.

He completed his internship at

Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital in Philadelphia, Pa., in 1979, his residency in internal nedicine at St. Luke's Hospital Site, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, in New York, N.Y., in 1984, and are very helpful in the retail envihis fellowship in gastroenterology ronment." Whipple said. "They in 1987. Dr. Santogade also served as chief medical resident from stand the importance of customer 1984-85 service and consistency."

The "Ability is Ageless Job Dr. Santogade was most recent-Fair" is scheduled 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. senior staff physician at Henry ord Medical Center in Westland.



Bank from Next page

Ricketts said.

Banking has changed tremen-

dously since he started working

for Standard Federal in 1956 as a

management trainee, Ricketts

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started. They made 30-year,

fixed-rate loans and offered a

passbook (savings) account. Now

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any kind of loan that suits you.

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'There's been an enormou

change in technology," Ricketts

added. "Things used to be done

Job from Next page

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will work part time and it helps if

(older workers) tend to under-

"Things like life experiences

they can work flexible hours

Thomas R. Ricketts

"I think it does take luck and some skill to guide a firm through different market conditions. There are predators out there and (dangers from) greed in the search for higher vields.'

> Thomas R. Ricketts president

more mergers and acquisitions and banks doing more things." Real estate service was men-

permanent positions.'

put on services cheaper," Ricketts tioned as one possibility "Larger institutions should be said, adding, "As long as there more efficient and in position to

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The ramp from Middlebelt to EB I-94 will be closed from late April to August - the detour is Wick east to Inkster, Inkster north to Ecorse; Ecorse east to 1-94

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Colleen M. Creagh of Northville has been promoted to senior account executive at Farmington Hills-based Marx Layne & Co.

As senior-account executive, Creagh coordinates and supervises marketing and public relations program for clients in the professional services, advertising, and retail industries. Specific responsibilities include media relations, client relations, writing, editing, pro- Colleen M. duction and special events Creagh



Marlo Rojeck has been named Branch Manager of the Livonia office of Manpower of Detroit, the local operation of Manpower Temporary Services. Previously, Rojeck was an Account Representative with Manpower in Dearborn.

As Branch Manager, Rojeck coordinates all sales and marketing activities and directs the recruitment of clerical, light industrial, technical and marketing temporary workers.



Mario Rojeck

Joseph B. White, the Wall Street Journal's Detroit deputy bureau chief a resident of Plymouth has been awarded a Pulitzer Prize, journalism's highest honor, for his coverage of the management turmoil last year at General Motors

White joined the Journal's Detroit bureau in 1987 and was named deputy bureau chief in 1990.



Joseph B. White

To submit materials to this column, please send a brief biographical summary along with a blackand-white photo, if possible, to: Business Editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. There is no charge.

Bank celebrates 100th anniversary

Starting its operations in an office building basement may have been a humble beginning, but Standard Federal has come of age in more ways than one.

BY DOUG FUNKE

Standard Federal Bank has weathered the worst of times, including the Great Depression of the 1930s and a recession that crippled or destroyed some financial institutions in the

It has experienced the best of times, posting record corporate numbers in 1992 and opening a stunning headquarters in 1989.

The Troy-based, publicly-owned federal savings bank recorded a major milestone Sunday - the 100th anniversary of its founding.

"Not many companies make it to 100," said Thomas R. Ricketts, president and chairman of the board. "You go through wars, high interest rates, low interest rates.

"I think it does take luck and some skill to guide a firm through different market conditions," he said. "There are predators out there and (dangers from) greed in the search for higher yields and business in areas we don't understand.

At home with home loans

Standard Federal understands home mortgages. So much so that the bank last year initiated or refinanced some 47,000 mortgages with an aggregate value of \$3.6 billion.

Standard Federal's dollar share of the mortgage market here for November 1992, the last month tracked by Lawyers Title Insurance Co., was more than Comerica and NBD combined, which ranked second and third, respectively.

Quality people paying attention to detail using top of the line computer systems make Standard Federal stand out from the competition, Ricketts said.

"We're not selling widgets or Hula Hoops. We're pretty basic stuff -



ters building at Griswold and Jefferson, the site of St. Anne's Church, in 1927 in Detroit. The S&L then had assets of more than \$10 million. Today, as Standard Federal Bank, its headquarters building is in Troy, and assets are approximately \$10

getting people into homes," he said.

"We want to have a fast response. We have our own appraisers, our own computer experts, our own credit experts. Now, we're working seven days

"We try to work harder, work smarter with more efficiency. We're very fussy about adding staff. If busi-

ness goes bad, you get into layoffs and other unpleasantries," Ricketts said. That strategy has been good for

Standard Federal's financial statements, too. According to its 1992 annual report,

the bank set a record in profitability with net income of \$95.6 million. Deposits of \$6.5 billion and mortgage closings of \$3.6 billion also broke company records.

A check of the numbers

The scope of Standard Federal's impact on the community can be gauged by another series of numbers provided by Ricketts.

The bank tends to some 757,000 depositor accounts including savings, checking and CDs, 116,000 mortgages, 115,000 consumer loans and 42,000 VISA charge cards.

The banks employs about 2,500 at corporate headquarters and 127 branches in Michigan, Ohio and Indi-

"They're a first-rate operation," said Justin L. Moran, a consultant to the banking industry. "It's called hustle your buns. It's a matter of having good people working hard.

They're a very basic community bank. They weren't trying to be go-go, just making mortgages," Moran said. They give as good service as anybody, better than most.'

Standard Federal's level of bad real estate loans at the end of 1992 -\$71.7 million - was less than 1 percent of its assets, well within the range of acceptability in the industry.

Safety first

"The home loan is the safest loan you can make," Ricketts said. "People want to protect their home more than anything else.

"On construction loans, the risks/ rewards aren't there," he said. "If you have a bad year, you're really smoked. On commercial real estate, we never considered ourselves expert at it. We've done very little activity.

Over the years, Standard Federal has grown by acquiring or merging with 15 smaller, financially-stable banks, including Birmingham Federal Savings in 1970.

"The customer base is established, presumably, you're in a reasonablybased location," Ricketts said. "In one sense, you've knocked out a competitor and often you get very good

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Job fair lined up to provide assistance to older workers

By Doug Funke Staff Writer

Displaced workers 45 years and older often have a difficult time re-entering the job market.

That's why a job fair has been scheduled just for them Wednesday, May 5, at the Plaza Hotel in

Some 2,000 job seekers and 60 employers are expected to attend the seventh annual fair co-sponsored by Operation ABLE of Michigan and the Southeast Michigan Older Worker Coordinating Committee.

There is no charge for lookers who must be at least 45 years of

age.
"The scope (of skills) job seekers have is all over the map from welfare recipients to mid-level managers of companies," said Terry A. Barclay, president of Operation ABLE.

"We get a surprising number of people who are currently employed but under-employed, working part time but need to extend their hours to support a family, temporaries who need permanent positions," she said.

About 15 percent of people looking for jobs usually find one within six months as a direct result of the job fair, Barclay said.

There are several reasons why older workers may have a more difficult time finding a job after losing one, Barclay said.

'Unfortunately, the truth of age discrimination is real. While

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we're optimistic and see it decreasing, we all carry around preconceived notions of what skills and abilities people of different ages have.

Oftentimes, people who are older are in a type of position or tend to be concentrated in indusare downeising clay said. "They tend to be hit harder and there's less likelihood of going back and transferring

"Oftentimes, people who are older tend to be with one employer a long time. The job of looking for work is very different now than it used to be," she said. Wes Mewer, director of human

resources for ACO Hardware in Farmington Hills, said he's enjoyed success hiring older workers at the job fair.

He expects to offer up to a half dozen part-time customer service jobs immediately with starting pay in the range of \$5-6 per hour.
"We find that some older work-

ers who have done their own repair work know how to do it. They can explain how best to take care of an electrical or plumbing problem," Mewer said. "They're used to dealing with all kinds of people and all kinds of problems.

"Everything I can say about them is positive. They have a work ethic. They're dependable,"

Beverly D. Ned, recruiting manager for the Mohn Financial Group, John Hancock Financial

an unpaid professional working on behalf of citizens of this coun-

try," said Susan Cameron, presi-

"There are a number of jokes

circulating about Ms. Clinton's

role. It's time to recognize the

first lady for the contribution she is making to the administration

dent of Fans of Hillary.

Services in Southfield, will search for sales representatives at the fair.

The nuts and bolts of the business can be learned, she said, but an attitude and perspective gradually develop with time.

"I'm looking for an individual with a very professional appearance, an entrepreneurial spirit rather than a 9-to-5 mentality,' Ned said. "I further look for determination, a good work ethic to develop a successful practice.

"I will consider people of all ages," she said. "As people get older, they already have a professional background, experience, a little better understanding of what it takes to be successful

Candidates offered jobs will earn only commissions during a maximum three-month initial training period, then go on a combination commission, bonus, training salary schedule, Ned

David R. Whipple, senior manager for human resources for Kroger in Livonia, said he expects to offer 50 to 100 jobs immediately and within several weeks of the job fair.

"We're looking for store-level employees, but that's not to say we wouldn't consider administrative or management positions, he said.

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Hillary's 'fans' hope for big bucks

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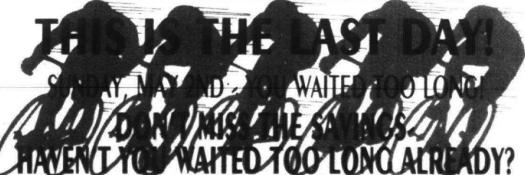
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EARTHA DEYAMPERT

Kids, laughs are winning combination

You don't have to listen to Bill Cosby or Billy Crystal to get a good laugh. Just listen to your children.

How often have you said "I should have written that down" after wiping away tears of heavy laughter or having your sometimes hard to reach funny bone nudged a bit by that little dickens of a comedian in your circle? The wonders of what comes out of the mouths of babes never cease to amaze.

Children have a remarkable way of putting things into perspective — making it plain. Oh, how wonderful it is to be able to look at the world through the eyes of children — seeing what they see and analyzing the way they do. Yes, children can "make it plain" — so plain and clear that it can be downright funny.

If you could get into the vehicle of childhood, your child's perhaps, ride down those spirited lanes. See the world as most children see it, easy

... from an egocentric view ... which can be very amusing to adults. As you ride, keep in mind you're a passenger in the vehicle of childhood; enjoy the ride and observe the sights through their eyes. You have little control over where you go, so take it as it comes.

When you're a child, it doesn't matter much where you're going, you're just happy to be going somewhere — anywhere. In other words, the end result is not what's important to a child.

The filtering or weeding out process to get to a realistic conclusion means little to nothing to a 4 year-old. That's why their solutions to worldy issues can be hilarious. Their sweet "naive" logic can turn on the most guarded laugh box.

Anthony, a 2½-year-old Redford resident, was traveling with his mother in a car. He looked up and said, "Mom, birds." Mom said, "Where are the birds going?" Anthony replied, "To the bird-port."

Troy, a kindergartener from Canton, fears saying the "Pledge of Allegiance," especially when you say "to WITCH it stands."

Darialine, a 4-year-old from Detroit, says "Ms. Lug, I'm so tired." "Why?" asks Ms. Lug. "I had to clean up my mom's house."

Paris, another 4-year-old Detroiter, picks up the phone. The caller says, "Can I speak to your mother?"

Paris happily recognizes the voice on the other end. Paris says, "Who I am?" The caller says, "Oh, hi who." Paris responds, "No, who I am?" "You're who." Paris replies, "This is not who. Who is me, Paris."

Dennis, a 2-year-old Inkster resident, was given a whole dollar. Dennis says to Grandma, "I don't like George"

William, a 3-year-old from Dearborn Heights, was asked to recite a Bible verse. When he recited it correctly, he added the sound of a drum roll by saying "Dah Dah Dee Dum."

Take time and think about the funny things kids say. It might include funny things, questions, comments or situations involving your own children.

You can start collecting those funny anecdotes by asking a few of the questions that follow. You can bet that the answers of children 2½ years and older will be interesting as well as humorous.

Start off with questions like:
(1) Where do babies come from?

(2) Why is it always dark at night?

(3) Where is God?

(4) Why is Santa fat?(5) Do chicken hurt when you cook them?

(6) Where does the rain live?
(7) Why is the grass green in the spring?

(7) Why is the grass green in the spring?
(8) Where does the water in the toilet go after you flush it?

(9) How do airplanes stay in the air?
(10) Where do teachers, doctors and people working at Burger King and McDonald's live?

If you have a question or comment for Eartha De Yampert, call her at 953-2047, mail box number 1883, on a Touch-Tone phone, or write her at the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

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<u>Ouch!</u>

Duo finds relief for their chronic pain

Andrea Henley and Jennifer Cray know what it means to hurt as the result of chronic pain. They also know what it means to overcome their affliction and they're sharing the information at an upcoming convention.

By CHRISTINA FUOCO STAFF WRITER



Since a severe car accident in January 1990, Andrea Henley hasn't been able to go to sleep without feeling excruciating

"I can't touch the bed to my back, my neck, my face, my stomach, my side," the Cleveland, Ohio, resident said.

Jennifer Cray of Canton, who suffered a spinal injury, has also seen her share of restless nights.

"I can't say I've had a good night's sleep in 15 years without waking up four or five times a night," she said. "Medication isn't the solution either."

Cray and Henley, who met through a physician, will share their solutions with fellow sufferers at a Chronic Pain Convention in Dearborn Saturday, June 5.

Cray and Henley, along with a host of medical professionals, will discuss topics such as "Physiology of Pain," "Prevention of Pain," "What You Should Know About Your Pain," "Psychology and Pain" and "Planning for the Future."

Finding relief

Although some of the techniques they will discuss are considered unconventional, Henley said they work.

"Acupuncture's been around for 5,000 years and it works," Henley said. "For some reason American medicine will not recognize it yet. Chiropractic was voodooism 20 years ago — now it's becoming mainstream.

"We're just trying to wake up the medical community. Our theme is "The mind is like a parachute — it works better when it's open.' These doctors have tunnel vision." Henley was a single mother and successful businesswoman when she was injured in a January 1990 automobile accident that resulted in a closed head injury, severe cervical and lumbar sprains and post traumatic syndrome.

She often spent 12-18 hours a day in bed for two years; her small children locked in her room with a mother who could barely care for them.



Sharing time: Jennifer Cray of Canton shows off a flier that being used to promote a chronic pain convention she and Andrea Henley of Cleveland, Ohio, are organizing for June.

Suicide seemed like the only way out, she said, until she entered a chronic pain program. In less than two weeks' time she began to find hope and a way to live and overcome her disabilities.

Cray's pain was the result of a spinal injury. Married and the mother of two children, she was a hotel restaurant manager when her symptoms of post traumatic stress, chronic fatigue syndrome and lower back pain became intolerable. Four back and one hip surgeries and numerous physical therapy programs did little to ease the pain.

But like Henley, she finally found medical practitioners who understood her pain and gave her new ways of to cope with it.

"I know my pain is not the same as many others, but there have been days I have felt I could not go on," she said in a letter to Gov. John Engler. "Getting up in the morning was hard. Depression sets in when you cannot do the things you once did, but I never quit."

According to Henley said, patients must learn to work with doctors in order to heal. Sufferers must not try to treat themselves because that will only further damage the injured areas, they said.

"If I have a pain in my arm, they don't look and see it's coming from the neck," she said. "You need to be educated so you can look. You can say, "This started when I had whiplash and my neck was stiff." It's three parts — educating on how the body works, why you have pain and what you can do about it."

Positive attitude

Part of the healing entails keeping a positive attitude, something both of the women admit was hard.

"Depression sets in, anger sets in," Cray said. "If you don't get help, you'll get worse because the depression sets in and you no longer care."

Henley quietly admitted she felt exactly that way, but she strove to heal so she could care for her two young children, who also suffered.

"Most people don't realize the whole family suffers when someone's in pain," she said. "I had to send both of my children away. I'm a single mother. I struggled to keep them."

Her convention partner in Cleveland, Mary Ann Breisch, had similar problems.

"She laid on the couch every day in mega pain," she said. "Her son thought she was going to die and he thought he was going to die," Henley explained. "The children can actually internalize their pain. They start acting up in school. They start doing things for attention because

See PAIN, 2C

New Year's celebrating the Chinese way

The following is the first of several letters from Beijing, China. The author is Janet Wojtak of Livonia who moved to the Chinese capital late last year when her husband accepted an assignment there as part of a joint economic venture.

ere I am on the other side of the world. I now live in a country where night in Michigan is already the next morning here. The opportunity to experience another culture was presented to us through my husband's company. They have a joint venture with the Chinese, and he accepted a two-year assignment in Beijing, China. We arrived early in December not prepared for the bone-chill-

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We live in Western style housing with a group of about 25 foreigners at the Lido Holiday Inn and Apartment Complex. Along with a variety of restaurants, the International School, a German school and a Japanese school are all located in our complex.

Most of the people in our company are from the Detroit area. We have met several other of the approximately 2,000 Americans living in Beijing

through the American Club and the Beijing Inter-

national Society.

Christmas and New Year's Day were celebrated at the complex with dinners and parties for the

Westerners, but the highlight of the year here is the Chinese New Year. We are now in the Year of the Rooster.

Chinese New Year fell on Jan. 23 although fireworks were booming from our New Year through Feb. 6, which is the Lantern Festival celebrating the arrival of spring.

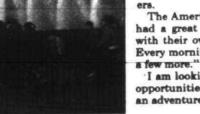
On the Chinese New Year's Eve, we went to the top of the Great Wall Sheraton Hotel to watch the fireworks. It was unbelievable to see the huge rockets shooting off all over the city in backyards and streets. Rockets were even booming from windows and balconies.

On New Year's morning, our hotel set off 50,000 firecrackers all at once. They were hung from the flagpoles in the front of the lobby. As they were exploding, a group of acrobats did a Lion Dance around them and through the hotel lobby.

When Lantern Festival Day arrived, only 30,000 firecrackers were lit to celebrate the beginning of spring. The children were each given a red paper lantern with a candle inside. Then, they were paraded through the hotel, led by the Lion Dancers.

The American men, my husband at the forefront, had a great time almost every night of the week with their own rockets and strings of firecrackers. Every morning they would go out to purchase "just

I am looking forward to the new experiences and opportunities of the next two years. I consider this an adventure that can be told to my grandchildren.



they're not getting attention at "My son started having neck aches. They start to suffer tre-

mendously.' By participating in chronic pain programs, both have learned to deal with the problems associated with chronic pain.

Learning to cope

"You can learn to cope and make yourself better. What we're providing, I spent \$13,000 in a chronic pain clinic in Cleveland and we're giving it away for \$35," said Henley, a former geologist and business owner. "I'm getting my life back on track and there is help and hope out there. We're finding it and we'd like to show what we've found," said Cray.

■ 'What we're providing, I spent \$13,000 in a chronic pain clinic in Cleveland and we're giving it away for \$35."

Andrea Henley

The Chronic Pain Convention is the second one Henley has organized. The first, which was held in Cleveland, was a tremendous success. Henley said. "It was like an awakening for the whole community. (Previous-

ly) doctors didn't know where to refer anyone," she explained. Cray added that with this program patients will see that there's

hope for them. "I've been through a lot of chronic pain and a lot of programs and a lot of let-downs," she said.

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The couple met at a roller rink near the cottage they own along Lake Huron. They were married on Sept. 19, 1942, at Gesu Church in Detroit and honeymooned in Chicago. She is the former Esther

sary a year early by taking a 47day cruise to South America, but 50 years to the day they said "I they repeated their vows at

and Viola Swegles of Wayne, who grandchildren. renewed their wedding vows Nov. 22, 1992, at the First Presbyterian a 1980 retiree of Wayne County

Nov. 21, 1942, in Sumpter Town-

guests of honor at a reception at Lerights Banquet Hall in Westland, given by their children = Ron and Gail Swegles of California and Ray and Becky Swegles of Canton. They also have seven It was a golden day for James grandchildren and four .great-A veteran of World War II, he is

General Hospital, where he The Swegles exchanged vows on worked in the accounting department for 38 years. Active in the First Presbyterian Church of Wayne, the Swegles also belong to the Wayne Golden Hour and

Seminar looks at family loss

R.G. & G.R. Harris Funeral Home will sponsor a workshop, "Family Loss and Conflict," adwhen a family suffers a loss.

to noon Saturday, May 1, at the G.R. Harris Funeral Home, will Senior Citizens' Sheldon Park Center, 10800 Farmington Road, south of Plymouth Road, Livonia. Registration will be at 8:30 a.m., with the program to start at 9 a.m. A continental breakfast will be

There will be three presenta-tions. The first will be "Dealing With Conflict as a Result of a Mothers Against Drunk Driving, will present "Dealing With Both Family and Extended Family Conflict as a Result of a Death."

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kowski and Mary Margeret Ziobro have worked to make sure the privileged few will be entertained as they eat.

Midnight Madness was a madhouse of people this year. Swarms of shoppers kept shop owner Sharon Pugh of Sideways behind the register ringing non-stop until well after 9 p.m. and Larry Bird of Country Charm said it was fantastic, "like Christmas again!"

What do people shop for at midnight? Mary Uhl, AAUW board member with hubby, Joe, your tickets early as only a lucky didn't hold back on shelling out a few bucks for bagels at the cy Chapmann, Claudia Dym- Breadwinner; Daryl Ford, the

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Historical Museum. Beth Stew-

Of the three appointees who ac-companied Gov. John Engler along with 110 Michigan business leaders on a trip to Mexico, which one was it who, on the very first day of the trip, fell and broke a foot? We'll cut to the chase . . . it was Susie Heintz, director of the governor's office for Southeastern

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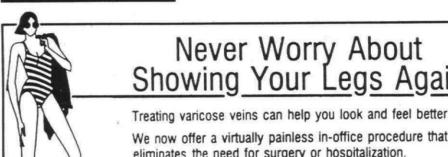
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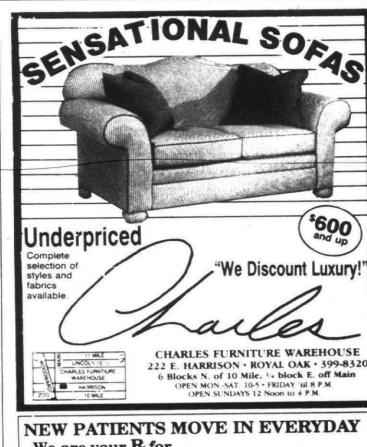
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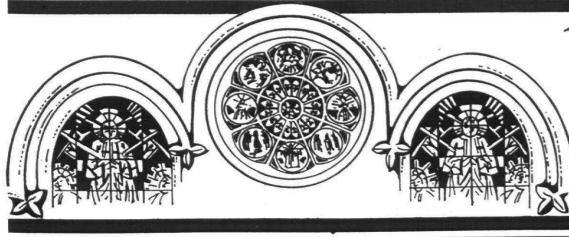
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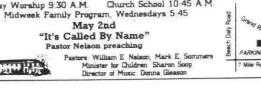
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42690 Cherry Hill Read, Canton

981-0286 Roger Aumann, Pasto Worship 8 & 10:30 A.M.

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Rev. David B. Merraman.
Rev. Robert Bough
Rev. William Frayer

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Dr. Gilson M. Miller Rev. Steven E. Poole Nursery Provided

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Redford, MI 48239

Church School 9:00 am - Children's Worship 11:00 am Sermon Title for May 2nd "Partners in Ministry" - Confirmation Sunday Vednesday Education 4:30 pm Children's Choirs Pastors: John N. Grenfell, Jr.; Kevin L. Miles Dr. Frederick C. Vosburg Dr. Frederick C. Vosburg

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SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES Dr. Wm. C. Moore - Pastor Rev. Wm. Branham - Associate Pastor

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PLYMOUTH CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 45801 W. Ann Arbor Road - (313) 453-1525 n. BIBLE STUDY & WORSHIP - 9:45 A.M. & 11:00 A.M. NEW HORIZONS FOR CHILDREN: 455-3196

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Tri-City ASSEMBL

Tri-City 2100 Hannan Road · Canton 326-0330

Morning Worship 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m. Family Night Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the following Thursday's edition.

M PASTORS' SPOUSES

Women married to ministers are invited to the Plymouth-Canton pastors' spouses group that will meet for fun and fellowship at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 29, at the home of a member. For infor mation call Lisa at 455-7053 or Mary at 459-4490.

RUMMAGE SALES St. Matthew Lutheran Church and School, 5885 Venoy, north of Ford, Westland, will hold a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday and Friday, April 29-30, and 9 a.m. to noon Saturday May 1, in the school gymnasium. Refreshments will be available.

The Ladies Christian Fellow hip of Hossana-Tabor Church vill have a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 2 p.m Saturday, May 1, at the church, 9600 Leverne, between Beech Daly and Inkster roads, Redford. Snack bar will be open and there will be a bag sale at 1

The Episcopal Church Women of St. Elizabeth's Episcopal Church will have a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, May 1 at the church, 26431 W. Chicago between Inkster and Beech Daly oads, Redford.

Church of God of Prophecy will have a rummage sale 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 7 at the church, 28563 Pardo. Garden City. Donations are being accepted and can be made by calling the church at 427-5524, Lynn Draper at 728-3903 or Mary Eades at 287-4614 after 5 p.m.

MIRACLE CRUSADE

Evangelists Alfonso and Terry Vargas will lead a crusade Friday through Sunday, April 30-May 2, at the Garden City Christian Center, 33111 Ford Road, west of Vehoy Road, Garden City. Residents are invited to experience the annointed preaching and teaching of the Word of God by the Vargas. The sick will be ministered to at each service at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday and at 10 a.m. Sunday. Child care will be provided for the Sunday service only. For more information, call 421-2585.

MEN'S RETREAT

Unity of Livonia will have a men's retreat 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at 28660 Five Mile Road, Livonia, Registration for "Success Without Stress" will be at 9 a.m. An offering of \$10 is requested. The program includes discussion groups, relaxation techniques, instruction for medi tation and lunch. The keynote speaker will be Nick Blakley who has been practicing Unity Principles for more than 40 years. Gene Sorensen will also provide instruction on how to meditate as well as leading a meditation. For more information, call 421-1760.

E CHAI DINNER

CongregationBeit Kodesh will at 5:30 p.m. Sunday, May 2, at the synagogue, 31840 W. Seven Mile, Livonia. Folk singer Judy Goldstein will entertain with English. Hebrew and Jewish songs. For more information, call Sandra Gibbings at 421-1017 (evenings).

B SPRING CONCERT The Glory of Spring," a mixture or religious, popular and folk music, will be presented by the Our Lady of Grace Church Adult Music Ministry at 4 p.m. Sunday, May 2, at the church, 1160 Penni man, Plymouth. The concert of free of charge and will feature John Rutter's "Gloria," performed by the more than 60-voice Parish Choir, accompanied by percussion and brass. For more information, call 453-0326

SOCIAL JUSTICE

M DAY OF PRAYER

Rev. John Castelot, educator, theologian and author, will speak **Mout** Jesus and social justice at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 4 and 11, at St. Linus Parish, 6466 Evangeline, Dearborn Heights. The presentation is sponsored by the Peace and Justice Committee. For more information, call 274-7735.

ALCOHOLICS Members of the Plymouth-Canton community prayer group will

The Alcoholics for Christ, Meet participate in a Meet at City Hall s part of the National Day of Prayer Thursday, May 6. The group will be joining other memers in communities throughout the country to pray for the moral Participants will meet at the flagpole of Plymouth City Hall,

201 S. Main St., and at the flagole of Canton Township Hall, 1150 S. Canton Center Road,

dividuals interested in participat ing can call Karen at 454-9011 or Barbara at 459-9595 for Plymouth or Barbara at 981-3442 or Claudia

at 981-0178 for Canton. People in Livonia also are invited to join in the prayer program 12:12-12:45 p.m. that day. Participants will meet near the flagpole at the Livonia City Hall, Farmsurges through your hair. ington and Five Mile roads, Livonia. For information, call Judi Ellis at 522-1840.

E CARD PARTY

The St. Hilary Rosary Altar Society will host a spring card party at 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 7. There will be plenty of prizes and desert table. Men welcome. For more information, call 533-9197. ILLUSIONIST

(buy two, get one free). For more

information, call 326-0330.

Christian illusionist Toby Travis will perform at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 7-8, at the Tri-City Assembly of God Outreach Center, Michigan and Hannan Road, Wayne, His show, "Illusion and Beyond," features a contemporary blend of humor, music, illusion and audience participation that results in a delightful experience for all ages. Tickets are \$3

> **B** BLOOD DRIVE Good Shepherd Reformed Church, 6500 N. Wayne Road, Westland, will have its semi-annual Red Cross blood drive 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 8 Walk-in donors welcome. For more information, or for a donation appointment, call 421-9097

> > **MALK-A-THON** St. Matthew Lutheran Church

and School will have a walk-athon 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 8. Walkers will follow at three-mile route - Beachwood to Farmington to Hunter to Wayne Road to Forad Road to Farmington Road. Money raised from the walk will go for the school's DARE program. There also will be a tricycle-a-thon for smaller children on the church/school grounds. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call Ron Trygg at 525-5678. St. Matthew's is at 5885 Venoy Road, Westland.

A.C.T.I.O.N. A.C.T.I.O.N. Ministries provides support and practical help for people who are unemployed or changing careers. Meeting are at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month at Ward Presbyterian Church, Farmington and Six Mile roads, Livonia. Sessions are sponsored by the Congregational Care Ministry of Ward Presbyterian Church. For more information, call 422-1826.

Single Place Ministries holds a Sunday Morning Gathering 10-10:45 a.m. Sundays in the library lounge of the First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main, Northville. The gathering is for Christian singles of all denominations as a time of fellowship, sharing and

growing. For more information BIBLE STUDY Those interested in breakfast and informal Bible study can find both at 8 a.m. Saturdays at the Northville Crossing Restaurant,

18900 Northville Road, North-

ville. For more information, call

SENIOR FELLOWSHIP Bethel Baptist Temple, 29475 W. Six Mile, Livonia, sponsors meet ings for senior citizens and retirees the first and third Tuesday of the month. For more information, call 525-3664 or 261-9276.

PRAYER GROUP St. Edith Church, 15089 Newburgh, at Five Mile in Livonia, has charismatic prayer group meetings 7:30 p.m. Thursdays in the church meeting room. (Use rear entrance No. 2.) For more in formation, call Sandy at 462-2243.

There also will be prayer group meetings 6 p.m. Sundays in Patio Classroom 1 of Madonna University, Schoolcraft and Levan in Livonia. Singing will be included The meetings are open to the public. For more information, call Julie at 464-4566.

Your Needs Group, meets 7 p.m. each Tuesday at Tri-City Assembly of God, 2100 Hannan in Canton. Alcoholics for Christ is a non-denominational, non-profi Christian fellowship for alcoholics and their families. The group's chief goal is to direct alcoholics, family members and other concerned people to a dedicated, sin-

You can sink your teeth into a juicy kielbasa, savor the flavor of a chicken dinner, relish the butterflies-in-the-stomach feeling of the Ferris wheel and the Tilt-0-Whirl while the fragrant wind Or, if you prefer, you can try your luck in the Vegas tent against the blackjack dealer or The Wheel." Bingo is another option or you might even find the bargain of the year at one of the Spring is here . . . YES! And as certain as the appearance of those red-breasted feathered friends church festivals likewise mark the beginning of the eagerly anticipat-For some area churches, the revenue generated by the festivals is a definite budget booster. For other churches, it's a matter o

Church fests mean fun, finances

Sky high: When Mother Nature cooperates, business booms at St. Hilary's festival. neld in the spring on the grounds of Bishop Borgess High School and the parking lot of Detroit Diesel Allison in Redford.

younger families to the western on the struggling parish. Coupled suburbs. There are currently with the usual expenses incurred in running a parish, it has resulted in a real "cash flow problem," according to Babich.

Babich, who has been pastor since 1987. That was during the The good news is the much-

1960s. Nine hundred students at needed revenue generated by the tended preschool through eighth festivals which have been an angrade at St. Hilary School at the nual event for many years. Previtime. Because of the dwindling ously, the festival was held on the enrollment, the school was closed church grounds and the parish at the end of the 1991-92 school netted around \$30,000. Four years ago, they moved to Bishop Bor-"When we closed the school, gess High School, and some years said Babich, "we were down to they are allowed to use the adjoin-132 students and there were only ing Detroit Diesel property. The two families with children in the 1992 festival netted its highest

school from our parish. earnings yet, \$69,000. The church was established in This year's festival, held last the 1950s and was also one of the weekend, was co-chaired by Jerry founding parishes of Bishop Borgess High School. That and other Bowser and Lou Kisic, and also debts incurred over the years for had access to the DDC property

Banner, banner: Banners announce businesses support-

ing the efforts of St. Richard's Church in Westland.

festivals of the year, "we hope the people have cabin fever and they're really ready to get out," said Babich. The festival has grown in atten-

dance and revenue nearly every year, according to publicity chairwoman Cindy Porter. "Last year we had festival visitors from 125 different ZIP codes and we've had greater and wider support from the community than ever before.' Many local businesses also

donate goods and money. "It's also an excellent opportunity for the people of the parish to come together," Porter said. "We could call it fellowship. We could call it service to the community It really is a wonderful blend of people coming together for a common goal. This is our No. 1 annu-

al activity. Fellowship is also one of the important pluses that has evolved from working on the festivals at St. Richard Catholic Church in Westland, according to Thelma Chaussee, treasurer in charge of finances at the church. The Rev. John Hall is pastor of the 31-year-

old church. "What this festival has done is to get people involved and they've met new people, made new friends; we've gotten a warmer atmosphere and it has brought the people together into a working reationship," said Chaussee. "It has also brought in people who don't have time to get involved on regular basis and given them their once-a-year thing. We do everything except the rides our-

They also have a lot of community and business support. Bob

needed repairs on the church and where the big carnival rides were Evans Restaurant on Ford Road school have put a financial strain set up. Since it's one of the first in Canton prepares and transports meals to help out with the festival that runs Friday through Sunday, June 11-13, this year.

Covering expenses

The festivals were initiated nine years ago to help pay for major renovation work done on the church that year. It averages around \$30,000 supplemental in come each year from the festival. "One of our people figured out

without our festival, we would be short of paying our expenses for the year," said Chaussee. One of the last festivals of the summer will be held at St. Ra-

without our weekly bingo and

phael in Garden City Friday through Sunday, Sept. 17-19. The festivals have taken place annually for more than 20 years at the 61-year-old church and last year was the best year ever, according to Dennis Karczynski chairman of the festival for the

past five years. "When I took over about five years ago," said Karczynski, " think we gave the church about \$28,000." Last year, after paying expenses, they were able to present the Rev. Edward Prus, pastor with a check for \$63,000. This year, along with co-chairpersons John Garland and festival secretary Joanne Shankin, they hope

to repeat that success. While more than doubling the revenue from the festival in the past five years, the money still represents less than one-10th of the annual budget, according to the church's financial administra-

tor Janet Potter. Thirty percent of See FESTIVALS, 60

Judges show devotion to public trust



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cision: "For generations . . . it are very special people to whom as impartial, fair, and in accor- on a touch tone phone.

is a holiday dedi- possess the confidence of the power, status, prestige and above cated to suprem- community; that he must not only all, the opportunity to set the upon the issue of justice. Socrates acy of law in a be independent and honest, but moral tone of the legal system of said: "Four things belong to a democracy. In a equally important, believed by all the community. society without men to be independent and honrules, there est . . . Without the appearance turn. would be no safe- as well as the fact of justice, reguards for liber- spect for the law vanishes in a de- the values dealing with the avoity, no property mocracy."

ness or industry. impropriety. It demands so much and executive officials. These tion to the public trust. The central figure in the legal more of a judge than of any other people are evaluated by their posystem is the judge. measured by occupation or profession. Some litical decisions and by the practimore exacting standards than judges have lamented this de- cal success of their proposals and mand and consider themselves, programs. Judges are appraised

The Pennsylvania Supreme therefore, second class citizens.

May 1, Law Day, has been taught that a judge must much has been given in the way of dance with law?

Much is expected of them in re-Most judges understand that dance of impropriety and self-re-

no basis for com- difficult and onerous, namely the great heritage. merce or busi- avoidance of the appearance of Judges are not like legislative their leadership and their devo-

The Greeks thought deeply

judge: To hear courteously, to an-

swer wisely, to consider soberly

and to decide impartially." We have reason to recognize with gratitude the judges of our state who reflect in their conduct Some may respond that this es- straint are not a burdensome the high standards of the judicition for the weak, tablishes a standard that is very yoke, but a joyful celebration of a ary that are the foundation of our legal system. We acknowledge

Rabbi Irwin Groner is with Congregation Shareey Zedek in Southfield, If you have a question by the examination of their deci- or comment for him, call him at Court affirmed this in a recent de- The deeper truth is that judges sions: Are their decisions trusted 953-2047, mailbox number 1862,

Spring Break to help women soar

The Women's Council of Me- singles events and church and morial Church of Christ will hold civic groups. its second annual Ladies Spring Break on Friday and Saturday, April 30-May 1. The theme will be "Increasing Your Wingspan."

The guest speaker will be Kim Jackson, who serves as youth minister at First Christian Publishing. Church in Jacksonville, II. Armed with an outstanding Christian education, she has served as a guest speaker for conventions, churches, clubs and camps in 18 states tude in their Christian life: will be available for children, in-

She also researched and devel-

"Youthworker Journal" and "Ide-The planned program has been designed to increase participants'

wingspan. Five workshops will be Honest Parent/Child (Adolescent

agement," "Helping Others to Soar - Ways to Navigate through As a writer, Jackson has been Terminal Illness, Becoming a published in "Christian Stan-dard," "HIS," "The Lookout," Death," "Clipped Wings — Handling Crisis Pregnancies and as," as well as curriculum and ed- Abortions" and "I 'm Flying As ucation resources for Standard Fast As I Can - Encouragement Could Make the Difference in Being Grounded or Airborn."

A \$10 registration fee includes offered to help women gain alti- lunch on Saturday. Child care "Talking Without Squawking - fant through age five. For registration and more information, call oped numerous presentations for to Teen) Advice," "Smooth Flying Memorial Church of Christ at youth retreats, ladies' events, at High Speeds - Realistic Ap- 420-2375. Memorial Church is at teacher training and appreciation, proach to Stress and Time Man- 35475 Five Mile Rd., Livonia.







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With the festival season under

way, entertainment in the Detroit

area should be no problem this

Top Hat in Windsor.

While the St. Raphael festival doesn't have the big carnival rides, it does have kiddie rides and lots of children's activities. They try to keep it very familyoriented. They also have a craft show and undoubtedly one of the day after the festival, Karczynski largest garage sales in the area. The parishioners "donate everything they don't want at their house," said Karczynski. The proceeds from the garage sale are also a significant part of the festival's

Last year, although discouraged from booking their wedding on the festival weekend due to the noise and activity, one couple still amount of dedication and inopted to tie the knot that Satur- volvement by the parishioners. It day. For a wedding gift, Prus gave takes 250-400 people to man the free.

Good eats: Karen Zalewski makes pierogi for St. Raphael's festi



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the church budget goes to support
St. Raphael's 350-student kindergroom happily selected items for "They really work hard at the support of the garage sale. The bride and them work more than one shift. "They really work hard at this festival," said Potter of the St. their home together. Raphael group. "They've got to love this parish a lot to do all

The noise and commotion of a festival could be a problem for the families living in the homes surthat. I mean, they just practically rounding St. Raphael. To prolive over here. Not to mention the mote goodwill, those families are things that go on planning it for months before. given free meal tickets — one free meal for each family member. The parishes and the results certainly takes a group of kids and covers a show a pay-off. They offer something for everyone. Bake sales. two-block radius, picking up the crafts, bingo, Vegas tents and trash. mouth-watering meals are com-

"There's nothing worse than seeing stuff from the festival a block or two away," he said.

Planning and putting the festivals on takes a tremendous

St. Raphael will sponsor the Laredos, a vintage '50s-60s group that popularized the song "Romeo and Juliet." Honey Radio. WHND, will do a live broadcast. There will be a polka Mass at noon Sunday, with songs sung in Polish.

That's pretty typical of all the

For those who like to take an

occasional chance, there are some

terrific raffles. St. Richard's first

prize is \$3,000 and St. Hilary of-

fered a \$10,000 Savings Bond as

its first prize. Food prices are rea-

sonable and the entertainment is

St. Richard will have a karate group perform as well as the Larados with Honey Radio. Duane Malinowski with the Polka Jamboree Plus will be there on Sun-

St. Hilary's festival featured a

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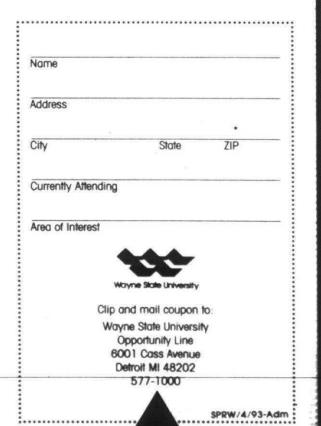
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ENTERTAINMENT

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Youth theater

loomfield Players Youth Theatre will present two productions at Andover High School, 4200 Andover Road at Long Lake Read, one block west of Telegraph, Bloomfield Hills, on April 30 and May 1. "The Tales of Hans Christian Andersen" will be presented 7 p.m. Friday, April 30, and 1 p.m. Saturday, May 1. "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown" will be presented at 8:15 p.m. Friday, April 30, and 2:15 p.m. Saturday, May 1. Tickets are \$2 and may be bought at the door. For more information, call 433-0885

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von 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,

Auditions

Nancy Gurwin Productions is holding auditions for "Phantom of the Op'ry," ages 8 to 17, 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, May 2, in Room 131-132 at the Jewish Community Center, 6600 West Maple Road, West Bloomfield. All roles available. Processing and audition fee \$5. For more information call Nancy Gurwin, 354-0545. Also auditioning for a rehearsal accompanist for "Phantom," and music director for Camp of the Arts at the center this

Birmingham Concert

irmingham Concert Band presents "A Spring Fling" at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 2, at the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, 1800 West Maple, Birmingham. Concert will feature music to shake the winter doldrums. Free-will

Casting call

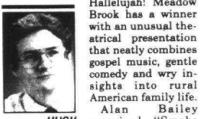
unior Actors of Ridgedale Players will audition youngsters ages 8 to 18 for a variety of roles in "Heidi," at 1 p.m. Saturday, May 1 at the playhouse, 205 W. Long Lake Road, Troy. Play dates are June 25, 26, 27. For information,

Outdoor dining

he Wooden Horse Inn, 5725 Rochester Road, Troy, has unveiled two outdoor dining areas which increase the historic farmhouse's seating from 250 to over 350. The newly restored Wooden Horse Inn features a ground floor outdoor patio with a view of Sylvan Glen Golf Course and second-floor deck overlooking Rochester Road. The inn specializes in traditional American inn cooking. Hours are 11 a.m. to midnight Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 1 a.m. Friday and Saturday, and 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. Sunday. For information, call 879-1555.

Show warmly recreates gospel sings "Smoke on the Mountain" contin-

ues through May 16 at the Meadow Brook Theatre on the campus of Oakland University. For ticket information, call 377-3300. Hallelujah! Meadow



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sights into rural American family life. Alan Bailey conceived "Smoke on the Mountain' from warm child-

hood memories of all night gospel sings. In the program notes he writes that he always admired those traveling gospel singing families who always seemed so perfect and happy compared to his own family.

"Smoke" recreates one of those gos pel sings but reminds us that all families share troubles. Bailey and writer Connie Ray have fun with the style of Baptist worship but show deep re spect for the message. This delicate balance is maintained by a perfect cast who seem to have stepped whole out of the hot June Carolina night of 1938 when the performance is set.

The Rev. Mervin Oglethorpe prepares his congregation for a special night at the Mount Pleasant Baptist Church. The Sanders Family Singers are performing again after a long hiatus. Unfortunately, as the play opens, the family is late returning from their meal at the Eat and Run. They finally arrive is a state of disorder, their bus having turned over into

clude "I Wouldn't Take Nothing for This incident sets up the main My Journey Now," "I'm Taking a premise that perfect families in per-Flight," "Christian Cowboy" and "I'll fect harmony are an illusion. The Fly Away." Sanders include Burl and his hefty good natured wife Vera, Burl's recenty returned brother Stanley, and Burl as each gets to testify about their and Vera's three children, the lively twins Denise and Dennis and the shy As the evening unfolds we are faced, over-eager Rev. Oglethorpe who

treated to some foot-stomping white is desperately trying to fit in with his Southern gospel music, some of it au- new congregation. Richard Glover is a

Gentle comedy: Don Bryant (Stanley) (left), Barbara Larsen (Vera) and Richard Glover (Burl) appear in "Smoke on the Mountain" at Oakland University's Meadow Brook Theatre through solid, philosophical Burl, the family's tender reading to the plain, untalentthentic and some written for the anchor and not a little resentful about it. Babara Larsen brings a also her strengths. Jeffrey Currier is Mike Carver and Mark Hartwick are sweet voice and an endearing ditziauthentic to the style, even when the ness to mama Vera.

Don Bryant Bailey shows us the dark side of redemption and what religious revelation is supposed to be about in his richly nuanced performance as troubled brother Stanley. All is not well with the children

and this, too, is handled with humor and insight. Jennifer Piech is nonstop, happy motion as Denise, the pretty daughter who is hot to trot and go Hollywood but returns to the shelter of her home. Piech is a riot in her testimony to the lures of David Selznick. Lucinda Blackwood gives a

ano duo; 12:15 p.m. Greenfield Grade

School Honors Choir, 2 p.m. The

ed June who has her resentments but the other twin who must struggle with the "call" and finally finds his voice. Currier is a talented musician who takes his turn on several instruments including a clarinet.

Mike Nichols' set puts us right into the church near the Blue Ridge Mountains.

The "congregation" on opening night was clapping its hands, stamping its feet and calling the "family'

Hugh Gallagher is an assistant nanaging editor, copy desk, at the

Groups celebrate National Music Week

"A Better World Through Music," is the theme of the 70th annual observance of National Music Week sponsored by the National Federation of Music Clubs Inc. The Birmingham Rainbow Girls of Birmingham Musi-Musicale and Farmington Musicale will jointly celebrate National Music Week, by offering morning, afternoon and evening concerts, Monday, May 3 through Thursday, May 6 at Tel-Twelve Mall, Telegraph at 12 Mile in Southfield.

All performances are free and open to the public.

by Middle School Chorus, 10:45 a.m. Derby Middle School Orchestra, 11 a.m., Derby Middle school 7th and 8th grade bands; 11:15 a.m. The cale; noon, The Milford Musicale Chorus; 1:15 p.m. The Singing Seniors; 3 p.m. Harrison High School Jazz Band and Ensemble; 5:15 p.m. Carl Reyes, pianist; 6 p.m. The Chime Ringers of Southfield; 7 p.m. Grace Ward, soprano, Joan Bowes, accompanist; 8 p.m. City of Royal

show. The actors are all excellent mu-

sicians and the arrangements by

lyrics sometimes have a tongue-in-

cheek quality. Musical highlights in-

But the best thing about this show

is the interplay among the performers

lives and their beliefs. David Hems-

ley Caldwell is hilarious as the red-

Junior League Chorus; 2:30 p.m. Elaine Vermiglio, pianist; 3:30 p.m. Connie Randall, soprano, Elaine Vermiglio, accompanist; 5:30 p.m. Dorothy Duensing Cormie, lyric mezzo soprano, Maxine Zeitz, accompanist; 6 p.m. Livonia Youth Symphony of Michigan Stringed Orchestra. ■ Wednesday, May 5 — 11 a.m. Power Middle School Orchestra; 11:30

a.m. West Maple Middle School

Middle School Music Workshop; 1:30 p.m. The Silver Tones; 5:15 p.m. Young at Heart Senior Chorus of Livonia; 6:15 p.m. Judy Reger, soprano; Suzanne Frederick, accompanist 7 p.m. Farmington Musicale Chorus.

■ Thursday, May 6 — 10 a.m. Bir mingham Musicale Stringed Ensemble; 11:30 a.m. Chris Rakoczy, pia nist; 1 p.m. Morrine Smith and Jan Smith Piano Duo; 2 p.m. Southfield High School Madrigals, Concert



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quiem Mass as laid down in

Catholic liturgy, but instead is

made up of a personal selection of

texts, some taken from the Mass

and some from the 1662 Book of

The seven selections of the

work form an arch-like medita-

tion on the themes of life and

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ments are prayers on behalf of all

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prayers to Christ, and the central

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This is the seventh season for the Oratorio Society, a community choral group which performs a major work each spring. The society has more than 100 members who hail from 15 different communities in western Wayne, Washtenaw, Oakland and Liv

Artistic director Robert Pratt is also conductor of the Chancel Choir at First United Methodist Church of Ann Arbor. He is a graduate of Oberlin Conservatory of Music and the University of Michigan School of Music.

The Plymouth Oratorio Society will be performing with the Michigan Sinfonietta, an orchestra comprised of some of the finest professional musicians in mid-Michigan who have worked to gether for many years in a variety of settings. The players share a wealth of experience in both chamber and symphonic music, as well as accompanying ballet, opera and sacred and secular choral works.

The two choral works being performed this season are strikngly different in character, said

Handel's Coronation Anthems were composed in 1727 as ceremonigt music for King George III andhis wife, Queen Caroline. The presence of brass and timpani gives both works an exciting, festive air, and should remind listeners of some parts of Handel's rene faith.

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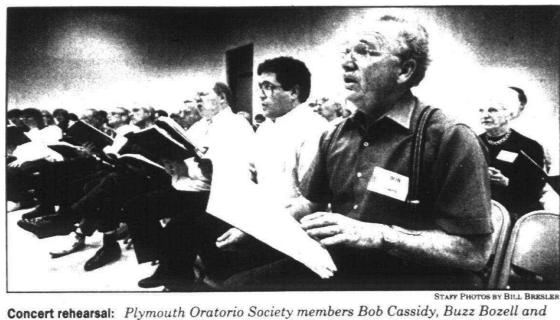
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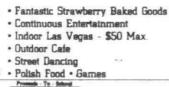
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"Jesus Christ Superstar," features music by Andrew Lloyd Webber and lyrics by Tim Rice. ole, is a student at Henry Ford High School.



stars in the Huron Civic Theatre production of "Je sus Christ Superstar.'

Community College in Dearborn. Okins, 19, who has the leading He attended Lutheran Westland

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Upcoming classical concerts noteworthy Here is a round up of the classi-

cal music concerts being presented this month. Make a note of Scott Holden, a 1989 graduate of Bloomfield Hills Lahser High School and December 1992 graduate of the University of Michigan School of Music, will present a ter. 645-6666. concert 8 p.m. Friday, April 30, at

Bloomfield Hills, Ticket, \$6. Call Composer Lettie Beckon Alston of Lathrup Village will be participating in the Detroit Sympyhony Orchestra Hall's Unisys African-American Composers Fo-

rum April 29 to May 1. Her work, "The Eleventh Hour," was one of four selected to be performed by the Detroit Symphony Orchestra during an open reading session that is open to the public, 12:30-2 p.m. Thursday, April 29, at Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward, Detroit. There is no

these upcoming performances.

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Southfield Symphony Mother's p.m. luncheon, Friday, May 7, 1:30 p.m. concert, at Temple Beth El, 14 Mile at Telegraph, Birmingham, will feature DSO Asse ing Brahms' Clarinet Trio. Tickets \$17.50, lunchon and concert. \$5 concert only. Call 962-1000. " ■ The Michigan Flute Festivat featuring various flute ensembles, the Michigan Flute Orchestra, Mass and flute choirs with more than 300 participants from all Churchill High School at New- chestra will present their final around Michigan, will be 3:30 burgh and Joy roads in Livonia. concert of the season 8 p.m. Fri- p.m. Sunday, May 23, at Orches-Guest artist, Aaron La Vere, day, May 14, at Varner Hall on tra Hall, 3711 Woodward, Detroit. trombone, 1993 LSO Young Artist the campus of Oakland Universi- Call 833-3700 for ticket informa-

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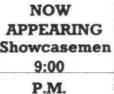
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Performance features Up With People

Up With People, an international music group of young adults will conduct a peformance 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 4, in North Farmington High School Auditorium, 32900 W. 13 Mile, Farmington Hills.

Tickets are \$12 adults, \$10 students under 16, and senior citizens, and will be available at the door. Tickets are also available at Veena's Hallmark, 37598 W. 12 Mile, Farmington Hills. For information, call 661-1778.

The international cast of 150 singers and dancers aged 17 to 24, from 26 countries, will present a two-hour, high energy performance of lively and entertaining European and American medleys, as well as other songs and dances representing many

countries. The performance and theme "World in Motion," depicts the scene of a TV broadcast. The Farmington Hills audience becomes the studio audience. Within the performance many tured, including the importance of education, AIDS awareness, cultural differences and much more. The Up With People goal is to provide an understanding among all nations.

The 150 cast members will be staying with host families in the Farmington Hills area. Staying with the various families encourages work toward the aim 'Understanding among all Na-

UPCOMING THINGS TO DO

Deadline for the Upcoming entertainment calendar is three weeks ahead of publication. Send items to be considered for publication to: Keely Wygonik, Entertainment editor, the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

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E FAMILY CONCERT

Enjoy a combination of divergent musical styles and art in an entertaining presentation by Arvi Sinka 4 p.m. Sunday, May 2 at the Troy Public Library, 510 West Big Beaver Road, Troy. No reservations, seating first come, first served.

III FARMINGTON BAND

May concert 3 p.m. Sunday, May 2 in the Harrison High School auditorium on Twelve Mile Road between Middlebelt and Orchard Lake roads in Farmington Hills. Solo performance by the band's student scholarship winner, John Gage. The program will be repeated 8 p.m. Monday, May 10 at South Lyons High School. The

concert is free and homemade refreshments will be served.

VOCAL MUSIC

Langsford Singers will perform a program of choral music featuring Randall Thompson's "Frostiana," and selections from "Les Miserables" 4 p.m. Sunday, May 2 at St. Anselm Catholic Church, 17650 W. Outer Drive, Dearborn Hights, and 7 p.m. Saturday, May 8 at North Congregational Church, 26275 Northwestern Highway Southfield. Tickets \$8, seniors, students, advance sales, \$6. Call 682-5028.

E 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.

E FARMINGTON COMMUNITY CHO-

Spring concert 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 7 and 8 at Harrison High School in Farmington Hills on Twelve Mile between Orchard Lake and Middlebelt Road. Tickets \$5, seniors and students \$4, chidren 10 and under \$3. Call 471-4516.

MADRIGAL CHORALE

Madrigal Choral will perform selections from R. Vaughan Williams' Mass in G Minor, 4 p.m. Sunday, May 16 at St. Ives Catholic Church in Southfield. Tickets \$10 adults, students and senior citizens, \$5. Call 737-5035 for information.

BENEFITS

Jewel Heart and WDET are sponsoring a benefit for Jewel Heart of Ann Arbor 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 2 at Music Hall, 350 Madison, Detroit. The performance is titled

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Decorative: Glass artist Kimberley Seely produced this work with birds and flowers after handcrafting her first suncatcher.



BOB SKLAR

Plymouth home tour: lifeline for symphony

t's a home decor lover's delight. The Plymouth Symphony League's home tour happens every other May. This year's version runs 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, May 21. Call Mary Thomas for tickets: 453-3016. A financial lifeline for the Plymouth Symphony

Orchestra, the tour sold 853 tickets and raised \$10,000 in 1991. That's 40 percent of the league's annual fund-raising goal of \$25,000.

Dubbed "Town & Country," the 1993 tour will showcase seven homes. It will feature traditional,

country, eclectic, contemporary, Oriental, English accent and American antique decors. 'We'll have a little bit of everything, including

one condo decorated in a classic and traditional mix," said Judy Lore, tour publicist.

The tour should appeal to anyone caught up in architecture, history or furnishings. Said Jill Licata, league president: "There are lots of homes in the area that people would like to see on the inside because they're so interesting on the outside.

This year, the league hopes to sell 1,000 tickets at \$15 each - and raise \$15,000. Members will serve as hostesses and docents. Local florists will place arrangements in each home. A garden boutique next to one tour stop will feature a perennial and statuary sale. A leisurely tour should take a half a day.

The Mayflower Hotel, Cafe Bon Homme, Plymouth Landing, Penniman Deli and Main Street Deli - all situated within the heart of Plymouth - will give a 20-percent discount for lunch or dinner on tour day.

Raising money for the 47-year-old, 85-member symphony is its major purpose. But the home tour also introduces non-residents to Plymouth.

"Many people forget about Plymouth as a suburb of Detroit," Licata said. "The tour introduces them to the kinds of homes in our neighborhoods. It also lets them know Plymouth has a lot to offer as far as being a quaint little town to have lunch

With few costs beyond a small gift to each homeowner and publicity for the event, the home tour ranks as one of the PSO's biggest fund-ra-

Moneymakers abound

To reach its annual fund-raising goal, the 125member league aggressively flexes its volunteer muscle in hosting a variety of events.

It's not about to wait for corporate sponsors. Top fund-raisers are the home tour, two antique shows and a luminary sale. Other moneymakers include card and game parties, a tea and fashion show, a sweetheart ball and auctions.

Preceding this year's home tour is Positively Pasta II, a pasta and dessert demonstration and dinner, at 6:30 p.m. Monday, May 3, in the Round Table Club in the historic Mayflower Hotel. Tick-

ets are \$20; call Cindy Alain: 451-5681. The league is the nonprofit symphony's guardian angel. Without it, the PSO, under the magical wand of conductor Russell Reed, probably

couldn't survive. For the 1992-93 10-performance season, the league will bring in 25 percent of the symphony's \$99,000 in revenue. The state is expected to chip in \$4,600. The society must generate another \$76,400 through tickets and contributions.

Kiyo Morse, Plymouth Symphony Society's administrative coordinator and a former home tour docent, calls the league "one of the major stabilizing factors as far as our budget goes." She said members "always bring in what they say they'll bring in - and sometimes more."

Towns lucky enough to have a symphony should go out of their way to preserve it. Cultural arts help define a community. They give it diversity and dimension — and make it well-rounded.

Cultural pillars

Through community symphonies like the PSO, skilled amateur musicians strike up the music to blend their string, wind, brass and percussion instruments into a captivating orchestral sound.

Such symphonies give music students, music teachers and music lovers a chance to hone their skills, and maybe experience their first on-stage opportunity, alongside veteran musicians unable, for whatever reason, to make music full time.

From humble beginnings, community symphonies have developed into sources of widely appealing concert entertainment, from Beethoven to Bernstein. Keynotes range from classical to jazz to pops, Guest performances often highlight homegrown talent like dancer Dawnell Dryja.

The bridge such symphonies extend to introducing young people to live performances of highquality music at economy prices is invaluable.

The PSO draws 300 to 600 folks for a typical concert to 1,000 for seasonal performances of Tchaikovaky's "The Nutcracker." That level of support spotlights the symphony's success in uplifting the community's cultural spirit.

So take in the home tour - and help keep the

music playing.

Bob Sklar is assistant managing editor for special sections. To leave a message, call 953-2113.



ILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPH

Pastels enrich her architectural glass

■ Kimberley Seely designs decorative glass to fit a client's environment. As an art born of light, her stained glass thrives on the space it will inhabit.

By Linda Ann Chomin Special Writer imberley Seely uses a light hand to color her decorative glasswork. In fact, most of the glass in her windows, panels and sidelights shines crystal clear.

"When most people think of stained glass, they think of the deep jewel colors: the reds, violets, blues, the darker tones," Seely said. "I'm softer than that. I like the pastels. I like the effect of the clears, the tex-

Seely creates commissioned glasswork from the business she opened March 8 in Plymouth Township, Emperor Stained Glass and An-

As an art that's born of light, stained glass depends on architecture and the interior in which it will exist. The first step in creating a glass piece for a home or business is to learn more about the client's en-

"I talk to them, try to get as much



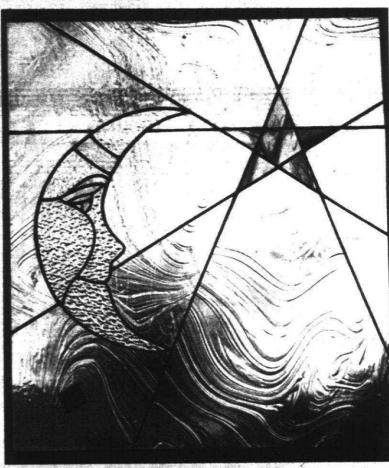
as I can of their personality, their colors," she said. "I ask, 'Is it an airy open house?" Where is it going to go? Are they prone to change the

MONTH

Seely then begins to make sketches. After perfecting the final design, she makes a blueprint of the pat-

"You have to have a great deal of patience to create a glasswork. It's a challenge to take this empty glass and empty piece of paper and put it together," Seely said. "Once the glass is cut and wrapped in the copperfoil, I take it apart and put it together again and again till it's

See EMPEROR, 2D



Glass dreams: In this panel, "Man in the Moon," Kimberley Seely uses bubble glass, baroque, clear iridescent and glue

Gallery to showcase 11 working artists

By Janice Tigar-Kramer Special Writer

A first-ever open house at Galt's Gallery in Garden City will give showgoers a chance to see 11 artists in various stages of their crafts.

Gallery owners John and Patricia Fowler came up with the idea for this working exhibit to celebrate the gallery's first anniversary and to give visitors something different to see, said John "Butch" Fowler, who'll disShaker-style furniture.

The show is noon to 5 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at Galt's Gallery, 6254 Middlebelt, just north of Ford Road. Original art, priced from less than \$10 to several hundred dollars, includes mostly Colonial-style furnishings and accessories and some transitional pieces. Best of all, admission is free and artists will award door prizes

niture, showgoers will see the works of eight other Garden City artists: Judith Buresh, pottery; Gary Couzens, stained glass; Judy Cain, fabric jewelry boxes; Lucia Creamer, quilts; Cindy Deere, children's clothes; Doug and Joe Lee, wooden Revolutionary War dolls; and Donna McMullens, Colonial-style dolls. Greenfield Village tinsmith Max Hesselgrave of Westland and Nancy Rutkowski, a

Besides Fowler's reproduction fur- Hartland basket weaver, also will show their wares.

Patricia Fowler, a teacher at Garden City's Memorial School, also will be on hand, weaving rugs on her mother's old loom. She started weaving in college and since then has learned chair caning and upholstering, which she does for some of John's pieces.

See GALT'S, 2D

Artbeat features vignettes from the suburban arts scene. Write: Artheat, Creative Living, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

For details and reviews of musical performances, please turn to the Entertainment section.

E GARDEN GREENUP

Master Gardener Association of Wayne County will offer gardening classes 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at the Wayne County Extension offices, 5454 Venoy, Wayne.

Classes will cover summer bulbs, container planting, wildflowers, trees, plant propagation and lawn pests. Full- and half-day sessions are available at a cost of \$17 and \$12, respectively. The full-day price includes a box lunch. To register, call Bill Kropog at 336-7392.

Art Beat

Detroit-based DuMouchelle Art Galleries will host an antique appraisal clinic 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 1, in the Canton Township Administration Building meeting room, 1150 S.

Cost is \$4 for an oral appraisal and \$6 for a written one. Appraisals for items worth more than \$1,000 will cost \$10.

III DOLL TALK

German doll artist Eveline Frings will show 10 of her pieces 7-10 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at A Victorian Doll Shoppe, 117 N. Center, North-

ville. The exhibit runs to May 16.

Most of her fine works of art are owned by private collectors, such as Demi Moore, and are occasionally seen in European museums.

A one-of-a-kind wax doll appears on the cover of the May issue of Contemporary Doll Magazine. An exclusive story about this creator of wax and porcelain dolls runs inside.

M ARTISTIC WOMEN

An exhibition featuring select works by "Women of Artistry" will be held May 1-29 at Frame Factory, 2931 Carpenter, Ann Arbor.

"Women of Artistry" features Julie Giordano of Northville (oil, watercolor), Sharon Dillenbeck of Canton (watercolor), Ssuan Argiroff of Livonia (marblizing), Carol McCreedy of Westland (watercolor) and Norma McQueen of Garden City

Woodworker: **Furniture** maker John "Butch" Fowler opened Galt's Gallery a year ago to showcase his Shaker- and Colonialstyle furniture and accessories and

the works of

other local

artists and

crafters.



John Fowler

"What I love is the precision of the

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work. I feel a tremendous sense of sat-

baskets, they wanted her work on permanent display at the

gallery. Rutkowski, who calls her work Naturals by Nancy,

Rutkowski and her four children regularly scout their 15

acres for grapevine, Virginia creeper, gourds, shells, dried

A self-taught weaver, Rutkowski will do traditionally

She uses black walnuts and green tomatoes to make nat-

"I used to give the baskets away but now it's my work,"

Judith Buresh will bring her potter's wheel to the gallery

Buresh, who's known for her brilliant-colored glazes

made from natural oxides, will show her latest series called

Amazon vases. Each one, which goes through three firings,

has an image of jungle foliage created with crackled glaze,

copper oxide and red Spanish iron. Vases are 14 to 17 inch-

Buresh started the series with just two pots and liked

"When I start working, I let the pot and clay dictate how

the piece will finally look. I didn't plan the series," said

Buresh, who even plays a tape of rain forest music when

For more information, call Galt's Gallery at 261-7370.

Hours are 2-5 p.m. Tuesday to Friday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

ural dyes and includes dried plants or other organic mate-

rial in almost every basket. Her work sells for \$10 to \$100.

she said. "But I wouldn't call it a job. It's still fun."

the image well enough to continue experimenting.

styled baskets, but she prefers to recycle the found materi-

plants, horsehair, cattails and even deer antlers for the

Galt's from page 1D

The Fowlers, who exhibited John's furniture at local shows for years before opening the gallery, say they want showgoers to see more than tables of art for sale. 'You don't usually get a chance to see the artist at

work," said John Fowler, who divides his time between the gallery and his Dearborn-based machine shop. "Even if people don't buy that day, they'll see something more than displays of art." Fowler started furniture making just four years ago when

work at the machine shop began to slow down. By August, he plans to run the gallery full-time. He says going from metal to wood work was a logical transition, even though he'd never had a great interest in furniture design.

"What I love is the precision of the work. I feel a tremendous sense of satisfaction when I'm building," Fowler said. "I'm like a kid eating candy."

Fowler will display his own designs made from hard woods and pine along with pieces modified from patterns customers have brought to the store. His latest work includes an oak and maple porch swing, an oak coffee table, a Shaker wall cabinet and a lap desk. There also are cedar chests, lamps, accent tables and a children's table and chairs. For \$7, he sells an authentic Shaker fruit basket.

Gary Couzens says learning to do stained glass five years ago was a fluke. A friend bid on stained glass classes through a Channel 56 auction and asked Couzens to come along. He quickly caught on and now does his own designs as well as glass repairs for many historic Detroit-area homes. Eventually, Couzens, an inspector for Milford Fabricating Co., wants to make and repair stained glass fulltime. For now, he says it's a "very enjoyable paying hob-

For the show, Couzens will work on stained-glass panels used as window hangings. They sell for about \$50 to \$60 at the gallery. He places many in old picture frames and uses copper foil or lead glass channels. He also takes special orders for custom-made side panels and inserts for doors. "Stained glass is like a living picture," Couzens said.

"Hues of light are constantly changing the color of the When the Fowlers discovered Nancy Rutkowski's woven

Colored glass: Stainedglass artist

Gary Couzens of Garden City will make glass panels at a working show at Galt's Gallery on Saturday, May









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Emperor from page 1D

The sun didn't always light When I create a piece myself, you feel the stained glass shop. When a friend gave her the money to It in your soul. You put your whole being buy the business in mid January, the interior was dark and

Pippin of Garden City, gutted and rebuilt the interior. "I like to work with my

hands," said the mother of two. "I helped build this store. I have no problem hanging drywall or hammering things. I love this. This is a lifelong

Seely creates one-of-a-kind rectly to a wall panel. glasswork. When she finishes a commission, the pattern is destroyed and returned to the owner minus a few key pieces.

The average cost for the stained glass art produced by the Plymouth resident is \$95 a square foot. A commissioned piece generally takes two months to complete.

"I'll put stained glass anywhere anybody wants it," Seely said. "You can put in the ceiling, cupboards, regular windows, octagon windows, side lights, half-wall inserts. I'd re- window faces north. It still lets tween Haggerty and Hix. Hours ally like to do a skylight some- all the light in."

stained glass three years ago, supplies, tools, antiques, counafter a girlfriend talked her try dolls and bunnies. It also into taking a class. Her first offers black and white photoproject was a suncatcher. She graphs by Larry Siedel of Novi. Classes run \$25 a person for

Kimberley Seely

four two-hour classes held once "When I create a piece a week, or \$35 for two people. myself, you feel it in your soul. Class size is limited to six. You put your whole being into "I'm trying to make this af-

the premises. Repairs are a pri-

Sue Belts of Plymouth comfordable." she said. "Stained missioned her to create a wall glass can be a very expensive hobby. As long as they're in my panel of hummingbirds, trumpet flowers and vines. The classes, they can use my tools. piece will be set in above the Seely also does stained and beveled glass restoration on

Seely became interested in Antiques also offers classes,

went from working small di-

"I was talking to my decora-

tor and I thought a stained

glass window would be nice since I didn't want to drape it or blind it," Belts said. "The 40540 Ann Arbor Trail, beare 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-



Crafty puzzle: In the final stages before soldering, Kimberley Seely works to make the

ship won first prize in Farmington

Her painting is ar example of the artwork available in the FAC

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Continuing — Livonia Arts Commission pre sents a retospective of 40 watercolor and oil paintings by artist/architect/author Louis G Redstone through May 15 in the Art Gallery. 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 40s 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.

LIVONIA CITY HALL

Continuing — Livonia Arts Commission pre sents the Palette Guild spring art show and sale through April 29 in the lobby. The 110piece exhibition showcases a variety of media, including watercolor, acrylic, oil, pastel, colored pencil, pen and ink, graphite and collage. The show was judged by West Bloomfield watercolorist Christine Unwin. Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 7-9 p.m. April 20-21 and 26-27. Farmington Road and Five

MELSON'S GALLERY Continuing - Livonia painter Edward Ferguson exhibits a retrospective of his work "29 Months - But Who's Counting?" through May 14. The show consists of acrylic and oil paintings with some mixed media. It features selections from two of Ferguson's series dealing with social and environmental issues, "Affairs of the Heart" and other abstract concepts, "Messages from God: the Habitat Paintings" and other recent work. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. Terrence Corners, 16376 Middle-

WETSMAN COLLECTION

Thursday, April 29 - "Quilts as a New Art Form 3," focusing on four leading contempo rary quilt makers: Linda MacDonald, Nancy Crow, Elizabeth Busch and Terrie Hancock Mangat. Mangat will discuss her work informally in the gallery Friday and Saturday. Reception 5:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday, May 6. Using a framework derived from traditional geometric quilt patterns, Crow explores unusual color relationships with hand-dyed fabric. MacDonald begins her quilts by painting on . cotton fabric, then airbrushes, dyes and stitches the fabric. Treating her quilts as a canvas, Mangat layers them with fabric, appliqued and painted, often embellished with such objects as spoons, toys and beads. Current events can inspire Bush, but some pieces are quietly beautiful explorations of contrast in temperature, materials and methods. To May 28. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday Saturday, 132 N. Woodward, Birmingham,

E CROSSWINDS MALL

Thursday-Sunday, April 29-May 2 - Crosswinds Mall Springfest Antique Show features art deco, art glass, baseball cards, bronzes, furniture, jewelry, lamps, linens, silver, and Victorian and paper items. Hours: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, Orchard Lake and Lone Pine roads, West

III UAW-GM HUMAN RESOURCE CENTER

To April 30 — "Automobiles and Art," an exhibit by 13 artists and designers, including John Krieger of Plymouth and Roger Hard nock of Westland. Hours: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday, 2630 Featherstone, one-half mile east of Opdyke in Auburn Hills, 377-

ATRIUM GALLERY

To April 30 - Northville artist Bill Thelan esents his new line of steel bird sculptures for the yard and Milford artist Dee Segula exhibits her artistically appointed wood birdhouses. Also, works by Birmingham glass blower Stan Megdall. All colors of the rainbow are shown in his perfume bottles, vases, threefooted bowls and platters. Some are done in tortoise shell and foam wraps. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mcnday-Saturday, noon to 4 p.m. Sunday and by appointment, 109 N. Center, Northville, 349-4131.

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PARK WEST GALLERY To April 30 - "Modern Masters: Picasso,

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M 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.

B 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.

III JUDITH DRESNER GALLERY To April 30 - Raku pieces by Hannelore, multimedia works by Audrey DiMarco, pottery by Carole Berhorst and watercolors by Jerry Folwock. The gallery is in the Claymoo Building at 29260 Franklin Road, Suite 123, Southfield, Call 352-1166.

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To April 30 — In celebration of Michigan Glass Month, the gallery presents works by Frank Gallo, Kurt Rundstatler, Toland Peter Sand, Victoria Palazzolo, Willsea and Brand Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, 32407 Northwestern Highway, Farmington Hills, 626-6450.

ELIZABETH STONE GALLERY

To April 30 - "Birds, Beasts and Fishes," a collection of original art by children's book illustrators from animal stories. Featured art ists in the exhibit are Laura Almada, Shannon Cartwright, Arthur Geisert, Deborah Haeffele, Michael McCurdy, Wendell Minor Robin Spowart and Jane Briskin Zalben. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 580 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 647-

MICHIGAN COUNCIL FOR ARTS AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS GALLERY

Friday, April 30 - "Michigan Kids on Paper," works by kindergarten through sixth grade students, will be exhibited through July 23. The show celebrates the creative expression of elementary school students and is representative of works presented at Wendy's restaurants during Youth Arts Month. It is one of three partnership projects of the MCACA and Arts Foundation of Michigan, Hours: are a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, 1200 Sixth, De-

SUSANNE HILBERRY GALLERY

Saturday, May 1 - "New Wall and Sculptures" by Jun Kaneko will continue to June 12. Opening reception to meet the artist 3-6 p.m. Saturday. Hours: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 555 S. Woodward, Birming-

Saturday, May 1 — "Celebration of Spring," a fine collection of original, antique, handpainted botanicals by Paxton, Andrews and Curtis, will be featured May 1-30. The exhibit will open with an English garden tea noon to 5 p.m. Saturday. Hours: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday, to 8 p.m. Thursday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, 280 Merrill, Birmingham, 645-

E COACH HOUSE GALLERY

Saturday, May 1 — Works by Karen Carter Van Gamper, Else Pedersen and Ann Loveland. Opening 2-5 p.m. Saturday. Hours: noon to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday or by appointment, 7828 Van Dyke Place, Detroit, 821-

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Saturday, May 1 — Michigan clay artists Frank Hartlieb and John Murphy. Murphy's work is highly refined geometric forms that re late to the universal shapes of sphere, cube and pyramid. Hartlieb is a master of raku processes and will display many recent organic forms. Reception: 6-9 p.m. May 1. 2661 Michigan Ave., Detroit. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday.

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ETON GALLERY

To May 1 - An exhibit of large-scale sculptural collages by Hans Neleman continues. The gallery, which opened this month, serves as a showcase for both fine art photography and digital imagery. Hours: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday or by appointment, 151 N. Eton, Birmingham, 649-4951.

III HILL GALLERY

To May 1 — New paintings by Andrew Young. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 163 Townsend, Birmingham, 540-

I LEMBERG GALLERY

To May 1 - "Wait of Solitude," an exhibit of new paintings by Detroit artist Holly Branstner, Hours: 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tues day-Friday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 538 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 642-6623.

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To May 1 - "Borne With A Silver Spoon," a traveling exhibition and sale featuring 125 functional and sculptural contemporary spoons by 45 leading American metalsmiths. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 301 W. Fourth, Royal Oak, 544-3388.

To May 1 - "Victor Pasmore: Recent Graph-

ic Work." The exhibit features a collection of aquatints, etchings and lithographs, many in very large sizes, by the renowned British artist. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday or by appointment, 7001 Orchard Lake Road, Suite 430A, West Bloomfield, 626-3111

E O.K. HARRIS/DAVID KLEIN GALLERY To May 1 - The new work of Gabrielle Senza

and Carole Zak. Senza's paintings consist of industrial landscapes on distressed, recycled materials. Zak juxtaposes paint and aged, printed paper on canvas, in conjunction with three-dimensional objects. Hours: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 430 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 433-3700.

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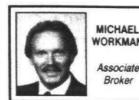
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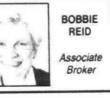
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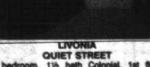




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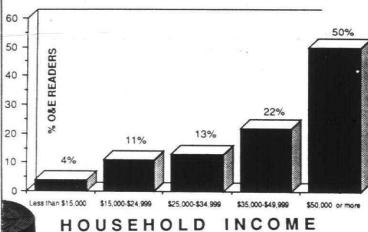


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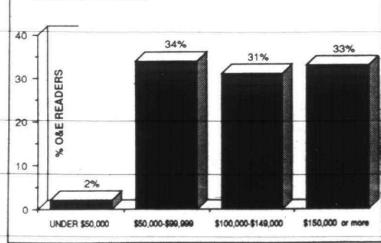


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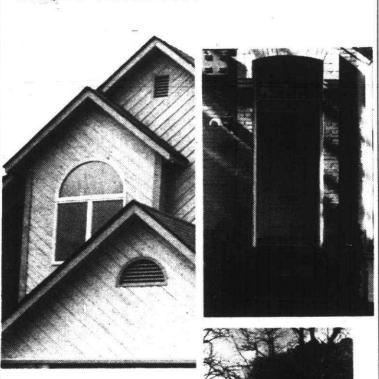


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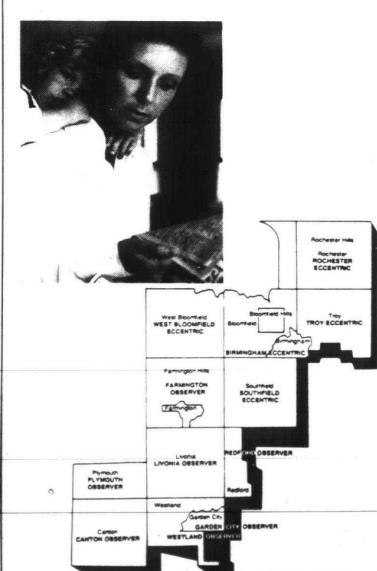
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the form of mortgage payments. Amber suggests that ownership f two-flat houses with money coming in - not exactly a new concept in some older communities like Dearborn — is especially

dle two families as well as one." Buyers who live in one flat and

rent the other also will have an easier time financing their housing with rents in addition to their own funds.

ing to Amber - renters would include balconies and fireplaces the two-flat plan is zoning, or much more want to form relation- in his apartments. ships and put down roots in a neighborhood than in an apart- said Jay Hughes, partner in Mayfair Realtors in Livonia and a

"It worked well years ago," he longtime real estate agent. said. "I think the economy calls who want to buy a new house rific," Hughes said. "Unless both that's still a lot of people.'

Amber, 72, a visionary during homes from \$60,000 to \$80,000."

"They're cheaper per square foot to build. Every house has a foundation, roof, furnace and wa. "If he can do it in a price range people can afford, it would be terrific. Unless both (marter heater. The same one can han-riage) partners are working, it's difficult to qualify for starter homes from \$60,000 to

Another selling point, accord- his heyday, was among the first to

Amber may be on to something, Hughes agree.

"If he can do it in a price range for it now. If out of 100 people people can afford, it would be ter- maintaining property values.

Historically, a mix of owners maybe only three want income, partners are working, it's difficult and tenants has fostered a sense built. to qualify for a home, starter of community, Amber argues. Plus, on-site owners who also rent we're dealing with now is familiar today, Bollan said.

The major stumbling block to land use regulations, Amber and

Some owners believe that a neighborhood of other owners rather than renters is more stable, safer and more conducive to

Any house builder can do it. "I agree it sounds great," Bol Technically, it's not challenging. What it takes is a willingness to lan said. "It's an old concept that's been around a long time

Existing two-flat houses and Primarily, I don't see it as a via duplexes generally are snapped come available, Hughes said. Investors and owners who want to provide housing for other family members, especially immigrants,

are on half-mile roads," Amber

said. "What I see beyond that is

subdivisions dedicated to this.

"I don't think the generation attractive to renters and buyers

John Bollan Jr., a Troy builder

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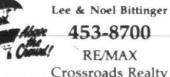
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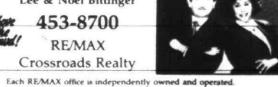
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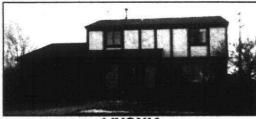
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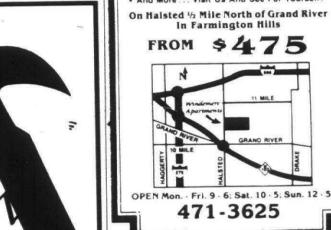
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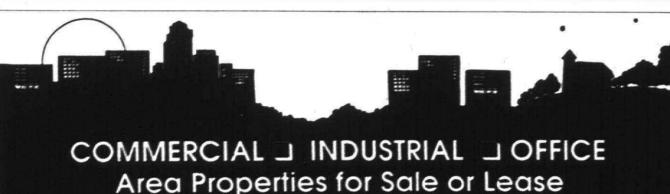
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TMP promotions

Six members of the staff of TMP Associates, Bloomfield Hills, have been promoted.

David Larson and Stephen Smith were appointed principals of the firm. Larson is director of the design staff. Smith has served as project designer or manager of major commissions including the West Bloomfield Post Office.

Rocco Romano was promoted to director of operations and is responsible for

coordinating all production staff and scheduling of

Nick McGee, a project manager, was named senior associate, and Jim Bowers and Doug Horner associates.







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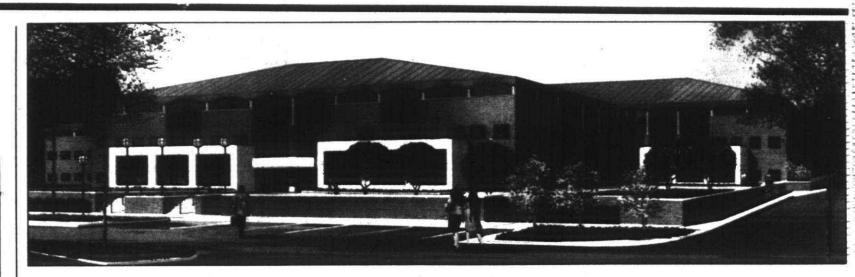
Millgard Environmental Corp. of Livonia has received the Michigan Chamber of Commerce Environmental Quality Award. It was one of 16 businesses recognized for advances in environmental policy or cleanup practices that also improve the business climate and quality of life for workers and their communities.

Millgard provides cleanup of sites contaminated by hazardous materials using a process known as the MecTool remediation system. It is a system of earth-boring and mixing tools that deliver a variety of gaseous, liquid and semi-liquid reagents to neutralize in-ground contaminants.

Kramer promotions

Roger Kramer & Associates has promoted Jeff Gourlie from property manager to vice president in charge of the east side property management division. Cathy McGregor has been named personnel director while holding her position as office

Roger Kramer & Associates is a real estate property management firm specializing in management of apartment, cooperative and condominium properties. It is headquartered in Troy with a Farmington Hills office.



Artist's rendering: A prestige location is a major selling point for Bloom-Wood Centre.

Address assures success in leasing

■ Stable absorption, higher rates and falling office vacancies tell the story in Bloomfield Hills where a new office building is under way.

BY DOUG FUNKE STAFF WRITER

It's ironic that the only sizable office building currently under construction in metro Detroit is owned by a shopping center magnate who until now has had little experience building offices.

Jay Kogan, 71, a Bloomfield Hills resident and owner of the Oakland Mall and several other strip centers in Troy, is the force behind Bloom-Wood Centre at Woodward and Long Lake roads, Bloomfield Hills.

Work on the three-story structure of some 145,000 square feet with two levels of underground parking began last August. The first steel girders appeared in February and the initial tenant is expected in November.

"We have a prime tenant and we feel this prime tenant is taking a large space and will be an inducement for other tenants," said Kogan, who declined to specify.

That and the prime location induced him to build now, Kogan said.

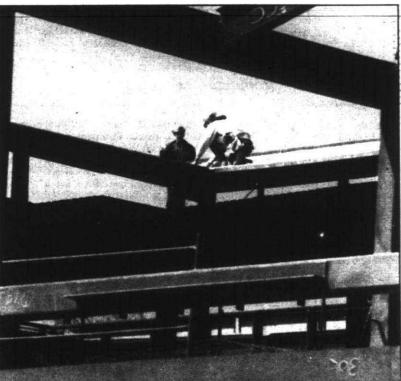
'Jay is the kind of man who when he wants to do something . wants to do it the best," said John A. Hamburger, executive vice president for Parliament Co. of Bingham Farms, a development/management company that's expediting the project for Kogan.

"From our perspective," Hamburger added, "while there's plenty of vacancies around the city . . . there's always room for someone else who makes a better widget."

Construction and tenant build-out costs were estimated at \$17 million by Jack D. Hamburger, Parliament chairman.

"Based on conversations and calls we're getting, I'd say we'll be appreciably leased by the end of this year, certainly in excess of 80 percent," he said.

Parliament currently is talking with three major prospects, none of which the Hamburgers would identi-



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Going up: Construction workers toil on the structure of Bloom-Wood Centre set for completion in November.

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the daffodils. The show house is the decorator's chance to shine. Generally, the house is on loan to a charity. The charity assigns each room to a different designer who decorates t without constraints of client budget or wishes. The decorator donates his time and talent and usually borrows the furnishings

Once fully decked out, the home is opened for public viewing for a specified number of days for an entrance fee.

- often expensive antiques.

The house pulls in money for the charity, potential ciients for the decorators and possible buyers for the furnishings. It also provides a wealth of ideas and a couple hours' entertainment for the oglers who can cluck at what they don't like and sigh over what

If decorator show houses didn't exist, designers would have to invent them, says Chris Casson Madden, author and lecturer on

"Designers see the show house as the perfect platform to show off their best work," Madden says. "So if a charity doesn't bring it

A show house is the ideal place for someone decorating a home to get ideas because it's three-dimensional, Madden says. Her new book, "Rooms With a View," (PBC International, 1993, \$45), covers two decades of rooms from the Kips Bay Decorator Show House in New York.

"People come to Kips Bay each spring from out of town and even as far away as South America to see the rooms," Madden says. It takes 2

Madden, who has been through dozens of decorator show houses, says you need to go through each house twice to get your money's

I go through," she says. "But I go through the rooms a second time and make notes in the journal of the things that appeal to me." The fact that you can't afford to

duplicate the rooms shouldn't keep you from borrowing good ideas, she says. Her journals include scribbled entries on various ways to roll towels in a bathroom container and to arrange flowers.

many internationally famous dec-

novel ways. period and furniture styles. Final-, many Kips Bay show houses to welcome 20,000 at \$15 each. are done in architecturally interesting spaces normally closed to

Madden says the idea of decorator show houses has spread to London, Paris and various locales South America. But it's an American innovation.

The first modern show house appears to have opened in April 1958 in San Mateo, Calif., to raise money for the Coyote Point Museum for Environmental Education. In June of that year, another in Menlo Park raised money for a children's aid society.

By the early 1970s, show houses opened in Boston and St. Louis. Kips Bay, which is the best known, opened in April 1973 when the Women's Committee Though not every house has so erate about \$500,000 annually for the Kips Bay Boys & Girls Club orators or expensive art as Kips Inc., a youth center for inner city

attracted 4,000 people at \$3 At Kips Bay, rooms sometimes apiece, to look at the works of 15 dictate the latest design trends. interior decorators and one land-There are always unusual window scape designer. Madden was treatments to ponder, and you can among the crowd, as she has been see what you like and don't like in each year since. The 1993 edition (now through May 16) is expected

> Show houses reflect the decorating preoccupations of their era. In the 1970s it was minimalism. Black-and-white schemes, seethrough plastics and shiny, hardedged Eurostyle furniture were the last word in modernity. Bright

History of decorating

colors such as lime green were attention getters, and the latest technology was prominently dis-The 1980s brought the opulent look. Electronics were behind closed doors so nothing could detract from the luxury of fine antiques. They also brought an ever-

softening color palette as pastels and glazed walls were featured. The 1990s have begun with the dawn of the age of ecology. Dedecided to substitute it for the signers put recycling centers in regular spring dance. The show show house kitchens that will house and benefit gala now gen- never generate garbage and use nature's green as an emblem of ment. But the specifics really





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burger said. The exterior of Bloom-Wood Centre will be similar to that of

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the Bloomfield Centre building owned by Jonna Companies directly south on Woodward. Jonna had received site plan

approval for two office buildings. Jonna completed one office, some 137,000 square feet which opened n January 1989, then sold the other parcel of land to Kogan. We decided we had our hands

full with what we were doing and it was best not to take additional risk," said Gary Steven Jonna, executive vice president of that Brick and stone will mark

Bloom-Woodd's exterior. Some windows will be surrounded by brick, others will be extend across the structure in curtain wall fashion. A walk-up plaza with brickscape and some natural landscap-

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ing will lead to the main entrance from the parking lot behind the

An atrium will extend through much of the building all the way to the roof. The ground floor, in addition to tenant space, will have a restaurant, sundry shop and an automatic teller machine.

"All interior furnishing will be top of the line," Jack Hamburger said. "The lobby floor will be all granite, two kinds, Baltic brown and black. We're using cherry wood in the lobby. All hardware on the elevator doors will be brushed bronze.

Kogan said he's currently fi-

for a construction loan and a permanent mortgage a little further down the line.

Office building activity has ground almost to a halt in the metro area as a whole due to a vacancy rate in the range of 16-18 percent depending on the survey. "We're fully leased, so we don't

see it (Bloom-Wood) as an im-

pact." Jonna said. "That building will be leased fairly quickly," predicted Dennis R. Burnside, senior vice president of Grubb & Ellis, a Southfield commercial real estate firm.

'There's not much space available in Bloomfield Hills, such a nancing construction out of his desirable address," Burnside own pocket, but he will be looking said. "It's a small, tight market."

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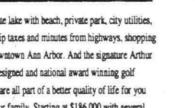
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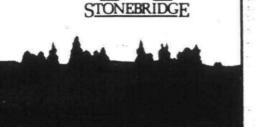
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cate, Allied Van Lines has developed a checklist that begins two months before the big day," he Eight weeks before the move:

Compile an inventory of all household and personal possessions to be moved Order a newspaper subscription from your new town to familiarize you family with the news and

Contact your mover for infor-

mation and an estimate.

events in the community Six weeks before

on schools, parks and recreation.

Obtain school, medical, tax and legal records. Ask for referrals. Four weeks before: ■ Three weeks before: Start using items that are not Arrange to close and open bank

transportable like frozen food or

Begin to pack in earnest. cleaning supplies. Obtain a change-of-address kit Two weeks before: Reconfirm all arrangements from the post office, complete and with the moving company mail forms Service your car.

Contact utility and related companies (cable companies and out of or into has an elevator garbage collectors) for service disconnect and connect. Keep schedule time to use it for your utilities connected in your current One week before: home through moving day.

If you are packing yourself, arrange to obtain boxes. Pack seldom-used or out-of-season goods that won't be missed before mov-

Make travel arrangements for itinerary and emergency phone

Empty safe deposit box.

and other equipment

Drain fluids from lawn mower

Prepare specific instructions

for your van foreman. Include

accounts

Pack items you will need the unwanted items or donate usable first few days in your new home items to a charitable organization.

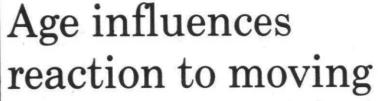
such as linens, towels and soap into a "survival box" to be taken with you on the move.

Defrost and clean the refrigers tor and freezer. Notify moving company of any

last-minute changes. Moving day: Hire a babysitter to watch If the building you are moving young children.

Read your bill of carefully before signing. Make final inspection of hous to check for belongings and to

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Whether moving across the Continuity is the key. Structured new surroundings, says a family ately following the move.

"Moving is hard on children no natter what the situation," says Transforming Relationships.' "But there are steps parents can says. take to make the transition easier. Children under 7 years of age need their lives as familiar and routine as possible during and af-

ter a move. As soon as the family has relocated, set up the child's room as it was before the move, with the child's favorite toys, pictures and

planket in full view. "Now is not the time to redecorate a small child's room," Wade says. "Younger children

have a very small world and can ecome disoriented easily. given to the youngster's schedule. byes

country or across the block, par- times in their routine, like the ents need to make special efforts family dinner hour and bedtime to help their children adjust to should not be changed immedi For children over 7, a different

approach should be used. "It's important to be up front Dr. Brenda Wade, author of with older children when discuss-"Love Lessons: A Guide to ing the move. Include them in the decision-making process," Wade

been selected, gather the family to discuss specifics. If a trip to the area is not possible, compile inormation on the neighborhood and school to show to older chil-

Ask them how they would like to redecorate their new bedroom and provide a layout of the house

Teens may be the most cor cerned about leaving classmates and close friends. Parents should encourage exchanging telephone numbers and addresses and set The same attention should be ting aside time for formal good

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But if your attic is crisscrossed with roof supports, you have a webbed or truss system and you cannot make any changes at all. Only attics with conventional framing can be converted.

Determine future use adding new bedrooms is a good use of a converted attic. Gaining extra sleeping quarters is the reason most people convert an attic. If you do create bedrooms, it's handy to add a bath as well. Try to ocate a new bath above an existstack and plumbing lines.

An attic can also often be converted into a separate apartment for an older relative. Some people plan an "adult" family room in the attic. Hobby rooms and workshops make as good sense in the cially if children's bedrooms are

check your local building codes.

Codes typically set minimum

standards in the design of living

attic is just a storeroom. More

code will pose no great difficulty.

story to the house; the structure

strengthening the walls of the sto-

If you are on a septic system.

adding a bedroom - even without

adding a bath - may mean hav-

ing to increase the size of the tank

But it pays to be sure.

Remember that the floor joists Whatever your decision, consider consulting a builder or armust support the increased load. You may have to strengthen them chitect while developing your by repairing, doubling or adding plans. A professional can tell you joists. Again, building codes have whether your budget is reasonable, and what permits, inspecprescribed minimums to use as a guide. You may need to install or tions and variances you will need. enhance a permanent staircase -Before you begin your planning,

Plan a second exit for emergen cies. When choosing the kind of space that do not apply when an windows you want and where you want them, keep in mind that than likely, conforming to the they may serve as emergency ex-

folding attic stairs are not ade-

and the drainage field. This, too, will be specified in the building

Before you begin, be sure to get Have a professional check the a building permit. Order building materials in sufficient quantity to house's foundation and utility systems. A finished attic adds a complete the entire job. Select a place beforehand to store your materials until you need them. If nust be able to support the extra load. (Some codes require necessary, consider building a simple shed to protect them. Or simply stack them on a platform and cover them with a tarp.

Installing studding and ceiling joists, insulation, windows and jobs that many do-it-yourselfers can do. Plumbing and electrical needs should be left to licensed plumbers and electricians.

If the attic needs more floor space or windows, dormers will have to be added. This means cutting into the existing roof and building an extension. Unless you have considerable construction experience, this task should be left to a skilled contractor.

hook onto the central heating system or install an electrical baseboard heating system with its own isting heating system is easiest if your home is equipped with forced-air heating. Generally, all you need to do is add lengths of hot-and cold-air ducting and join them to the existing system.

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ly. The problem is that tile-work resists speed with two obstacles The first is that tile mastic cures too slowly, the second is that grout cures too quickly. The mastic used to glue tile to

walls will set in a day, but takes days longer to cure. If the spaces between the tiles are grouted too soon, the gases that must escape dollars, or you can fix them later in curing create tiny pinholes in

As for curing the grout, the best approach is a wet cure, where the normal drying rate is prolonged. When cured properly, the grout

If allowed to dry too quickly, the grout will have a soft, chalky surface that absorbs water. As the water is absorbed, the grout swells, fractures and falls away. In either case, water reaches the drywall behind the tiles and de-

How do you know when your ceramic tiles need help? To begin, look for discoloration in the grout. Dark spots in grout suggest that penetrating, either because of pinhole openings or be-

cause the grout is loose. As water penetrates these gaps, nolds grow in them, holding more

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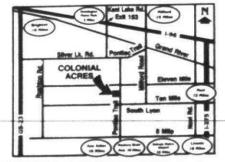
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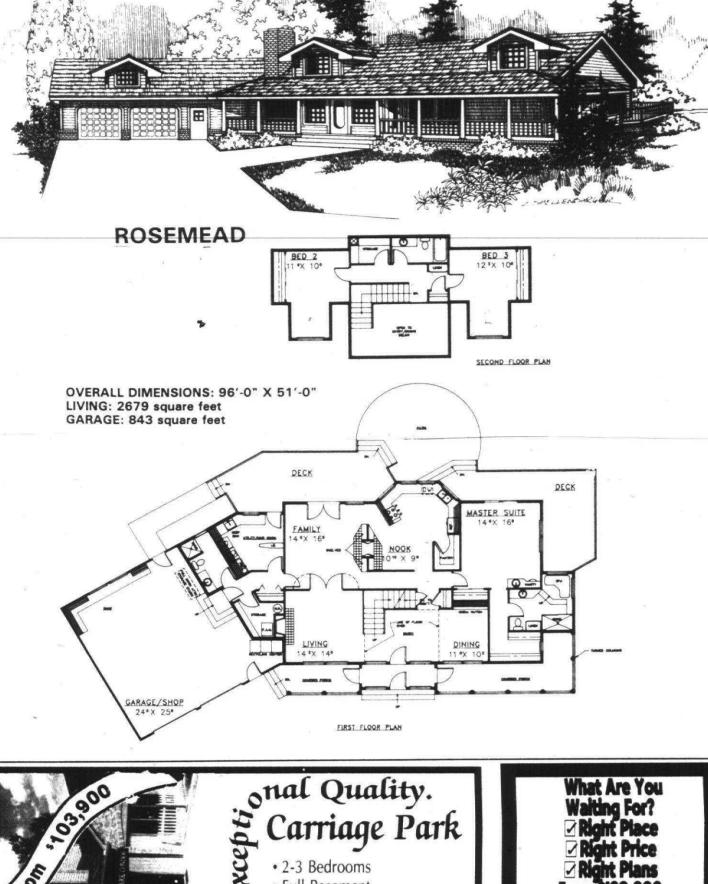
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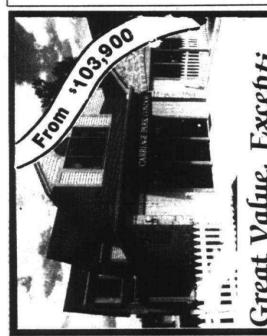
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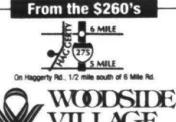
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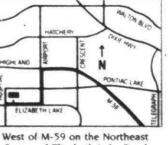
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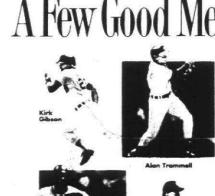
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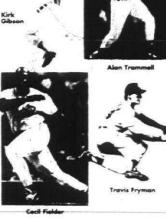
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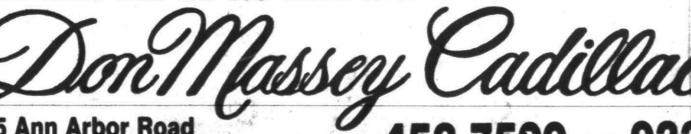


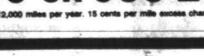
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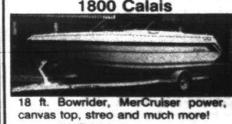
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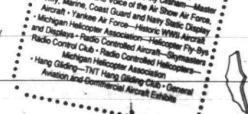
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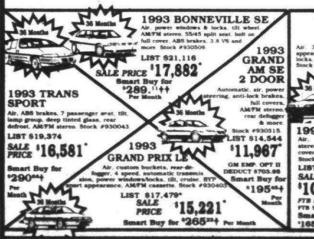
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