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Business boom spurs growth



Businesses and services are starting to find the 60,000 residents of Canton. Strip malls are starting to fill up as the business community catches up to the growth in Canton Township.

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI STAFF WRITER

If you look around Canton, you'll see plenty of roof tops. That's what retail businesses are looking for. And that's what they've found in Canton.

"There's a lot coming to Canton to support the residential community. And it's bringing jobs," said Linda

Shapona, Canton Chamber of Commerce executive director.

A drive down Ford Road — or any of the major thoroughfares — will tell you what's happening in the township: new subdivisions that are drawing new businesses, including retail/commercial, restaurants and professional offices.

"Instead of moving to West Bloomfield or Farmington Hills, they (residents) are moving up the scale to a new house in Canton," Shapona said.

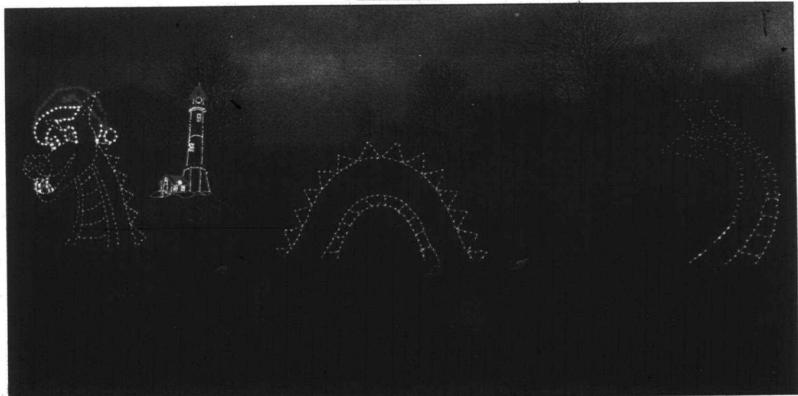
With close to 60,000 population, the average resident's age is 41. "A lot of people buying new homes out here are just starting families," Shapona added.

That's good for the doctors and optometrists coming to town. "That is an area of service that doesn't get into a community early," said Township Supervisor Tom Yack. "For a long time we were overlooked. We had spotty offices around the community. Now they are filling up all over."

Surprisingly, Yack said, there aren't as many attorneys moving into town. But more insurance agencies, CPAs and mortgage services have arrived. In the past year Oakwood Canton General Practice, Dr. Maureen Fleming, Laurence Lauer, Community Orthopedic, chiropractor Gary Zelony and AIM Systems Oakwood Medical Centers are among the health care professionals who have moved into town.

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Lights On



JIM JAGDPELD/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Holiday aglow: This friendly Loch Ness monster is among the many colored-light displays that will greet visitors to the festival along Hines Drive.

Continuation of Lights The first annual Festival of Network of Southeast Michigan and patrons may park and shop for orna-

The first annual Festival of Lights, the longest drive-through light show in Michigan, opens Monday, Nov. 22, along Hines Drive.

The four-mile drive will feature gigantic displays of animated toys, a North Pole village, snowmen, larger-than-life skiers and ice skaters, a Loch Ness monster, and many other winter and holiday items.

The event is a fund-raiser for the county parks system. Major sponsors include Ameritech, Blue Care

Network of Southeast Michigan and Detroit Edison. A donation of \$5 per car is requested.

The light show will be on display 7-10 p.m. seven nights a week (closed on Dec. 25) through Jan. 9. At 6:30 p.m., Hines Drive will be

At 6:30 p.m., Hines Drive will be closed to through traffic. Festival of Lights traffic will enter Hines Drive at Merriman Road and proceed one-way past displays to exit at Outer Drive or Warren Avenue.

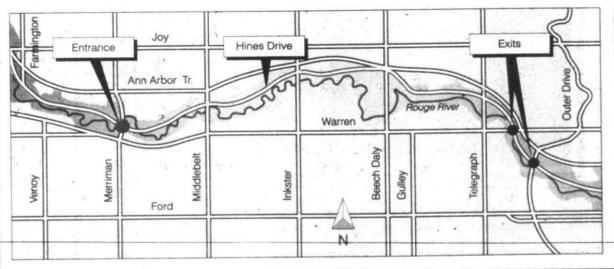
Orive or Warren Avenue.

At the end of the line, light-show

patrons may park and shop for ornaments in the gift shop at the Warrendale picnic area.

The gift shop will be operated for periods of one week each by area service organizations, including the Wayne Westland YMCA, the Wayne Memorial High Band and Orchestra Boosters and the Women of the Moose. The groups will get a share of gift shop profits.

For more information on the show, call 261-1990.



Festival information:

- 30 displays along the 4-mile route
- Refreshments available at exits
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- Closed Dec. 25
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- Hines Drive closed to through traffic 6:30 to 10:30 p.m.
- Entrance at Merriman Road Festival traffic proceeds one-way east
- Exit at Warren Road or Outer Drive

TAMME GRAVES/STAFF ARTIST

Township interviews condo complex developers

By JOANNE MALISZEWSKI STAFF WRITER

Two development companies are interested in building condominiums on the southern portion of a 650-acre golf course and subdivision development by Canton's municipal complex.

"We've built them. We know what you're going through," said Paul Robertson, president of Robertson Brothers Co. Community Developers of Bloomfield Hills, about development of the 18-hole Pheasant Run Golf Course.

The golf course will meander through three subdivisions on Canton Center Road, south of Cherry Hill. Of the 650-acre development, the township owns approximately 250 acres, with the

golf course comprising about 170 acres, which includes a driving range and clubhouse near the planned Summit on the Park community center.

Gary Shapiro of The Ivanhoe Companies of West Bloomfield also made his pitch to win the job of developing a condominium complex that will take in the amenities in the area.

"We start from day one looking at the land and developing a concept," Shapiro said. "It's important to have a (condominium) community that accents your community."

A third development company, K.C. Homes of Walled Lake, expressed interest in the project but in the 11th hour dropped out. "They really never had the enthusiasm," said Township Supervisor Tom Yack.

Trustees expect to tour projects developed by both Robertson Brothers and Ivanhoe, which is working with S.R. Jacobsen Co.

Representatives of both development companies told trustees their first step would be a marketing plan to determine just what type and price range of condominiums are needed in the area. Both company representatives said they prefer that the golf course be built before a project gets into full swing.

Neither developer could make a guess on a price range for the condominiums.

St. Nick arrives Nov. 26 in Canton

Santa Claus will arrive in Canton at 9 a.m. Friday, Nov. 26, at the Canton Cinema Six, 43555 Ford Road.

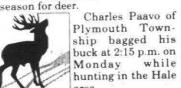
Children in Canton and Plymouth can visit Santa when he stops by. "On the day after Thanksgiving, I especialv enjoy talking with you about your dreams and wishes," Santa said. "I also like the ride in the fire engine as it gives Rudolph and the other reindeer a elves who help me there are

Commerce is sponsoring Santa's visit after which kids can stay and watch the film, "Charlotte's Web," at the the-

"I am cheerfully looking forward to my annual post-Thanksgiving visit to the Plymouth-Canton community and seeing all of you," Santa said. "This has been a hard year for many families and we, bere at the North Pole, are chance to rest. Finally, the working feverishly to make sure that everyone has a great Christmas.

Firearm season brings successes

Hunters from the Plymouth-Canton area reported successes on the opening day of the firearm



Canton hunter Buck Pole Dave Bragalone was successful closer to home, bagging a 4-point buck and a doe while hunting in Washtenaw County on Monday. "I'm

benow of Canton. He taught me everything about deer hunting. We should call him Mr. White-The Observer reports the

names of successful hunters in its Buck Pole column, which is a regular feature throughout the deer season. For more information, call Jeff Counts, the editor, or Kevin Brown, a reporter, at 459-2700.

We will also take pictures of you with your deer. Our offices are open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and are at 744

Despite some complaints about

the process, Rorabacher said fire-

Ronda area evacuated

Employees of a number of companies on Ronda Drive were evacuated Monday evening as Canton firefighters and the hazardous materials team investigated smoke at the Durcon Manufacturing Co.

"We received the call (at 6:42 p.m.) on a chemical fire in the building," said Canton Fire Chief Mike Rorabacher. "We met the employees outside the building. They said they weren't sure what was on fire in there.

As it turned out, nothing was on fire at the company, 8464 Ronda Drive, that makes counter tops. Firefighters and the HAZMAT hazardous materials team, which includes two Canton firefighters, discovered that the smoke was from a chemical used in a process, Rorabacher said.

The chemical apparently is in liquid form. To dispose of it, however, a catalyst is used to harden it "The workers in the plant tend to think they mixed the catalyst a little too heavy. It got a little too hot," Rorabacher said.

Before emergency personnel

discovered the problem, however, the incident drew crowds. No was injured in the incident and there was no damage or

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Pastor-to-be gets some practical training

BY JULIE BROWN STAFF WRITER

Eric Oliver's been studying Greek and Hebrew at Princeton Theological Seminary in New Jersey, but those subjects aren't get-

ting much use right now. Oliver, 27, is spending the year working at Geneva Presbyterian Church in Canton. Most of his work is with senior high students.

"This is the first time I've ever peen to Michigan," said the New Jersey native, who arrived at Geneva July 1 and will stay through next July or August. Shortly after his arrival this past summer, he and a group of high school students went on a mission trip to upstate New York.

They did housing rehabilitation work as part of the Ministry in the North Country program, staying in Canton, N.Y., appropriately enough, and working in the Potsdam, N.Y., area.

A total of 10 students and five adults went on that trip, and took some time to go white-water rafting and to see Niagara Falls and other sights "when we weren't working.

Another student group from Geneva will go on a mission trip next summer, although its destination hasn't been chosen. Throughout the school year, students will be busy with fund-raising activities to support that trip.

Oliver's work at the church includes coordinating a program for senior high students held every Sunday night. It includes mostly ninth and 10th graders, as older students are busy with school activities and jobs.

"I'm really satisfied, though, because the program has gone from twice-a-month fun activisaid Oliver, who lives in Canton. It attracts 10 to 15 kids each week for discussions, games

crowd-breaker kinds of things." The students have played wallyball, and plan to go skiing this

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'Weber's Grand Cafe.

Oliver, who recently got mar fighters have no choice when chemicals and other hazardous ried, has finished his second year of studies at Princeton. After naterials might be involved. leaving Geneva, he'll have one "With the information we have, more year of academic work and would be criminal to go in will then earn a master of divinity two years. there." he said.

He met his wife, Jeannie, at the seminary, where she's also a stulent Jeannie Oliver, a day care teacher at Come Little Children in Canton, is pursuing both her master of divinity degree and a

master of social work degree. "She is looking to do some kind ministry, just not as an ordained pastor," Oliver said.

Oliver, who was raised in the Presbyterian church, had the option of working at a church for a year as part of his graduate studes. Not all Princeton theology students choose to do so, but he believed it would be helpful.

"I wanted to get some hands-on experience." He and his wife felt would be best to spend their first year of marriage away from the grind of academic life. Oliver can't perform weddings

or baptisms, or give communion, because he's not ordained. He has enjoyed his variety of duties at the church on Sheldon north of

He had a choice through Princeton's field education office of at least 25 to 30 congregations, including one in Alaska. He chose to call the Rev. Bryan Smith, pastor at Geneva, and was invited to come to Canton. "It's really interesting to be in a

growing church," Oliver said. He did his undergraduate work Trenton State College in New Jersey, earning a bachelor's degree in English/liberal arts with a theater minor. Oliver's done some

"I started when I was in high school." He also did some acting in college, but concentrated on behind-the-scenes work on college

Oliver, who finished his bachelor's degree in 1989, then worked at a construction industry newspaper, which served as a job sheet for contractors seeking work. He'd call to get such project details as cost and others, "just basically information people in the construction industry need to make bids on jobs. I did that for about



Learning the ropes: Eric Oliver, a Princeton Theological Seminary student, is enjoying his time at Geneva Presbyterian Church in Canton.

"I didn't fit in the business world, and there was something else I wanted to do. I felt it was time for me to move on and do something else."

Oliver, who is being paid for his work at Geneva, has found it rewarding, although it's been an adjustment going from being a student to working in full-time "I like it. I'm really enjoying

listening to good music and writ ing. "We take in a movie now and again." The Olivers also enjoy walking and bicycling. After he graduates from Prince

ton, Eric Oliver will pursue ordi nation. He'd like to be assigned to a church outside of the country's northeast corridor, possibly in the South or back in the Midwest. He inds the pace of life in the north east corridor too fast, and would prefer not to be in a large city.

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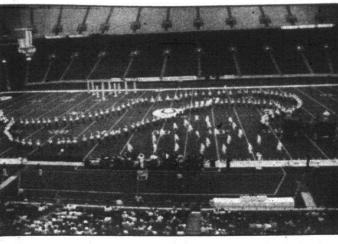
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On the march: Members of the Plymouth-Canton Educational Park Marching Band are in formation during the Grand National Finals Competition in Indianapolis.

Band makes all the right moves

One of the judges who was in on back and rebuild for next year the preliminary judging panels this group of dedicated young was sitting next to the section of people put together a performance Plymouth-Canton parents as the final competition began.

"In five years no one will remember who won - they will only remember the show put on by Plymouth-Canton.'

He must have known what he was talking about, as the twotime national champions added another top-five finish to their list of accomplishments.

Before the Plymouth-Canton Marching Band finished its rendition of "Jesus Christ Super star" on Saturday the Hoosierdome audience of 20,000 parents and band members from across the nation was on its feet with an emotional standing ovation. The marching band gave a per

formance balancing song, theatrics, marching, music and "These students have gone

through a year that should not be wished on any one person. The millage was defeated in June, and many of the students had worked the defeat again in August many were not sure that this year for the marching band could be saved. But rather than take a step wife Marge made their annual placed third twice and first twice.

that has the entire industry talk ing," said booster Jim Vassallo after the final results were an-"Elements never before seen in

marching band competition were added. The practices were long and hard, but these students are a tribute to their parents and to the communities they represent Vassallo said. More than 200 students partici-

pated from Plymouth-Canton. They were joined in Indianapoli: by nearly 350 parents, alumni and Judy Schnoes of Canton

watched the competition along with four generations of her family. Her daughter, Jenny, a trumpet player, is the fourth member of the Schnoes family to play in the marching band. "We were at the Neil Diamond

anapolis to make sure that we hard for its passage. Then after watched all of the competition," Judy Schnoes said Plymouth Canton High School

didn't arrive home until 12:15. We

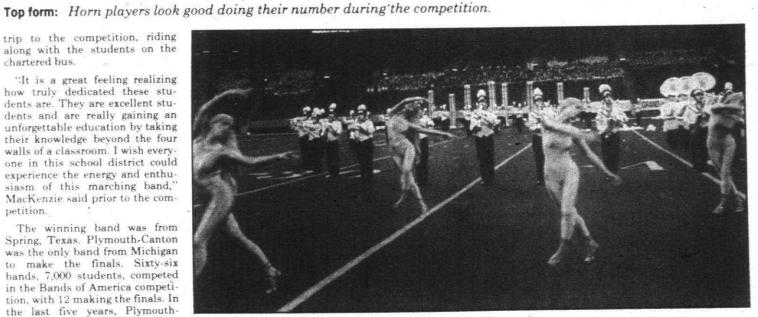
were up at 3:30 to leave for Indi-

trip to the competition, riding along with the students on the chartered bus. It is a great feeling realizing how truly dedicated these stu-

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dents are. They are excellent students and are really gaining an inforgettable education by taking their knowledge beyond the four walls of a classroom. I wish everyone in this school district could experience the energy and enthusiasm of this marching band,' MacKenzie said prior to the com-

The winning band was from Spring, Texas. Plymouth-Canton was the only band from Michigan concert Thursday night and make the finals. Sixty-six hands, 7,000 students, competed in the Bands of America competi tion, with 12 making the finals. In the last five years, Plymouth-Canton - in addition to this principal Tom MacKenzie and year's fifth-place finish - has



Superstars: Dancers move to the music of "Jesus Christ Superstar," which was per-

Chamber membership climbs

a pretty good barometer of increased growth in the township.

In the past two years, chamber membership has grown by more than 50 percent, bringing the total to 340 members.

To determine how to accommolate the needs of members, the In the next six months, busichamber board conducted a survey recently of its members. The cent; will decline, 6 percent; will following are some insights from

percent; 11-50, 28 percent; 51-100, cent. 6 percent; 101-1,000, 6 percent.

Growth from page 1A

■ In the last six months, business in the area has grown, 68 percent; declined, 6 percent; remained the same, 26 percent.

ness is expected to grow, 68 perremain the same, 26 percent. ■ Is Canton a good place to de

In addition to a host of pizza

plebee's on Ford Road, T.C. Ga-

tor's in Canton Corners,

Himalaya Restaurant in the

North Canton Shopping Plaza on

Warren Road, and Rose's on Can-

ton Center. A site plan for

Damon's Ribs on Ford Road was

approved recently by township

trustees. Mountain Jack's moved

in recently on Haggerty in the for-

mer Ponderosa restaurant build-

sign," Shapona said.

tential for accidents.

'We're not interested in more

commercial in the community,"

Of course, restaurants aren't

Increased membership in the cent; retail, 23 percent; manufact the economy is doing better in Canton Chamber of Commerce is turing, 2 percent; wholesaler, 2 Canton than regionally or nationpercent; professional, 13 percent; ally. "I think this Christmas will educational, 2 percent; other, 16 be a good sign of how well they are doing," she said, referring to re-

> The goal of the chamber's retail committee is to inform residents that there is good shopping in

'We're seeing more loyalty to Canton now. There's more variety now. We need to make the residents aware that shopping in Canton is so important to their

Chamber executive director tax base and their community," ■ Type of firm: service, 42 per- Linda Shapona says she believes Shapona said.

Strip malls filling

Strip malls, such as along Ford Road, that a few years ago were partially empty, are filling up. Canton Corners at Lilley and Ford roads suffered as Great Scott! moved out several years places, Canton will soon see Ap-

'That plaza has gone from being in trouble to being a place to be in Canton," Shapona said. Relatively new to Canton Corners are Cellular Store & More, Good Food, United Paint, Comic City, Canton Tuxedo, Play It Again Sports, Baby Depot and Westside Taylor Door.

Other strip malls are following suit, such as Coventry Commons at Morton Taylor and Joy roads. All that is except Canton Landing, on the north side of Ford Road, west of Sheldon. "That was a troubled property from day one," Yack said. "That's not a fair barometer of economic activity in

The New York Carpet World Center on Ford Road, immediately west of Builders Square, is still under construction. "We're pleased with the type of development we're getting. More and more we see a willingness to move away from a traditional center, a rectangle. New York Carpet was willing to blend with what was there," Yack said.

But the number of restaurants

that have recently moved in or are Yack said, adding officials feels on their way is a good indication there are enough strip malls and of what's happening in Canton. The restaurant segment shows

there's a lot of vitality," Yack Industrial parks

While new businesses are moving into the township's two industrial parks - Northeastern Industrial Park at Koppernick and Haggerty, and Michigan Avenue Industrial Park on Michigan Avenue - Yack says he wouldn't mind more improvement in that

world on fire," he said. "What we lack is an industrial park owned by a single organization where they go out and actively recruit businesses into the park. But 130,000 square feet the only sign of a healthy busi- 100,000 at Koppernick and Hag-

ness economy. Two new funeral gerty, and 30,000 at Koppernick nomes are moving in: Griffith on and Ronda — will soon be occu-Ford Road and McCabe on Can- pied. Artic Foods has moved into ton Center. "That really does es- 80,000 square feet at Michigan tablish a community. It is a good and Haggerty, while AGA Gas has moved to Michigan Avenue. With all the growth on Ford Draw-Tite and Pro-Coil have ex-Road, concern continues about panded.

"We are able to have a freeway traffic congestion on the thoroughfare. Township planners are tie-in. That's why Canton is booming so much," Shapona said. reviewing commercial zoning. She believes that the industrial When that is complete Yack said companies are bringing stability he plans to form a task force to study what can be done to im- to Canton because many of the prove traffic flow and reduce po- corporate officials started the

companies. "It really helps in re-

tention. They are less likely to re-

locate." Shapona said.

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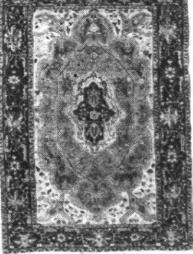
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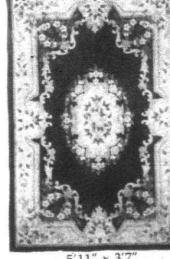
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School reform

Legislators, educators discuss funding

BY M.B. DILLON

Plymouth-Canton's four state legislators helped the Board of Education make sense of the alphabet soup of enabling legisla tion that has sloshed around Lansing since Gov. John Engler unveiled his school reform pack

Engler's plan would permit schools of choice, charter schools and other innovations. It would fund schools not with the traditional property tax, but with a sales and single business tax increase, sin taxes and real estate transfer tax. Districts would receive foundation grants of \$4,500 per pupil.

State Rep. Deborah Whyman, D-Canton, State Rep. Jerry Vorva, R-Plymouth, and State Sen. Robert Geake, R-Northville, said it's likely the Legislature will have a package put together by Dec. 31.

State Rep. Justine Barns, D-Westland, wasn't as optimistic, saying she won't vote for anything unless it replaces educational funding dollar for dollar. Whyman said a bipartisan 'Gang of 14 is drafting some

bills for us. They're working to

try to find a bottom line we can get 56 votes on." Vorva said he doesn't cotton o the Gang of 14's secrecy. 'Some of those things are going on in the absence of our partici pation. I've leveled my com plaints to the leadership. I think it should be done in open meet

program designed for diabetics

age 18 and older, "Taking Charge

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Whyman surmised that if voters turn down the two-cent sales tax increase, a 20-mill, statewide property tax could be imposed. "There's also talk of a .9 percent increase in the income

says there has to be any logic.

posed to charter schools. "If

have a flat tire on Joy and Main,

don't go out and buy a new

car," she said. "I get a new tire

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Barns said she's strongly op-

t's the speaker's prerogative.'

tax. The governor has said if we put together a reasonable package, he will support it. Everything is on the table. I believe we will see a local millage option for everyone, but I think it will be capped. are going to fund schools.' It's School board president Robecome almost impossible to land Thomas said he opposes pass millages anyway." the proposal to place adult edu-

cation under the Department of Commerce, "which knows nothing about education and will be forced to hire someone who Trustee Les Walker asked whether "We may wake up one morning and hear what the deal is going to be." Acknowledging there may be no chance for the public to offer input, Whyman said, "There is nothing that

the 21st century.

r I get it fixed." Barns said Vorva submitted that the she'd like to give Public Act 25, the school improvement legislation passed three years ago, Vorva said "if one party or the other blocks any movement for the sake of gaining political

one's best interest to examine critically education and move forward, he said.

Thomas said the Legislature's actions make planning difficult and create cash flow problems. Geake said he can't foresee the state returning to the former method of financing schools. 'We can't live with that anymore. We don't wapt any federal judge to say, 'This is how you

Ray Hoedel, the district's associate superintendent for finance, said "We feel as a district, we are getting shortchanged, and we'd appreciate consideration." Under Engler's plan, Plymouth-Canton will be locked into a per pupil foundation grant that doesn't factor in the cost of operating two new elementaries boarded up this year due to lack of

Tom Tattan, executive director for instruction, said teachers here are struggling with classes of 35-38. "We are not serving those students at all, and we won't have the chance to serve them as we should going into

'sucking sound" Ross Perot refers to isn't the sound of jobs going to Mexico; it's the sound of money being sucked from the classroom into administration and lobbying. "Of the money spent on education, only 50 or

51 percent goes to the classroom," he said.

Trustee Jack Farrow disagreed, saying the sucking noises are due to expensive "state and federal mandates for programs we have to offer with

out being reimbursed." Trustee Barbara Graham said she was tired of talk about politics and salaries. "The bottom line is kids. Let's worry about a country that's going downhill instead of uphill, that's behind other countries instead of in front, like we used to be. I want Johnny to come out of school able to read, write and get into

college or the workplace." Thomas said the district runs a tight ship, yet "our kids are going to continue to suffer. submit there would be a parental lawsuit, because we are locked into a class size of 29."

Responded Geake: "Increas ing class size is the only way you can reconcile a higher salary schedule. When you lay off the newest teachers, the average cost per teacher goes up. I'm not criticizing anyone, I'm just pointing out a fact of life."

'Personnel costs have gone from 80 percent to 86 percent over the past seven years" in education, Vorva said. "That's an mportant picture to look at.' Thomas thanked all four leg-

islators for coming. Vorva cracked, "With one hand grenade, you could zap us all.' "And the state could be saved," answered Geake with

Teenager treated for facial burn

A 15-year-old boy was burned in his face with a cigarette during a discussion over an ex-girlfriend at Canton High School, Nov. 10,

according to a Canton police re-A large group of students gathered as the teen talked with another student about his ex-girlfriend. Someone in the crowd reached out and put a burning cigarette in the boy's face. The Assault reported boy was treated for a second-de-

Property damaged The security gate arm at Village Green Apartments on Haggerty Road took a licking after a driver sped through and broke it off, causing \$150 damage, Nov. 13, ac-

cording to a Canton police report. A security guard and others saw the man drive through at a high rate of speed through the parking lot and through the gate. The man was on northbound Haggerty

Police later talked to the man at his parents' house. He told police he needed to leave the complex in a hurry. He also såid that the arm many times in the past hit his car on his way out of the

Suspicious man A resident on Royal Court North told police she was confronted by a man representing himself as a window salesman

wanting to enter her home, Nov 10, according to a Canton police

The man was described as having long hair and several front teeth missing. He was wearing a long, dirty coat and a baseball hat. He was described as 5 feet, 7 inches tall and weighing 150

Two brothers told police an unidentified boy pulled a knife on them while playing at a nearby school, Nov. 10, according to a Canton police report.

The boys were playing at Field Elementary School when a boy they knew, and one they didn't. approached. The unidentified boy hen approached one of the brothers with a knife. "You better start running," the unidentified boy said as he pointed the knife.

Spray painted

Two separate incidents of damage from someone spray painting were reported to police, according

A home under construction in the Fox Creek subdivision was damaged when someone spray painted the words "the fear," across a brick fireplace, Oct. 30. The orange paint could not be washed off and will have to be replaced. Damage was estimated at

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Auto insurers benefit as court lessens liability

Auto insurers aren't liable for medical benefits until an injured person has tried to collect all of his or her health benefits, the Michigan Supreme Court has ruled in three major cases.

The result: Injured persons may have to pay heavy medical bills - especially when they have used doctors outside the system paid for by their employers.

"Henceforth, you have a burden," said Wayne Miller, a Birmingham attorney who represented two of the plaintiffs. "If they (the health insururer) can't provide it, then you can go outside the system. It's very troubling.

"The Supreme Court justices are seven general practitioners, however bright, who are trying to practice in all the areas of law before them. I don't think the court appreciated the duress the plaintiffs (in auto injury cases) are under.

"The Supreme Court felt the only important matter was containing (insurance) costs. So they elevat ed cost-containment to the only important matter,'

The high court ruled 4-3 for auto insurers in cases involving injured persons from Brighton, rural Jackson County and Detroit. The cases started in Southfield's District Court and Wayne County Circuit

"We hold that a no-fault insurer is not subject to liability for medical expense that the insured's realth care insurer is required, under its contract, to pay for or provide," said Justice Charles Levin, who wrote all three opinions citing section 3109 of the No-Fault Automotive Liability Act.

Levin was joined by Chief Justice Michael Cavanagh and Justices Robert Griffin and Conrad Mallett

Louise Ann Tousignant, 31, a former Northwest Airlines flight attendant from Brighton, is out \$5,000 for treatment of injuries suffered in a July 1987 auto accident. "Tousignant was examined and treated after the

accident for back and neck pain at the emergency room of Henry Ford Medical Clinic in West Bloom field, an HAP (Health Alliance Plan) facility. She was released with instructions to return if her back or neck pain continued," Levin said. Instead of returning to the Henry Ford Medical

Clinic or another HAP facility or physician, Tousignant sought treatment from a physician other than an HAP physician," said Levin. She received heat treatments for a year and dental services from unaffiliated doctors. She sought payment from her auto

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trict Court, Oakland County Circuit Judge Robert Templin ruled in favor of Allstate, was reversed by the Court of Appeals and upheld by the Supreme

Levin said the legislative policy "requires an insured who chooses to coordinate no-fault and health coverages to obtain payment and services from the nealth insurer to the extent of the health coverage available from the health insurer.

"Where this hurts," said David Martin, Tousignant's attorney in Southfield, "is when they have an HMO chosen by the employer as opposed to the best verage." His client now is a housewife and mother

Snafu with VA

A costlier case involved Kenneth Owens, a young oast Guardsman who suffered permanent brain in ury in a December 1982 accident when his car hit a ree. He was on leave and visiting his parents in rural Jackson County.

The Veterans Administration Hospital in Ann Arbor treated him until his discharge in June 1984. A VA neurologist recommended he go to Herrick Hospital in Tecumseh, where Owens ran up a \$110,000 bill for intensive rehabilitation therapy. Owens also got \$70,000 in treatment at Saline Community Hos-

The VA did not identify another VA facility where Owens could get in-patient treatment. Then VA refused to pay. Owens' insurer also refused.

Said the Supreme Court: "Owens has the burden of establishing that the services rendered by Herrick and Saline were 'allowable expenses,' and that 'reasonable charges' were there 'incurred for reasonably necessary' services.

Owens also has the burden of establishing that sought to obtain appropriate services from the "the high court said.

Martin, Owens' attorney, said he would be back before Wayne County Circuit Judge John H. Gillis in two weeks to meet those tests. "We start all over, At stake are \$180,000 in hospital bills plus inter-

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The third case was what attorneys call a "double lip." George Yancey Jr. of Detroit was seriously injured in an auto accident. Citizens Insurance Co. reduced his work-loss benefits by the amount of Social Security disability benefits Yancey received.

"We hold that Social Security disability benefits should be subtracted," the Supreme Court said, citing its 1979 ruling that Social Security survivors' benefits also are to be subtracted.

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For Palmer, the photos, all of

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are dear to her heart. Included is

her husband. Dick, who attended

Hanford school. In one picture, he

stands next to a little girl, who be-

came Palmer's maid of honor at

without my husband - his en-

ouragement, his patience, his

help. He was wonderful. He never

schools, she thought she would do

the research and hand it over to

Diane Wilson, who wrote

"Cornerstones," which is a histo-

v of Canton. "I am not a writer

Palmer said. But Wilson assured

Palmer she could write the book

When Palmer first decided to

"I couldn't have done this book

She knows school history from A to Z

Give Joan Cavell Palmer name and she can pretty much tell you which of Canton's 10 oneroom country schoolhouses that

"This book is all names," said Palmer, who researched and compiled more than 550 pages of hisory about Canton's schoolhouses rom the 1800s to the 1950s, when the schools were consolidated into adjoining districts, such as

Wayne-Westland and Plymouth. "Canton's Country Schools' will be available for sale from 1-4 o.m. Saturday, Nov. 20, at the Canton Township Hall, 1150 S. Canton Center Road. Palmer, a member of the Canton Historical Society, will be on hand to autograph the books, which will sell for \$30. After Saturday, the book will be on sale 1-3 p.m. Tuesdays and 1-4 p.m. Saturdays at the Canton Historical Museum at the corner of Proctor and Canton

'They have backed me all the way financially. They will reap all the profits," Palmer said of the

Palmer decided to do a book on Canton's country schools because no one had. "I have a strong sense of history. The history of these country schools would be lost. No ne was doing anything," she

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Canton had nine country chools within its boundaries. A 10th school at Joy and Ridge was across the boundary but took in Canton students. Each school was a separate school district with its own board and budget, which hired and paid its own teachers, and which bought its

"There was only one school board meeting a year. It was decided then who was going to teach, what books would be used, and how much money there was. They got a certain amount of money from the state," Palmer

Of the original schools, the ownship owns Sheldon, Cherry Hill and Canton Center, which have all been restored. Walker and Truesdell schools still remain but have been renovated and no longer look like former schoolhouses. Palmer said

The book took Palmer more than three years to compile. The cover, which shows each of the schools, was designed by Ruben Doumanian of Doumanian

Graphics, Canton. Palmer said she didn't write it like an author would. Rather, it's a compilation of facts and memories. She relied on archives at the historical museum, as well as articles from the former Plymouth

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The boys generally didn't go to school in the summer because they had to help on the farms. Some of them were pretty big boys. That's why they had men teach the winter school (when boys went to school). The women taught the summer school - for less money," she added.

Memories of students and teachers were compiled through a our-page form sent to as many people as possible. Throughout the book, readers will see under each section devoted to the 10 schools, "remembers" in italics. Those are the comments made directly by former students and

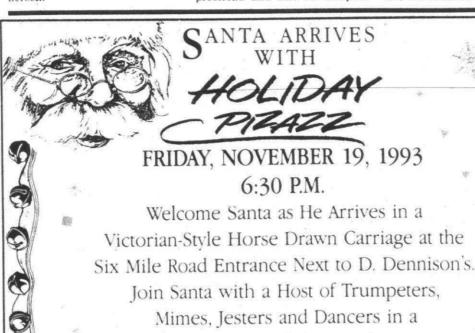
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School memories: All Joan Palmer needs is a last name and chance's are she can match it with a Canton school.

'It sort of becomes your baby,"

Palmer said, adding that not just Her niece, Leslie Joan Cavell, anyone would be allowed to who is about to receive her doctor proofread and edit her compila- ate, was asked to do the job.



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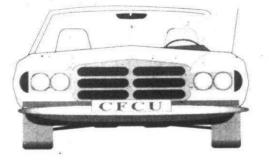
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years ago with a placement from capped accessible wing onto the

Services, which specializes in placing developmentally disabled children and adults throughout Wayne County. It turned out to be the perfect career move.

"It's been very rewarding," said Huntsman during a rare quiet moment in her comfortable Livonia home, full of tropical fish, chirping birds and cabinets showcasing a porcelain doll collection. oand, James, took the plunge 15 Years ago James built a handi-

By 10 a.m. one recent morning Huntsman had seen the three fos ter children she has adopted off to school, as well as her son, James now 30, who works in a sheltered workshop. She had also taken a grandson she babysits four days a week to preschool and done some

grocery shopping. "I stay busy 16 hours a day

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'Fabulous 14' hammer out school finance reform

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Students gape at the ornate resoration of the Senate and House chambers and portraits of former governors in the rotunda, never realizing their schools' future is being determined behind the closed doors of room 172 in the north wing.

The Fabulous Fourteen" meet there, in the office of Rep. Don Gilmer, a fairly obscure Republican until this year. Seven members of each party meet regularly to hammer out a single comprom imse on 28 bills and one constitutional amendment that, if adopted, will change how public education is financed and run for

"I spent two years in the Army, two years in the Marines, and 10 years with a band, and I never heard language like that," said Rep. William Keith, D-Garden City, of an early stormy session.

City. In his 11th term, co-chair of the House Education Committee former banker, former school board member, champion of voc tech schools, among a handful of most potent lawmakers in school

James E. O'Neill Jr., 64, of "This is our deer hunting," said

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Veterans Day was a holiday for all but 14 state employees in Lansing. Berman said their five hour session was productive with no distractions.

Junior members of the House property tax bases, no state aid), sometimes reveal they are unhapmost frequently quoted on aborpy their work is held up as the Fab 14 troop off to closed sesemos. In his 11th term, co-chair of sions. The Legislature repealed all school operating property tax-Taxation Committee, ordained es in July, and the Dec. 31 deadminister, voted in newspaper poll as most influential member of the line for replacing the revenue is House, running for governor, fast approaching. rated one of the most liberal Who are 14?

Democrats

Robert L. Emerson, 45, Flint. In his seventh term, former field rep for AFSCME (public employ-William Keith, 64, of Garden ees union), new co-chair of school aid subcommittee (and now wears a suit and tie).

Ted Wallace, 51, Detroit. In his third term, attorney, started as assembly line worker, emerging as one of most effective members Saginaw. In his 14th term, former of black caucus with choice committee posts, best known as au-

Maxine Berman, 47, of South-

field. In her sixth term but fairly,

new to Appropriations, former

teacher, used to specialize in elec-

tions and tenant laws, defends

out of formula districts ("rich"

H. Lynn Jondahl, 57, of Ok-

James Agee, Muskegon. Only freshman in the group, emerged quickly as vice chair of Education Committee, vocal in defending interests of public schools (against

Republican

William Bryant Jr., 55, Grosse Pointe. In his 12th term, attorney, former minority leader but now functions as "free spirit," unquestioned GOP master of school policy, co chairs Education Committee (with Keith).

Barbara Dobb, 43, Union Lake. In second term, member of Taxation Committee, certified public accountant with business practice, leaped into prominence on Bipartisan Legislative Team (school equity), chaired task force on single business tax.

Susan Munsell, 42, Howell, In her third term, former township treasurer, almost a twin of Dobb CPA with business practice, BLT. Taxation Committee, polit

Willis C. Bullard Jr., 50, Milford. In sixth term, co-chair (with

attorney, former township treasurer, ranks with Dobb and Munsell among least vocal GOP lawmakers but emerging now that his party shares control.

Glenn Oxender, 50, Sturgis. In sixth term, member of Appropriations, co chairs school aid subommittee, former math and computer science teacher, proposed replacing all property taxes with ncome taxes, champions school funding equity for in formula ('poor") districts.

Donald H. Gilmer, 48, Augusta. In ninth term, obscure until he became co chair of Appropriations, host of ad hoc group, fruit grower in Kalamazoo County, political centrist.

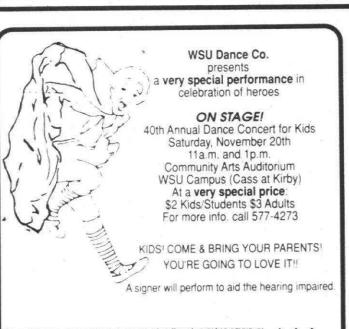
Bob Brackenridge, 52, St. Joseph. In second term, junior GOP member. Former secondary and college teacher, publisher of supplemental classroom materials, one term as Berrien County clerk, nowco chairs House Local Gov ernment Committee



Insider: State Rep. William Keith, D-Garden City, is one of 14 members of the committee in Lansing working on school finance.

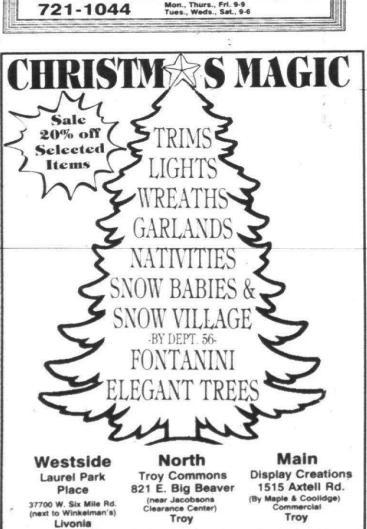
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ents have a chance to meet the

child first before placement. And

Adds Huntsman: "I've never

understand their feelings. I

Of the three daughters, two

had a problem with birth parents.

know it's a tough job even with

one disabled child.'

"One of the advantages is that

vice assigns a social worker, psy-

said the soft spoken woman with an easy laugh.

"I look around at other women my age. They have time to do their hair. I do well to get dressed n the morning," she joked.

'All our placements have been mentally and physically impaired and medically fragile, with heart conditions and other problems. "I've gone for quite a bit of training and learned from experi-

With the death of her husband ast spring, Huntsman's son, and it's non-taxable income,' James, likes to think of himself as said Jan Meyers, a spokeswoman father figure over his three for WCLS. dopted sisters, ages 12, 23, and

They don't have sibling quabbles," she said. "They don't have speech abilities for it. With kids in wheelchairs, as all three girls are, you always know where they are. And you don't ever have the middle of the night from an to worry about drinking or drugs or boyfriends. She is hard pressed to come up

with the biggest challenge she has they meet with the birth family." "Everything is challenging,"

One of the girls, Debbie, has had four heart surgeries. We spend a lot of time at hos-

Still, she doesn't consider it a

'It's easier than people think. There are rewards. I just look at have no attachments to people.

came from a Plymouth center which closed down and one came from her natural home.

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this as a way of life. I've learned that. Debbie didn't cry for five to have more patience and underyears. She had conditioned her standing. We give them a home. self so she wouldn't.'

Adds Meyers: "Progress is slow. But it's a real reason for celebra-

chologist and nurse with each fos-At least once a week, Huntster child. They visit in the home once or twice a month and are alman packs the family - including the three wheelchairs - into the van for an outing: to visit friends, go shopping, to free outcome for the work they do above the shild's SSI for room and door concerts or other community board. It's based on level of need

"They like to go out, just like anyone would," she said. Her six grandchildren enjoy pitching in around the house.

"Sometimes I think they're here more than at home. My 10year-old grandson begs to come over. He loves to start the feeding machines. Maybe some day one of them will become a foster parent or go into a medical field job. Huntsman says that anyone

could be a foster parent. "I think that anyone who has ever had the idea they might do it should give it a try. People think it's hard. But they're just people who need other people."

While Meyers says a nurse's aid or licensed practical nursing background would be an asset. training is provided and foster parents such as Huntsman have no formal medical background.

"Families willing to open their house and heart, to take in some-

one who is an emotional challenge For more information on foster

Comforting Words: Dee Huntsman talks to Katie while she is fed via a feeding tube

connected to her stomach. All of Huntsman's foster children have special medical

as well as a physical challenge will get unconditional love in return," said Meyers.

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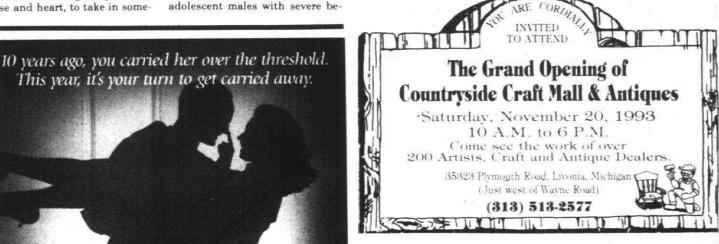
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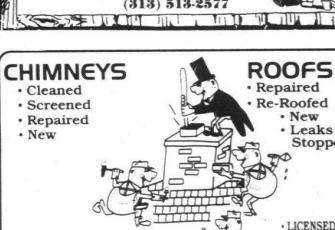
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parenting, call Jan Mevers at 722-7091. WCLS recently moved to day, Nov. 18.

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Official says schools seek minority faculty

A story in Monday's Observer was inadvertently trimmed and a complete report was not published.

The story outlined a Schoolcraft College economics profes sor Prantosh Nag's complaint with the Michigan Civil Rights Commission claiming that college officials are discriminating against him-based on his age, 63, and ethnic origin, Indian.

"Because of my national origin, I belong to an ethnic minority group without any political clout or influence. I am the weakest link in the chain and therefore an easy victim," wrote Prantosh Nag in a statement delivered to the Observer.

College President Richard McDowell declined to comment on Nag's case because of the complaint and grievances pending.

Conway Jeffress, the vice president for instruction, would only say, "Our attorneys have advised us that we should not comment on the case because there may be pending lit-

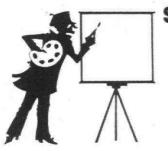
igation. Although Schoolcraft officials were reticent regarding the case, an official at another local college agreed to speak anonymously on the subject of academic discrimination in

Colleges, he said, have nothing to gain and a lot to lose by discriminating against employ-

"Administrators are usually careful and solicitous of faculty members who represent minority groups, and they do want to keep those numbers up. But on the other hand, if you're getting consistent reports that someone is not doing his job, you're going to see efforts to get rid of him, and that's not easy to do.

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Hart to hear complaints about state lottery

People with gripes about the State Lottery can air them before state senators at 7 p.m. Monday.

Sen. George Hart, D-Dearborn, will host the panel in the 19th District Court building, 16077 Michigan.

'Hart is sponsor of Senate Bill

863 to make the Lottery subject to the Administrative Procedures Act. It would regulate how the Lottery makes rules that affect operation of bingos, raffles and operations of lottery agents.

"If the Lottery wants to develop or discontinue a game, change the

there are no legislative or regulatory controls that check their powers," said Hart.

The Lottery has total revenues of \$1.25 billion. After payouts and administrative expenses, it contributes \$475 million to the all public school revenues.

The State Affairs Committee is chaired by Gilbert DiNello, R. Eastpointe, and includes Mat Dunaskiss, R-Lake Orion, John Pridnia, R-Hubbard Lake, and Michael O'Brien, D-Detroit.

Chocolate Jubilee to benefit Alzheimer's group

The eighth-annual Alzheimer's Association "Chocolate Jubilee" fund-raiser will occur 2-4 p.m.

ton Hotel in Dearborn.

Admission is \$25. A lot of choc-

Sunday, Nov. 21, at the Ritz-Carl- olate candy will be available to dance. Proceeds benefit the Alsample and purchase. TV news personalities will be in atten-

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AROUND CANTON

Board appointment

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1993

n Monday night, the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education will appoint an individual to fill the vacancy created by board treasurer Dean Swartzwelter, who resigned due to health reasons last week

The 7:30 p.m. meeting will be at the E.J. McClendon Educational Center, 454 S. Harvey in Plymouth.

Candidates who submitted letters of interest by Wednesday's 5 p.m. deadline include Canton's former state representative James Kosteva, now director of research for House Democrats; Betty Bloch, director of the Business Education Partnership; Ted Bohlen, a government activist retired from General Motors; Sue Feiten, co-chairwoman of the Class-size Action Partnership; Bill Joyner, executive director of the Canton Community Foundation; Steve Kilijanczyk, second-highest vote-getter in the last school board election and an active parent at Allen Elementary; John LaFond, a member of the district's schools of choice committee; former school board candidate Terry Chuhran; school activist Pat Liljestrand, who worked to pass the millage; Albert Calille; Sue Dodson; Michael Kelch; Paul Moniodis; Edward Pritchard; and G. William Trapp.

The candidate chosen by the board will serve through June 30. The appointee may then run for election for either the one remaining year of Swartzwelter's term, or for one of two four-year terms. Up for re-election in June will be trustees Les Walker and Carl Battishill.

Grand opening

he Canton Chamber of Commerce announces the grand opening of the Cellular Store and More, 42695 Ford Road in Canton Corners at Ford and Lilley roads. The official ribbon cutting is scheduled for 5 p.m. Friday, Nov.

The grand opening will be attended by chamber board members and Canton Township officials and is open to the public. For more information, call the chamber at 453-4040.

Green Christmas

U-M economist predicts profitable yule season

■ Canton and Plymouth merchants heard some good news at the Canton Economic Club; Christmas sales are expected to be up by 8 to 9 percent. The reason is lower interest rates.

By Joanne Maliszewski Staff Writer

Christmas sales this year should spell good news for Plymouth-Canton businesses if economist David Sowerby is on target.

'It's the low interest rates," said Sowerby, who is featured weekly on 'Money Wise," Detroit's only television show devoted to business issues.

No doubt the low interest rates have been a boon to the economy. "This is equivalent to a tax cut and a benefit to the economy.'

Sowerby, who teaches economics and finance at the University of Michigan, told the Canton Economic Club Wednesday that he expects an 8-9 percent growth in Christmas sales this year thanks to the extra money consumers have in their pocket due to savings from the low interest rates.

In fact, Sowerby said Michigan's economy — particularly in Wayne County and southeastern Michigan is ahead of the national economy. On a scale of 1-10, with 1 described as "lousy" and 10 as "bliss," Michigan is at 7-7.5, while the country is at 5.5.

He estimated that auto sales will continue to increase in 1994 by 8-10 percent. "That speaks well for the entire state of Michigan."

Compared to the national scene, Michigan companies have exceeded earnings growth and unemployment is at or below the national level. The state also has faster employment growth and faster vehicle production.

'In every case on this score card, we are beating the United States," Sowerby said.



Doing well: Economist David Sowerby told the Canton Economic Club that the state of Michigan is doing well, in most cases outdistancing the national economy.

The bad news, however, is recent tax increases. "It will slow down the ability to grow," Sowerby said. The increases, he said, will hurt small

Results of a survey conducted by Beacon Investment Company, where Sowerby is employed, show that small business owners are hurt by taxes and regulation.

In response to questions from the audience, Sowerby said proposed mandated costs on small businesses for President Bill Clinton's national

health care plan will hurt.

'Why when other countries are moving away from national health care, why do we want to move in that direction?" Sowerby asked. "Mandatory costs on business isn't going to create jobs and this is a loser.

While he believes the state, under Gov. John Engler, is moving economically in the right direction, Sowerby is keeping his fingers crossed on Senate Bill 1, which would reform school

"I wish we would move a little faster," Sowerby added.

He told the audience that he is looking for a true tax cut - not a shell game where taxes are shifted. Michigan has an average tax burden of 4-5 percent, while the city of Detroit is at 7 percent, which is higher than the average U.S. city.

"We need a net tax reduction. I would just try to cut property taxes as much as I could and leave the rest

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E FALL PLAY Plymouth-Canton Park

Players present "The Crucible" at 8 p.m. today through Saturday at Plymouth Salem High School Auditorium, 46181 Joy, Canton. Tickets, 459-3518. M ARTS & CRAFTS

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p.m., Saturday, Dec. 4,

1426 S. Mill, Plymouth

Sponsored by Ladies Auxi iary to VFW Post 6695. Table rental, 722-5264, 453-3586 or 453-4669. St. Thomas a' Becket presents craft show 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 4,

at 555 S. Lilley, Canton. 397-5886. **SPORTS**

Register for Men's and Women's Basketball League. City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department, 455-6620.

E COUPON BOOKS

Orders for Entertainment '94 books can be bought for \$40 at three locations: Canton VFW Post 6967, 495-0465 or 455-8438; Plymouth Optimists Club, proceeds to benefit children's causes throughout southeast Michigan, call Bill Von Glahn, 453-8253; or Plymouth Community Family YMCA (also Gold Coupon Book, \$10), 453-

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HOLIDAY

THANKSGIVING PARTY Canton kids age 12 and younger may attend party

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SANTA COLLECTION Plymouth Historical Museum, 155 S. Main, announces return of Santa Claus collection of Dr. Weldon Petz, now through

Jan 30. Petz will speak at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 5, at museum's annual Christmas open house, 455-8940.

" "TWAS THE NIGHT" FOCUS program will be

7:30-9 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 2, at Dunning-Hough Library, 223 S. Main, Plymouth. Speaker Jon Childs will discuss Clement Clarke Moore's classic poem, the author's life and times. Registration begins Nov. 29, 453-0750.

FOR KIDS

M "DAY CAMP" 'School's Out Special" is like a day camp program for kids ages 6-12, complete with activities and field trip each day, during parent-teacher conferences Dec. 21-31. Plymouth YMCA, 453-2904.

M SATURDAY CLUB Arts, crafts, field trips, music and fun for kids ages 6-12, 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturdays, Salvation Army, 9451 S. Main, Plymouth. 453-8480.

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MOM Meet Other Mothers group meeting is 9:30-11:30 a.m. Friday at First Presbyterian Church, 701 Church,

6134 or 455-5407. E CANTON NEWCOMERS General meeting is 7 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 1. New members welcome to pot-

453-3693 or 455-**8**352. SMOKERS' RIGHTS New group will discuss taxes and restrictions, 7 p.m. Monday, Nov. 29, Mayflower Hotel's Miles

Canton Democratic

CLUB CALL

B PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS Membership coffee will be 7:30 p.m. tonight. Details,

eneral membership meeting will be 7 p.m. tonight at Cherry Hill School, corner

Plymouth branch of Amercan Association of Univerp.m. tonight at Ernesto's,

Plymouth. Topic is "Living Wills and Trusts." 453-

luck dinner and ornament exchange. For details, call

Standish Room, Plymouth. Call Marc Sullivan, 455-

MONTHLY CLUBS Three Cities Art Club, 7 p.m. first Monday, Plymouth Township Hall. Programs include guest demonstrators. New members welcome, 397-0562.

Club, 7 p.m. fourth Wednesday, Cherry Hill School, corner of Ridge and Cherry Hill roads, 721-Experimental Aircraft

Association, 8 p.m. third Thursday, EAA Hangar at Mettetal Airport, 453-8969. Plymouth-Canton Jaycees, 7:30 p.m. fourth Thursday, Plymouth Cul-

tural Center, 525 Farmer. WAF (Women Aglow Fellowship), 7:30 p.m. fourth Tuesday, Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, 397-2973 or 397-

VFW Canton Post No. 6967, 8 p.m. first Monday, Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Post No. 6695, 1426 S. Mill, Plymouth, 397-2444 or 459-8027. Piecemakers, 7 p.m.

third Thursday, First Pres-

byterian Church of Plymouth, 701 W. Church, 455-Woolgatherers Knitting Presbyterian Church, 5835 Guild, 6:30 p.m. third

Thursday, Salvation Army building, 9451 S. Main, Plymouth Township. Call

Mondays, Full Gospel CALENDAR FORM Plymouth, 453-0323. The Plymouth and Canton Observers welcome Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit comwidows and widowers, 7 8:30 p.m. first and third Methodist Church, 45201

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

NEARBY

FESTIVAL OF TREES Event begins 7 p.m. Friday, daily through Nov. 28 at Detroit's Cobo Conference/ Exhibition Center. Ticket-

> ty Christian School; Lynn O'Rear, Performance scholarship in vocal music, graduate of Plymouth Canton High School; and Julianne Thomas, Presidential scholarship and Tartan Award, graduate

E CHRISTY BEHNKEN of Canton has been accepted to Taylor University for the fall 1994 term. She will graduate from Plymouth Salem High School in June 1994.

ing Alma College students recognized for academic achievements. Graduates of Plymouth Canton High School receiving Performance scholarships in music include Jason Crain, vocal; Rachel Jones, instrumental; and Melissa King, instrumental. King also received the Presidential scholarship.

Ernie Harwell shares stories of baseball, Bible

wanted to do

never make it in the majors.

lanta correspondent. He later got

a job at the Atlanta Constitution

"mainly doing things nobody else

He started in radio in the minor

leagues. Following service in the

Marine Corps during World War

II, he set his sights on the majors.

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chgoer, but didn't have much of a

tionship with God.

I still had an emptiness, a

He'd been a regular chur-

'Our attitude was pretty much

we went to church, did a few

good deeds and stayed out of ev-

eryone's way, we would go to

His success as a major league

announcer in Baltimore and other

cities didn't bring fulfillment. All

that changed in 1961 when he

went to a Billy Graham Easter

service while with the Tigers dur-

order. I made Him my Lord and

after the Sunday service to sign

autographs, recalled the thrill of

playing cards with Jackie Robin-

Reese and other baseball greats.

son, Roy Campanella, Pee Wee

He recalled Robinson's break-

ing of baseball's color line in 1948

with the then-Brooklyn Dodgers.

"It was quite an experiment, a

noble experiment by Branch Ric-

key." Robinson was the idea

choice as major league baseball's

first black player, he said, no

only because of his playing skill

but also because of his ability to

ving about a

'God has set my priorities in

Harwell who took some time

ing spring training in Florida.

my savior from then on.

Out to the Ballgame." The Rev.

Phil Rogers, pastor, recalled his

own days as an 8-year-old living

Downriver and playing Little

League during that magical 1968

season when the Tigers won the

"We realize that Ernie Harwell

s much more than a baseball an-

The Georgia native, who was

orn in 1918, came from humble

nother supported the family by

making sandwiches and cakes.

The Harwell boys sold things to

the worst way, and that's how I

played it." Harwell, who was in-

ducted into the National Baseball

"I wanted to play baseball in

ANN HEALEY/STAFF PHOTOGRAPH

sclerosis, and Harwell's

beginnings. His father had multi-

nouncer," Rogers said. "He has

created a lot of memories.

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It's hard to believe, but baseball announcer Ernie Harwell at one time considered himself tongue-tied.

"Through the grace of God, I overcame that handicap," said Harwell, in recalling his visits to an elocution teacher in his younger days. He went on to a distinguished career as a baseball announcer, and for many years has been the voice of the Detroit Tigers on WJR-AM radio.

Harwell and his wife, Lulu, with a

'Baseball's a great game and the Tigers are a great franchise,' said Harwell during a Sunday morning service at West Plymouth Community Church. Some 350 to 375 church members and guests turned out to listen to Harwell's stories of baseball and of his Christian faith. Those attending welcomed

Light Up a Life cam-Laurel Park Place, Jacobto benefit Angela Hospice of Livonia.

Fifth annual Christmas Walk at Northville's historical Mill Race Village will be noon to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, on Griswold, north of Main. Includes fiber arts sale at Mill Race Gothic cottage. 478-1482.

"Lights Before Christ-Nov. 26 through Jan. 2 at Toledo Zoo. (419) 385-

nors to share time, holiday reminiscences and recipes with the elderly. 883-3131 or 883-7440. Plymouth. Call Jack Bolo-

Kehrer VFW Hall Post 3323, 1055 S. Wayne, Westland, Proceeds to cancer programs. 722-8053. Seventh annual Christmas Fair will be 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, St. An-

ville. Luncheon available.

Mrs. Claus will greet chil-

Bazaar will be 9 a.m. to

6 p.m. Saturday at Harris-

Sheldon, Canton. 397dren. 697-8822 or 699-3852. MORE SUPPORT

M ADULTS Meet Your Needs, 7 p.m. Book review on "The Age of Innocence" will be 10 Starting Over for young Road, West Bloomfield.

681-4833. Polish Genealogical Soiety workshop will be 1-5 p.m. Saturday, Westland LDS Family History Center, 7575 Hix. Sponsored Burton Historical Collec-

Master, 645-6666. Proceeds to Children's Hospital. 993-8819.

Santa's arrival will be 6:30 p.m. Friday at Laurel Park Place, off Six Mile, west of Newburgh, Livonia Photos taken 7:30-9 p.m. Also through Dec. 23: 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday-Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sun-

paign is Nov. 26-Jan. 8 at son's Court area, Livonia. Shoppers can commemorate a loved one by purchasing an ornament on the Tree of Life. Proceeds

mas" display is 5-8:30 p.m.

Focus: HOPE invites do-

"Coping with the Holidays after a Pregnancy Loss" workshop is 7:30-9 p.m. Friday, Lamaze Association office, 2500 Pack-

ard, Suite 101, Ann Arbor.

CRAFT SHOWS

Third annual Winter Arts & Crafts Show will be 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday at North Farmington High School, 32900 W. 13 Mile, Farmington Hills. 553-6699. Sponsored by Band and Orchestra Boosters.

thony's Catholic Church, 409 W. Columbia, Belle-

a.m. Friday at Main Public Library, 1600 Walnut Lake

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N.Y., in 1981, realized he would exciting player I ever saw." Willie Mays of New York (later San In high school, he wrote to The Francisco) Giants fame is the best Sporting News editor in St. Louis, and became that publication's Atplayer Harwell ever saw.

turn the other cheek.

He remembered a catch Mays made in Pittsburgh when he was a rookie. "Willie made the greatest catch I've ever seen." Mays couldn't catch the line drive with his glove, but caught it with his

bare hand. He came back to the dugout and the more seasoned players remained silent, to tease the rookie. Mays asked manager Leo Durocher about the catch, and Durocher responded "Willie, I didn't see it, go out and do it again.

On to Detroit

Harwell's arrival in Detroit inroduced him to a number of Tiger players and fans. "I came to Detroit in 1960 and the people of Michigan have certainly been great to me.

He considers Al Kaline the best Tiger of all time. "I'm just glad he's still around and doing the telecasts along with George Kell.' Cecil Fielder's a fine player too, as

a friend to all. "He loved to play "Jackie I think was the most ball, no question about that.'

played for the team in the 1970s. Fidrych was a "sweet kind of vords. One time in Kansas City, play. Harwell asked him about the

team physician's opinion of his arm injury. Fidrych replied that the doctor knew little about such injuries. "He's a skin doctor. He's one o those gynecologists," he told Harwell

Harwell didn't mention his abrupt firing by former Tigers owner Tom Monaghan or his return to the broadcasting booth after the team was bought by Mike Ilitch. He had nothing but praise for the team and its team chapel

That program has now spread into the minor leagues and other sports. "I've seen a lot of athletes devote themselves to Jesus." Those include such current and cancer. "She called me and she former Tigers as Frank Tanana, was so excited because he men-Travis Fryman and Milt Cuyler. Harwell recalled the story of epitome of humility.

headlines by announcing in the early 1970s that they planned to Harwell has fond memories of, swap wives. That player was later Mark "The Bird" Fidrych, who traded to the Texas Rangers, where he met player Danny Thompson, who had leukemia but not too adept with and was dying but continued to

"Fritz dedicated his life to the .ord" after meeting Thompson, Harwell said. "God can work vonders wherever he is, in the locker room or the church.

"I'm richly honored that God loves me," Harwell said. "Since I've given my life to Jesus, I've had a peace I've never had before. "It's like knowing the final score of the game. Sooner or later, the outcome is going to be on

Rogers, the pastor, told those attending how Harwell announced on the air the name of his former second-grade Sunday school teacher, who's battling tioned her name. I think he is the

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CAMPUS NOTES

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

THREE CANTON residents were awarded undergraduate assistantships at Eastern Michigan University. The awards provide upper-class honors students with opportunities to acquire highlevel skills as researchers, teachers and artists by working as apprentices to EMU faculty. Ryan Ennis, a special education major, will work for Dr. Sandra McClennan, professor of special education, to determine effective time-management techniques for students with moderate to severe disabilities. Julia Gumber, a health administration major, will work with Dr. Richard Douglass,

director of the Health Administration Program, to develop a case history of 1992-93 federal policy development in health-care reform. Heather Smith, a biology major, will work with Dr. Stephen Brewer, professor of chemistry, to explore the uses of a glow discharge mass spectrometer as a detector for gas chromatography.

gree, and Angela L. Kemp, bachelor of science degree, majoring in hydrogeology. THREE PLYMOUTH residents are among parttime students at Washtenaw Community College

who have achieved academic excellence, earning a

grade point average of 3.7 or better, and having accumulated at least 15 credit hours. They are Kimberly Dittlinger, Christopher Preston and Marlene Smith.

TWO PLYMOUTH residents graduated from Western Michigan University at the end of the summer session of the 1992-93 school year. They are Steven A. Harrington, bachelor of music de-

■ TINA N. ALLMAN of Canton has been selected for the Alpha Kappa Mu national honor society at

Western Michigan University. The chapter is limited to juniors, seniors and graduates with a grade point average of at least 3.3, and graduate students with at least 16 credit hours and a grade point average of at least 3.7. Allman is a junior majoring in computer information systems.

■ THREE CANTON residents were among return-

ing Alma College students recognized for academ-

Matthew Jones, Tartan Award, graduate of Trini-

ic achievements. Receiving scholarships were

of Plymouth Salem High School.

PLYMOUTH RESIDENTS were among return-

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Job well done

Swartzwelter will be missed

Eight Mile plan demands unity

tion will miss the voice of Dean Swartzwelter, who recently resigned from the board for health reasons. While we sometimes disagreed with Swartzwelter, we never doubted his commit-

ment to educating all 15,000 students in the Plymouth Canton school district.

A board member since 1984, Swartzwelter hardly ever missed a meeting, and this showed tremendous commitment during an era when public pressure on those involved with education increased.

During meetings, he also kept his head, and was willing to explain why certain things were being done by the board. Those explanations went a long way toward fending off criticism.

The latest crisis schools face is financing, and Swartzwelter was willing to talk in public about the dilemma facing the state and the local school district.

That quality was welcome on a school board that hasn't been known for having strong leadership. Swartzwelter on numerous occasions was known to ensure that members of the public had their questions answered during long board discussions on educational issues.

The job of school board member isn't easy. The pay is low, \$30 per meeting with a yearly maximum of \$1,500, and the abuse usually outweighs the recognition.

ne community's reluctance to help fund

only serves to mock the group's purpose

the Eight Mile Boulevard Association

The association is a collection of 12 commun-

ities working with the Michigan Department of

Transportation and Wayne, Oakland and Ma-

comb counties to improve the Eight Mile busi-

Southfield, Farmington, Farmington Hills

and Wayne County participating members of

the association who have paid their dues.

and Redford Township are among the Oakland

Livonia, Michigan's eighth-largest city, has

Although Mayor Robert Bennett said this

week the city could still reconsider, Livonia is

at this point the only community to refuse to

city the size of Livonia - and have not been

levied arbitrarily. They are based on the city's

ers get to their jobs at Eight Mile businesses,

streetscaping to this critical boundary shared

budgets and the feeling the city won't benefit

Livonia's reluctance stems from recent tight

Other nearby communities are experiencing

than Livonia — and still have managed to fund

The refusal to pay the relatively small fee is

troubling but more worrisome is the attitude

that Livonia is an island and need not cooper-

That city seems to have no problem spending

that kind of money on strictly local cleanup or

beautification projects - planting flowers

the same fiscal pressures - some even greater

customers and improve landscaping and

The money goes to clean up litter, help work-

The dues are reasonable - especially for a

pay its dues - about \$7,000.

miles of frontage on Eight Mile.

improve traffic flow, help busi

by Detroit and its suburbs.

directly from the effort.

the Eight Mile project.

ate with its neighbors.

ness district.

of "Joining Together to Make a Difference."

And with a string of three lost millage elections, there has been plenty of criticism laid on the school board. Swartzwelter, however, didn't get bogged down by that, as some do. He quicky recovered from criticism and was able to stay confident of his abilities and keep the mission of educating students in mind. He was focused while others got bogged down.

Also, he commanded the respect of local poliicians and fellow board members.

State Rep. Jerry Vorva, R-Plymouth, who opposed the recent 4-mill property tax increase for schools that voters rejected, had this to say: "I think Swartzwelter has served the district well. When you stop and think about the amount of time it takes to to do this job properly, for someone to exhibit that dedication without remuneration is a demonstration of their concern and their dedication to the public and to our chil-

Roland Thomas, school board president, noted that Swartzwelter was always willing to compromise and "had a strong commitment to

Swartzwelter's well-informed voice will be missed on the school board, as will his willingness to compromise and his dedication to the

Dean Swartzwelter leaves some pretty big shoes to fill as the board looks for a replace-

Livonia's reluctance stems

the same fiscal pressures -

the Eight Mile project.

commercial district, for example.

ment in Livonia.

from recent tight budgets and the

rectly from the effort. Other near-

by communities are experiencing

some even greater than Livonia

- and still have managed to fund

around its Five Mile-Farmington civic center or

Although Livonia officials have pledged to co-

operate in spirit and support the overall intent

of the group, that's not enough. A promise to

support and cooperate can't do the job. A well-

tives can succeed — only if it's properly funded.

Competitive Livonia, an economic development

study assessing the future of economic develop-

According to the report, Livonia benefited

and continues to benefit from decisions made

The coordinator for Business Group for a

partnership between the city and the Livonia

Chamber of Commerce, recently completed a

designed plan with concrete goals and objec-

on the boulevards in the Six Mile-Newburgh

feeling the city won't benefit di-



LETTERS

Good service

s a 31-year resident of Plymouth, I've seen many businesses come and go. But the one store that stands out in my mind for friendly, courteous and outstanding service is Beitner Jewelry on Ann Arbor Trail. Bill and Fred Beitner are the epitome of thoughtful merchants. I salute them. Rainy Kirchhoff, Plymouth

Ban questioned

am writing to you in response to "Halloween Ban" instituted by Barbara Young. I don't understand the reasoning behind not letting her elementary students dress up as socalled "sick characters."

Just because a student may dress up as Freddy Krueger or Jason does not mean they idolize these people. They are only having fun, seeing as how they are so young why not let them have their fun before they grow out of the holiday? Believe it or not, wearing a costume, that's all it s, is part of celebrating the occasion.

I don't believe Mrs. Young's actions are in the interest of children; it is more disrespectful than beneficial to the children

Brian Gyorke, Canton

Serving men, too

on, age, sex, or handicap.

am writing in reference to an article entitled "Trustees say WRC serves men too." This appeared Thursday, Nov. 4, in the

I am one of the 45 volunteers mentioned in 30 years ago. the story and I wanted to rectify what was prob-"However, Livonia is no longer the fresh new ably just an oversight. While the article meant kid on the block," the report states. "It has ento focus on the controversy of a name change for tered middle age. The existing industrial corrithe Women's Resource Center, it did not prodor is nearly at capacity and there is little land vide a good picture of the services available. In fact, it described only one program, that of the remaining for major residential development." displaced homemaker. All communities have fiscal pressures. We

urge Livonia's leaders to look at this project in My concern is that someone reading this article may think they are not eligible to use the Benefits to the metro area from a healthy, at-WRC services. Today, both men and women use tractive Eight Mile Road transcend one city's the Peer Counseling and referral services provided. Our clients come from the community and the student body. Peer counselors and staff assisted more than 14,000 people this year. Evervone is welcome, without regard to race, relig-

> We provide financial aid to people without resources who are trying to go to school. We sponsor support groups, seminars and conferences, and so many other beneficial services I can't list them here. Instead, I am enclosing a brochure which more completely describes the work of the WRC. I hope you will find some space to tell our story.

Finally, I would like to say that the WRC was established in 1974, a time in history when women had limited options and very few resources. Sadly, for some women that is still true today. Perhaps in attempting to find a more inclusionary name, those who need us the most, won't be able to find us. Veronica Foley, Plymouth

Trustees don't get it

t the October meeting of the Schoolcraft College Board of Trustees, Trustees Harry Greenleaf and Steve Ragan questioned the name and the function of the college's Women's Resource Center.

They just don't get it. The college has numerous resources for men, including the WRC. Men can use the counseling office, the career planning and placement office, and the business development center (for displaced workers). Men have had the board rooms, the locker rooms, and the top positions for centuries. Have you seen the Detroit Monthly that listed the most influential people in the area? A woman's name did not appear until the list hit the forties. By the way, it was a woman who has helped choolcraft College and this community, Betty Jean Awrey

Dr. Sylvia D. Vukmirovich counselor/professor, Schoolcraft College Livonia resident

St. Nick kicks habit

Reindeer attached - with love and

Rudolph, the leader, is first from the gate. He seems to be nervous. Santa is late.

St. Nick's on the run. His wife packed a meal. Is this a mistake? Is this Santa for real? We see lots of change, tho' Santa still jokes. No pipe in his mouth. He no longer smokes. His smoke-cough is gone. His future looks

brighter. This evening is rough. He'll pull an all-nighter. His diet has worked. He's lost his big belly. He'll no longer shake like a bowl full of jelly.

St. Nick broke two habits. He's now'looking We don't call him Santa. We now call him

Jerry Kelly, Oakland Township

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POINTS OF VIEW

Experience counts when getting things done

y dad has a favorite saying: "In any contest, old age and treachery will outwit youth and vigor." Dad is a retired printer, not a political science professor, but he is bsolutely right.

Lesson 1: Around 1970, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that a Missouri community college's apportionment violated the U.S. Constitution's "equal protection of the laws" - or as common folks say, "One person, one vote."

Schoolcraft College was one of two or three in Michigan with malapportioned voting districts that clearly were unconstitutional. Either equalized districts or at-large voting had to be adopted. Schoolcraft's Old Guard knew it from reading the paper. Their attorney advised the chair that Schoolcraft's election districts were unconstitutional. Moreover, the flaming young liberals in the New Democratic Coali-

tion began collecting money for a law-

The chair of the Old Guard hid the attorney's opinion. During the delay, the college president retired, and the Old Guard hired a new president. When the NDC suit came into Wayne County Circuit Court, the Old Guard surrendered. But since it already had hired the man who would be president for 10 years, age and treachery had pre-

Lesson 2: The Michigan Legislature currently is writing a school tax package and educational reform measures that are likely to be in effect for decades, even generations. It will be the biggest change in schools since the adoption of the sales tax in the 1930s and the high school building binge of the 1950s and '60s. Meanwhile, young and vigorous

idealists are waiting for the state constitutional amendment on term limita-



tion to kick in - the one voters adopted'in 1992. Representatives must leave after three terms (six years), senators after two (eight years).

In the House, the Old Guard won't let this chance slip away. It's not letting the big decisions be made in the standing committees, where freshmenmembers can be heard. Instead, an ad hoc group of a dozen or so senior mem-

bargain the issues.

In the House Education Committee, co-chairs Bill Keith of Garden City and Bill Bryant of Grosse Pointe - who have been around 20 years or so apiece quietly amended one key proposal of Gov. John Engler's and informed everyone that this would be the vehicle

bill. That was that. That bugged newcomers like Jerry Vorva of Plymouth, Deborah Whyman Canton, Al Cropsey of DeWitt and others. Vorva, in particular, is unhappy with the Old Guard's tactics. "We didn't even get to vote on Engler's version," he complained.

Personally, I like how the two Bills massaged Engler's plan, but that's not the point. The point is that the Old Guard is using its last years in power to dictate school taxes and policy for decades, riding roughshod over the new

Lesson 3: What the young idealists vote for during the year is taken away by the Old Guard on the joint House-Senate conference committees.

During normal deliberations, freshman Rep. Greg Kaza of Rochester Hills won 87-1 approval of a budget bill amendment requiring the Legislature to show in detail its costs and number. of jobs. A conference committee then met to iron out differences in the House and Senate versions of the bill Old Guard senators insisted Kaza's amendment had to go. It went.

Dad's lesson deserves to be in the civics books: "In any contest, old age and treachery will outwit youth and vigor." I wish him a happy 84th birthday - and thanks for the civics lesson:

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

LETTERS

Vorva praised

he courage displayed by Gov. John Engler, State Sen. Bob Geake and State Rep. Jerry Vorva in confronting the special interest groups in order to reform education in the state is unique, refreshing and worthy of

They have placed their political careers in eopardy by disregarding the voices of the opulent and powerful few in order to lift the burden of property tax and improve the quality of education for the multitude.

They are deserving of both our praise and support as they continue on their quest to provide the highest quality education and keep open the door of the American Dream for our

It is time for the average citizen to speak out and quell the voice of the self-serving, misguided few. Reform is never easy, but reform we must if the future of our children is to be se-

Gerald K. Dodson, Plymouth

Chicken Little

was intrigued to read your front page story on Oct. 28 in which the Plymouth Canton School Board urged citizens to contact their legislators to protest Governor Engler's educational reform proposal as "wrong and unconscionable.

It struck me that this was the same group that predicted the significant demise of educational quality in the district twice this past summer when advocating additional millage It appears the school board was wrong then,

and if I remember my children's stories, despite the warning cries of Chicken Little, the sky nev er fell. Before any of the citizens in the district contact their legislators, I'd suggest they first contact Dr. Paul N. DeWeese, M.D., the chairman of the board of "Teach Michigan" at 913 Holmes, Suite 147, Lansing, Mich. 48910 to dis cuss the kind of potential reform opportunities available to us. There are some extremely interesting models to effectively educate the public in some other states that deserve consideration and are not inconsistent with much of the Governor's proposal.

It seems the voters were sending a message requesting reform and improvement last summer. Maybe the board members should contact Dr. Deweese as well, or at least watch the video from the Deming library on "Education as a System." Who knows, with creative thought we might find truly exciting opportunities to enhance Plymouth Canton and all of Michigan's education systems.

Tom Sullivan, Canton

Doyle half accurate

oc Doyle's Nov. 8 article on Outcome Based Education was as clear of an explanation as any I have read. Outcome Based Education is a conservative approach to educational reform, despite criticism of the movement from the right.

My objection stems from his cavalier explanation of Michael Apple's (University of Wisconsin-Madison) criticism of Outcome Based Education. Doyle's definition of Apple was a 'warm, kindly professor" implies he is weak on substance. He also says Apple takes a "Gestalt' approach, "looking at a person in totality and

not only as a learner, but a social, psychological human being with other needs." Doyle is only half accurate.

Apple's ideas are broad based, replete with historical and political visions of the purpose of public education. Doyle fails to mention that the psychological considerations Apple refers to come straight from John Dewey. Doyle also fails to mention the concerns that Apple voices about Outcome Based Education comes from Thomas Jefferson. Apple objects to states like Michigan that insist on one proficiency test for all students. Jefferson argues that in a democracy, public schools ought to identify and develop individual talents in students rather than taking a cookie cutter approach to proficiency as the current state mandate does. One test

does not fit all. Outcome Based Education techniques can play a positive role in education but not if it fails to consider the importance of individual thought in a democratic society. Apple's concern with Outcome Based Education is that we. not lose sight of what Thomas Jefferson and John Dewey would call primary obligations of public education.

Peter Shaheen, Bloomfield Hills

Adopt better mass transit to expand area job market

rriving last Monday morning at Washington National Airport, I walked 100 yards to the nearest subway stop. It was well lighted and clean. The fare card

cost \$1, dispensed from an automatic machine. A train arrived shortly. It, too, was well lighted and clean, and the ride was relatively quiet and quick. I arrived at the Labor Department, serene and on time for my meeting. Such is mass transit in the Washington, D.C.

metropolitan area, thanks to the Metro. It's quick, convenient, inexpensive, safe. It links the center city to the growing suburbs, and it has played an enormous role in the fantastic job growth of the entire region.

Contrast this with mass transit in the metropolitan Detroit area. Here we have two bus systems - Detroit's DOT and the suburban system, SMART - both separate and both unequal to the task.

Detroit, with a population around one million, has around 300 buses running daily, while smaller Washington has 1,100 buses plus a rail system. Worse, D-DOT buses run mostly in Detroit, so Detroiters who work in the suburbs have to change and wait to get to their jobs.

And it's clear that job growth in southeastern Michigan for the foreseeable future will be concentrated in the suburbs.

According to NPA Data Services, more jobs will be created in the Detroit metropolitan area, relative to population growth, than in any other U.S. metropolitan area. Projections show population growth of 111,100 new residents from 1989-2010, but 285,700 new jobs. That's a ratio of 2.57 new jobs for every one new resident, best rate in the country.

But nearly all these new jobs will be located in Oakland, western Wayne and Livingston counties.

That's why Dennis Archer, mayor-elect of Detroit, talked repeatedly and bluntly during the campaign about how important regional mass transit is in solving the unemployment problem in the core city and providing the necessary labor to fuel economic growth in the suburbs.

Archer also called for merging SMART with D-DOT, partly to provide better services and partly because running one system is cheaper and more efficient than running two in parallel. Mayor Coleman A. Young, you will remember, Phil Power is the chairman of the company refused for years to consider anything remotely

resembling a merger. With Archer's election, the barriers to cooper-



PHILIP POWER

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ation are beginning to come down. Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara has been for a merged system for years, while Brooks Patterson, Oakland County executive, long an opponent, recently said he'd consider it.

The big problem, of course, is money. Detroit taxpayers kick in \$35 million a year to support D-DOT, while SMART gets no suburban government subsidies. It's going to take a lot to persuade suburbanites to pay a regional tax to support an old mass transit system that relatively few of them use.

But suppose the choice were not taxes for a bad bus system but, instead, taxes for a good rail system. For example, with just half the population density per square mile as Detroit, Atlanta now operates two rapid transit rail lines 25 miles long, about the distance from downtown Detroit to Pontiac.

What interests both the suburbs and the city is not merging separate and inadequate old transit systems but creating a good new one that can drive the economic growth of the entire area. Now that suburbs and city are beginning to talk, that's a good early agenda item.

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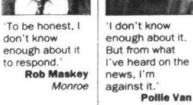
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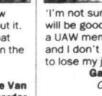
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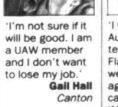


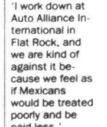




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OCC plans symposium on JFK assassination

Oakland Community College will present a symposium on the murder of John Kennedy beginning 6 p.m. Monday, Nov. 22, the 30th anniversary of the assassina-

Admission is free. The event will occur at the Smith Theatre at Then a panel moderated by OCC teachers Tim Koerner and J.J. Berry will explore the JFK era with personal reflections, rememhrances and evaluations.

Panelists include OCC political science teacher Gerald Faye, Oakland University journalism teacher Roberta Schwartz and attorney

Scholarship deadline set

The Schoolcraft College Foundation is accepting scholarship applications now through Friday, Nov. 19, for the 1994 winter semester. Applications are available in the college's Finanical Aid Office in the Student Services Build-

Scholarships available are: Rosina Raymond Scholarship: The award is for liberal arts students who express an interest in writing. Selection is based on a 3.0 grade point average, enroll-ment in 6 credit hours, career goals and financial need.

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No one wins this scandal

ell, it's been said sports are for kids, and the way a few college coaches are acting, that adage has certainly proven true. It's just too bad they didn't leave it to the kids. Here's my (unsolicited) opinion on how eligibility problems should be handled on collegiate levels below the NCAA's Division I, where big bucks are at stake: immediately, quietly, in-house. If there's a problem, rectify it.

If one school becomes aware of potential trouble at another school, alert that other school.

Tom Teeters and Gary Gray have defied that and become embroiled in what can only be termed a very ugly mess. Teeters coaches Schoolcraft College's volleyball team; Gray coaches Henry Ford CC's.

A brief history leading up to the controversy: Two Henry Ford players, Kristen Barnes and Danielle Pfeffer, transferred to Schoolcraft in January. No problem with Barnes, who had signed with the Hawks for just one year; but Pfeffer's letter of intent at Henry Ford covered two. She needed to get a release to be immediately eligible.

She didn't get it. The oversight wasn't discovered until the season was one-third over. SC had to forfeit all matches played to that point in which Pfeffer had played.

Henry Ford took over as the Eastern Conference's kingpin, earning the top seed in the NJCAA's Region 12 Tournament, hosted by SC. The Lady Ocelots were up to the challenge, however.

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Chiefs, Blazers set stage for final



The stage is set for a classic confrontation Friday when Plymouth Canton (20-1) meets Livonia Ladywood (14-3) for the Class A district girls basketball championship. Game time is 7 p.m. at Northville High School.

BY BRAD EMONS STAFF WRITER

The long anticipated Star Wars matchup is upon us.

State-ranked girls basketball powers Plymouth Canton (20-1) and Livonia Ladywood (14-3) will collide Friday for the Class A district championship at Northville. (Game time is 7 p.m.).

Both teams advanced with impressive wins in Wednesday's semifinal double-header.

In the opener, Canton rolled to a 65-21 victory over Kensington Valley Conference co-champion Novi, while Ladywood crushed Plymouth Salem in the nightcap, 59-23.

"It will be a great game because they are two outstanding teams that play great defense and know how to win," Salem coach Fred Thomann said. "They've both have played a high level of competition this year and done very well."

Ladywood showed no ill effects of a two-week layoff following its 49-44 semifinal loss to Dearborn Divine Child in the Catholic League playoffs.

"We took a couple of days off and some of the girls said it really helped them," Ladywood coach Ed Kavanaugh said. "A majority of them play year-round, not because I want them to, but by choice.

"We came back with our basic man-to-man defense and we stressed teamwork during the layoff."

The Blazers, using a full-court press, stormed out to a 21-3 first-

quarter lead and never looked back.

By halftime it was 37-11 Ladywood. "We played a pretty good basketball team," said Thomann, whose Rocks bowed out with a 13-8 record. "Defensively, Ladywood is so good. And once they can shake the ball loose, they have the ability to finish at the other end and score.

"With their size and the way they rebound the ball, it makes for a tough defensive matchup."

Junior forward Tara Overaitis, showing no complications from a broken nose suffered in the Divine Child game, led the winners with 19 points. Tara Wasiak, a 5-11 senior, came off the bench to score 11.

Lisa Craven, a senior guard, tallied nine to pace the Rocks.

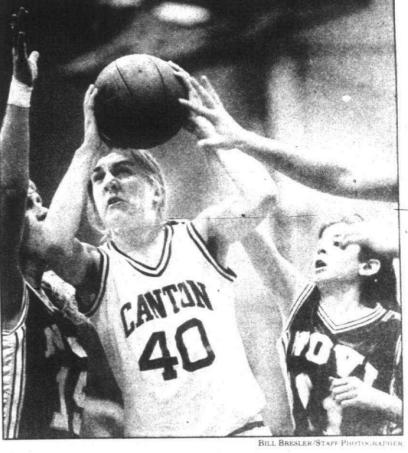
Kavanaugh also shook up his lineup, starting senior Erin Lucas at guard.

Lucas did not score, but gave the Blazers some stability in the backcourt. Ladywood only had eight turnovers on the night to Salem's 20.

"Erin's an excellent passer, a good defender and makes smart plays," Kavanaugh said. "She decided in the Divine Child game that we wanted to be a basketball player and it's showing."

Canton, meanwhile, made all the right plays in routing Novi, which bowed out with a respectable 16-5 record

Canton led 14-6 after one quarter, but turned on the jets with runs of 21-6 and 17-2 in the second and third



In traffic: Plymouth Canton sophomore forward Sarah Warnke (No. 40), who scored 14 points, battles Novi's Kristin Kenny (left) and Amy Edwards during Wednesday's 65-21 Class A district semifinal victory.

periods. The Chiefs made 20 of 39 shots (51 percent) from the floor during the first 24 minutes.

Britta Anderson, a 5-7 senior forward, led the victorious Chiefs with 18 points, while 5-10 sophomore Sarah Warnke came off the bench to score 14. Floor general Alyson Noune, a 5-foot senior, added nine points.

Novi, shooting only 15 percent from the floor (six for 38), got eight points from Kelly Kearney.

om Kelly Kearney. sa "We came out early and were pretty ga

aggressive," Canton coach Bob Blohm said. "We took the ball to the basket, rebounded and defended well.

"The good start gave our team confidence. We were really into it. We got shots inside and we also got the ball to the rim versus their zone. Overall I'm pleased with the way we played."

Kavanaugh also came away impressed with Canton.

"They're an excellent team," he said. "We're going to have to step our game up a level to beat them."

Head makes decision: Iowa

By STEVE KOWALSKI STAFF WRITER

The parents of Plymouth Salem senior James Head can look forward to making more orosscountry trips in the future.

Head became the second member of his family to earn a basket-ball scholarship out of state when he signed a letter of intent on Tuesday to attend the University of Iowa. Head's sister, Dena, played on two national championship teams at the University of Tennessee and was national Player of the Year as a senior in 1991-92.

Jim Head said he doesn't mind logging several more thousand miles on his five-year-old van.

"You always find transportation for that (watching a son or daughter play)," the elder Head said. "We felt he would have the opportunity to play somewhere, and — it being a Big Ten school — it's an honor and privilege for those participating at that level. The coaches at Salem and the entire school staff prepared James well for the next level."

Eyeing lowa:
James Head,
who will graduate from Salem in the
spring, liked
the staff and
everything
else about
Iowa, which is
why he chose
to accept a
scholarship
there.

Head, a first-team All-Observer choice last year after averaging 14 points and 10.4 rebounds per game, said he was glad to sign during the early signing period, which started Nov. 10 and ended Wednesday. The 6-foot-6, 210-pound forward said he has passed his ACT test and will be eligible to play as a freshman.

Head said he chose Iowa over several Big Ten schools.

"Iowa is the best place for me," he said. "I fit in real well for them, and I was real impressed with the staff, the way they handled themselves. Everything was first class. They recruited me as a student-athlete first."

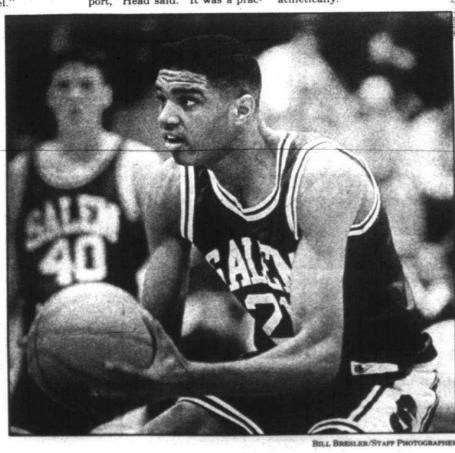
Head made an official visit last month and became friends with Iowa sophomore Kenyon Murray, the former Mr. Basketball from Battle Creek. Head has never seen an Iowa game in person but was on hand for an intra-squad scrimmage at Carver-Hawkeye Arena.

"I was amazed by their fan support," Head said. "It was a practice game, and they had several thousand fans there."

Salem coach Bob Brodie said Iowa coach Tom Davis and assistant Rich Walker, who is from the Detroit area, started recruiting Head seriously last year. Head's stock improved over the summer when he played well at the ABCD camp at Eastern Michigan University, where Detroit Pershing's All-America candidate Willie Mitchell also played.

Head is the third Salem player Brodie has had who signed with a Division I school out of high school. Rick Taylor, a 1987 Salem graduate, signed with the University of Detroit-Mercy, and Jake Baker, a '91 grad, signed with Central Michigan University.

"Iowa is an excellent decision. It's a quality program with a good staff," Brodie said. "They were in our gym last year watching James during practice time. They showed a lot of interest in James as a person. Signing early gives him a chance to concentrate on his senior year academically and athletically."





Newcomers boost Madonna

What Madonna University's women's basketball team should have on the front of its programs is a disclaimer. Something like:

a failing memory. See a doctor. Bill Potter enters his third season as coach at Madonna with something far different than he's

Any resemblance between the

past Madonna women's teams

and the present one is the result of

had before - a contender. It's not built the way most contenders are constructed - with experienced players, well-versed in the team's system. Only four of Potter's 14 players were on the

squad last season. The Lady Crusaders were 13-18 last season, losing in the first round of the NAIA District 23 playoffs. The district set-up has been scrapped, so now Madonna will vie with 13 other teams for one of eight playoff berths in the independent Great Lakes Region. The berths will be determined not by round-robin scheduling, but by computer points.

How this will work is anyone's guess, but Potter is confident of his team's chances. "The attitude is great," he said. "They're antsy to get going.

As for the playoffs: "Well, you know that old adage - win all your games and you know you'll be in the playoffs."

That doesn't sound like a coach of a team that's struggled to reach .500. With good reason: Potter has brought in some top-notch talent, good enough to convert the Crusaders from also-rans to regional contenders.

The newcomers begin with Shawn Bannon, a 5-foot-6 junior

The opposition was good, but

the deciding factors in Schoolcraft

College's men's basketball losses

last weekend at the Macomb CC

Classic were inexperience and

On Tuesday, the Ocelots over-

came those flaws to post their

first victory of the season, 92-83

was committing bundles of turn-

overs and had just two players in

each game reach double-figures in scoring, against Lima there were

four in doubles and there were "at

least half as many turnovers," ac-

Unlike last weekend, when SC

over Ohio State-Lima at SC.



alone. Among the other additions

expected to help immediately are

freshmen Meegan Marlatt, a 5-8

first-team Class D all-state guard

from Atlanta (Mich.) who aver-

aged 17 points per game as a high

school senior, and Rachel Emery,

another 5-8 guard from the same

area as Marlatt (Fairview) who's

Good outlook: Bill Potter had to start from scratch two years ago to build Madonna University a women's basketball team. Now, he has a regional contender.

Ocelots reject turnover plague to post win

Child who started for two seasons at Central Michigan and averaged around 10 points and six assists a game last season. She transferred

to Madonna to study nursing. "Shawn loves to have the ball in her hands at all times," said Potter. "She's going to bring maturity to our team. When things are out of sync, she wants to be in there. At the end of the game, she wants the ball in her hands."

Bannon adds instant credibility to Madonna, but she isn't Gerigk, 5-4 from Farmington Hills Mercy; Maria Liwag, 5-4 from Divine Child; Tracy Prybylski, 5-4 from Livonia Ladywood Courtney Whittaker, 5-10 from Clarkston; Rebecca Bloch, 5-8 from Farmington; and Denise Williams, 5-10 from Grayling. Gerigk is a sophomore and Wiliams is a junior; the others are If you get the idea that the returnees are somewhat concerned

There are others, too: Kathleen

about their status, well. "You'll see a totally revamped team," promised Potter. "We'll be so much faster. We'll run and

"I told everybody we're going to run the ball. If you're going to stay up or not, it's up to you.

The four coming back - 5-11 unior forward Stephanie Crelley, in honorable mention all-district pick last year who averaged 13 points and eight rebounds a game; 5-7 senior guard Jill Burt; 6-0 sophomore center April Blanton; and 5-9 sophomore forward Mary Bieniewicz - have Potter's

Crelley "comes in with an out standing attitude," he said, while Blanton "has lost 20 pounds" to keep a spot in the player rotation. Burt suffered through a slump last season, but Potter feels the up-tempo offense is "definitely more suited to her style of play.

So how good can the Crusaders be? "Barring injury, just having a 500 season would be sub-par," said Potter. "Twenty (wins are)

quick and rebounds well Vikki Koenig, a 6-0 junior transfer from Oakland CC and Sterling - It's a big step for Madonna Heights, can play defense, run, re- women's basketball, but the talbound and shoot the three- ent is there to take it.

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cording to SC coach Dave Boga-

Steve Whitlow led the Ocelots with 21 points. Todd McNeil had 20, Abu Hamilton 14 and Milton Stoudemire 11. Ricky Mitchell finished with nine. Don Rice's 24 topped Lima; Troy Keysor had 23.

escape the weekend unscathed was host Macomb, which defeated both Muskegon and Kellogg. SC committed 30 turnovers in each

of turnovers," said Bogataj. "The youth really showed. Both Muskegon and Kellogg had more sophomores than we did."

In the lopsided loss to Muskegon Saturday, SC twice made runs that cut the deficit to a reachable goal. In the first half, a 15-point bulge shrunk to three Last weekend, the Ocelots lost with 31/2 minutes left, and in the 86-80 to Kellogg CC Friday, then second the Ocelots trimmed a 22fell 103-72 on Saturday to point gap to nine with 6½ min-Muskegon CC. The only team to utes remaining.

Both times, Muskegon replied with a run of its own. The Jay-SC's second-half run, they had 15

fortable lead that culminated with the 31-point victory.

Muskegon was aided by McNeil's foul trouble. McNeil and Whitlow were the Ocelots only reliable offensive weapons: McNeil had 30 points and 13 rebounds before fouling out with five minutes left. Whitlow finished with 17 points and five boards. Next highest scorer among the Ocelots was Mitchell

Earl Canning's 30 points was best for Muskegon (7-of-11 from hawks led 54-38 at the half; after three point range). Ed Pernell

Crusaders are facing an imposing obstacle

Vengeance will probably occur to some of Madonna University's volleyball players Satin Cincinnati - but it won't be warned. "Everything's on the a key motivational factor.

The incentive surrounding Saturday's match will be consumed by what's at stake: a trip to the NAIA National Tournament in San Diego. The Lady Crusaders are

ranked seventh in the nation with a 42-6 record; they advance past the district round of play for the first time ever. Mount St. Joseph's, 40-6 for the season, is ranked 16th and has been to the bi-district round the past three years. Each time, it lost to North-

wood University. The two teams have met before. On Sept. 10, in the opening round of the Indiana University-Purdue University-Indianapolis Tournament, St. Joseph's disposed of Madonna n two-straight games in the first round of pool play. The Crusaders rallied to win their next five matches and capture

the tourney title. They've been pretty much on ment.

That's not to say coach Jerry Abraham is taking anything for granted. "We're going to urday when they travel to the have to be on top of our game College of Mount St. Joseph's and real smart," Abraham

> "We're going to have to hit the ball and play scrappy.'

Madonna advanced with a three-game sweep of University Michigan-Dearborn in Thursday's NAIA District 23 semifinals and a five-game defeat of Spring Arbor in Friday's

"I thought we played very well," said Abraham of the district tournament, which Madonna hosted. "We had a long match with Spring Arbor . they came back but we responded and played well. I was happy with our passing and defense and serve reception.'

Although everything may not exactly be on the line for Ma donna - even if the Crusaders lose, there's a chance they could receive an at-large berth Abraham is stressing to his troops the need to win their way into the NAIA Tourna

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Rockets must halt Hawks smaller, but quicker Central's offense

The run 'n shoot offense is alive and well, just ask Flint Central football coach Joe Eufinger

It's certainly flourished this season for the unbeaten Indians (11-0), who take on Westland John Glenn (10-1) in the state Class AA semifinals, 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Lansing Everett High

"This is my fourth year using the offense," said Eufinger, who last reached the state semifinals in 1984 with a one-handed quar terback named Jim Abbott. "Sometimes it was good, and sometimes it was bad.

"But the fans certainly got their \$3 worth and more. It was entertaining football."

Speedy Central wide receiver DeAngelo Mitchell has become a human highlight film. In last week's 46-21 Region I champion ship win over Grand Rapids Union, Mitchell caught six passes for 108 yards and two touch-

receptions and 44 catches, averaging close to 20 yards per catch. "I've been the head coach here 18 years and I'd say he (Mitchell)

is as good as anybody," Eufinger said. "He also has the best pair of hands on the team." Eufinger also said Mitchell

Cedric Gordon, who led Ann Arbor Pioneer to the state Class A title in 1984. reat receiver," Glenn coach team

Chuck Gordon said. "They (Central) have athletes, a lot of speed. "They'll put a slot-back on each side with a one-back set Then they'll run a back in motion and it becomes an I-formation. They try to spread you around the field like Adrian did.

Quarterback Freddie Jackson, who now has 22 TD tosses on the year, was 11-for-16 last week for **JOHN GLENN**

Other scoring threats include Andre Weathers and sophomore tailback Reiko Hurd. "Our alignment is as much run as it is pass," Eufinger said. "But yes, we run double-slot and throw

t around a lot."

me 4-4 with an occasional 5-3 look, according to Eufinger. "It depends how the game is going," said the Flint Central

Defensively, the Indians play

Torrey Robinson, a 5-foot-9 250-pound down lineman, is an All-Saginaw Valley Conference

Weathers, Mitchell and Hurd have also excelled at the defensive Eufinger said a come-from-be-

hind 27-13 victory over Bay City Central in the second game of the season was the team's turning "We were behind 13-12 with

about six minutes to go and we fumbled on fourth-and-goal at the Eufinger recalls. "We could have gone in the tank, but we came right back and caused a fumble at their 30. We went in nay be in the same class as and scored, held them again, and scored. And that was against a pretty good team. Bay City ended up 7-2 with losses to us and Sagi "Number 80 (Mitchell) is a naw Arthur Hill, another playoff

> Eufinger, like Gordon, also has some concerns of his own going into Saturday's final four clash.

"Glenn does a nice job on spe cial teams, I'm impressed with that," said the Central coach. 'And another thing that stands out is their team defense. The intensity level there seems to be sol-

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BY CHRIS MCCOSKY STAFF WRITER

John Herrington has won 202 ootball games, 31 post-season games and five state championhips at Harrison. And he's still

aking lessons from his mentor. On Monday, Herrington was iscussing the virtues of the Fraser football program, Harrison's opponent in the Class A semifinals at 11:30 a.m. Saturday at Eastern Michigan's

Rynearson Stadium. "Man, they are big," Harrison said. "Their offensive line averages around 270 pounds and we lon't have a single lineman over 200. I don't know if we can stop their power game.

Overhearing the conversation was Farmington Athletic Director Ron Holland, legendary former North Farmington coach who used to tutor a young, hotshot assistant named Herring-

"Your kids won't know they can stop them either if you keep talking about how big they are,' Holland chided.

Herrington nodded. "He's right. Everybody has ried to power us and only one team really pounded us," Herrington said, referring to a 35-0 loss to Birmingham Brother whose teams have been 28-5 the Rice. "We'll just have to do last three years, 20-2 the last what we've been doing, try to two, and won its first regional

ham Seaholm, 20-3. "We're **HARRISON** pretty big but we aren't that

offset their size with our quick-

Then, after Holland walked away, Herrington added, laughing, "What we really have to do is hope they get a lot of holding Fight the power

Fraser (10-1) is huge up front

Herrington, whose team is 9and its success is tied to a pow-, knows he'll have to gear up to erful, albeit one-dimensional stop the run, but he also fears running attack and a punishing Fraser's quarterback Fred Schwarze. The Ramblers' line weighs in "He can throw when he has

at 285, 270, 230, 256 and 270 to," Herrington said. "And he from tackle to tackle. Much of has quick feet.' the traffic flows behind tackle Harrison's defense has been a Brian Wilcox (6-7, 285), son of bit schizophrenic of late. After former Detroit Tiger pitcher putting the clamps on Westland Milt, and center Robb Moore (6-John Glenn, the Hawks allowed 58 points and 769 yards to Rice

And that traffic is usually in the form of senior tailback Ron Fresh. He has set a school record with 284 carries and has rushed for more than 1,200 vards. But Fraser coach Ray Barr

isn't convinced his team can just ram the ball down the Hawks' throats. "I would like to think we can,

"I was happy with the defense last week against Northville, Herrington said. "We got (linenacker) Nick Williams back and that made a difference. But we aren't real big and we need to but I'm not sure," said Barr, play with a lot of emotion and intensity. With this group, we're

down the rest of the way.

fast. We look good coming out of

the locker room, but we're

son's great quickness, that

Especially on the fast carpet

"I'm hoping for rain, snow

and Edsel Ford. Against North-

ville last week they allowed 16

points in the first half, then

completely shut the Mustangs

never quite sure what we are

cumbersome. And with Harri-

could present a problem."

and ice," Barr joked.

at Rynearson.

Air time?

Harrison faces a major challenge on the other side of the ball, as well. Fraser's defense, led by all-state candidate Kris Masi (6-3, 237), has allowed just 83 points in 11 games and more than one touchdown in just two.

'Our defense is very similar John's," Barr said. "We like o fly to the ball. But we'll get a big test this week. I know John will present us with some new things and some very good

Herrington actually isn't sure how he's going to attack Fraser.

"You look at the films and ou think maybe they are vul nerable to the pass, but the only team to really hurt them pass ing was Utica Eisenhower and they hurt a lot of people," Herrington said. "We have to keep all our options open and let the game determine which ones we

ning game featuring Williams, who rumbled for 115 yards against Northville, a flash-andlash running game featuring ason Granger who has been obbling on a tender ankle, or a passing game featuring quarterback Joe Pesci and receiver Kevin Bryant who produced two uchdowns last week.

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his teammates

placed second.

Plymouth Canton

Kurt Garcia

Redford Union

Kevin Afflerbaugh

Farmington

Jeff Howle, senior, North Farmington

Howle took seventh at the WLAA mee

(16:57), 18th at regional (17:17) and

the past four years," Welch said. "It was

great to see him end his high school

cross country career on such a positive

Brad Polkinghorne, sophomore, Lu-

theran Westland: Polkinghome was a

Class C regional champion (17:20) and

placed ninth in the state meet (17:10)

He was a medal winner in all seven of the

was recorded at both the Centerline Invi

tational and Metro Conference, where he

season by learning to start his races at a

fast pace with the top runners," coach

John Gerlach said. "Once into this pace,

frives him through the spots in the race

Brad's mental strength and desire to wir

where other runners start falling back in

the pack. The tougher the competition

the harder he runs. His best quality is his

'Brad developed into a lead runner this

nvitationals he ran. His best time, 16:44,

'Jeff has done a terrific job for us over

40th at the state meet (16:51)

SPORTS ROUNDUP

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

E FOOTBALL CHAMPS

The Canton Lions junior varsity football team finished an un defeated season and won the league Super Bowl, 23-14, over the Belleville Cougars.

Brandon Evans scored two touchdowns, kicked a two-point conversion and also had a TD saving tackle. Evans had 104 yards rushing.

The Lions took an 8-0 lead in the first quarter after a 35-yard

er, advancing to the champion-

from two games down to beat

But the Hawks didn't sur-

render, either. They emerged

from the loser's bracket and,

playing without the services of

setter Jacie Friend (who had to

attend her sister's wedding)

managed to beat the Ocelots in

back-to-back best-of-five

matches to claim the regional

That's when the trouble be-

gan. It ended with Henry Ford

being disqualified from the

NJCAA Tournament, which

the regional title qualified

ble player; the berth was filled

tournament host Miami

Allegations flew from both

them for, after using an ineligi

Dade-Kendall.

was uncovered.

SC regarding Pfeffer.

Henry Ford.

TD run by Evans and a two-point conversion kick by William Wanniger. Robert Drabicki also had a memorable first quarter, recovering a Belleville fumble on the Cougars' 26-yard line. A few plays later, Drabicki recovered another teammate's fumble for a TD. Wanniger's pass to Justin Bradley for the extra point gave the Lions a 15-0 lead.

Belleville closed the margin to 15-6 at halftime but Andrew Sieber's fumble recovery on the set up the Lions' final score. Evans scored a few plays later on a 1-yard run and he added the two point conversion kick for a 23-6

Belleville 37 in the fourth quarter

Risak from page 1B

Relleville scored to make the margin 23-12 and was driving again, but Wanniger recovered a fumble with 3:46 to go to ensure the victory. Belleville's last score

came on a two-point safety. Mike Klimek, Drabicki and Wanniger had six tackles each. Sieber and Jonathon Deboe had five each and Tom Mazur and Dean Shirkman contributed four stops. Joe Brafford, Jacob Lyons, Justin Sproul, Shaun Reynolds and T.J. Gibbons also played

The Lions' freshmen lost to the Ypsilanti Braves, 25-14.

The freshmen scored on a 32-

yard run by Brendon Wheeler, a 48-yard run by Chris Trott and a gang safety in the end zone for a

Kris Kowal denied an extrapoint attempt and Jason Evans had six tackles. Russell Scott had four tackles and Brandon Ellison finished with three.

■ The Plymouth Steelers varsity won the Western Suburban Football League Super Bowl with a 14-0 victory over the Ypsilanti

The Braves had not lost since 1991 and defeated the Steelers, 38-13, in the third game of the Movinski and Salla led the deregular season.

quarterback Chris Movinski called a timeout with :01 remaining on the clock. Chuck Cole had a fumble recovery in the first quarter and Joel

Kozma had a fumble recovery in Salla led the Steelers with 177 vards rushing on 18 carries. John Patrick gained 21 yards on five at-

quarterback sack.

fense with 10 tackles each. Joe

Kanaan had eight tackles and

ban had four tackles and one

M HALLORAN CONTRIBUTES

Kelly Welsh seven. Brandon Ur-

Kelly Halloran, a Canton resi dent and Redford Catholic Central graduate, is playing regularly for the Michigan Nationals of the North American Junior Hockey League. Halloran, a defenseman, has two goals for the Michigan Nationals, who are in first place in the West Division at 8-8-1 overall. They are 6-2-1 in their last nine games.

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her office by an outside source The bottom line is, it's idio trations been on top of things, none of this would have oc curred. Pfeffer's ineligibility was caused by a mistake made in the SC athletic office. Her

camps, but there were far more At Henry Ford, counselors denials. Grav had a few choice words for Teeters, claiming he turned his team in and that "this is retribution for what happened to them.' Teeters countered by claiming he knew nothing of Henry

Ford's problem until the day it The losers in all this are Gray added that he wasn't the one to blow the whistle on Know what? I couldn't care less about the problems these two may cause themselves. My gut reaction is not to believe either of them. Teeters insisted he was not the one to initiate the process that ended with Henry Ford's disqualification,

but more than one source has Grav was right when he said revealed Teeters knew the his kids deserved better. Both

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was using an ineligible player ship round after battling back and I didn't say something, I would be fired. And I would ex pect to be fired."

doubt there, too, After all, his team played SC (with Pfeffer) the week before Pfeffer's eligi bility problems were uncov ered. Gray said he believed the NJCAA office discovered the mistake. But according to Mary Ellen Leicht, who han lles volleyball for the NJCAA SC's problem was phoned in to

cy. Had both school adminis credentials should have been cheeked and re-checked.

and coaches are both supposed to make certain their players know they cannot drop below the minimum number of credits necessary to be eligible. A player did, and it cost the Hawks.

easy to pick out: the players. They do all the work, and they don't even get a chance to reap the benefits. Worse, after a superb three-set showdown for the regional title, in which both teams displayed relentless tenacity, all that will be remembered of the '93 regional will be the off-court shenani-

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Hawks had an ineligible playteams did - starting at the

His response? He insists he very top.

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never knew. "If I knew a team

As for Gray, there's some

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III FISHING CLUB MEETINGS The Four Seasons Fishing Club

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Wednesdays of each month at

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School, 420-2233.

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urday, Dec. 4, at Independence Oaks.

Kevin Salla gave the Steelers a

14-0 halftime lead with TD runs

two-point conversion kick after

expired in the first half after

his first score.

the fourth quarter.

of nine and 60 yards. Salla made a

Salla's second TD came as time

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A program for children 8 and old er in which participants will learn about some of the early foods Native Americans hunted and the methods in which they hunted them, begins at 2 p.m. Saturday at Stony Creek.

M GRAPEVINE WREATHS Learn to create a grapevine

wreath in this nature program which begins at 1 p.m. Sunday at Indian Springs.

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which participants will explore the roots of our modern harvest festival by preparing and tasting holiday recipes and making a har vest decoration begins at 1 p.m. Sunday at Stony Creek.

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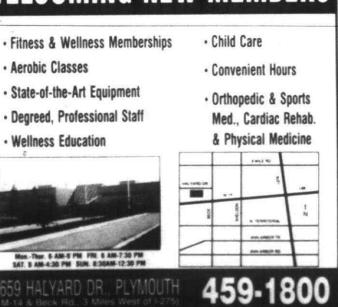


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shed among the top-10 at nine invita

tionals, including the regional and state

(16:02), third at the regional (16:30) and

Other finishes included ninth at Wes

Bloomfield (16:43), seventh at Holli

(16:36), fourth at Shamrock (16:40).

fourth at Haslett (16:34), third at Sturgis

(16:51) and second at Operation Friend

"Joe is a confident runner who thrives

competition," Magni said. "He fo

cuses on the big meets at the end and

Brian Rajdi, sophomore, North Farm

paced his season as he paced his races.

ington: Rajdi took first place in the West

eighth in the regional (16:59).

ake Western Invitational.

Bloomfield (16:38).

ern Lakes meet (16:41) and was 10th a

Class A meet (16:25). He placed

Brian is a very gutty runner and we

should see him continue to improve over

the next couple years," North coach Paul

Dan Boynton, Junior, Redford Union

Boynton was named RU's Most Valuable

Runner after winning seven of eight dua

meets, taking ninth at the Class A region

(17:02) and 25th at the state meet

6:42). He was Mega Conference White

he DeLagalle Invitational, fourth at the RU Invitational and fifth at the Walled

Danny is a 5-foot, 1-inch keg of dyna-

mite." RU coach Tobin Jones said, "He

has the heart of a lion and great intensity

Kurt Garcia, Junior, Redford Union:

in runnerup (16:49), took third at

ship (16:55).

Welch said.

at race time.

second at the Catholic League (16:35

He was ninth at the Class A meet

Brian Raidl

Mark Leo

Redford CC

Matt Demey

Plymouth Canton

at the state meet (16:54).

at the Class A regional (17:04) and 43rd

Casey was a team leader and his con-

sistent performance was a stabilizing fac-

flerbaugh also cames a 4.0 grade point

runner. He had a very positive effect or

leather Yagiela (Mercy), 5:30.60; 5. Kelly

Kosnik (Marian), 5:54.72; 6. Kim Butters (Ma-

N. Farmington

on his team. Joe Leo, the brother

BY STEVE KOWALSKI STAFF WRITER

The 1993 All-Observer boys cross country team features four seniors, three juniors and three sophomores.



runner:

Chiefs to the Western Lakes Activities Association championship. The Chiefs didn't quali-Redford CC fy for the Class A meet as a team but three of his runners qualified on their own

and finished among the top 50 runners. Redford Catholic Central won the Catholic League again and took 10th at the Class A meet. Following is a look at each

FIRST TEAM

lic Central: With this Leo being only a

Joe Leo, sophomore, Redford Catho-

ALL-AREA BOYS' CROSS COUNTRY

1993 ALL AREA

FIRST TEAM	Garcia was the other half of RU's All-Ob- server contingent after taking 15th at the
e Leo Redford CC an Rajdl N. Farmington an Rajdl N. Farmington int Garcia Redford Union ark Leo Redford CC sisey Moothart Ply. Canton with Afferbaugh Farmington att Demey Ply. Canton ff Howle N. Farmington ad Polkinghorne Luth. Westland ike Spitz (Coach) Ply. Canton	Class A meet (16:30) and 10th at the regional (17:02). He was third in the Mega Conference White Division (16:50), fifth at the RU Invitational, and sixth at both the DeLaSalle and Walled Lake Western invitationals. "Kurt has great character, discipline and unmatched work ethic," Jones said. "He's a leader athletically and in the

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or throughout the season," Spitz said. "As the other teammates became faster Mark Leo, senior, Redford Catholic Central: The elder Leo brother recovered and faster. Casey was there for them to om a mid-season leg injury to take 11th del their efforts after Kevin Afflerbaugh, senior, Farmingat the regional (17:04) and 40th at the ton: Afflerbaugh was the Farmington city Class A meet (16:35). A repeat member champion, took 15th at the Class A reof the All-Observer team, Leo started the year strong with a fourth-place showing at gional and 24th at the state meet. He Holly (16:29), fifth at the Shamrock Invitawas 11th at the WLAA meet, seventh at Haslett and 15th at West Bloomfield. Aftional (16:50) and seventh at the West

He also was eighth at the Catholic average League meet (17:29) and fourth at the Operation Friendship (17:21). 'He doesn't like to lose and is extremely motivated," Farmington coach "An injury in the middle of the season Chip Bridges said. "Whatever he does, he slowed Mark but he came back with de wants to do the best. ermination to do well at the end of the Matt Demey, senior, Plymouth Can-ton: Demey took third at the WLAA meet season," Magni said. "Mark has a great ittitude and is able to focus on his oppo-16:52). 19th at the Class A regional

7:16) and 29th at the state meet Casey Moothart, junior, Plymouth 'Matt was a tremendous competitor Canton: Moothart took second place at and always ran well in the big meets, he WLAA meet (16:50), third at the Mon-Spitz said. "He is a very mentally tough roe Jefferson Invitational and fourth at the

(Mercv), 1:11.74; 6. Lyndi Paling (Ladywood) 12.91. 100 breast stroke: 1. Bethany Budde (Mer

200 freestyle relay: 1. Mercy (Hope Harr son, Caroline Kenna, Katy Runyan, Katie Scal-len), 1:45.79; 2. Marian, 1:48.02; 3. Lady-10.97 3 Megan Wegmueller (Merch 49- 4 Andrea Delle-Monache (Ladywood 13.12; 5. Kara Fagnani (Ladywood), 400 freestyle relay: 1. Marian (Sueanne Di

Marco, Sara Brenner, Fiona Brown, Natalie Na jarian), 3:45.4; 2. Mercy, 3:46.2; 3. Ladywood,

Brad Polkinghorne Luth. Westland

. 186, Walled Lake Western Interior linemen: Dave Eckerly, 5-9, 175,

Center: Al Erickson, 5-11, 200, senior,

DeGiorgio, 6-0, 190, senior, Plymouth Can-

1993 ALL-WESTERN LAKES FOOTBALL TEAM

ALL-CONFERENCE OFFENSE

Quarterback: Kevin Szczembara, 6-foot 72-pound senior, Livonia Stevenson Running backs: Aneil Kersey, 5-10, 185, sophomore, Northville: Jason Granger, 5-6. 33 sophomore; Rob Shepley, 6-2, 235 enior. Plymouth Salem.

receivers: Stan Lewis, 6-2, 180, senior, Farmington; Randy Buchan, 5-7, 135, senior, Walled Lake Central. 240, senior, Northville; Derek White, 6-2, 185, senior, Northville; Steve Shaieb, 5-9, Tight end: Mike Bint, 6-3, 210, senior, 185, junior, Farmington Harrison; Mat Schwartz, 6-0, 240, senior, Westland John

Center: Steve Hurst, 6-2, 200, senior

ALL-CONFERENCE DEFENSE

Down lineman: Adam Davis, 6-1, 240, senior, Northville; Jason Fuller, 6-0, 215, senior, Westland John Glenn; John Moglei nicki, 6-2, 190, senior, Plymouth Cantor Ends/outside linebackers: Bryan Besco, 6-1, 195, senior, Westland John Glenh; John Gatti, 6-2, 220, senior, North-

10, 195 senior, Westland John Glenn; Rya McGlinch, 5-10, 195, senior, North Farm-Backs: Kevin Bryant, 6-0, 170, junior,

Farmington Harrison; Nick Burgess, 6-3, 187, senior, Farmington Harrison; Marc or, Plymouth Canton.

ALL-WESTERN OFFENSE

Quarterback: Joe Pecsi, 6-2, 175, sen Farmington Hamson. Running backs: Jesse Shakarian, 5-11, 98, senior, Livonia Franklin; Nick Williams, 6-3, 230, junior, Farmington Harrison; Ale Gillert, 6-2, 205, senior, Walled Lake West

Wide receivers: Dennis Madden, 5-7, 165, senior, Livonia Franklin; Chris Kelbert, Tight end: Tim Moritz, 6-2, 195, senior,

enior, Northville; Matt Zimmerer, 6-2, 180 senior, Farmington Harrison; Matt Misiak, 5-11, 175, junior, Livonia Churchill; Greg Garbacik, 6-3, 253, senior, Walled Lake

ALL-WESTERN DEFENSE

60. junior, Farmington Hamson: Nick Bowersox, 6-5, 260, senior, Northville thad Apap. 5-7, 165, senior, Walled Lake

Ends/outside linebackers: Brock Gove senior, Farmington Hamson Holman, 6-3, 190, senior, Northville 175, senior, Farmington Harrison; Tony

FOOTBALL

on; Scott Palmer, 5-8, 188, senior, Walled Backs: Brandon Cotter, 6-0, 180, senior, armington Harrison; Scott Valimont, 6-1 75 senior Plymouth Canton: Brian Jack

allst: John Gibson, 5-8, 172, sen-

or, Walled Lake Western

on, 5-10, 175, senior, Northville

Quarterback: Brian Morrison, 5-8, 150, senior, Westland John Glenn. Running backs: Tariq Horne, 5-11, 180, junior, Westland John Glenn; Roger Wilson, 5-9, 185, senior, Walled Lake Central; Jeff Kong, 5-11, 190, junior, North Farmington.

Westland John Glenn. Interior linemen: Paul Tebben, 5-10, 180, junior, Plymouth Salem; Scott Besuden, 6-0, 210, segior, Walled Lake Central; Curt Katsis, 5-8, 185, junior, Farmington;

Miodowski, 6-5, 250, senior, land John Glenn. v Center: Tony Tabone, 5-11, 200, senior

North Farmington.

Inside linebackers: Jay Perko, 5-11,
185, senior, Plymouth Salem; Brandon
Smith, 6-3, 230, senior, Walled Lake Cen-

Backs: Erick Camfield, 5-8, 160, senior Walled Lake Central; Jake Henry, 5-8, 140, senior, Westland John Glenn; Scott Gold

Washington, Tom North; Nor den, Greg Maple, Jeremy Selover; Nort Farmington: Richard Beal, Joe Danielwicz. Russell Hayes, Ben Sommers, Dave Zietz. Larry Weisler, Mitch Bender; Livenia Churchill: Gary Dlugosz, Tony Guziel, Eric Kelly, Paul Martus, Ricky McGarry, George Shanikian; Farmington: Dan Bojcik, Robert Lhamon, Bryan Pasini, Mike Tokar, Jake

THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP FOOTBALL PLAYOFFS Class A Semifinais Farn. Harrison vs. Fraser High at EMU's Rynearson Stadium, 11:30 a.m. Westland Glenn vs. Flint Centra

at Lansing Everett, 1:30 p.m. MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL Thursday, Nov. 18 Madonna at Mich. Christian, 7:30 p.m.

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Madonna vs. Univ. of Windsor, 7:30 p.m.
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Univ. of Windsor Tourney, 5:30 & 7:30 p.m. WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Friday, Nov. 19 (St. John Fisher, N.Y. Tourney) Madonna vs. Fredonia St. (N.Y), 6 p.m. St. Elizabeth (N.J.) vs. St. John, 8 p.m.

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Sunday at Oakland Univ TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Farmington Hills Me v. 408: 2. Birmingham Marian, 352; 3. Livonia Ladywood, 234; 4. Harper Woods Regina, 124; Madison Heights Bishop Foley, FINAL RESULTS

200-yard medley relay: 1. Birmingham Ma-an (Sueanne DiMarco, Sara Brenner, Natalie Najanan, Patty Boudreau), 1:54.4; 2. Farming ton Hills Mercy, 1:56.2; 3. Ladywood, 2:00.47. 200 freestyle: 1. Andrea Hoeflen (Mercy), 2:01.2; 2. Kristle Cordts (Mercy), 2:03.7; 3. Heather Yagiela (Mercy), 2:04.8; 5. Lindsey Grondin (Ladywood), 2:12:1; 6. Kelly Kosnik (Marian), 2:14:1. 200 individual medley: 1. Michele Welch

ercy), 2:15.39; 2. Sara Brenner (Marian)

2:18.21; 3. Sueanne DiMarco (Marian). 2:19.89; 4. Bethany Budde (Mercy), 2:18.7; 5. Katie Scallen (Mercy), 2:21.5; 6. Andrea Delle Monache (Ladywood), 2:21.6. 50 freestyle: 1. Natalie Najarian (Marian), 25.45; 2. Patty Boudreau (Marian), 25.60; 3. Fiona Brown (Marian), 26.26; 4. Caroline Kenna (Mercy), 26.9; 5. Erin Worden (Ladywood), 27.07; 6. Katy Runyan (Mercy), 27.20.

1-meter Diving: 1. Courtney Ross (Marian),

Betsy McCormick (Mercy), 274.95; 6. Caitlen Shea (Ladywood), 235.5. 100 butterfly: 1. Natalle Najarian (Marian). :00.57; 2. Michele Welch (Mercy), 1:03:60; 3. Kara Fagnani (Ladywood), 1:04.77; 4. Megan

345.80; 4. Nickole Bazger (Marian), 288.50; 5



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100 freestyle: 1. Andrea Hoeflein (Mercy). 66.39; 2. Fiona Brown (Marian), 57.30; 3. Patty

Holly Invitational (16:48). He placed 12th

reau (Marian), 58.39; 4. Katy Runyan (Mercy), 59.16; 5. Dana Dziekan (Mercy), 1.00.06; 6. Lindsey Grondin (Ladywood),

wood, 1:52.09. 100 backstroke: 1. Sueanne DiMarco (Manan), 1:03.43; 2. Colleen Doyle (Marian), 1:07.09; 3. Caroline Kenna (Mercy), 1:07.26; 500 freestyle: 1. Kristie Cordts (Mercy). 5.25.7; 2. Katie Scallen (Mercy), 5:29.4; 3. 4. White (Mercy), 1:09.31; 5. Jessica Bo

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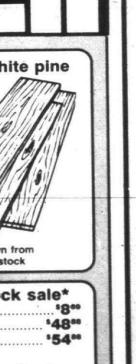
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Down linemen: Jeremy Eaton, 6-1,-195 junior, Plymouth Salem; Jim Tenant, 6-0, 215, senior, Westland John Glenn; Mike Poissant, 6-0, 220, senior, North Farming-

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Farmington Harrison: Tim Bares, Chad umiskey. Dave Hensel, Ed Kennedy, Westland John Glenn: Jason Batchelder Cataldo, Scott Hartsough, Mike Hirvela ohn Wilds: Livonia Stevenson: Chris Mullett, Tony Jankowski, Craig Martin, Erk Hine, Joe Bracali; Plymouth Canton: Erk Amold, Len Gardner, Sam Stafford, Mike Marsh, Chris Mazur; Plymouth Salem: And Coburn, Scott Evans, Brad Lear, Brian Neal, Marcus Zevalkink; Walled Lake Western: Lance Lugo, Jason Summerfield, Eddie Wood; Walled Lake Central: Brad Carmean, Randy Cummings, John Eicholz, Aar-on Frazier, Chris Kourtakis, Ken Schiller, lason Stoddard, Scott Theriault, Mitch Wa John Vazquez: Livonia Franklin: Ro

entral (Ohio) vs. Brach (Ont.), 5:30 p.m.

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CLASS REUNIONS

M ANN ARBOR

and a telephone number.

The class of 1948 will have a reunion June 18, 1994, at Weber's Inn Ann Arbor Information: 824

B ANN ARBOR PIONEER The class of 1983 will have a re-

union Saturday, Nov. 27, at Weber's Inn in Ann Arbor. Infor-

mation: (800) 677-7800.

The classes of June and January 1959 will have a summer 1994 reunion. Information: 543-8918.

III BIRMINGHAM BROTHER RICE The class of 1978 will have a reunion Friday, Nov. 26. Informa-

tion: 647-2526, 476-8011 or 547-BIRMINGHAM GROVES

The class of 1983 will have a re union Friday, Nov. 26, at the Plaza Hotel in Southfield. Informa-

tion: 751-0211 or 751-6499. BIRMINGHAM SEAHOLM

The class of 1973 will have a reunion Friday, Nov. 26, at the Northfield Hilton Inn in Troy. In

tion: 751-0211 or 751-6499. BISHOP BORGESS The class of 1983 will have a reurfon Saturday, Nov. 27, at the

7441 or 730-0567.

formation: 824-8550.

BISHOP FOLEY The class of 1973 will have a reunion March 12, 1994. Informa-

Hawthorne Valley Country Club

Westland. Information: 442-

tion: 751-0211 or 751-6499. BLOOMFIELD HILLS ANDOVER The class of 1983 will have a reunion Saturday, Nov. 27, at the

Northfield Hilton Inn in Troy. In

formation: 824-8550. The class of 1973 will have a reunion Friday, Nov. 26, at the Birmingham Country Club in Beverly Hills. Information: (800) 677-

BLOOMFIELD HILLS LAHSER The class of 1983 will have a reunion Friday, Nov. 26, at the Marriott Hotel in Southfield. In-

formation: 380-6100. The class of 1973 will have a re union Friday, Nov. 26, at the Birmingham Country Club in Beverly Hills. Information: (800) 677-

E DEARBORN

The class of 1973 is planning a reunion. Information: 562-2221.

M DEARBORN DIVINE CHILD The class of 1983 will have a re mion Saturday, Nov. 27, at the

in Westland. Information: 647-

735 or 454-1118. E DEARBORN FORDSON The class of 1983 will have a re-

mation: 562-7524 or 453-3318. **DETROIT CENTRAL**

The January-June classes of 1953 will have a reunion Saturday, Nov. 27: Information: Larry Sklar, 30800 Northwestern Highway, Farmington Hills 48334.

The January-June classes of 1944 are planning a reunion. Information: 661-6934 or 788-9777 (January graduates) and 683-2783

B DETROIT DENBY

The January and June classes of 1963 will have a reunion Saturday, Nov. 27, at Club Lee XIII in Eastpointe. Information: 293-0197, 468-1961, 824-3463, 772 9460 or 886-6595.

The class of 1974 will have a renion Sept. 24, 1994. Information: 751-0211 or 751-6499.

DETROIT FINNEY The class of 1973 will have a re

union Saturday, Nov. 27, at the Sterling Inn in Sterling Heights. Information: 886-0770

M DETROIT HARDING JUNIOR HIGH

The class of 1974 will have a reunion in the spring of 1994. Information: 525-1118 or 525-4742.

DETROIT JEFFERSON

INTERMEDIATE

The classes of 1930s and 1940s 380-6100. are planning a reunion. Informa-

DETROIT MUMFORD

The class of 1963 will have a re union Saturday, Nov. 27. Information: 626-2636 or 681-0780.

DETROIT MURPHY Junior High

The class of 1971 will have a reunion with the Redford High class of 1974 March 5, 1994. Infor mation: 751-0211 or 751-6499.

DETROIT NORTHERN

The classes of 1943-44-45 will have a reunion April 30, 1994. Information: 751-0211 or 751-6499.

The classes of 1941-1943 (and previous) will have a reunion June 5, 1994. Information: 682-0782 or 375-9529.

DETROIT NORTHEASTERN

The class of 1943 is planning a re union with the classes of 1941-42 and 1944-45. Information: 548 8152 after 8 p.m.

DETROIT OSBORN The class of 1973 will have a re-

union Friday, Nov. 26, at the Somérset Inn on Big Beaver in Troy. Information: 886-0770.

tion: 824-8550.

union Aug. 5, 1994. Information:

751-0211 or 751-6499. The class of 1974 will have a reunion with Murphy Junior High School class of 1971 March 5, union Saturday, Nov. 27, at the 1994. Information: 751-0211 or Park Cove in Allen Park. Infor-751-6499

B.DETROIT SHERRARD

MIDDLE SCHOOL A reunion is being planned for the classes of the 1950s. Information: 751-0211 or 751-6499.

DETROIT WILBUR WRIGHT A reunion is being planned for the classes of the 1930s, 1940s and 1950s on May 20, 1994. Informa-

tion: 751-0211 or 751-6499. The class of 1963 will have a reunion Saturday, Nov. 27, at the Hillcrest Banquet and Conference

Center. Cost: \$35 per person. Information: 882-8503.

EAST DETROIT The class of 1983 will have a remion Saturday, Nov. 27, at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall in

Roseville. Information: 824-8550. E FARMINGTON HILLS

HARRISON The class of 1973 will have a reunion Saturday, Nov. 27, at the Livonia Marriott. Information: 887-1458 or fax 541-0601.

The class of 1973 will have a reunion Saturday, Nov. 27, at the Kingsley Inn on Woodward Ave. n Bloomfield Hills. Information:

The class of 1983 will have a reunion March 12, 1994, at the Marriott Hotel, in Southfield. In-

FERNDALE LINCOLN

1944 will have a reunion May 21. 1994. Information: Reunion Committee, 565 W. Breckenridge, Fewrndal 48220, or call 543-3256 or 541-0289.

GARDEN CITY The class of 1983 will have a reunion Friday, Nov. 26, at the Hawthorne Valley Country Club in Westland, Information: 380-

The class of 1973 will have a reunion July 30, 1994, at the Metropolitan Musicafe at 12 Mile and Drake in Farmington Hills. Infor-

union April 23, 1994. Information:

GARDEN CITY EAST

The class of 1978 will have a reunion Friday, Nov. 26, at the Royce Hotel in Romulus. Information: 824-8550.

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DETROIT PERSHING school. Information: 751-0211 or The class of 1943 will have a re-751-6499. union Oct. 2, 1994, at the Sterling Inn, Sterling Heights. Informa-

DETROIT REDFORD

GROSSE POINTE SOUTH The class of 1983 will have a re-

mation: 824-8550.

M HAMTRAMCK

Ukrainian Cultural Center in Warren. Information: 363-8709 or 656-3345.

to 8 p.m. weekdays.

HENRY FORD

union. Information: 542-5585.

M JOHN GLENN

formation: 380-6100.

48185. Information: 326-5447. The January and June classes of

union. Information: 427-9275.

formation: 751-0211 or 751-6499

mation: 380-6100. The class of 1984 will have a re-

A reunion is being planned by the

GIBRALTAR CARLSON The class of 1984 will have a reunion July 16, 1994, at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Li

coln Park. Information: 824-8550. | formation: 363-0552.

E GRAND BLANC The class of 1974 will have a reunion Aug. 13, 1994, at the Holi day Inn Gateway Centre in Flint. nformation: 380-6100.

inion Friday, Nov. 26, at the Detroit Yacht Club in Detroit. Infor-

The classes of 1943-45 will have a reunion Sept. 11, 1994, at the

The classes of 1965-70 are planning a reunion. Send name, address, telephone number and graduation year to Daniel Melvin, P.O. Box 1447, Detroit 48231. Information: 963-2407 from 9 a.m.

The class of 1968 will have a reunion Saturday, Nov. 27, at the Novi Hilton Inn in Novi. Information: 661-9317.

III HIGHLAND PARK

The class of 1968 is planning a re-The class of 1973 is planning a reunion. Information: 865-2253.

The class of 1973 will have a renion Friday, Nov. 26. Information: 565-6937 or 728-7425. The class of 1974 will have a re union May 21, 1994, at the Holiday Crown Plaza in Romulus Price is \$32 per person before

Dec. 1, \$37 after Dec. 1. Send check, payable to John Glenn Class of '74, to Debi (Barron) Cummings, 35655 Rolf, Westland

ELADYWOOD The class of 1978 is planning a re-

LAKE ORION

The class of 1983 will have a reunion Saturday, Nov. 27. Information: L.O. Reunion, 5890 Rowely, Waterford 48329, or 674-

ILINCOLN PARK The January class of 1964 will have a reunion July 22, 1994. In-

B LIVONIA BENTLEY The class of 1964 will have a re-

union July 30, 1994. Information: 416-5993 or 397-1374.

III LIVONIA FRANKLIN The class of 1973 will have a reunion Friday, Nov. 26, at the Novi

Hilton Inn in Novi. Information: 824-8550 The class of 1974 will have a reunion Nov. 26, 1994, at the Shera ton Oaks Hotel in Novi. Informa-

bassy Suites Hotel in Livonia. In-

III LIVONIA STEVENSON The class of 1968 will have a reunion March 5, 1994, at the Em-

tion: 824-8550.

MELVINDALE The class of 1964 will have a reunion in September 1994. Information: 474-1713 or Reunion Committee, 16963 Cicotte Ave.,

ST. REGIS

The class of 1969 is planning a re-

union for August 1994. Informa-

The class of 1983 will have a re-

union Saturday, Nov. 27, at the

Somerset Inn on, Troy. Informa-

The class of 1973 will have a re-

nion Saturday, Nov. 27, at the

Sheraton Oaks in Novi. Informa-

mion Sunday, Nov. 28, at the

Fairlaine Grand Manor in Dear-

union Saturday, Nov. 27, at the

The class of 1983 will have a re-

Sheraton Oaks Novi. Information:

261-4047, 937-9079, 538-5872 or

The class of 1968 will have a re-

union Friday, Nov. 26, at the Ema

bassy Suites Hotel in Livonia. In

formation: 474-1190 or (800) 522

The class of 1978 will have a re

union Friday, Nov. 26, Zuccaro's

Country House, Mount Clemens.

The class of 1984 will have a re-

The class of 1974 will have a re-

union June 24, 1994. Information:

The class of 1973 will have a re-

union Saturday, Nov. 27, at the

Sterling Inn in Sterling Heights.

The class of 1973 is planning a re

union. Information: 674-3827 or-

WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY

Law School class of 1963 will

have a reunion Jan. 29, 1994, at =

the Detroit Club. Information:

The class of 1973 will have a re

union Saturday, Nov. 27, at San

tia Hall in Keego Harbor. Infor-

mation: 682-1676 or 360-1040.

WEST BLOOMFIELD

MATERFORD KETTERING

union April 30, 1994. Information:

Information: (800) 677-7800.

WARREN FITZGERALD

751-0211 or 751-6499.

M WARREN LINCOLN

751-0211 or 751-6499.

Information: 824-8550.

WARREN MOTT

673-9749.

union Friday, Nov. 26, at the

III UNIVERSITY OF DETROIT

JESUIT HIGH SCHOOL

M WARREN COUSINO

mation: (800) 677-7800.

Club Monte Carlo in Utica. Infor

born. Information: (800) 677-

The class of 1982 will have a re-

tion: 751-0211 or 751-6499.

SOUTHFIELD-LATHRUP

tion: (800) 677-7800.

tion: (800) 677-7800.

Allen Park 48101.

A 50th anniversary will be in September 1994. Information: 476-

The class of 1973 will have a reunion Saturday, Nov. 27, at the Embassy Suites Hotel in Livonia. Information: 476-3270.

MILFORD LAKELAND The class of 1983 will have a re-

union Friday, Nov. 26, at Mitch's STERLING HEIGHTS II in Waterford. Information: 824-The class of 1973 will have a reunion Friday, Nov. 26, at Ernie King's Mill in Clinton Township. M NORTH FARMINGTON Information: 228-8850. The class of 1984 will have a re-The class of 1983 will have a re-

union Thursday, Nov. 25, at the

Metropolitan Musicafe at 12 Mile and Drake in Farmington Hills. Information: 380-6100. The class of 1974 will have a reunion July 2, 1994. Information:

261-4789 or 661-0797. E PLYMOUTH

The class of 1969 will have a reunion July 15-17, 1994, at the Novi Hilton Inn in Novi. Information: 455-4268 or 455-8435.

B ROCHESTER ADAMS

The class of 1974 will have a reunion July 16-17, 1994, at the Great Oaks Country Club and the Rochester Municipal Park, Rochester. Information: 650-9057 or

union July 30, 1994, at Zuccaro's in Mount Clemens. Information:

The class of 1974 will have a re-

ROSEVILLE

ROYAL OAK DONDERO The class of 1983 will have a reunion Friday, Nov. 26. Informa-

tion: 544-3081 or 549-4643. ROYAL OAK KIMBALL

The class of 1963 is planning a reunion. Information: CBC, Box 287. Ortonville 48462. M ST. ALPHONSUS

The class of 1982 is planning a re-

union. Information: P.O. Box 145,

Dearborn 48121 or 458-9659.

The class of 1973 is planning a reunion for Saturday, Nov. 27, at

formation: 581-3795 or 458-9673. E ST. ANTHONY The class of 1964 will have a reunion in October 1994. Informa-

the Holiday Inn Chambertain. In-

tion: 739-5927 or 839-3486.

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES The class of 1943 is planning a reunion. Information: 474-0432.

The class of 1968 will have a re-

1421 or 348-7947.

union Saturday, Nov. 27, at the

Monaghan Knights of Columbus

ST. MARY OF REDFORD

The class of 1984 is planning a reunion. Information: (800) 677 Hall in Livonia. Information: 477-

Computer rentals: John Crotteau's business, now five years old, is meeting a growing need to provide computers for business customers.

They take a byte out of market

BY KEVIN BROWN STAFF WRITER

A growing need for computer rentals by businesses and other organizations is providing opportunity for a Plymouth Township firm.

Detroit PCR (Personal Computer Rentals), from its facility in the Plymouth Oaks business park, is the metro Detroit franchisee for the national PCR company.

Owner John Crotteau started the Detroit franchise five years ago, after taking a buyout from Detroit Diesel, where he worked as chief metallurgist. "I really was not computerliterate; I learned most of it afterwards," Crotteau said.

It was after leaving his job that Crotteau saw an ad for people willing to buy franchises for the national computer rental firm He paid a \$650,000 franchise

pany started. "I used my credit cards: I maxed them all out," he recalled. Since starting in December 1987, Detroit PCR has provided computer rentals for the Bill Clinton campaign in Michigan,

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the years, not as much as we wanted it to grow the last year, but it's still growing," Crotteau Plymouth, he said, is a good

netro Detroit. "When I looked around i had to be in either Wayne or Washtenaw County," he said 'This is centrally located be-

Ann Arbor, this is a good 'Our first office was on Ann Arbor Road and Lilley," Crot teau said. There, computers, printers and accessories were stored upstairs and had to be

tween downtown Detroit and

taken down on an elevator. At Detroit PCR's current lo cation, equipment available for fee and eventually spent rent is kept in a ground-level \$250,000 more to get the comstoreroom behind the company office. "It's a lot easier," Crotteau said.

> Two technicians now work for the firm, to allow Detroit PCR to make repairs of its rented equipment when needed, rather than send out for

> > SHURGARD

CANTON

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Unit No. 472 - Matthew Newcomb. 3 desks. I file cabinet. files Unit No. 517 - Andrew McCord. 6 antique motorcycles. old Corvette misc car parts. Unit No. 272 - Seba Company, computer monitor, 9 office chairs, computer table. Unit No. 5026 - East Texas Rad. Therapy. X-ray table, misc. x-ray accessories. Unit No. 2048 - Revlon. Michelle. Goodman. Revlon samples. displays: lipstick. Unit No. 4012 - Christine Jimmerson, antique hall table, antique chairs, ofiental rug, antique china cabinet.

china cabinet Unit No. 4044 - Keith Galpin, 60 deer skins, 12 deer racks, misc. bunting gear and supplies

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spelling bee.

The first place winner, Angela Boyer, Joey Vaughan, Phil Mar Dunnigan, a fifth grader at Huls- rone, Jacob Draplin, Emily Nicolau, Jeff Thomas, John Vilches, ary and a trophy. Dictionaries Jeff Tegtmeyer, Danielle Grierin, were presented to Cayna Carnes Stacy Crouch, Tim Merenda and of Hoben, who placed second, Bobby Zydeck.

the state championship.

Those top four students will

now compete at the archdiocese

level on Dec. 12 at the Father

O'Kelly Council in Dearborn. The

winners at that level will compete

on Feb. 5 in Owosso, Mich., for

Other students who participat

ed in the spelling bee were Aman-

da Little, Patrick Meyn, Keith

Lukasik, Oliver Wolcott, Andy

Station to air speech

Top students know

how to spell success

Several local students emerged as winners when the Father Vic-Good Counsel, who placed third,

tor J. Renaud Council of the and David Dixon of Bird, who

Knights of Columbus hosted a placed fourth.

The spelling bee was open to

the top fourth-, fifth- and sixth-

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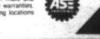
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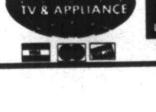








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brightest star in this constellation, hence also called Delta ing, there will be a second meteor About four degrees to the shower and a to northeast of Delta Capricorni is tal eclipse of the the location in which Johann moon will occur. Galle discovered Neptune in Sep-In the evening tember 1846. This planet moves Nov. 18, the moon will be found extremely slow, taking 165 years within the constellation of Caprito complete a single orbit around cornus the goat. The star above the sun. Since 1846 was "only" the moon is named Al Giedi (Ara-147 years ago, Neptune has not bic for the goat). While it is not yet completed a single orbit since one of the brighter stars in the its discovery. Neptune, and coinsky, it is the brightest in Capricidentally Uranus, are currently cornus, so it is distinguished by the first letter of the Greek alphawithin Sagittarius. Mercury will be at its maxibet and is known as Alpha Caprimum elongation (greatest apparcorni. The second brightest star ent distance from the sun) on the in Capricornus, Dabih or Beta

lucky star," probably bode no good luck as far as a sacrificial goat was concerned. Bright Jupiter, between Mercury The moon will be at first quarand Spica, will be very easy to

ter phase at 9:03 p.m. on Nov. 20.

Capricorni, will be to the left of

the moon. Dabih, whose name

means "lucky one of the

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will be the planet Saturn. Below

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morning of the 22nd and will be

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very spectacular show! Full moon will be at 1:31 a.m. on Nov. 29. The moon will be opposite the sun, as seen from the earth, and will be fully lighted. In fact the moon will be exactly opposite the sun, and it will be totally eclipsed as it passes through the earth's shadow. This will be a lunar eclipse, an eclipse (covering) of the moon.

The earth always casts a shadow, and it always points away from the sun into space. When the moon is opposite the sun, as the moon is during its full phase, t usually passes above or below our shadow and remains lighted. But should things line up precisey, the moon will pass through the shadow and the light of the sun, streaming past the earth, will be Many eclipses are partial; the

alignment is close, but not exact. No disappearing act The moon will pass through a part of the shadow and only a portion of the moon will darken. This as the sun does during a total somoon will be totally covered and hould darken considerably.

The eclipse will officially begin t 10:27 p.m. when the moon will enter the penumbra (pen UM bra), the faint outer shadow of the earth. Because this part of the shadow is very faint, no change in the moon will be noticed to the casual observer. At 11:40 p.m. the moon will be-

gin to enter the umbra, the darker part of the shadow. As the moon continues to move into the shadow, it will darken from left to

Totality will begin at 1:02 a.m. The moon will be totally within our shadow for the next 48 minutes. The darkest "phase" of the eclipse will be at 1:26 a.m. The top part of the moon will be nearand should appear slightly darker gins to carry it out of our shadow. \$7.50.

During totality, the moon probably will not disappear from view,

month, however, the alignment lar eclipse. Enough sunlight happens to be quite precise. This streaming past the earth will be will produce a total eclipse; the refracted (bent) by our atmosphere and will illuminate the moon, but with an eerie red glow. (Sunrises and sunsets are red because our atmosphere refracts the sunlight. This same effect colors the moon red.) It is not possible to predict how 'dark." or how red, the moon will

be. Each lunar eclipse appears differently. The more dust and pollutants we have in our atmosphere, the redder the moon. In December 1963, volcanic eruptions on the earth caused more light than usual to be blocked by our atmosphere, and the moon disappeared from view during totality. The 1991 eruption of Mt. Pinatubo in the Philippines could cause a portion of the moon to appear dark red or even brown.

Total phase will end at 1:50 est the central part of the shadow a.m. as the orbit of the moon be-

eclipsed again, getting light from left to right.

The moon will still be eclipsed by the fainter penumbra until 4:25 a.m., but for all intents and purposes the show will be over at

An eclipse of the moon is total-

v safe to observe. Best views of the eclipse will be through binoculars or with a telescope at low power, although there will be olenty to enjoy if you just go out and watch with the naked eye. And enjoy it you should; the next unar eclipse, in May 1994, will be a partial one. The best viewing of the next total eclipse of the moon, in April 1996, will be limited to the eastern part of the country. (The moon will rise invisibly, al ready totally eclipsed, as seen rom Michigan.)

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camura, the leader of Livonia ton scouts were operation lead-Boy Scout Pack 880. ers last year, helping to collect 150 tons of food in one day. In Livonia, 827 boys and 363 adults (42 packs and troops) participated. In Plymouth Canton, 219 boys and 94 adults (23 packs and troops) took

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Here's how Observer & Eccentric-area members of Congress were recorded on major roll call votes in the week ending Oct. 22

HOUSE

To Kill Super Collider: The House voted 282 for and 143 against to terminate the Superconducting Super Collider project in Waxahachie, Texas. The death sentence was included in the Department of Energy's fiscal 1994 budget (HR 2445). The Senate later went along and the massive research project has been declared ended by supporters as well as foes in Congress. The SSC would have conducted high-speed proton collisions in an underground loop, yielding information on the origin of matter. About \$2 million toward a projected \$11 billion cost to taxpayers has been spent. The bill contains \$640 million to begin the shutdown

A yes vote was to kill the supercollider. Area representatives voting yes were: Bot Carr, D-Pontiac, Dale Kildee, D-Flint, Joseph Knollenberg, R-Birmingham, Sander Levin, D-Southfield, and William Ford, D-Ypsilanti.

Jobless Benefits: By a vote of 302 for and 95 against, the House passed a bill (HR 3167) providing an additional four months, unti-Feb. 5, 1994, in which the longterm jobless can qualify for additional unemployment checks after exhausting their basic 26-week allotment. Some of the estimated \$1.1 billion cost will be offset by limiting Supplemental Security Income welfare payments to recent legal immigrants. But most of the tab is to be paid over five years by a plan to return the jobless to work earlier, through better state retraining mandated by the bill.

The legislation is expected to give 750,000 workers in all states seven or 13 weeks of additional checks. The emergency program of extended benefits was enacted two years ago as a temporary measure in response to the recession. Its cost has been about \$25 billion.

A yes vote was to pass the bill. Area representatives voting yes were: Bob Carr, Dale Kildee, Sander Levin, William Ford. Voting no: Joseph Knollenberg.

Benefits Issue: By a vote of 128 for and 277 against, the House rejected an amendment to limit the latest round of extended jobless benefits (HR 3167, above) to states with at least five percent unemployment. The amendment would have excluded from the program 10 states with relatively low unemployment — Delaware, Hawaii, Indiana, Iowa, Nebraska, North Carolina, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah and Wisconsin.

A yes vote supported the amendment. Area representatives voting yes were: Knollenberg. Voting no: Carr, Kildee, Levin and Ford.

Selective Service: The House voted 236 for and 194 against to preserve the Selective Service, which registers 18-year-olds for any restoration of the military draft. This reversed a House vote four months earlier to kill the agency, and put the House in agreement with the Senate that the Selective Service should be kept alive. The vote approved a \$25 million service budget as part of a multiagency fiscal 1994 appropriations bill (HR 2491).

A yes vote was to preserve the Selective Service. Area representatives voting no were: Carr, Kildee, Knollenberg, Levin and Ford.

SENATE

Command Issue: By a vote of 33 for and 65 against, the Senate rejected an amendment to prevent foreign commands other than NATO from sending American troops into combat. The amendment was aimed mainly at United Nations commands such as those for Somalia, Bosnia and Haiti. It was offered to a fiscal 1994 defense appropriations bill (HR 3116) later sent to conference with the House.

Sponsor Don Nickles, R-Okla., objected to committing U.S. combat troops "to an international standing army that is without a mission, that is looking for a fire to put out, looking for a problem to solve."

opponent Sam Nunn, D-Ga., said Congress should caution President Clinton about U.S. combat in hotspots like Haiti and Bosnia but stop short permanently changing "the balance of power between the Congress... and the president of the United States."

A yes vote was to prohibit United Nations commanders from sending American troops into combat. Michigan Sens. Carl Levin, D, and Donald Riegle, D, voted no.

Civilian Marksmanship: By a tally of 67 for and 30 against, the Senate voted to continue the Civilian Marksmanship Program that will spend \$2.5 million in fiscal 1994 to help the National Rifle Association and private gun clubs teach shooting skills to young people. The Pentagon provides guns and ammunition to clubs participating in the 90-year-old government program. The vote occurred during debate on the 1994 defense appropriations bill (HR 3116).

A yes vote was to continue the Civilian Marksmanship Program.

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It's a tale of two "Carols" this holiday season at Oakland University as Meadow Brook Theatre presents "A Christmas Carol" for the 12th consecutive year while the Department of Music, Theatre and Dance presents "Inspecting Carol," a satire about a theater mounting its umpteenth production of Dickens' classic.

'A Christmas Carol," will run Nov. 26 through Dec. 30. Ticket information is available through the Meadow Brook box office at 377-3000 or Ticketmaster, 645-6666.

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'Lettice and Lovage' smashing success.

■ Lettice Douffet is a tour guide at the dullest house in England. To liven things up, she embellishes history, just a bit, with hilarious results.

BY VICTORIA DIAZ SPECIAL WRITER



If you're seeking entertainment that will leave you smiling, don't miss The Village Players'

production of Peter Shaffer's "Lettice and Lovage." In the contemporary comedy, Let-

tice Douffet is a middle-aged English tour guide with a tendency to embellish history a bit when she feels it needs embellishing. If the real story is dull, she reasons, why not enliven it with a jot and a tittle of fantasy now and then? It keeps her motley little tour groups from nodding off as they trudge through musty old Fustian House ("the dullest house in England") and, for the frustrated actress, it's certainly a lot more fun in the telling.

Trouble is, the jot and the tittle soon grow into embroidered fantasies of rather monstrously filigreed proportions. And almost before she knows it, Miss Douffet is called on the carpet at the no-nonsense offices of the Preservation Trust in Lon-

There, she comes up against one Charlotte Schoen. Schoen, whose very soul is surely sensibly shod, is commander-in-chief of tour guides like Miss Douffet and a dedicated guardian of historical truth. Despite hilarious histrionic pleadings, Lettice is given the ax by the all-powerful Schoen, and that would seem to be that.

But Lettice's troubles have just begun. And, for the audience, so has the fun, in this smartly paced play directed by Stephen Tadevic. As the lovable, loquacious Lettice, Sandy Martin is a smashing delight. Her way with Peter Shaffer's words, her body language, and her comedic timing are all a treat to watch and listen to. But what cinches her suc-



STEPHEN CANTRELL/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

REVIEW

*As the lovable, loquacious Lettice, Sandy Martin is a smashing delight.'

secretary is a riot, and Warren Beinecker as Lettice's long-suffering legal defender is also a stand-out. Playing an imaginary drum at an imaginary execution toward the end of the play, he's a small show in

Though sound effects could use some patching up, lights, costumes, make-up, and sets indicate that

ON STAGE

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members of the Birmingham-based group have paid careful attention to

Victoria Diaz is a Livonia-based freelancer, who specializes in arts and entertainment articles in the

Talented cast captures spirit of 'Private Lives'

BY BOB WEIBEL SPECIAL WRITER

The Theatre Guild has returned once again to the venerable work of Noel Coward. This time it's "Private Lives," a witty, sardonic left jab at domestic tranquility.

Director, Rebbeca Smith's talented cast captures the spirit and style of he sonhisticated comedy made popu-

lar by Coward in the 1930s.

cess with this role is a kind of

charged and sparkling energy. Her

Lettice is like a star burning in a

dank cellar in today's Dark Ages.

The more desperate the situation

becomes, the funnier Martin gets

In a challenging role as the prim and proper Miss Schoen (who ad-

mittedly cares more for buildings

than for their inhabitants), Joan

Reddy manages to bring warmth to

what appears at first to be a rather

unlikable character. She's a fine

flat-footed foil, often at her best

when totally exasperated by Let-

tice's flights of fancy, or when im-

bibing a bit of Lettice's homemade,

In minor roles, Donna Snyder as

Miss Schoen's fluttery, flustered

heartwarming quaff.

and the brighter she seems to burn.

The characters in "Private Lives" are educated, intelligent, world travelers. They are elegant and gracious. Except, of course, when Coward cleverly exposes their imperfections.

Then, it's a jolly good free-for-all as

they go at each other with barbs and sarcastic putdowns - culminating in juicy quarrels and rousing fisticuffs.

Charles Van Hoose is engrossing as Elyot, who is honeymooning in France with his new bride. One moment caustic, the next debonair and charming. He has a knack for delivering Coward's cynical lines with inst the right edge

For example, "Certain women should be struck regularly, like a gong." Anyone who can make that line work in the 1990s obviously has created a great character.

The new bride, Sibyl, is played by Maggie Patton. She is captivating as a manipulative, giggly, lovestruck

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Symphony, chorale present concert

The St. Hugo Festival Chorale, under the direction of choral director Kim Bishop and symphony conductor Valery Leonov, will be featured in the Southfield Symphony Orchestra's first concert of the season Sunday, Nov. 21, at St. Hugo of the Hills Church in Bloomfield Hills.

The 60-member choir will perform Schubert's "Mass No. 4 in C, Opus 48," which was composed by Schubert in 1816 and is distinctive as a Viennese "church trio" without the violas as well for demanding soprano solo. While the piece originally was composed in a simple and restrained style, Schubert later added parts for trumpets, drums

Bishop has been director of the choir for two years and has a master in music education and choral conducting degree from the University of Michigan. He is a graduate of Interlochen Arts Acade-

Now in its sixth year, the Chorale was founded by Michael Gehab. Two years ago, Gehab left for a position in New York State, and Bishop assumed the post. The chorale performs two or three large concerts each year and at Masses each Sunday

"We are very pleased to be hosting the Southfield Symphony again this year," said Cynthia E. Dailey, St. Hugo music director for the past nine years. "The acoustics of the new church, which is 41/2 years old, seats 1,000 and is on 30 acres, makes a beautiful setting."



Conductor: Valery Leonov will conduct the opening concert of the Southfield Symphony Orchestra on Nov. 21.

PREVIEW

St. Hugo's offers a prestigious four-manual, 58-rank Zimmer pipe organ, a 28-rank Casavant Freres and a Bechstein piano, which accompanies the choir. Dailey and the Zimmer organ were featured in last season's March concert with the symphony orchestra.

"We are fortunate to have the kind of chemistry where friendships work among the people from the Southfield Symphony, the chorale and St. Hugo's," Dailey said. "We are looking forward to this and future joint endeavors.

The program also will feature the symphony orchestra performing Tschaikowsky's "Symphony

IN CONCERT

- Southfield Symphony Orchestra with
- the St. Hugo Festival Chorale. Concert time: 7 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 21
- at St. Hugo of the Hills Church, 2215 Opdyke, Bloomfield Hills.
- Tickets: Season tickets, \$30 adults: \$20 seniors and students 18 and under Pre-concert tickets, \$9 adults; \$6 seniors and students. Call 354-4717

No. 6 in B Minor, 'Pathetique,' and Mozart's Overture from "The Magic Flute.'

Symphonie Pathetique," Tschaikovsky's sixth and last symphony, is considered a masterpiece and his swan song. The introductory dark theme climbs slowly into a romantic melody, beginning explosively and continuing into loud and soft contrasts. The intermezzo movement features an unusual 5/4 time and is followed by a marchlike third movement, closing with a grief-laden finale that has be-

come Tschaikovsky's epitaph. "The Magic Flute" is the result of Mozart's lifelong dream to create a "German" opera; at the suggestion of a well-known theatrical manager and producer, Emanuel Schikaneder, to create a work on a spectacular and supernatural subject. Mozart's "The Magic Flute" is based on German poet Wieland's fairytale, "Lulu, or the Magic Flute." Mozart died nine weeks after its first performance in late 1791:

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Talented cast

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wife. Patton is especially good in scenes where she needs reassurance that Elyot loves her more than his first wife.

Now the plot thickens. Because in the next hotel suite, is Elyot's first wife, Amanda, and her new husband, Victor, also on their

Of course, Elyot and Amanda meet. In fact, they elope to Paris. With Sibyl and Victor in hot pursuit. What happens next gives conflict resolution new meaning. Suffice it to say that the couples work out their problems - at least for the moment.

Jacqueline Turri Bacus gives a lively and spicy performance as Amanda. One moment coquettish, the next insanely jealous of Elyot: the two go from bliss to

blows with great skill. Caught in the middle is poor Victor, played capably by Erich Jungwirth. Perplexed and angry, performer.

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he summons up the strength to

battle for principle to the very

Patricia Parsons is very good as

Louise the maid, who cleans up

after the battle royale. No need to

pardon her French. It was very

Bob Weibel of Westland is a

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Southfield Symphony Orchestra Conductor Valery Izonov is the United States on an extended visa. He studied at the Leningrad State Rimsky-Korsakov (St. Petersburg) Conservatory of Music and twice has won . an Soviet Socialist Republic and the conservatory 's conducting has served as a guest conductor

ternational Opera Competition in Novosibrisk; and the All-Union Conductor Competition

Radio and Television Symphony He holds the prestigious title Orchestra, in Minsk, Belarus. Concertmaster Velda Kelly of People's Artist of the Ukrainiperforms with the Michigan Opera Theater Orchestra, the Lyric

has appeared as soloist with the Detroit Symphony Civic Orches-Leonov is chief conductor and tra and Detroit Symphony Or chestra. She has a bachelor of music degree from the University of Cincinnati-College Conservatory of Music and a master of music degree from Boston Chamber Ensemble and also

Season schedule features outstanding artists

The 1993-94 season ticket Donald Schleicher, of the Univerpackage also includes three other sity of Michigan;

only student; and Detroit Sym- tro Leonov; and phony Orchestra principal violin- May 45, featuring Ruth Weltst Alexander Mishanevsky, un- ing, Metropolitan Opera coloratu- the Women's Chorus of the Japan der the baton of guest conductor ra soprano, under the direction of Society of Detroit and the Con-

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music director of the National

guest conductor Marek (Mark) temporary Civic Ballet Company Rachelski, conductor at DePaul in a special holiday music program, is separately packaged at \$8 for adults and \$6 for students and

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Paint Creek Folklore Society hosts concert

The Paint Creek Folklore Society will hold its annual Tin Whistle Coffee House concert 7:30-10:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 27 in Fellowship Hall of the University Presbyterian Church, 1385 S Adams Road, Rochester Hills. has 30 members and meets 7-10 p.m. Mondays. They are working Tickets to the Tin Whistle are \$8 and can be obtained from Paint on their new competition package, Creek members or the Rochester Folk Workshop, 420 East Street.

Co-chairpersons Brad Doolittle and Bill Meldrum will have a limited number of tickets available at the door. Call Phil Doolittle, 375-2513 for more information.

Performers will include the nationally acclaimed singer songwriter/instrumentalist, Joel Mabus from Lansing, and James"Sparky" Rucker from Lexington, Ky., who is recognized as a eading performer and commenta-



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folk clubs, concert halls and radio touring, nine record releases, and main stage credits at every major He has shared the bill with folk festival in the United States and commentator on Africanand worked the folk circuit along- American folk culture. As a for his deft abilities as a singer, The Tin Whistle will also guitarist, historian, folklorist, stohas traveled over most of North showcase the popular singer/gui- ryteller, and down-home humor-

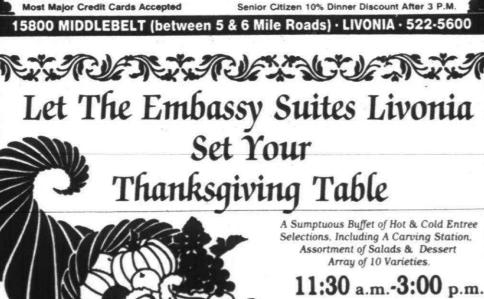




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'The Three Musketeers' has considerable kid appeal



claims to have seen nearly every screen incarnation of D'Artagnan, from Gene Kelly in 1948 to Oliver Reed in 1974. And as far

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as she's concerned, the current Disney retell-Three Musketeers" just doesn't

Of course, the new version has the considerable kid appeal of young guns Charlie Sheen and Kiefer Sutherland buckling their swash and dispatching villains. And if you can see beyond them as pale copies of their respected actor fathers, you may have a

When D'Artagnan (Chris O'Donnell) gallops into Paris, he hopes to follow in his father's footsteps and join the Musketeers, the elite band of soldiers dedicated to protecting the king. Instead he finds them disbanded and the kingdom in upheval.

He quickly discovers that be hind the scenes lurks evil Cardinal Richelieu (Tim Curry), who has plans of offing young King bloody swordfights. Louis and ascending the throne himself. It's up to D'Artagnan and three renegade Muskeeters to stop him. Among the young actors,

Sutherland comes off best as the scene from Hitchcock's "The Man few unique flourishes of its own.

REVIEW moody, profoundly noble Athos Sheen brings a twist of the theologian to Aramis. Oliver Platt plays

the slightly slobby Porthos, a former pirate we're told, who usually proves the most resourceful in O'Donnell made a respectable

traveling companion for Al Pacino ing of Alexandre Dumas' "The in "Scent of a Woman." But here, as D'Artagnan, fresh-faced O'Donnell simply doesn't have the flair required to make girls swoon and boys dream of life as a Musketeer.

Curry, meanwhile, isn't as evil as he is quirky and affected. Despite threats of the torture chamber and lecherous glances at the queen, you get the sneaking feeling that the former "Rocky Horror Picture Show" star is just itching to whip off that scarlet cardinal's robe and reveal garter belts and a corset underneath "The Three Musketeers"

typical live-action Disney fare, the same engagingly silly family entertainment they produced 30 years ago. The only change here is the body count, which mounts considerably after the frequently I'd be surprised if director Ste-

phen Herek ("Bill and Ted's Excellent Adventure") didn't borrow from old Errol Flynn movies. Here he even pirates the climactic



Released by: Walt Disney Pictures Starring: Chris O'Donnell, Kiefer Sutherland, Charlie Sheen, Oliver Platt, Tim Curry and Rebecca

Directed by: Stephen Herek Produced by: Joe Roth Written by: David Loughery, based on the novel by Alexandre Dumas Rated: PG (Some material may not be appropriate for pre-teenagers) Running time: 1 hour, 55 minutes Rating (out of a possible four):



Who Knew Too Much" when

Monaghan, dial 953-2047, mailbox number 1866, on a touch-ton D'Artagnan races against time to phone, fax him a note at 591-7279, stop a sniper from picking off the or write him in care of Entertain ment. Observer & Eccentric News-Sure, this "Musketeers" has a papers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia

A galloping D'Artagnan, in an attempt to avoid a low-hanging log that would surely dismount him leaps from horse to log and then back on horseback. He also has a clever sword fight near the end while dangling from a French flag And of course, there's the requi site love interest between D'Artagnan and a starry-eyed lady in waiting, though it stays mercifulin the background. Instead we're treated to Rebecca DeMornay as a sultry spy who tries to seduce young D'Artagnan and also has some painful history with Sutherland's Athos.

Add to this a mucho-creepy dungeon, where the Cardinal, upon capturing D'Artagnan, orders his men to "take the prisoner below." You have to wonder how much farther down you can go than the dungeon!

The best thing about "The Three Musketeers" is that it doesn't take itself too seriously Movie-goer Dardanelli agrees. wasn't the kind of movie where I was on the edge of my seat," she added. "But I think the audience liked it. Like me, they go to movies like this to escape into that chivalrous time."

To leave a message for John



Family entertainment: In the tradition of classic Disney family entertainment comes the swashbuckling saga of the Musketeers, a valiant band of swordsmen who serve as the king's protectors.

Love abounds in 'Addams Family Values'



dementia come together, it can only mean the return of Gomez and Morticia Ad

The passionate couple of the big screen and their devoted famireturn with "Addams Family Values," a Paramount Pictures presentation opening Friday at netro Detroit movie theaters.

Morticia and Gomez are de lighted by their new arrival, baby Pubert, complete with sweet smile, that familiar pallor and that cute little moustache. Uncle Fester has been targeted by cupid as he yearns for Debbie Jellinsky. the new nanny with her own ideas for Fester's future. Even young Wednesday finds a friend to call her own in - of all places -

summer camp. Charles Addams' macabre characters return for this second dose of Addams family madness

following their film debut in 1991. Starring once again are Anjelica Huston as Morticia, Raul Julia as Gomez and Christopher Lloyd as Uncle Fester. Christina Ricci and Jimmy Workman also return as Wednesday and Pugsley.

Joining the madly happy family this time around are Carol Kane as Graffny and Joan Cusack as Barry Sonnenfield once again

directs, and the film is produced by Scott Ruddin, considered one



Addams Family: The family assembles for the marriage of Fester and Debbie in "Addams Family Values.

and "Sister Act."

family the ultimate functional as "extremely loving and very family. The parents love the chil-passionate. If anything, I think dren. The mother and father love their passion deepens with the each other. They don't change years. their values based on "a whim."

of Hollywood's most prolific pro- and Joel Glicker, Wednesday's ducers with hits like "The Firm" first boyfriend," Sonnenfield said. Huston describes the relation-Sonnenfield calls the Addams ship between Gomez and Morticia

The goal of the filmmakers was "One of the things we've done to remain true to the Addams with 'Addams Family Values' is family characters and settings to have more of a story than in that were first brought to life on Addams Family' and introduce the comics pages in 1932. Charles new characters. So we have an op- Addams began the cartoon series itlyn and Kristin Hooper as baby portunistic nanny, baby Pubert, in the New Yorker magazine in- Pubert.

PREVIEW

spired by the Victorian mansions and archaic graveyards the artist remembered from his youth Friends and family say Addams imagination leaned to the bizarre at a very early age. The Addams Family cartoons

caught on, however, and were published for more than 50 years in the New Yorker. When the television series made its debut in 1964, editors asked that the characters not appear in the magazine but in 1988 they were resurrected, shortly before Addams died. Huston received a Golden

Globe nomination as best actress in a comedy for her first portraya of Morticia. She won an Academy Award for her performance in "Prizzi's Honor." which was d rected by her father, the late John Julia boasts a busy career or

the screen and in the theater with roles in "Kiss of the Spider Woman," "Havana" and "Presumed Lloyd is perhaps best known for his portrayal of Jim Ignatowski the hit television series

"Taxi," but he also played Dr. Emmett Brown in the "Back to the Future" trilogy. "Addams Family Values" marks the debut of twin girls Ka-

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Love makes the world go round in 'Merry Widow'



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'zither" story set in Gay Paree turned upside down like the flowers on the chandeliers, the rich her heart on marrying a prince.

lances in threequarter time in Michigan Opera Theatre's pro-Merry - Widow" with its rich folk melodies and artistic Edwardian

money notes. She dances with the grace of an angel, spins the yarn "Vilja" with drama and a sweet high B flat, has the spunk to win the heart of her long lost lover, daughter of a tenant farmer sets and the diction for the audience to savor every witty word of it. She brings savoir-faire to the Her prize, Prince Danilo, is really

REVIEW a prince of poverty and a man of insobriety. Debonair Ron Raines

the Opera" craze when she received her Tony, Kaye gives heart to this love story with its music so beautiful and revered it is this master of impropriety, who kept composer Franz Lehar's Jewcan capture the heart of any flowish wife out of a WWII concentra-Judy Kaye is the rich merry tion camp.

This is a time when men sigwidow with her wealth in her naled with handkerchiefs and women held fans to ward off the excitement of those passes. The beautiful Mary Callaghan Lynch fits right in. As Valencienne, her operatic voice never has a chance to soar, but her acting comes off without a hitch

At the heart of the "Phantom of

Love makes the world go for lots of funny scenes. around, and Fred Love, Valenci-No one ever makes it to Chez enne's French lover, Camille, sends Lynch spinning in this

world of pink champagne with his lovely pianissimos in their duets. Stage director Dorothy Danner uses a delightful Puffer translation and made the jokes funnier with her meticulous details and the timing of some wonderful ac-

The best is Jonathan Hammond who, as Njegus, is turning Mary Jane Doerr of Troy is a his role in "Forbidden Broadway full-time teacher and freelance into bidding offers. Hammond's performance sets up veteran actor writer who specializes in opera Marshall Borden as Baron Zeta and musical theater.

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formance makes Ida the central character, the one who keeps everyone else on the sane side of the

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Gene Ewald, as the phlegmatic butcher Sam, keeps asking, "What field?" as he moves from one woman to another. Ewald moves about "the field" in his worker's cap and trenchcoat, look ing the soul of ambivalence as he waltzes toward Ida, then waltzes

Ewald has a marvelous moment when Garner asks him what he thinks of her pendant; he leans into Garner's cleavage and asks, "What pendant?" Andrea Gleason does a handsome cameo as

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The pickings in Queens are rich. Sam invites Ida to eat "kesher Chinese." The three women forgive each other anything and everything, and we believe them. The 1940s living room set and the cemetery, ill-kept ivy ar ! all, designed by Jack Tilletson and decorated by Laura Weidner, Linda Bruder, Michelle Hubert and Holly Helsten, are inventive. Ku dos to everyone involved.

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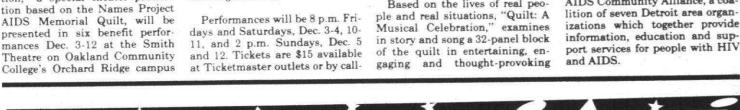
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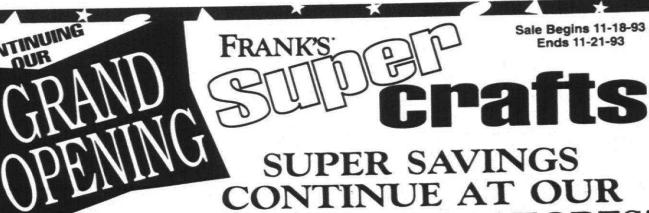
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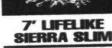
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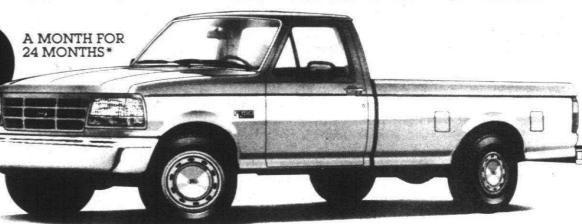
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CREATIVE ENCOUNTERS



BOB SKLAR

She eyes the world via her camera lens

y day, she's a buyer for Yale Material Handling, a Livonia Hi-Lo dealer. By night, she's an aspiring alternative photographer who shuns traditional print paper

for more unusual methods of reproducing images. Connie Christy's photography is on exhibit to Nov. 30 at Urban Park-Detroit Art Center, on the third floor of Trappers Alley, 508 Monroe, Detroit. The 1984 Livonia Churchill High graduate is

exhibiting 14 collaged photos with realistic Each photo represents the effect of collaging several exposed frames into a large photo printed

on cloth, watercolor paper or color copy paper. The processes I use are considered alternative," the lifelong Livonia resident said, "because they all produce one-of-a-kind images. I can't duplicate them. I could repeat the process but the

result wouldn't always come out the same. On view at Urban Park are a photo of carnival images, two photos of church images, and other photos of friends and a favorite mannequin.

Christy uses two cameras: a Pentax K1000 and Mamiya 645. Instead of traditional print paper, she uses one of three print methods: ■ Polaroid transfer — Polaroid images on cloth.

■ Gum biochromate — contact printing images, using sunlight through negatives, on cloth and pa-

■ Color copy — color slide images on paper.
"It's a tedious process," Christy said, "and I'm never guaranteed a perfect result because of the effects of sunlight, chemistry or temperature. The one-of-a-kind idea is both good and bad,'

she added. "It's good because it's more apt to sell. But it's bad because if one sells, it's gone unless I get it scanned to be printed as a reproduction. Whether they sell or not, her work tends to grab the eye, she says. "Many people who view them can't believe it's photography at all."

Works oft-exhibited

No stranger to exhibiting her work, Christy of-

ten focuses on people and statues.

'I like working with people because they're real. I like to know my subjects because then I can draw on how I perceive them, yet still portray them in their own style," she said. "As for statues, I really love Roman statues and architecture.'

The Urban Park show includes a photo of a Hercules statue under a skylight in the Chicago Art Institute.

In 1992, she took an honorable mention from the Scarab Club in Detroit for a Polaroid transfer entitled, "Polaroid Self Portrait." That same year, she showed a Polaroid transfer, "Hints of Reality," in the Scarab Club's Silver Medal Show.

In June, she showed 25 pieces at a garden party at The Whitney in Detroit. In September, she exhibited 20 pieces at the Michigan Gallery in Detroit.

She has shown in six student shows at Oakland Community College, where in April she earned an associate's degree in photography. Last year, she was an officer with the student photo group.

She hopes to earn enough money through her job to pursue a bachelor's degree in fine arts. Her creative eye developed while studying metalshop and woodshop in junior high and graphics and photography in high school. The lure of the

viewfinder prevailed. Her yen toward collage evolved from a love for blending textures. Christy forms a mental picture before setting out on a shoot but she won't shy away from improvising. "I always have a game plan of what I'd like to do. But I'll change it if I think something else

will work better." Christy will greet Urban Park vistiors 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday and 3:30-7 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 20-21. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. Friday-Saturday and noon to 7 p.m. Sunday.

"Her work is very innovative," said Dave Roberts, gallery director. "She tries a lot of things nor-mally not associated with photography — the way she applies emulsion to fabric, the way she prints on fabric.'

The imagery she captures also swayed Roberts. "She's very inventive in the things she chooses to represent in her photographs. She deals a lot with portraiture and figures but in ways that aren't conventional or expected."

Bob Sklar is special projects manager for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. To leave a message, call 953-2113.

LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for in Creative Living next week:

- View the artistry of local artists Edward Farhat and Richard Culling in the Livonia Civic Center Library Art Gallery.
- Bob Sklar's Creative Encounters column.
- Monte Nagler's Focus on Photography column. Exhibitions, art gallery event listings.

Den of enjoyment: The Heslops' cherry-stained mahogany den has generous built-in storage and space.

Heslops energize Plymouth condo



BY JANICE TIGAR-KRAMER
SPECIAL WRITER
hen Ron and Barbara Heslop started searching for an empty-nester condominium, they had a single requirement: a place large enough to hold all their furnishings, particularly several big wall units displaying collectibles.
"We didn't expect to find a con-

dominium bigger than our former house. We expected to go smaller, but we didn't want to get rid of a thing," said Barbara Heslop, who decorated the 4,800-square-foot Plymouth Township condo with husband Ron.

"He had final veto power," she

The 2-year-old Eaton Estates condo, built by LoPiccolo Homes in Plymouth, overlooks a natural pond and boasts a well-planned transitional layout. Outside, several plain

See HESLOPS, 2D



Shop for antiques Sunday in Livonia

By LINDA ANN CHOMIN SPECIAL WRITER

From a 1933 German Erphila Russian Wolfhound to an array of Star Trek memorabilia, the 10th Metro Productions Antiques and Collectibles Show and Sale promises something for everyone Sunday, Nov. 21 at the Livonia Holiday Inn, 17123 Laurel Park Drive, Newburgh and I-275. Admission is \$2, children free.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nearly 80 dealers will exhibit small furniture, dolls and toys (antique and modern collectibles), pottery, glassware, jewelry, Hummels, Royal Doulton figurines, collector plates, china figurines, jade, Walt Disney, books and paper collectibles.

"It's diversity we try to stress quality and diversity. There are a lot of old toys, Steiff pieces, Barbie dolls and Star Trek collectors in the show, said Barbara Framke, show co-coordinator with Cindy Oakes. Both Livonia residents make about 30 stops a year on the southeast Michigan col-

lectibles show circuit. Many of the dealers are from Livonia, Plymouth, Novi and Royal Oak.

Framke's business, "Just Animals," specializes in wildlife and domestic animal collectibles, including ceramic, porcelain, prints and jewelry, along with Beatrix Potter items. She displays her wares at about 20 shows a year in Michigan. She also sells the collectibles through a mail order husiness.

"I've got tons of stuff, wildlife and domestic figurines. I carry two lines: Castagna and United Design's Stone

Critters," said Framke.

'I have collectors all over the country for an animal item I pick up for resale. I'll have a Royal Doulton dog, Bohemian Royal Dux deer figurine and Erphila Germany elephant.

Framke, who has been a collector for 44 years, finds horses irresistible. Her collection includes 1,000 horses ranging from fine porcelain to china

Framke's prices range from \$5 to \$300 for a limited-edition porcelain mare and foal by G. Armani. The ceramic wolfhound is \$125.

Framke and Oakes, who became a dealer 12 years ago, originated the show in 1989. The show is held twice yearly, in February and November. Oaks specializes in Hummels and antique dolls but also carries Star Trek and Star Wars memorabilia and Barbie Dolls.

Other highlights in the show include a 1937 Madame Alexander Snow White, a Royal Doulton mug collection, a pair of porcelain Danish birds, 18th century to 1912 Meiji era dolls, an early 19th century netsuke, costume jewelry from the 1940s and 50s including crystal, a 1940s doll buggy, composition and hard plastic dolls, an amber Bohemian glass vase, vintage baby apparel, a 1920s Buddy L's water tank and firetrucks, an antique Meerschaum pipe, still banks, a mechanical Punch and Judy bank, an antique Armand Marseille bisque doll, tree bark carnival glass, Depression glass, antique linens, and prewar cast iron fire engine and trucks.

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M HEART OF GOLD

Westland weaver Jim Hicks has donated a 1903 floor loom to the Helen C. Brown Westland Historical museum. Denise Mehelich, a member of the Friends of the Westland Historical Museum, picked up the loom from Hicks in late Aug-

"I'm excited about it, It would give people the opportunity to see something not done too much anymore," said Mehelich, Friends of Nankin Mills president.

Once assembled, Hicks, who's known in these parts as the Hillbilly Weaver, has promised to demonstrate this nearly lost craft.

Art Beat

Hicks, who's been weaving rugs for 10 years, displays his wares at nearly one-dozen arts and

crafts shows a year. Last summer, he won Best of Show at Spring Elegance, the annual Westland fine art show and country fair sponsored by the Friends of Nankin Mills and Wayne County Parks Division to benefit restoration efforts of the white clapboard mill built in 1863.

The mill is at Ann Arbor Trail and Farming-

E CRAFT EXHIBITER Eight Observerland artists will exhibit their wares in Craft Gallery's "Christmas Country & Victorian Craft Show" 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 21, in Hawthorne Valley Country Club, 7300 Merriman, north of Warren, in Westland.

They are: from Garden City, Barbara Bridges, baskets and soft sculpture; from Livonia, Dorothy James, jewelry, Debi Keeling, painted country wood; from Plymouth, Val Davis and Deb Jordan, painted wood and fabric; from Canton, Rita Miller, porcelain dolls; from Redford, Kay Vincent, country cross stitch; from Westland, Shelly Wotring, women's wearable art.

Sixty-five displays of juried artwork will offer country folk art, Victorian crafts, early Americana, French country and Southwest.

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Morning break: The morning room, a sunny place adjacent to the kitchen, is filled with wicker pieces and plump cushions in the Heslops' condo.

Heslops from page 1D.

columns and an arched overhang accent the Lineale entry

Since the Heslops work together - he's president and she's vice president of Michigan based Heslop's china and gifts — modifying the home's floor plan after-hours was just an extension of a day's work.

The builder was altra-accommodating when it came to structural changes and only "rolled his eyes a few times. Barbara said.

harmanths the couple worked with Livonia and see think Downer altering a few room states emplify acting the dens half bath, raising the lower level coding and adding windows

We actually built the house around our furniture," Barbara said. She reduced the master bath by a few feet so that a wall unit displaying Lladros would

fit in the master suite. his probably the first time a builder had to

re n'e der is a place to work and relax. It wook three mouths to convert the second bedroom to a state of the art den with loads of built ins and shelves to hold a collection of with pineapple-shaped finials leads down-Royal Doulton character mugs. The room, stairs. ceiling included, is covered in rich, cherrystained mahogany

More traditional than the other rooms, the well placed lighting. A custom are an idesk are an And I want to entertainment center

The first floor is bright and airy with ample black swans.

French furnishings throughout the house, including a grand-sized armoire in the master suite. The room opens to a wrap-around deck. She said the move was a good excuse to recover some favorite things bought during the ouple's 30-year marriage.

The colors in our Farmington Hills colonial were straight from the '70s - ivory, blue and earth tones I was ready for something bright and different," said Barbara, who does the layout and design for Heslop's stores. Her decorating plan began by selecting

wallpapers for nearly every room. Most are subtle background papers that give the lofty walls a sponged look. "I tried using a decorator once, but it didn't work because I have my own ideas," said Bar-

bara, who's known around the office for visuthe homeowner to move in. Ron Heslop alizing store displays that wind up dazzling The spacious entry, on a curved wall has off-white marble flooring with bottle green ac cents, a color that is repeated around the great room and den fireplaces. A shapely oak railing room.

The great room has eight-inch crown mold ing - painstakingly curved on one wall lots of conversation areas and a formal dining or has core molding a marble fireplace and table used for frequent entertaining. A mirrored wall unit holds favorite glassware and

Several of Barbara's imported music boxes to get things done, but it was such fun to do. I are placed around the room.

Our offer to be had separate living and views of the pond, a nesting place for a pair of black swans. nation. Barbara said. Barbara reused most of their country

> Queen Anne dining chairs are recovered in creamy upholstery to match carpeting and walls. Several high back Queen Anne chairs are covered in burgundy and teal stripes and tapestries. A camelback loveseat, custommade by a New Boston upholsterer, is the only new piece. Arched windows are topped with burgetide approximatered valances and sim-

> The air white kitchen, with lavish built-ins, has several giass front cabinets to show the couple's fine china, which they use daily. Dinnerware even matches teal and rose English garden paper in the adjoining morning room, a sunny place filled with white wicker furniture and plump floral cushions. The lower level (all 2,400 square feet) is in-

formally decorated, with comfy leather sofas, wall units and some family antiques. There's a wet bar (long as "Cheers"), a bedroom and bath, a library and a fully equipped exercise Barbara said the toughest job was selecting bathroom fixtures because the choices today

decorative sinks throughout and let her love of Southwest design influence her choice of tiles, which range from pastel to turquoise. I got a note antsy decorating because I like

could not everyday she said.

are numerous. She settled on gold faucets and

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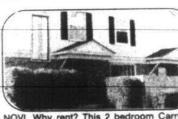
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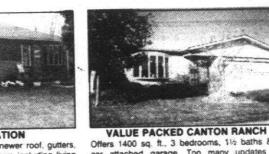
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Literary duo pens romance/suspense novel



writing a novel can be double the fun when it's a collaborative

effort with a close friend. met each other 12 years ago at

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authors Jan

Karen A. Katz,

their children's nursery school, are celebrating the fruits of their collaboration this month, as their first novel, 'Something Borrowed, Something Blue" (Doubleday), makes its debut in bookstores across the coun-Already, "Something Borrowed,

Something Blue"- written under the pseudonym, Jillian Karr has made an appearance on the Detroit Free Press bestseller list. In October, Cosmopolitan magazine excerpted the novel. And

Attention, suburban artists:

The holiday sales show will

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the story, with an eye toward making it into a movie of the Greenberg and

> prolific romance novelist (who writes as Jill Gregory) and Katz, a painter and former journalist, are hard at work on a second novel. Like "Something Borrowed, Something Blue," it will be a "romance/suspense/thriller." The writing of the first novel

came about after the two had collaborated two years ago on a non fiction book entitled, "What Does Being Jewish Mean?" The book, co-written with Rabbi E.B. Freedman and published initially by Prentice-Hall, has since been brought out by Simon & chuster's Fireside Books. "We had such a good time writing the first book, we sort of looked at each other one day and said, Why not try fiction?" recalls Green-

Not long after, the two friends were meeting every afternoon,

Christmas figures, pottery, unu-

sual tree ornaments, Teddy bears,

dolls, angels, wearable fibers,

miniature wooden puzzles, soft

sculpture, basketry and toys. A

total 135 artists will be partici-

According to CBS-TV has recently optioned usually in Greenberg's at-home book involved sitting at a desk. office. With scratch pads and To research the character of the plenty of coffee at hand, they began brainstorming ideas for the story they would write, and also Not surprisingly, Greenberg, a started to develop characters for

> that story. "We were both definitely interested in writing women's fiction," says Greenberg. "And we came up with this idea of writing a story about four strong, dynamic women - all brides- to-be, but all distinctly different."

Each of the future brides in 'Something Borrowed, Something Blue" - a New York model, an actress, an editor of a bridal magazine, and a Livonia hairdresser harbors a dark secret that she must face down as her dreamed-of wedding day approaches. Prepubication notices called the partially-set-in-Michigan romance "a sizzling tale of four-weddings, four

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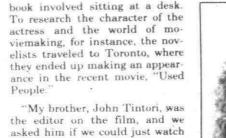
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chitectural design, jewelry, carved standards.

Velick of Oak Park, co-artistic



the making of the movie for a few

days," says Katz. "Then, when we

went to Toronto, we spent two or

three days working as extras -

about 14 hours every day. It was

fantastic. And we actually ended

up on the screen, too - in the

wedding scene toward the end of

Other research included a day-

long visit to the offices of Detroit

Metropolitan Woman, where they

met with editor Alice Sieloff Katz

also scouted background locales

in Los Angeles (especially Rodeo

Drive), the streets of Chicago and

the exclusive neighborhoods of

Georgetown in Washington, D.C.,

where much of the action in the

In writing "Something Bor-

rowed, Something Blue," they

riencing a genuine marriage of the

minds. As one writer sat at a com-

puter typing the story each day,

side, they recall that, after awhile,

they found themselves suddenly

other always literally at her

also discovered themselves expe-

Jan Greenberg

when they couldn't get together,

they worked over the phone. But,

the course of events.

the last word.



Karen A. Katz

or the same set of words, at the Blue" at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, same time, and often finishing Nov. 18, at Barnes & Noble, each other's sentences, down to Maple and Telegraph, in Bloomfield Township. Fans can also They usually spent about five meet the two authors at 1:30 p.m. hours a day together, working on Saturday, Nov. 27 at B. Dalton the book, and then often tele- bookseller, Westland Mall, phoned each other after hours to Wayne and Warren. work on leftover ideas. On days

time member of Detroit Women despite all the togetherness over Writers, tracks the books and litthe 11 months it took to complete erary industry for the Observer & the novel, they can recall no argu- Eccentric Newspapers. She says ments, not even a cross word in she "has a lifelong interest in reading, everything from great "When we started this together, novels to cereal boxes." You can we put our egos aside," says Katz. leave a message for her on a Together, they will be meeting touch-tone phone by dialing 953readers and signing copies of 2047, then her mailbox number, Something Borrowed, Soemthing 1854.

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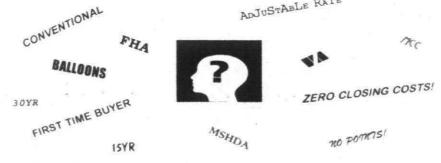






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Friday, Nov. 19 - The gallery celebrates its grand opening 5-8 p.m. Friday at 725 S. Adams in Birmingham. Call 647-8833.

GROOVE GALLERY & BOUTIQUE Friday, Nov. 19 - "Shop the Groove a holiday show exhibiting five local artists' work, will continue through Dec. 30. Reception 7 p.m. Friday, at

which purchases will be wrapped for free. The artists are Barbara Pekkala (ponchos, handpainted cards, ornamental angels, handsewn scarves), Janet Kelman (glass tables, pins, mirrors framed in geometrical shapes, glass bowls with flowers etched inside), Cecilia Seidler (watercolor paintings of architectural scenes, gar dens and windows with sunny views) Linda Littlefield (necklaces, bracelets, earrings and rings incorporating semiprecious materials) and Claudia Calson-Keg (collage art with found objects and handmade paper). A holiday tree will be festooned with ornaments from Africa and some trinkets from some of the featured artists. Hours: noon to 9 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 1230 E. Lincoln, between Main and Campbell in Royal Oak, 398-8162.

E DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET Friday, Nov. 19 - "To the Market," holiday show, and an all-media juried exhibition continue to Dec. 24. Opening reception 5-8 p.m. Friday. The holiday show features clothing, furniture, jewelry, glass, ceramics, two-dimensional work and much more at various price ranges. The all-media exhibit includes the work of 20 to 30 Michigan artists chosen from hundreds of entries. Holiday gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday and Saturday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 300 River Place, Suite 1650, Detroit, 393-1770. Hours: Dec. 20-24 are 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

PEWABIC POTTERY

Friday, Nov. 19 — The Pottery's annual Holiday Invitational Show will continue through December, featuring pottery, tile, jewelry, ornaments and more for holiday giving by Pewabic's own and invited artists. The show opens with a Members-only preview party 5:30-9:30 p.m. Friday (member ships may be bought at the door). Holiday hours (Nov. 20 through De cember); are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Mon day-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday,

10125 E. Jefferson, Detroit, 822-0954 Visitors may bring a canned or dry food item for a holiday food drive. Closed Thanksgiving Day, Christmas

and New Year's Day

E COMMUNITY ARTS GALLERY Friday, Nov. 19 — An exhibit and sale of art works presented in the tradition of the French salons, featuring pieces by Wayne State University alumni, graduate and undergraduate artists, will continue to Dec. 17. Opening reception 6-9 p.m. Friday. In the salon tradition, all art works will be removed from the show at the time of sale. A portion of all sales will be used to enhance fine art programs within the College of Fine, Performing and Communication Arts. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, closed Nov 25-26, at WSU at Cass and Kirby in Detroit, 577-2423. SOUTHFIELD CIVIC CENTER

To Nov. 19 - An exhibit of ceramics by Ellen Heckler and pen and ink works and oils by Irene Bergel contin ues at 26000 Evergreen at Civic Center Drive. A show of watercolors by Tom Skierski will be featured Nov. 22 to Dec. 3. Call Southfield Cultural

Arts at 354-4717 for information.

III UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

MUSEUM OF ART Friday, Nov. 19 - Photo-collage works by Dada artist Hannah Hoch are shown to Nov. 28. Related lecture Friday. Call for information. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, 525 S. State,

Ann Arbor, 764-0395 ALEXA LEE GALLERY

Beginning Nov. 19 — "Opening Exhi bition: Part 2" will continue to Jan. 1 on the second floor, above the post off ice, at 201 Nickels Arcade in Ann Arbor. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday Saturday and by appointment. Call MICHIGAN DESIGN CENTER

Beginning Nov. 20 - "Industria: Recent Works of New Modernism" will

be featured for public viewing through Dec. 16. Included in the exhibit are works by artists David Cole, Tammis

Donaldson, Susan Logan, Rochelle Martin, Donald Miedema, Serdar Omer, Propeller, Blake Shauman and Mark Wilson. Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, 1700 Stutz Drive, three blocks east of Coolidge and north of Maple in Troy, 649-4770.

II LA BELLE PROVENCE Starting Nov. 20 - A French nativity scene will be displayed in the window through Dec. 25, featuring handsculpted Santon dolls dressed in unusual provencal clothing, expressing the characters of a traditional nativity scene as well as other residents and workers from a typical French village coming to witness the birth of Christ and bringing the fruits of their labor as gifts. The store, specializing in European antiques and interior de sign, is at 119 N. Center in Northville.

SYBARIS GALLERY Saturday, Nov. 20 - New work by

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internationally known fiber artist Lillian Elliott, a native Detroiter, will be exhibited through Dec. 31. Lecture by the artist 5 p.m. Saturday at the Washington Square Plaza Building, 306 S. Washington in Royal Oak. Reservations are required for the lecture, call 544-3388. Reception for the artist 6-8 p.m. Saturday at the gallery. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 202 E. Third, Royal Oak, 544-

B BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART **ASSOCIATION**

To Nov. 20 - A solo exhibition of images by international award-winning fine art photographer Marji Silk continues in the BBAA Showcase Gallery, 1516 S. Cranbrook Road in Bir mingham. Call 644-0866. Silk's photography has recently been featured in Detroit Monthly, Detroit Metropolitan Woman, Michigan Travel Publications and Cranbrook Educational Community publications. Her work is on permanent display at Cranbrook and in Detroit, Washington, D.C., and Sweden. She is teaching photography workshops on "How to Develop Your Creative Eye" and "The Magic of

Night Photography." Call 544-1203. To Nov. 21 - The gallery at Oakland

University in Rochester Hills opens its 1993-94 season with the exhibit "Culver's Nature: Selected Works of Animals, Birds and Plants by Charles Culver." Raffle tickets will be sold in the gallery during exhibition hours through Nov. 21. The drawing will take place 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 21, on the Meadow Brook Theatre stage. Three hundred tickets will be sold at \$5 each or five for \$20. Culver was a leading Detroit artist in the 1950s and 1960s, well known for his poetic images of animals, insects and plants. His works are in the Detroit Institute of Arts and National Museum of American Art (Smithsonian). Hours are 1-5 p.m. Wednesday, 2-6:30 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, and evenings of a Meadow Brook Theatre performance (one hour before the performance and during intermission), 208 Wilson Hall, across the hallway from the theater.

THE ARTISTS GALLERY

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To Nov. 21 — "Myths, Mazes and Metamorphoses," a rich mix of Michigan artists, including instructors and college-level students in an all-media award invitational show. 30905 Orchard Lake Road, Orchard Place Mall, Farmington Hills. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, Saturday, till 8 p.m. Thursday-Friday; 1-5 p.m.

E DETROIT GALLERY OF CONTEMPORARY CRAFTS

Wednesday, Nov. 24 — "Objects of Wonder and Delight," 18th annual holiday shows featuring fits with emphasis on ornaments, musical instruments, fireplace accessories, wood boxes, jewelry. 104 Fisher Building, Detroit. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday PARK WEST GALLERY

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Thursday-Saturday, Dec. 2-4. Reception is at 6:30 p.m., dinner at 8 p.m. Cost is \$150 per person. Reservation deadline is Wednesday, Nov. 24.

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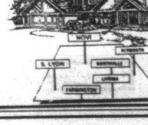
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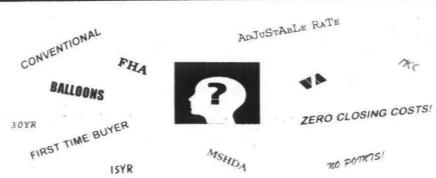


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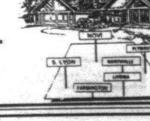
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To Nov. 26 - "Terrors of the Flesh," an exhibit by Mary Fortuna and Dave Roberts Fortuna has served as president and secretary of the artist cooperative A.C., T. Roberts runs the Urban Park gallery in Detroit. Both artists draw from a history of found object construction and collage elements. Hours: 2-6 p.m. Wednesday-Friday, noon to 4 p.m. Saturday, losed Thanksgiving Day (Nov. 25), 222 W. Willis, Detroit, 831-0136.

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Γο Nov. 27 — "Kozlow in Black and White," an exhibit of paintings by highly regarded Birmingham artist Richard Kozlow. The tempera-on-pa per works, including abstracts and andscapes, are filled with hundreds f subtle changes of the intensity of black. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, 32407 Northwestern Highway, between 14 Mile and Middlebelt in armington Hills 626-6450

MICHIGAN GALLERY

o Nov. 27 - "Transforming Ideas. an exhibit of recent work by Jeanne Bieri, Rose DeSloover, Mary Fortuna Christine Hagedorn, Sandra Muthig, Valerie Parks, Gilda Snowden, Lois Teicher. On the sublevel: works by Bobby Litwin and Therese Swann 2661 Michigan, Detroit. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday

G.R. N'NAMDI GALLERY

To Nov. 28 — "Pictorica: Argentine Painters of the '90s." Hours: 11 a.m to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 1-4 p.m. Sunday, 161 Townsend, Bir-

BE DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS To Nov. 28 — "Step Lively: The Art

of the Folk Cane," featuring 92 canes from the collection of Bloomfield Hills attorney George Meyer. Meyer and his wife. Kay White Meyer, wrote the award-winning catalog, "American Folk Art Canes-Personal Sculpture The Meyers will present a free, slide llustrated lecture, "Handcarved American Canes: Personal Sculpture that Poke into History," 2 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 28, in the Lecture Hall. A book signing will follow the Meyers' talk. Also, "Once Upon a Matrix: The Variable Nature of Prints," a didactic exhibit illustrating the diverse choices and conditions that influence the final appearance of a print, continues

through Jan, 2. Douglas Semivan, artist and assistant professor of art at Madonna University, will give a gallery talk in the exhibit 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 5. Hours: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekends, 5200 Woodward, Detroit. Recommended admission is \$4 for adults; \$1 for children, seniors and students; free for members. Call 833-

M ATRIUM GALLERY

To Nov. 30 - Awardwinning artist Marilyn Blinder of Southfield is featured in an exhibit of watercolors from her recent travels, plus abstracts in chalk, watercolor and multimedia construction. Also featured are new pieces from Robert Black, a wellknown Ann Arbor artist and retired Schoolcraft College instructor. Now showing: a multitude of new "people pots" plus fine decorative raku pottery. The gallery is at 109 N. Center in Northville, Call 349-4131

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To Dec. 11 - Paintings by New York artist Thomas Nozkowski, "The Collaborative Spirit: Artists Books from the Grenfell Press" and contemporary Yixing teapots. Featured is the willow furniture of Lake Ann, Mich., artist David Chapman. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday and by appointment, 23257 Woodward, one-half mile south of I-696, Ferndale, 541-3444.

PRIVATE COLLECTION GALLERY To Dec. 15 — The gallery's annual

Collectible Show features lamp work ers Fred Birkhill and Shane Ferro. Goblets, paperweights and perfume bottles are the focus of the show. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Sat urday, noon to 3 p.m. Sunday, 6736A Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield 737 - 4050.

E CENTER GALLERIES

To Dec. 18 - "Robert Farber and Hannah Wilke: Life Before Death.3 Farber confronts the specter of AIDS in multipanel, mixed media assemblages. Wilke (1940-1993) confronted the specter of cancer in photographs watercolors and sculptures. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, closed Nov. 25-27, in the Park Shelton

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To Dec. 31 - "The Artist and the

Quilt" exhibit and sale, featuring depicting Jewish themes. Walkthroughs with Merry Silber and do-8 p.m. Thursday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, in the Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple, West Bloom field 661-1000 Ext 470 **M** UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN **MUSEUM OF ART**

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Meadow Brook show boasts joyous nature

Outside, nature is celebrated in the magnificent autumn colors of the leaves. Inside the Meadow Brook Art Gallery at Oakland friend of Culver. University in Rochester HIlls, nature is celebrated in a different way with the exhibit continuing through Nov. 21.

"Culver's Nature: Selected Works of Animals, Birds and Plants by Charles Culver" presents watercolors by Michigan artist Charles Culver. Most of the works were loaned from Florence Culver, the artist's wife, and have never been shown publicly. Others were loaned from the Detroit Institute of Arts. William Beaumont Hospital, the Huntington Woods Public Library and private

"These paintings are evidence of an artist enjoying his work," said William Bostick, former DIA administrator and Detroit art mission secretary and a close

"His paintings have that deightful, universal quality.' Meadow Brook curator/director Kiichi Usui called the paintings "quite lively

"I didn't think anybody else painted animals like this," he

Culver (1908-1967) was a leading Detroit artist in the 1950s and 1960s. He headed the watercolor department of the art school of the Society of Arts and Crafts (now the Center for Creative Studies) and was an art critic. Culver was a musician who

painter who had more permanent of animals and plants.

All creatures great and small were subjects for Culver, and he painted them in a warm, refreshing style. Many paintings were done at the Detroit Zoo, near which the artist lived.

"They have a sense of humor about them," Bostick said.

In Culver's painting of a platypus, the platypus is facing the and wings wide, making it seem both animals are seen at once. as if they are having an animated

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conference. In a school of fish, one lines convey the animal's dignity. fish is shown head on instead of A lion reclines behind bars, the works in the DIA than other art- in profile. There's even a "zebraists. He did some landscapes, but cat," an imaginary creature with was known for his interpretations the head of a cat and the body of a zebra.

> Culver's interest in Oriental art can be seen in the display. "He had that feel of poetic im-

agery." Usui said. A watercolor of a resting deer

onveys its gentle beauty. A portrait of a bee fills the canvas and shines in luminous colors. Also glowing are the colors of a sleeping tiger. A mosquito is shown in viewer but its eyes are off to the a way suggesting that it has the side, giving it a sly, whimsical ex- grace of a ballet dancer. Hippos ession. Penguins are grouped are shown forming a circle, the facing each other with beaks open lines transparent at places so

bars fading over its body so as not to cover it. A dove looks at the viewer as though it were posing for a portrait, while a peacock spread tail is shown without col-

used opaque white. Usui would like to have a Michigan artist show at OU. Culver and others of his time were lost in the "tidal wave from New York"

of its adornment.

Usui said. "Michigan artists were respected in this area but pushed to the intermission). The gallery is

or, emphasizing the bird instead

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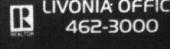
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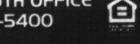
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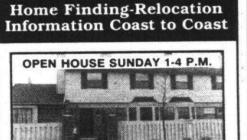
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He's the only person on the 25-member board to serve on both the MAR's board of directors as well as the Board of Real Estate Brokers and Salespersons, the state licensing board.

McKeon will begin a three-year term in January as a director of the National Association of

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Southfield-based Prudential Realty Group has named PREMISYS Real Estate Services the exclusive leasing agent for Prudential Town Center in Southfield, effective Jan. 1, announced L. Scott Swedberg, vice-president, The Prudential Realty Group.

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Prudential Town Center represents the third major leasing assignment in the Midwest for the PREMISYS Marketing Services division. It is the first in the Detroit area.

William Pankhurst-will join PREMISYS Marketing Services as vice president, responsible for overseeing the leasing and marketing of Prudential Town Center. Pankhurst is now a vice president with Grubb & Ellis, now the leasing agent of Prudential Town Center.

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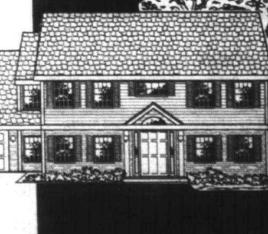
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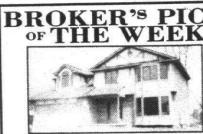
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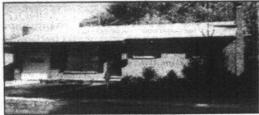


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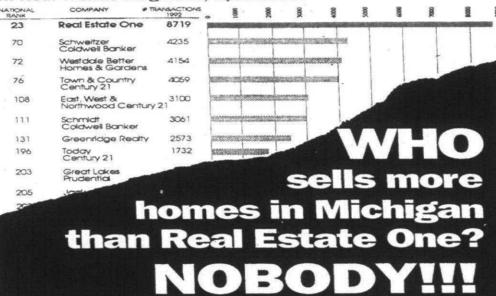
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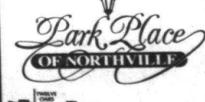


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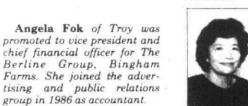
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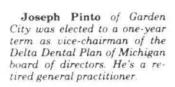
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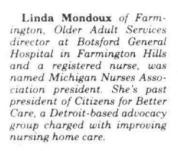
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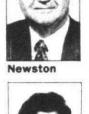
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See STARS, 4F

Park Ridge: hills, wetlands, woods

■ Road improvements spurred by the Haggerty Connector and the topography of the land are expected to lure buyers to Park Ridge, a new residential development from The Selective Group and Cohen Associ-

BY DOUG FUNKE STAFF WRITER



Some people may not consider a new house of 2,700 square feet priced at \$239,900 an especially good value. But if it's on a

rolling piece of land with wetlands and woods in West Bloomfield, along a major road where houses just a couple of miles away cost several times more, then it takes on a different dimension.

That's the thinking of Steven Friedman, vice president of the Selective Group based in Farmington Hills, and Larry Cohen, a developer/ builder (Cohen Associates) in West Bloomfield.

Their companies, highly regarded in their own right, have joined forces to develop and build Park Ridge, along Pontiac Trail, east of Hagger

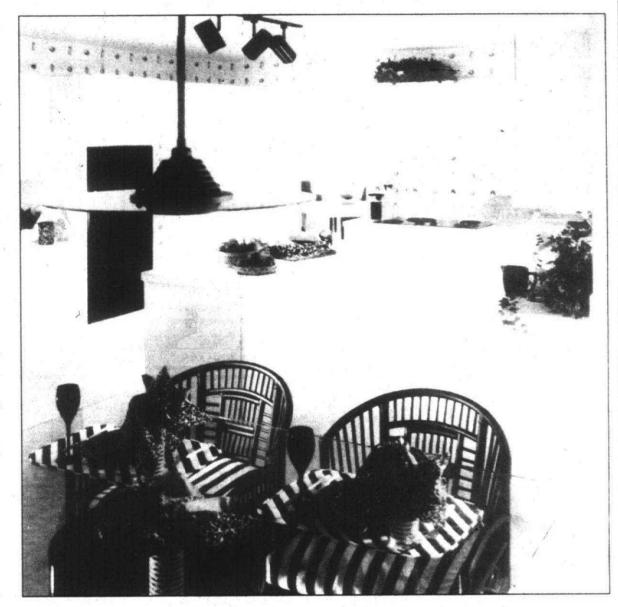
Seventy-nine houses ranging from the Cranbrook model described above to the Monterey, 3,224 square feet with a base price of \$289,900, will be built on the 60-acre site.

About a dozen lots already have been sold, the developers said.

"One of the points that intrigued us about Park Ridge was the land," Cohen said. "I have yet to develop a piece of land like this, rolling up and down with hills .

"Many subdivisions developed today from former farms," he said. "They're flat and devoid of trees or have the liability of being near a railroad or main road.

See PARK RIDGE, 2F



Bright and airy: The spacious kitchen in the Monterey (above) as well as in the Newport includes a work island.



On Guard: Deborah A. Nigbor (left), operations director, and Thomas F. Ashcraft, president, keep close tabs on happenings at the Southfield-based Better Business Bureau of Detroit and Eastern Michigan.

Watchdog

Bureau aids consumers, businesses

BY DOUG FUNKE STAFF WRITER

The Better Business Bureau of Detroit and Eastern Michigan was founded in 1917, essentially as an advertising vigilance committee. Now headquartered in Southfield, the BBB has expanded its scope significantly.

The nonprofit organization, with an operating budget of \$1.5 million and a staff of about 20, is funded primarily by the dues of some 4,000 business members.

Thomas F. Ashcraft is president, Deborah A. Nigbor, operations director. Following are edited excerpts from an interview:

What exactly is your mission?

Ashcraft: Our mission is self-regulation. We can be an impartial third party between a consumer and provider of goods and services.



Part of that philosophy says it's in the best interest of the marketplace for responsible business to step up to its problems and do it through an organization like the BBB rather than a (governmental) regulatory agency.

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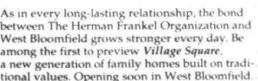
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that backs up to Pontiac Trail. There isn't a bad lot in the whole sub. The site really affords quite a bit of privacy Cohen said.

"Aesthetically, this is a fab isly beautiful piece of and friedings said "It's ery low densit, with approximately 50 acres of open space.

The perception of Pontiac I rail as you take it from Orc hard Lake Road and go west is that houses are selling from a half million to three million Pontiac Trail has never really been opened to this market,

A good deal on the land, smaller models, no lakefront frontage of access and - unti fairly recently - not the best of road access all combined to result in lower prices Cohen

Construction of the Haggerty rate to so incred-acress ighway in her ensurestica arre was west of Haggert, cerween in the and lightnac rail provides a golden opportunity for Park Ridge Fried Hidfi said

The partners acquired the land about 500 years ago but got bogged nown in the approva, and development processes West B. Intend struggled

below a and Cahen will do all the busing themselves Six mode's each with several different elevations or exterior wk-are available

(Our client is people in the growing family stage.'

> Larry Cohen Cohen Associates Inc.

Nothing is more disappointing than to go into a sub where a majority of builders does a fine job, but someone comes in with different standards and a homeowner finds something next door that he doesn't care for," Cohen said.

The typical Park Ridge fam-Ilv has children and is buying at least their second brand new house.

"They're mostly younger, dual income families." Friedman said.

'It's definitely move-up, Cohen added. "You're seeing young physicians, attorneys, independent business types.

Visitors to the two models, the Monterey and Newport, are especially taken with the openness the combination living room/dining room, the work island in the kitchen and the dramatic two-story foyer, said Gali Sandweiss, sales coordimator

Our client is people in the growing family stage." Cohen said "Parents like a family room as a center of entertainment for the children. Things go on in the kitchen. Here's a

nook and there's four of us sitting around this table and no one is crowded. You have a large cooking area."

> "Curb appeal is real important," Friedman said. "We put a tremendous amount of attenion to detail on the elevations. bricks, porches, window de-

One interesting twist in the Newport model is a second floor room with windows over looking the foyer. The space can be used as a fourth bed room or as a study room, ex ercise room, dayroom or sitting/sewing room.

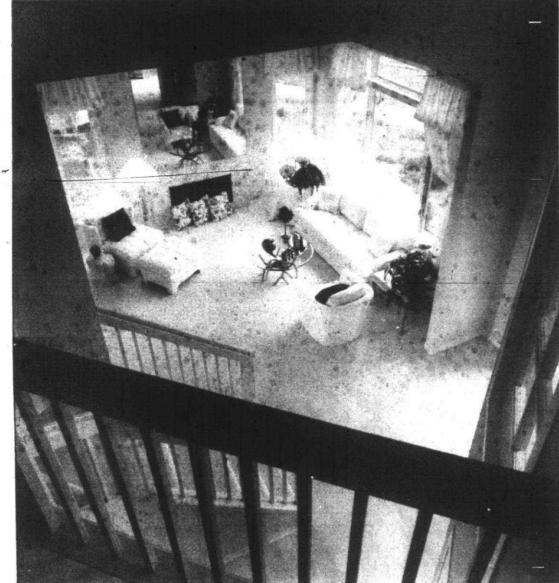
"The Monterey is our most popular model, Friedman said. "Any and every room has access to a tremendous amount of light. It has a step up master bedroom, open foyer dra matic stairwell.

Selective and Cohen have acquired 70 acres directly across the street from Park Ridge where they plan to build houses in the \$300,000 \$500 000 ange starting next year

Lake School District. The current property tax rate for municipal, school and county serof market value. That means the owner I a

Park Ridge is in the Walled vices is \$54.66 per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation, half

house worth \$250 000 in Fark Ridge now would pay about \$6,800 annually in property taxes. That, however probably will change as state lawmakers decide on a new school finance



Dramatic view: The two-story foyer in both the Monterey and Newport is a visual lure Shown is a stairway look into the Newport living room.

Watchdog from page 1F

and takes me kind of agree there has the most part, I think we achieve

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What else do you do?

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Ashcraft: We take our advertising review very seriously here. We have people assigned to read ads, challenge ads and a pool of volunteer shoppers who do much of the legwork.

What don't you do? Nigbor: We don't get involved in collection of accounts, complaints against individuals. employer/employee disputes, landlord/tenant

issues and matters that may have already them to become a member been presented to regulatory agencies or

Why would businesses join the BBB? Nigbor: Probably the most important thing is they have expressed to the community an nterest in ethical advertising and selling practices. Companies sign off that they're

properly licensed to conduct business in the Ashcraft: Our base membership is \$250 per

. Or - Lo , a & . IMM per year it's based essertia. La company s sales dollar vol

If you said (annual dues of) \$250-\$500 that's the bulk of what we do. You have to find a way to get to the person who makes decisions. You have to make several calls to get someone signed up. I think

that's a general condition of any sale. It generally boils down to cost. They say, It's not in our budget, see us next time.' Cost I'd say, is the biggest item, although it's a relatively small amount. But we're not the only organization pounding on their doors asking

What kind of complaints and inquiries are most common?

Nigbor: Now mortgage companies, because of a decrease in interest rates, has been a large source of inquiries. We receive inquiries about working at home opportunities, from individ als that get notification of prize winnings.

Now in fall, we get an increase in furnance cleaning companies Every fall, like clock work. In summer, it's vacations and travel year for the smallest of customers. We have agents; spring, home improvements

CLARIFICATION

In the Nov. 11 Building & Business section we inadvertently ran the wrong telephone number for the new Entertainment '94 West/ Southwest book, one of three Detroit editions

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Farmer Jack revamps store

\$450,000.

The face lift is part of the 77store metro chain's \$70 million capital growth program in southeast Michigan taking place during 1992 and 1993 The Livonia store is the 47th to be completed under the renovation-rebuilding program Don Suida is store manager Jim Fox and Brian Robinson are co-managers.

When the 38,000-square-foot store hosted its grand reopening Sunday, customers were introduced to many new departments, prototype conveniences and important advances in the permarket industr

"This new Farmer Jack Supermarket is typical of the new and remodeled facilities that are making Farmer Jack one of the most modern regional supermarket chains in America," said James Wood, chairman of The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., owner of the Farmer Jack chain.

Almost all of the company's Michigan stores have been revitalized recently. "We intend

Farmer Jack Supermarkets to keep them that way and created 30 new jobs in refurb make sure our stores here are ishing its Livonia store at up to date," Wood said. "We 37685 Five Mile to the tune of have at least 10 new store locations identified over the next two years and our remodeling and expansion programs will

> "A combination of new con umer needs and high technology allows us to really focus on customer service in our new and remodeled stores," said Craig Sturken, Michigan Group vice president.

"In the Livonia store, cus tomers can use the post office, pay bills, get photos developed and buy a lottery ticket as well as use many other services. We think they will especially like our innovative new recycling center." he added.

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1994 home shows slated

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"As remodeling and new home niture Show March 19-27, 1994. construction remain on the inat Cobo Conference-Exhibition crease, homeowners find home Center in Detroit. ■ the 12th annual Homearama shows to be an invaluable re-May 26 to June 12, 1994 at Brentsource for finding the right conwood subdivision in White Lake tractor or product," said Fred Capaldi, president of BASM and of Township and Royal Forest sub-Capaldi Building Co. in Rochesdivision in Shelby Township. the second annual Fall Remodeling Show Sept. 29 to Oct. 2,

Lucky day

Top winner: Ron McCaffery (left) of Livonia was the

grand prize winner of a golf club giveaway sponsored

by Tanglewood, a championship golf course in Lyon

Township, and Farmington Hills-based The Selec-

tive Group, whose new homes starting at \$229,000

Ed Muir. McCaffery, whose name was drawn from

more than 175 entries, won a set of Ping Zing clubs,

Calloway drivers and a Ping golf bag. Other local

winners who received nine holes of golf for two, a

field Hills; and Bob Waite, Janine Stahley and

Jacqueline Harris, all of Livonia.

complimentary cart and dinner at the clubhouse are.

Bernard Williams, Northville; W. Bachman, Bloom-

surround the public course. He's shown with golf pro

BASM will sponsor:

The shows at the Novi Expo Center feature products and serlected dates for its 1994 home the 76th annual International vices for the home and garden. Builders Home, Flower and Fur-

have over two acres of gardens, over 100 cut flower arrangements, entertainment and demonstrations, as well as products and services for the home and garden. Homearama is a public show

landscaping. "Homeowners are able to see

or new home," Capaldi said.

The Cobo Builders Show will

ing of new homes built especially or public display by members of BASM featuring the latest ideas in home design and building techniques, as well as decor and

products and services for the ome and garden at Homearama in actual settings for their current

Perceptron Inc. has earned a \$1.22-million grant to develop commercial software for threedimensional vision systems based on LASAR technology

developed by the Farmington Hills company. The grant came from the U.S. Department of Commerce, through the National Institute of Standards and Technology.

> be funded over two years. "This grant will allow the company to accelerate the development of standard and generic three-dimensional software for image processing and object feature analysis, which

The award will complement

the company's Research and

Development program and will

can be used in a variety of commercial applications," said Dwight D. Carlson, president and CEO.

"We have already been high-

Perceptron earns software grant

y successful in the sale of our existing LASAR systems to early technology adopters such as Battelle, Caterpillar, Martin Marietta and others. This grant will provide the opportunity to develop a variety of three-dimensional vision solu tions for common industrial

Creation of 3-D imaging software is the key. "We are particularly pleased that while hundreds of companies applied to NIST for grants, we are one of a small selected group, which

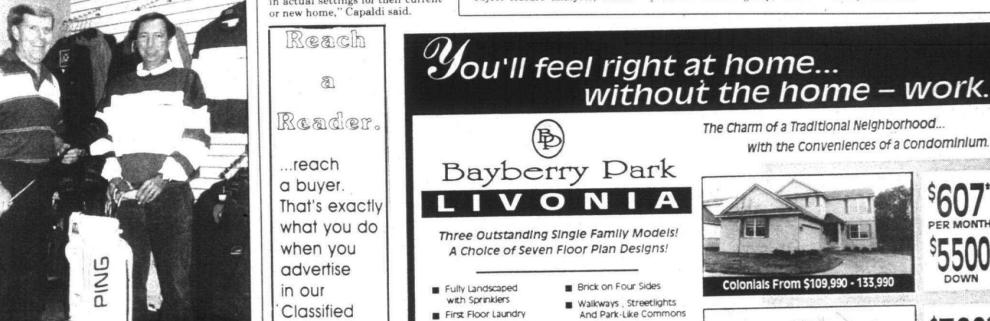
underscores the recognized importance of developing this technology," said James E. McGrath, Perceptron chair

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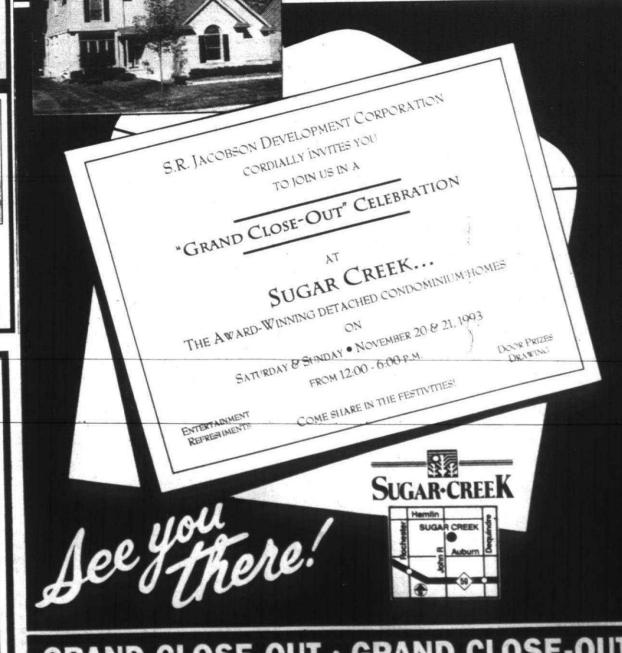


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CPA gains limelight for entrepreneurial spirit

Birmingham resident Judith Trepeck, a partner with the Farmington Hills CPA firm of Rehmann Robson & Co., is a 1993 honoree of Michigan's Initiative for Entrepreneurial Excellence

She was one of five women business owners honored.

EXCEL! is funded in part by the Small Business Administra tion. Honorees received their awards for either making admirable progress or outstanding achievement in business or who have made significant contributions to other business owners.

The Greater Detroit Chapter of the National Association of Busi ness Owners (NAWBO), received the most nominations, according to Chinvere Neale.

telligent and professional without sacrificing warmth, encourage ment and humor. Trepeck said she was, regretfully, out of the country when the award was given. Friend Tamara

Neale said. "She is assertive, in

"Judy epitomizes leadership.

Tazzia accepted it for her. "I'm really proud," Trepeck aid modestly

Trepeck was NAWBO president in 1990-91 and was responsi-

Trepeck, a former president of ble for bringing the EXCEL! program to NAWBO, Neale said.

> "As a past NAWBO president she enthusiastically continues to support both NAWBO and EX-CEL! and has served as mentor both formally and informally to many project clients," Neale said "She does all this while working with clients, playing a very active role in the many professional, and service organizations to which she belongs and maintaining a fami-

They are husband David Adler, a Detroit business owner, and daughters Julie and Jennifer Trepeck and Meredith and Emily

Trepeck holds a bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of Michigan.

"Ever ready to be of service, she served as project manager of the Michigan Alliance of Women Business Councils in its early de velopment and has been a delegate to the White House Conference on Small Business (1986) and was the first woman president to the Accountant's Guild," Neale said.

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Judith Trepick: She "epitomizes leadership.

Dr. Jonathan P. Wiens of

Farmington Hills was elected ex-

ecutive secretary-treasurer of the

American Academy of Maxillofa-

cial Prosthetics, a national organ

ization that studies the replace-

ment of missing teeth, jaws and

other bone area due to cancer,

trauma or birth defects. Dr

Wiens, a prosthodontist who prac-

tices in West Bloomfield, is an as-

sociate professor in the depart-

ment of prosthodontics at the Uni-

versity of Detroit Mercy School of

Dentistry. He's also on staff at

Providence and Sinai hospitals in

Southfield and Detroit respective

Fred J. Musone was appointed

to the newly created position of

president-worldwide manufactur

ing operations at Southfield-based

Stars from page 1F

Heather Brenke and Mi chael Lipp, both of Westland, and Lori Beale of Waterford were promoted to staff accountants at Follmer, Rudzewicz & Co., a Southfield accounting firm. All three joined the company in 1991 after graduating from Eastern Michigan Uni

Katie LaForet of Farmington Hills was named sales representative for The Residences at TPC, a Dearborn residential community built around o Jack Nicklaus-designed Tournament Players Club of Michigan course. LaForet She has five years' experience in new construction sales and has been with Bloomfield Hills-based Robertson Brothers group for one

Kevin R., Wixted of Troy has been named advertising and public relations director La-Z-Boy Chair Co., Monroe. He's responsible for developing national consumer and retail advertising pro- Wixted

troit advertising agency. Robert S. Storen was named president and CEO Southfield-based Perini Building Co. Central U.S. Divi sion, formerly R.E. Dailey & Co. He brings 25 years of management experience in the con struction industry Storen to this position

y was vice president-account su-

pervisor at Ross Roy Inc., a De-

grams. He previous

Dean Solden, chief financial Center, also was named CEO. He the center's board of directors.

Kimberlee A. Foster of Farmington Hills was promoted to asso ciate at Plante & Moran, a South field-based accounting and man agement consulting firm. Foster joined the accounting staff in 1988 specializing in manufacturing and nonprofit organizations.

T.J. DiGuiseppe of Bloomfield Hills was named nanaging directo of Hydro Aluminum Automotive Struc tures. Southfield, a newly creation posi-

tion. He had been vice president-mar keting for Hydro eutical marketer for Marion Mer-Aluminum Bohn. DiGuiseppe rell Dow, Kansas City.

Donna L. Pelkey was named human resources vice president at Crittenton Hospital, Rochester Hills. She previously was human resources seph's Mercy of Maomb Hospitals and Pelkey Health Services.

Patrick M. O'Keefe of Troy has joined Birmingham-based Conway MacKenzie Dunleavy, which specializes in debt restructure counseling, reorganizatio and management of financially troubled O'Keefe

ompanies in providing litigation support services, as a partner. He brings 15 years of experience as a CPA and an enrepreneur in real estate develop-

Cynthia B. Faulhaber of Beverly Hills is a member of the task the American Bar Association. She's an attorney in the Detroit is studying sign language. office of Miller, Canfield, Paddock

Peggi Weber has joined uthfield-based HomeHealth Exhange, a private duty/home care agency, as director of marketing services. She's worked in crisis inervention and social services at Botsford General Hospital, Farmngton Hills, and was a pharma-

Donald N. Hobley, manager of the Hobley Agency, Troy, was elected president of The Equitable Assurance Society's Old Guard, the company's association of agency managers. He previously was treasurer and a member of its executive committee. Since joining the company in 1967. Hobley has won the National Builder's Trophy and the Gold President's Tro phy. He's earned the National Citation Award for nine consecutive

Kristine L. Gillespie of Northille has joined Troy-based MVP Communications, a full-service cisual communications company s account representative for the new business team. She previously was an account manager for postproduction/animation houses and radio stations.

William A. Sankbeil of Bir mingham became a Fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers at the college's annual meeting Ken Schweitzer is the new op- and ceremony in Washington, erations manager at Westland D.C. Membership, by invitation of the Westland Mall from Eastland Canada. The group's purpose is to metro Detroit for 22 years.

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RIANGLE DEVELOPMENT

Tina M. LaForest of Troy has joined Southfield-based Schmaltz rce on pro bono and the program & Co., an accounting and consultdevelopment and special projects ing firm, as a member of the acommittee for the government and counting service group. She public sector lawyer's division of earned an associate degree from Schoolcraft College, Livonia, and

> Attorneys Kelly K. Hunt o Livonia and Nancy L. Pasterz of Troy have joined Thurswell, Chayet & Weiner, a Southfield firm located in Town Center.

James M. Mitchell of Royal Southfield accounting and consulting firm, as a staff accountant. He has two years of auditing expe-

Vice president account supervi sors Marc Caroselli of Novi and David J. Rodriguez of Rochester Hills have new assignments at BBDO, a Southfield-based advertising agency. Caroselli was assigned to the truck group handling Dakota, full-line truck and Dodge brand. He joined the company in 1982 and previously was assigned to the ear account group. Rodri guez was assigned to the car ac count group responsible for the Intrepid and the new JA car. He joined the company in 1990 and previously was assigned to the Ram pickup truck.

Paul H. Eagle, formerly of Livonia, was promoted from executive vice president to president of Ohio-based Greer Steel. Eagle now lives in New Philadelphia, Ohio, with his wife and two sons.

E. Lynne Risdon was pro moted to assistant vice president of Franklin Bank, Southfield. She joined the bank in June as a commercial loan officer. She previously was a private banking officer at Comerica Bank.

Catherine Taperek was promoted to corporate vice president of D.O.C. Optics, Southfield. She joined the company in 1982 and Shopping Center, 35000 W. War- the board of regents, includes has held various positions with ren, Westland. He transferred to 4,700 Fellows from the U.S. and the company, including store replaces David Shubow, who will Center in Harper Woods, where he improve standards of trial prac-nator, franchise liaison, POS stay on as president and chairman was ground/building maintenance tice, administration of justice and manager and director of training. of the board. Solden's wife, Sari supervisor. He has more than 13 professional ethics. Sankbeil has In her new role, she'll be involved Shubow Solden, is a member of years of experience in shopping been a practicing attorney in in training, POS systems and cor-

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Franklin Bank, Southfield, has added loan officers Judith M. Brownell and Corey A.-Jacoby to its expanded residential lending staff. Before joining the bank in 1993, Brownell was an assistant banking officer at NBD. Jacoby joined the company in 1992 as a commercial loan review analyst.

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NAWBO has 220 members

Gregory D. Taylor of West Bloomfield was promoted from the accounting staff to associate at Plante & Moran, a Southfieldbased accounting and management consulting firm. He joined Oak has joined Schmaltz & Co., a the company in 1988 after graduating from Michigan State University. He specializes in manufac turing, contracting and munici-

> Adam Smock was promoted from account services assistant to account executive at Stone, August. Baker, a Trov-based public relations firm. He joined the company in 1992 after an internship in the PR department. He's a 1992 graduate of Eastern Michigan University. Lori Apple has joined Excellacare Services, Inc., Farmington

Hills, as director of medical ser-

vices in the skilled care division.

She previously worked in Florida

as a clinical manager of residen-David D. Beane of Rochester Hills has joined the senior staff at General Motor's Buick City Assembly, Flint. He joined the company in 1973 as a production supervisor in Kansas City, Missouri and became assistant superintendent in 1980. He transferred to the Wentzville, Missouri assembly center in 1983 as superintendent of production and later was

named general superintendent. In

1992, he was named assistant

plant manager at the Hamtramck

assembly center.

Federal-Mogul, a global distribu tor and manufacturer primarily of precision automotive parts. Since oining the company in 1972, he's held a variety of management and executive positions in manufacturing and distribution, including a three-year stint as vice president and general manager of aftermarket distribution and logistics func tion. Since 1989, he's been president of the chassis products operation. Alan C. Johnson was named vice president-powertrain operations-Americas. William W. Bilkey, Jr. was appointed general manager of lighting, electrical and fuel systems. D. James Davis was named vice president, chassis operations and James O. David was named vice president, distribution and logistics, worldwide aftermarket operation. In another move, Federal-Mogul's manufacturing and aftermarket sourcing activities will be combined under Charles J. Fischer, vice president of global sourcing. The move

is designed to maximize the com-

pany's purchasing coordination on

a global basis.





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THURSDAY, NOV. 18

FAMILY CONNECTIONS The National Association of Women **Business Owners-Detroit Chapter** hosts Maureen Macauley, who will dis cuss the challenges and benefits of working in a family-owned business lacauley, vice president of the fumiture division of Macauley's Office products, is the fifth generation to work in her family business. The dinner meeting begins at 6:30 p.m. at the Marriott Hotel, 27033 Northwest em Highway, Southfield. A holiday gif pazaár precedes the dinner at 5 p.m The program, including dinner, is \$25 for members, \$30 for non-members. For information, call Chinyere Neale at 396-3576.

ACCOUNTANTS MEET

Mike Licastro, manager, Ernst & Young, speaks at the Institute of Management Accountants Oakland County Chapter at 6 p.m. at the Kingsley Inn. Bloomfield Hills. Topic: federal tax review. Dinner, \$20 by reservation, \$23 at the door, Call Bernard Gerber: 594-4800, fax 323-8030.

BUSINESS PLANS The Continuum Center at Oakland University in Rochester Hills presents an evening workshop on "How to Write a Business Plan" 7-9:30 p.m. on campus. Explore what a business plan is, why it's important and how to develop a goal-oriented course of action. The fee is \$39. For more information, call 370-3033.

INTERNETWORKING Florida-based Racal-Datacom hosts a free seminar, "Building SNA Internet-

works." for corporate systems execu tives and data communications per sonnel responsible for bringing togeth er IBM mainframe wide area networks The seminar takes place 9 a.m. to noon at the Radisson Plaza Hotel, 1500 Town Center, Southfield. Regis tration starts at 8:30 a.m. To reserve a seat, call 1-800-323-8732 Ext.

RUSINESS WRITING

Oakland Community College Business Technology Center and C-Tip offer a workshop on "Grammar for the Bus ness Writer" 6-9 p.m. at the Orchard Ridge campus in Farmington Hills Cost is \$70. To register, call Laura at SATURDAY, NOV. 20

IR EXECUTIVES

Segue Entertainment DJs and Karaoke invites sixth-, seventh- and eighth-grade students to the debut presentation of its Jr. Executive Money Making Program 10 a.m. to 4 p.m at the Kingsley Inn, 1475 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills. Parents are welcome. Advance registration at 960-3426 required.

MONDAY, NOV. 29

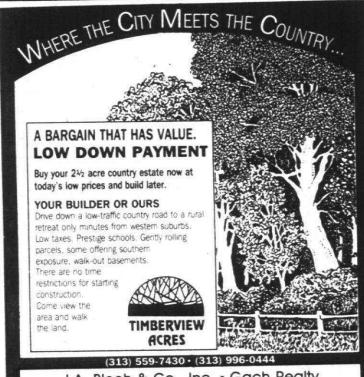
SELLING HELP

Brian Tracy presents two separate seminars -- "The New Psychology of Selling" 1-4 p.m. and "Time Em powerment" 7-9:30 p.m. - at the Southfield Plaza Hotel, 16400 J.L. Hudson Drive. The afternoon session is \$60, the evening session \$40. For ticket information, call 377-0200.

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Center presents a workshop on "How o Start a Small Business" 9-11:30 a.m. at its office, 1301 W. Long Lake, roy. Participants test their entrepreneurial skills, learn how to implement their business ideas and receive a list of pitfalls to avoid. No charge for the workshop, but a \$10 fee for workbook. This workshop is repeated 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Wednes day, Dec. 15. BEDC is a partnership between Walsh College and Oakland Community College. For information, call 952-5800.

COMPUTER TALK Michael Wilens, vice president for

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Fairlane in Dearborn, Speakers: Ste-

ven C. Dilley, professor at Michigan

State University; Steven H. Martin, In-

Santucci, founding partner of a Califor

ternal Revenue Service; and Danny C

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FRIDAY, DEC. 3

Michigan Defense Trial Counsel fo-cuses on "Evaluation and Proof of Damages Using Experts" at its winter neeting 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Hote Baronette in Novi. Dennis Archer, Deroit's mayor-elect, will speak at lunch. Registration is \$85 for members, (\$95 after Nov. 19) and \$95 for members (\$105 after Nov. 19). uncheon-only tickets are \$35. For ination, call Madelyne Lawry at 517-482-7538.



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題 DEVELOPER TREAT

young, married couples with small children was treated to a Fall Festival family barbecue by the developer, Nosan/Cohen Associates and Nosan Building

Corp., both of West Bloomfield. nvitations included masks that children were to decorate and ring to the barbecue for judging t Woods of Novi subdivision est of Decker, south of 14 Mile The winner won a Toys R Us gift certificate although each child received a gift.

Uptown Deli of Farmington Hills catered the 200-guest event, held under a tent between two models Oct. 15. A DJ from Silver Sounds set the tone for an evening of dancing.

That afternoon, the developers treated 100 Realtors to lunch while introducing them to the subdivision. Too Chez of Novi did the catering.

The weekend featured a grand losing with a clown, music and refreshments even though the sub almost fully occupied. To keep the site attractive, the

developers have planted thousands of dollars worth of trees beaind the houses that back up to Decker Road. The sub has won a Novi beautification award each year since it opened about three years ago.

罐 WHERE'S THE BEEF?

Detroit-based Cattleman's, one t Michigan's largest beef pro-

cessing companies, has opened a 19,000 square-foot meat and proluce store in Uptown Farmington Plaza, Grand River and Orchard Lake, Farmington. The refurbished store, in the former Oak Farms fruit and vegetable market, employs about 60 people. It is Cattleman's first new store since

Shoppers can select packaged meat in the store's 5,000-squarefoot, walk-in meat locker or get packing house cuts from the

metro-Detroit stores and plans another new location on Detroit's

executive officer.

Dziurman/Associates, a Troybased consulting engineering firm, has finished an environmer tal inspection of buildings and grounds owned by Heritage Federal Savings Bank, Taylor. The site evaluation precedes Heritage's merger with Standard Fed eral, Troy. It took about 45 days to inspect the facilities, located

from Flat Rock to Petoskey. Dziurman calls site assess ments like this the "first line of environmental contamination

IN THE NEWS

house Financial Planning & Eduthe November issue of Financial Planning magazine. In an article

titled "Searching for Spendthrifts," Wordhouse says savings can't begin without debt

Wordhouse teaches money management workshops around metro-Detroit and has produced audio tapes on several financial topics, including money control, creating wealth and qualifying for college financial aid. This year, she was named top financial planner in the U.S. by the Mar-

■ TOP 100 Ferndale-based Nature Nook Florists was recognized as a Top 100 member of Florist's

iner Financial Planning Corp.

Transworld Delivery based on the volume of floral orders it sends via FTD. Nature Nook also is among the top 60 FTD florists in the nation

Nature Nook has 10 metro-Detroit locations, including shops in Hudson's at Northland, Oakland and Westland malls.

M SECOND TIME AROUND

Lots for Ladies, a resale store carrying women's wear, has pened in the Campus Corners Shopping Center, Livernois and University, Rochester Hills. It's just a few doors from its sister store, Lots for Tots. The new store sells casual and career wear designer clothes, maternity wear, coats, seasonal clothing and some

new accessories. Customers who shopped at Lots for Tots, also resale, started asking for the same sort of store for women's wear, said owner Kathy Newton, who opened Lots for Tots in 1985.

Newton keeps an eye out for special clothing requests that customers place on the store's 'wish list." The store has layaway and a seven-day return policy. Clothing is accepted on consign-

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An honorable mention in private practice was awarded to Harley Ellington Pierce Yee Associates, Southfield, for its Ford Motor Co. scientific research laboratory.

Farmington Hills-based Thom-

WINS CONTRACT Barton Malow Co., a Southfield-based construction management firm, has landed a \$16.7 million contract for additions and renovations in the Anchor Bay school district in New Baltimore Roy G. French Associates, Rochester, is the project's architect.

The contract calls for work at seven schools, a development academy and transportation maintenance and operations facil-

Barton Malow has signed a partnering charter with the A. Phillip Randolph Vocational Technical Center, Detroit, giving selected students employment op portunities with Barton Malow and a subsidiary, The ARGOS Group.

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M ATTEND CONFERENCE Partners Don Schmaltz, Don Clayton, Steve Gallanis and Kevin McKervey of Schmaltz & Co., a Southfield-based accounting and consulting firm, recently attended the NEXIA International conference in Orlando

Conference topics included NAFTA, the future of international business markets and environmental matters affecting midsized businesses in the U.S. NEXIA is an international asso-

consumer research in the U.S. and abroad.

ciation of independent accounting

Dr. Sarada Gullapalli, an inter-

nist, has joined the staff of St.

Mary Hospital, Livonia. She

earned her medical degree in

south India and finished her in-

ternship at Detroit Macomb Hos

pital Association, Detroit. She

served her residency in internal

medicine at St. Joseph Mercy

Her office is at 9001 Middle-

belt, Livonia. The phone number

Jeffrey S. Green, president and

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L. Green & Associates, was fea-

Forty Under Forty list for 1993.

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Green joined the Troy-based

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> During a career of 40-plus years, Smykla held numerous management positions with Yellow Pages, including sales, public relations, advertising and produc tion. In 1974, he was appointed by AT&T to the National Yellow Pages Service steering committee He was executive director of the National Yellow Pages Service Association from 1975 to his re-



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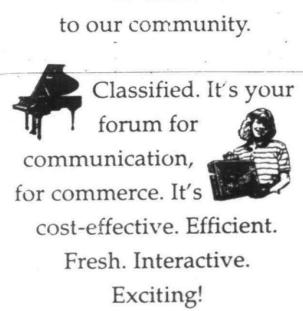
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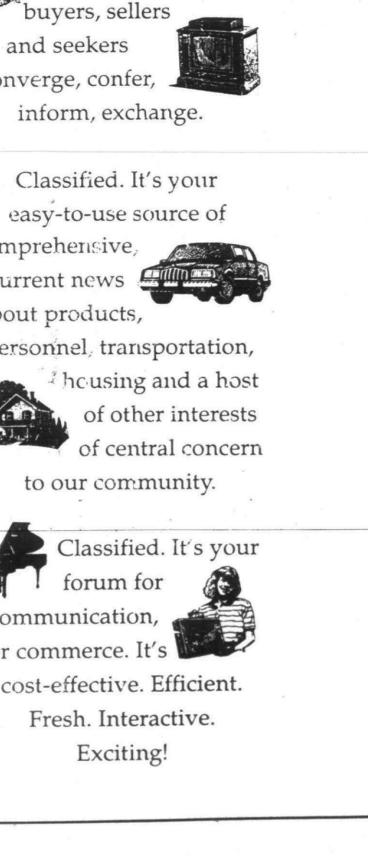
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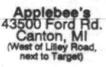
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Family Life readers take on many faces, representing parents, grandparents, child-care professionals, teachers, the human service network, corporate representation, physicians and many more. Because you represent a pool of people with a variety of good ideas, and key information resources that are valuable to other readers, as they relate to family issues - family preservation, participation, awareness of health/safety precautions child-behavior management, education, budgeting, business, family values and supportive services - it is necessary to hear from you more.

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to support family - on-site child care, resource and referral and consumer education information options. What information do you have on financial assistance for college education, and opportunities that will provide avenues to employment, and better lifestyles for families? (Health care, and follow-up home visits from health-care specialists, technical support services for families, free consultation, grant/funding info and so much

Loyal Family Life readers, and new readers too please take a few minutes to complete the mini survey below, and return it to the address at the end of this column.

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A fancy affair







Model group: Twin sisters Samer and Julie Coyle (at left) picked out the clothes they wore left during the children's show, while their father, Dr. Sean Coyle, a hospice physician, bundle up in casual winter gear for the men's fashion show. Channel 7 newscaster Cheryl Choudin was among celebrities who modeled Segrets resort/cruise wear the women's show.

Crowd 'lights up' to hospice



The staff of Angela Hospice Home Care has reason to be doubly pleased with a highly successful "Light Up a Life" benefit that has generated \$25,000 for its program and the opening of its free-standing care center.

By Sue Mason Staff Writer

Funny face:

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of Redford.

It may well have been the grand opening celebration. More than 1,000 people packed Jacobson's Laurel Park store in Livonia Nov. 9 to sample food, sip wine and share in the euphoria of the opening of the Angela Hospice Care Center.

It was the largest crowd ever for the sixth annual "Light Up a Life" benefit for Angela Hospice. Sponsored by the Italian American Club of Livonia, the event raised more than \$25,000 for the hospice organi-

"We're just so thankful for them (the Italian American Club) and their work," said Sister Mary Giovanni, president of Angela Hospice, sampling the coconut chicken served by the Country Epicure, one of 17 restaurants and food merchants providing food and beverages for the evening.

Interest in the evening at Jacobson's has been slowly increasing but the leap from 680 patrons in 1992 to a sellout this year was because people find it's a good cause," said Carolyn DiComo, benefit chairper-

"I guess we're just organized," a beaming DiComo said. "Every year

we get better and better, we get more and more organized.'

Notables like State Rep. Lyn Bankes, Sheriff Robert Ficano, county Commissioner Kay Beard, even Carol Cassie, who just staged the highly successful "Hollywood Nights" benefit for St. Mary Hospital's Project S.M.I.L.E., were spotted mingling with other party goers.

The fund-raiser came less than two weeks before the by-invitationonly formal dedication of the Angela Hospice Care Center, set for Sunday, Nov. 21. A public open house is set for 1-3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 5.

The care center is the first freestanding facility of its kind in the state and is situated along Newburgh Road north of Schoolcraft on the Felician Sisters' property.

Ground was broken for the twostory facility in November 1991. The first floor will be occupied by patients. The second floor is for administrative offices which Angela Hospice staffers moved into Nov. 8.

This is a vision come true," Sister Giovanni said. "In a month, we'll begin taking in patients and already we have a waiting list."

Seriousness aside, the evening was a time for party goers to watch as children sometimes shyly, sometimes boldly marched down the runselected for in fashions they their fashion show. "Oohs," "aahs" and "Isn't that cute," followed the kids as they headed for the dressing room, including one young boy who took only one step before dashing

See HOSPICE, 2H

Center offers patients a place to go

By Christina Fuoco Staff Writer

A once-rundown historic Canton schoolhouse is now providing relief for Alzheimer's patients and their caregivers

Canton Adult Day Care moved into the Sheldon School house in early October and redecorated on a shoestring budget. Mauve paint now covers the walls, natural wreaths hang on the windows, and gold and white lights illuminate overhead.

Director Cindy Lockman and site manager Kris tin Witte used pastel bedsheets to re-cover couches

and chairs. The warm colors and one-on-one attention the day care center offers soothe Alzheimer's disease patients and their caregivers.

"They (Alzheimer's patients) sometimes feel confused or abandoned on their own; we give them a lot of TLC," Lockman said. "We have volunteers who work with the programs and activities. We get the closest we can get to one-on-one.

Alzheimer's disease is an irreversible brain disorder that impairs the brain's ability to function normally. It strikes most frequently with advancing age and as it progresses causes loss of memory, impairment of judgment, and abstract thinking.

The disease most often afflicts people in their 60s and 70s. It shows itself very gradually and runs its course from two to 15 years. Starting as minor memory loss, Alzheimer's eventually leads to complete disorientation and incontinence. Toward the end, individuals are incapable of caring for them-

See DAY CARE, 2H her day at the center.



BILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Puzzle time: One of the activities Canton Adult Day Care Center Program Coordinator Lea Dillon (left) does with client Leona Spencer is work a jigsaw puzzle during

Hospice

from page 1H

Vancouver, British Columbia, designer Ron Leal of jax showed off his holiday, spring and cruise wear collections, offering the audience pointers on the changing trends in fabrics and how to make their clothes work for them.

Pajama-style pantsuits in bold red and black checks and a black cashmere sweater paired up with a full-length skirt made of 30 vards of tulle offered go-anywhere party styling, while triacetate rayon, "the fabric of the '90s started by Giorgio Armani." gave soft shapes to pants, jackets and skirts in muted shades of celery

Cruise wear also was the focus of the women's celebrity fashion show, featuring Segrets resort/ cruise wear by designer Ingrid Olsen. Radio personality Colleen Bucar and TV newscasters Sarah Barr and Cheryl Chodin helped showcase the fashions.

But stealing the evening was the men's celebrity fashion show, where Wayne County Commis sioner Bryan Amann did an encore of his "Night Stalker" pajama modeling of last year, involv ing fellow celebs Rick Rizzs of the



Hair raising: Mary Berry sits patiently as Pam Delucca of Mei Fa shows how to use the company's hair styx to give hair a lift.

rologist Paul Gross and "the next his dress socks, snagging a \$1 bill president of the United States,"

With the theme from "Rocky" as a backdrop, Amann padded down the runway in a white robe, Coyle. Rizzs, wearing boxers and

in his waistband from one "fan." All in good humor, the other 'models" walked out in boxers. flannel sleep pants, even a night

shirt worn by hospice doctor Sean

give them their shortsightedness.

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Then let go of it and move on.

little witty herself.

robe, protested that he "didn't know about this," before striking a Hulk Hogan pose and doing a John Travolta "Saturday Night

The evening at an end, DiComo happily admitted that the event is

best-selling book, "A Return to

Love": "Forgiveness is a full-time

job and sometimes very difficult

Few of us always succeed, yet

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noble calling and our most im-

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locument it," she said. Transportation is also available. The center is also forming caregiver and participant sup-

port groups. Canton Adult Day Care is the fourth center organized by Parent, Child and Family Serices of Washtenaw. Since 1980, they've established three other centers, the first in Ann Arbor in 1980, followed by one

Health Assistance Foundation,

one out of three families in the

U.S. has been affected by Al-

zheimer's in some way and 70

percent of those families care

for an Alzheimer's sufferer at

home. That type of care can

take its toll on a family, and

that's where the the day care

center comes in. It offers

respite for the family and a su-

pervised, organized program for

The center, open 1-5 p.m.

Tuesday and Thursday, offers

recreational and therapeutic

activities that promote inde-

pendence for individuals suf-

ering from Alzheimer's and re-

The activities for the center

are planned according to indi-

ments, physicians' orders, and

individualized care plans

They are designed to build

self-esteem, maintain inde-

pendence, maximize the capa-

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vide mental and physical stim-

ulation, and promote social

interaction, according to Lock-

The adult day care volun-

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vidual participant assess-

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lated diseases.

urday, Dec. 4. n Plymouth in 1987 and a "No matter how much we do, hird in Redford in 1991. Lockman directs all the centers but The program is funded by

the Older Americans Act through the State Appropria tions and Office of Service to the Aging and administered by the Senior Alliance and the Area Agency on Aging 1-B. Fees are based on a sliding scale ranging from \$15 to \$25. Reservations are required Lockman stresses that the pro

gram is not a drop-in center. 'Because it's funded

Day Care from page 1H

Canton Adult Day Care also caters to the needs of the caregivers by providing a 'Learn and Care' program which will offer workshops about stress, time management, and financial and legal empowerment.

through the Senior Alliance nobody is denied service due to inability to pay," Lockman said. The only requirement is that the patient must live in

Wayne County. "If there's too many (cli ents), there's too much stimulation for Alzheimer's patients," Lockman said.

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"It's a new venture; it came about because the needs of the caregiver are often overlooked,' she said. "We need to address those needs as well as the needs of the victim."

Right now, the center is looking for new participants, which are sometimes hard to

One way Lockman is introducing the center to the community and raising some extra money is a small craft bazaar that will be held there on Sat-

it's hard for people (to find) " she said. "People don't get the Yellow Pages and look up adult day care

Canton Adult Day Care is at the Sheldon School House. 44649 Michigan Ave., Canton. The phone number is 397-8665. Other centers are at 2455 Washtenaw. Ann Arbor (996-0407): 46500 N. Territorial Plymouth (451-1455): and 25940 Grand River, Redford

multi-colored boxer shorts and a black T-shirt under a white Writer tends to focus on negatives



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willing to try. I would be delighted to have my handwriting analyzed in this paper.

cherish is honesty. I guess you

can say I am curious, very. I am

Our writer refers to herself as a cynic. While this may be the case, numerous signs suggest her cynicism may be the result of a need for understanding and love. It seems quite possible that she has not always been on the receiving

end of unconditional love.

This is an independent woman, one who often wants to have her own way. Also, she sometimes wants to control others by giving the orders and having them obeyed. She can be somewhat inflexible in her attitudes at times. There is an element of secrecy

in this handwriting. Often, a secretive person is living with a problem or problems. Because she much happier person if she would hide them. Her defense against and irritability. I realize they are intrusion is to block off intimate not easy to master, but can be information from others.

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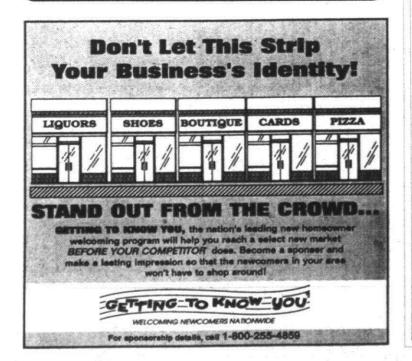
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I feel certain it is troubling her. Another trait which is currently having a negative influence on her is resentment. Very often she is ceives from past hurts. This has resulted in a chip-on-the-shoulder syndrome. When she feels someone is taking advantage of her, she uses sarcasm as her de-

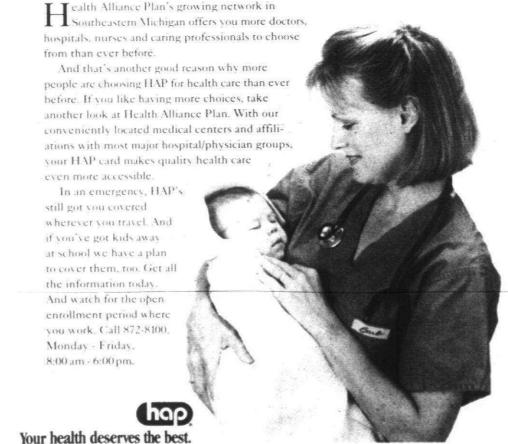
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Soaps' 'queen' talks about her life on stage and TV

Veteran actress of the stage and elevision Eileen Fulton, known as "the queen of the daytime soaps" for her long running character Lisa Coleman-McColl on "As the World Turns," kicked off the 1993-94 Northville Town Hall Born in Asheville, N.C., as

Margaret Mary McLartey, Fulton, as a child, never tired of moving to different towns - something she did frequently because of her father's ministry. She welcomed the opportunity as a venture to try on a different acting persona n each new town.

The young McLartey would oftentimes take advantage of her father's Sunday congrégation to make her grand entrance while playing dress-up. To her, it was an audience and she loved their reaction. Through it all, the McLarteys were always supportive of their daughter's childhood acting efforts.

Fulton also recalled her mother's love for opera music, especially "Aida," played on the family phonograph, which she would imitate in song and dramatic gesture. That influence set the stage for a more serious and disciplined style of stage acting she would later pursue.

During her collegiate years, Fulton earned a double major in music and drama and later starred in her first off-Broadway play, "The Lost Colony." In the leaner years between live stage World Turns.' jobs in her young career, she ad-

Many faces: Veteran stage and TV actress Eileen Fulton showed her many theatrical faces during her speech at the Northville Town Hall.

posed for a few scandal magazine stories in a slip. "It was my only way to act,"

Her unrelenting persistence to landed Fulton the character part

of Lisa Coleman on the award winning daytime TV soap "As the

who is no stranger to Mighigan, having performed in numerous summer stock plays at Traverse

aged to delicately juggle her work City's Cherry County Playhouse. In her early years of live televion the live morning TV soap with sion, Fulton recalled on-air starring roles in the Broadway bloopers and blunders - falling "The Fantastics" at night props, flubbed lines and missed and "Who's Afraid of Virgina cues - that helped boost the Woolf" for afternoon matinee persoap opera's ratings, much to the "I always knew I could be whatproducer's surprise.

She recalls one particular taped episode that called for her hardened shrewish character to con sume an ice cream soda. What

Grandparents are Irene Wiwigacz

of Dearborn and the late Arnold

Stanley Wiwigacz and the late

JERRY and LISA COAN of

Redford announce the birth of LAURA ELIZABETH Sept. 22.

Stanley and Margaret Nayh.

Fulton has performed in a nightclub act, written a book, been a health entrepreneur, a sports team owner and a recording artist. She penned her first autobiographical book, 'How My World Turns,' in 1970. She's given her second book the working title 'Diva Darling.'

title "Diva Darling." resembled whipped cream was Fulton, at age 60, attributes her shaving cream, a practical joke concocted by another actor. Without as much as a flinch or facial

■ Over the years and in her spare time, Elicen

youthful appearance and vibrant enthusiasm to New Skin and Ingrimace in the tradition of the terior Design products for which show must go on, Fulton conshe is a consumer and distributor. Fulton was owner of the first prosumed the entire thing to the asfessional women's basketball tonishment of her fellow actors. team, the New York Stars, who She played it straight and the won a national basketball championship title in 1980. Currently, In public, Fulton is quite often Fulton is looking for a reputable recognized by fans, whom she graciously obliges with an autograph. distributor to market her recording, "First Kiss." In one instance, Fulton was re-

peatedly struck with a handbag in Fulton says she has been married three times and although she lor store by an overzealous viewer has no children, she delights in who vehemently objected to the the companionship of her three latest antics of her soap character. small pedigree dogs she considers "my children in a way."

Fulton also required round-theclock police protection after re-Always careful never to reveal ceiving written death threats from specific details of future soap epia fan upset by her character's dassodes, Fulton did hint at a possitardly misconduct. ble future male love interest to be written in the script for her more Sometimes truth can be tranger than fiction," she said. mature but ever-sophisticated Over the years and in her spare

character, Lisa.

Fulton has always wanted to play the part of a pioneer-type woman, many of her acting credits speak volumes as a professional female actress who continues to champion and pioneer the everevolving role of women in society.

BIRTHS

BOB and BRIDGET BUD-NIK of San Antonio, Texas, formerly of Novi, announce the birth NICOLE ASHLEY Sept. 9. She has a sister, Jennifer, 6. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George O'Grady of Westland and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Budnik of

MARK and CINDY OLESZKOWICZ of Plymouth announce the birth of MI-CHELLE ROSE July 8 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Ar bor. She has a brother, Andrew 13, and two sisters, Kristin, 10, and Carrie, 7. Grandparents are Clara Sosnowski and John and Helen Oleszkowicz, all of Dearborn Heights.

GARY and SUSAN ALLEN of ELIZABETH GAELYN Sept. l at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. She has a brother, Richard, 4, and a sister, Marissa,

and Vivian Nokes of Woodhaven.

PANKOW of Brighton announce the birth of CONNOR JOHN CHARLES Sept. 20 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He has a brother, Kyle Joseph, 3. BRIAN LIETZ and LAURIE

SANTO of Westland announce the birth of NICHOLAS BRIAN Sept. 25 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. He has a brother, Branden Michael. Grandparents are George and Susan Lietz of Inkster and Richard and Mickey Santo of

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ever I wanted to do," said Fulton

DAVID and MARY JECZEN Garden City announce the birth of KYLE DAVID Sept. 27 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. He has a sister, Kristin Marie. Grandparents are Bruce Jeczen of Garden City and Lee and Charlotte Orman of Livonia.

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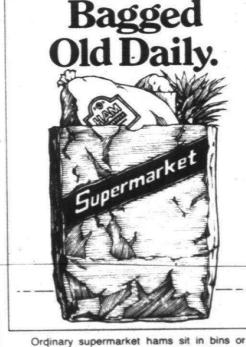
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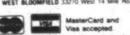


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Bible Study for all ages 9 45 AM Sundays Sunday Worship 11 00 AM & 6 00 PM Wednesday Service 7 00 PM

FARMINGTON HILLS CHURCH (Independent Baptist)
Sundays 10:00 a.m. Comfort Inn Conference Root 12 Mile Rd. at Orchard Lake Rd. & 696 Farmington Hills. MI (313) 539-0816 or 553-4994 As a church, we propose to OBEY GOD, a revealed in the Bible, even though the religious world follows man's popular ideal The basic challenge facing every reader: ARE YOU WILLING TO OBEY ALL THAT YO READY KNOW THE BIBLE CLEARL

TEACHES?" This goal requires self-derival at humble surrender to God's revealed will. M urge you to walk with us!



ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH 16360 Hubbard Road ronia, Michigan 48154 421-8451

Mon -Fri 9:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist ednesday 6:00 P.M. Dinner & Classes aturday 5:00 P.M. Holy Eucharist Sunday 7:45 & 10 A.M. Holy Eucharist

200 A.M. Christian Education for all ages

ay Morning - Nursery Care Availat The Rev. Robert Clapp, Recto Every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.
Phil. 2:11

EPISCOPAL CHURCH of the HOLY SPIRIT 9083 Newburgh Road Livonia - 591-0211 The Rev. Emery F. Gravelle, Vica The Rev. Margaret Haas. Assistar Winter Schedule - Sunday Services 8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist 0:30 a.m. Family Eucharist & Sunday School A Barrier Free Facility for the Handicapped

COVENANT

Faith Covenant Church Making Faith a Way of Life Sunday School for All Ages 9:30 a.m. Worship Services 8:30 & 10:45 Wednesday Dinner 6 p.m.

Youth Programs 6:45 p.m.

Adult Study 7 p.m. 35415 W. 14 Mile Road (Drake Road) 661-9191

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

NATIVITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 9435 Henry Ruff at West Chicago Livenia 48150 · 421-5406

9:15 A.M. Church School -WELCOME-

LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD

CHRIST OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH 14175 Farmington Rd. (Just N. of Jeffries X-Way)

Livonia Office • 522-6830 Rev. Luther A. Werth, Pastor Sunday Worship 8:30, 11:00 A.M. Sunday School & Bible Class 9:45 A.M. Sharing the Love of Christ Preschool, Kindergarten, Day Care

Information Hotline: 953-2048, #1605 MISSOURI SYNOD
High & Elm Streets, Northville T. Lubeck, Pastor L Kinne, Associate Pastor ch 349-3140 - School 349-3146 day Worship 8:30 & 11 00 A.M. Sunday School 9:45 A.M.

ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN Bible Class & SS 9:30 A.M. Monday Evening Service 7:30 P.M. Raiph Fischer, Pastor Gary D. Headapohi, Associate Pastor

Wednesday Worship 7:30 p.m.

Risen Christ Lutheran 46250 Ann Arbor Road Mile West of Sheldon Worship Service 8:30 & 11:00 a.m Family Sunday School 9:45 a.m. K. M. Mehrl. Pastor Hugh McMartin. Lay Minister

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Timothy Lutheran Church 8820 Wayne Rd. Ann Arbor Trail & Joy Road Livonia • 427-2290

Rev. Mary T. Olivanti, Pastor

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Meeting the Needs of the Family' SATURDAY WORSHIP 5:30 p.m. SUNDAY WORSHIP 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 and 11 a.m. TRANSPORTATION & NURSERY AVAILABLE

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APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN

ST. JOHN NEUMANN FIRST APOSTOLIC **LUTHERAN CHURCH** 26325 Halstead Road at 11 Mile Farmington Hills, Michigan

Services Every Sunday at 10:30 A.M

UNITED METHODIST

NARDIN PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 476-8860

Worship, Nursery & Church School 9:15 A.M. & 11:00 A.M. November 21st "Sighting Shore" Pastor Richard Peacock Rev Richard A Peacock Rev Karen B Poole Rev Robert Bough Rev William Frayer

NEWBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 422-0149

STATE OF THE STATE

Worship Services & Sunday School 9:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. November 21st

'Living the Doxology'

Dr. Gilson M. Miller Rev. Melanie L. Carey

First United Methodist Church

Worship at 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. (Nursery Provided)

Rev. Mike Seymou

Director of Education: Linda A. Bynum Ministers: The Entire Church

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PRESBYTERIAN (U.S.A.)

Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church, (U.S.A.)

Hubbard at W. Chicago · Livonia · 422-0494

Presbyterian

Church

17000 Farmington Road Livonia 422-1150

Nursery Provided

Shuttle Service

Service Broadcas

WUFL-AM 1030

Thanksgiving Day

"Thanksgiving When

You're Down"

Dr. Bartlett L. Hess

Worship Services - Sunday school

8:00, 9:15, 10:45 a.m. and 12:05 p.m.

Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

Thanksgiving Eve Service

Worship and Church School

Nursery Care

Rev. Richard I. Peters

Rev. Ruth Billington

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Saturday Worship 5:30 p.m.

9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

nday Worship & Church School

9:00 & 11:00 a.m.



PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 10101 W. Ann Arbor Rd., Plymout **Worship Services** 8:15 a.m. Prayer & Praise Service

11:00 a.m. Traditional Service

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES 9:30 A.M. Dr. Wm. C. Moore - Pastor **Nursery Provided** Phone 459-9550

LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL 9600 Leverne · So. Redford · 937-2424 Rev. Glenn Kopper, Rev. Lawrence Witto WORSHIP WITH US Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 A.M. Monday Evening 7:00 P.M. Bible Classes and Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Christian School: Pre-School-8th Grade Mrs. Pat Sadler 937-2233

REDFORD TWP

CHRIST THE GOOD SHEPHERD Lutheran Church Missouri Synod 42690 Cherry Hill Road, Canton Worship 8 & 10:30 A.M. Bible Class & SS 9:20 A.M.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

MISSOURI SYNOD

25630 GRAND RIVER at BEECH DAL

Worship Service

9:15 & 11:00 A.M.

Sunday School

9:15 & 11:00 A.M

Rev. Victor F. Halboth, Pastor Rev. Timothy Halboth, Assoc. Pastor

HOSANNA-TABOR

LUTHERAN CHURCH WISCONSIN SYNOD

Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Churches WISCONSIN LUTHERAN RADIO HOUR



In Livonia St. Paul Ev. Lutheran Church 17810 Farmington Road Pastors Carl Pagel & James Hoff 261-1360 WORSHIP SERVICES

Pastor Edward Zell • 532-8655 Worship Services

8:30 & 11:00 A.M

Sunday School 9:45 A.M.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ Scientist, Dlomouth

Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.

Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Wed. Evening Testimony Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Reading Room - 445 S. Harvey, Plymouth

Open M-S 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., Fri. 7-9 p.m. 453-1676

UNITED METHODIST

ST. MATTHEW'S

UNITED METHODIST

10:00 A.M. Worship & Church School 11:15 A.M. Adult Study Classes

Nursery Provided • 422-6038

Clarenceville United Methodist 20300 Middlebelt Rd. Livonia

Worship Services 8:45 & 11:15 AM, 6:00 PM Church School - 10:05 AM

Dinner at 6:00, Classes at 7:00 Nursery Provided

ALDERSGATE

dford. MI 48239

INITED METHODIST CHURCH

Worship 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.

Saturday Evening

Informal Chapel Worship 6:00 p.m.

November 21st

"Thanksgiving is

NOT an Option"

Adult Sunday School 9:45

Child Care Available

Children's Sunday School 11:00

Pastors M. Clement Parr and

937-3170

O Middlebelt Rd. Livonia 474-3444 James Kummer, Pastor

Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 A.M. Sunday School & Bible Classes 9:45 In Redford Township Lola Park Ev. Lutheran Church 14750 Kinloch

PLYMOUTH CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

GARDEN CITY

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)

Worship 9:15 & 11:00 a.m.

ch School Classes thru 12th Grade 11:00 Adult Class 9:15 - Nursery at both hours

levator Available Gareth D. Baker, Pasto

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

Church School & Nursery 9:00 & 11:00 a.m

CHURCHES OF

THE NAZARENE

CHRISTADELPHIANS

Memorial Service 10:00 A.M Bible Class Wednesdays 8:00 P.M. 36516 Parkdale, Livonia · 425-7610

CHRISTADELPHIANS

INTER-DENOMINATIONAL



AGAPE CHRISTIAN CENTER 41550 E. Ann Arbor Trail

Sunday Worship - 8:00 & 10:00 a.m. Wednesday - Family Night - 7:00 p.m. Nursery & Children's Ministry at All Services

"A church ministering to today's needs" Agape Christian Academy - K through 12

PENTECOSTAL

FULL GOSPEL CHURCH OF PLYMOUTH 291 E. SPRING ST. locks N. of Main - 2 Blocks E. of Mi SUNDAY
Bible School 16:99 A M.
Wrorthip 11:09 A M. and 8:90 P M.
(Classes for all ages)
Pastor Frank Howard - Ch. 453-0323

CHRISTIAN HARMONY MINISTRIES 24230 West McNichols 2 Blocks West of Telegraph Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Friday Praise and Worship 7:00 p.m. Pastor Donna Lach 532-1000

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

Brightmoor Tabernacle

Assemblies of God · Calvin C. Ratz, pastor thfield, MI, (I-696 & Telegraph - West of Holiday Inn) + 352-6200 9:15 a.m. Family Sunday School Hour 10:30 a.m. "Who Said Life Is Fair?"

6:30 p.m. Rev. Doug Rhind Wednesday 7:30 p.m. "Family Night" - Annual Thanksgiving Pie Fellowship



Tri-City Michigan Avenue & Hannan Road Canton · 326-0330 Morning Worship

Rocky Barra

Come Sense The Freshness

Women stuff pillows with love

BY DIANE HANSON SPECIAL WRITER

They're soft and colorful, come in a myriad of shapes and sizes and can be tucked under a blanket, snuggled beside a rosy cheek or wrapped in the tender embrace of tiny arms. For a child facing surgery or coping with hospitalization, the squeezably soft, handcrafted creations can be a comforting companion

They're the "Love Pillows" that are made by members of Church Women United (CWU) and collected from others within the members' individual churches. For more than 10 years, CWU has collected the pillows at the group's November meeting. 'They are divided between

Children's Hospital in Detroit

and Mott Children's Hospital in

Ann Arbor," explained Joan

Patterson, president of Church Women United of Suburban Detroit-West. There were 146 pillows collected this year. The "Love Pillows" collection is just one of the many activities of the ecumenical group of wom en "We collected soaps for World Medical Relief, and we also took

an offering for the Midwest flood

victims." Patterson said. Church Women United is a na tional movement that started back in 1941 as United Church Women in Atlantic City. The group grew to 70 protestant, Catholic and Orthodox denominations and is open to all Christian denominations. In 1967 the name pose and organization," she said. was changed to Church Women United to reflect a movement

rather than an organization. Locally, the movement has its slot roots in Livonia. United Church Women of Livonia was organized in 1959. Other groups organized Redford, Farmington and Northville, but later disbanded and joined forces with the Livonia women. That's when the name glad to help them out.' was changed to Church Women United of Suburban Detroit-

Patterson, a CWU member for more than 30 years, served as local president 1972 to 1975. She accepted the presidency again and has served since 1990. Recently, she agreed to continue in the office for another year.

"I don't want to lose this organization," she said, conceding that the membership has been decreasing for a number of years. "We're getting smaller, it seems, because there are so many of the younger women who are working." The meetings - generally held

in the early afternoon on the first Friday of the months of February, March, May, October, November and December - are inconvenient for many working women. Bonnie Chrysler, vice president

The November meeting was of CWII for nearly 25 years and a resident of Northville, spoke on the theme of churches in solidarity with women, empowerment of women within their churches, enabling them to reach their fullest potential for good within the

This is one organization where no dues are collected, just freewill offerings. Even supporting churches are not asked for a specific donation, simply "what is compatible with their budget, Patterson said. "It can be as little as \$5 and we have had as much as

Another special project CWU participates in involves the donation of just one penny from each member at the meeting. What possible good could come from such a collection? Well, when combined with the smallest currency from women all over the . . plenty.

The Fellowship of the Least Coin was started in 1956 by a woman from India, Shanti Soloparticipating organizations. The east coin currently used in each country represents the symbol for a prayer and is sent to a general fund. The combined coins repre sent the unity of women in their

common quest for peace.

all over the world. U.S. agencies received \$18,000. And it is that unity of women of all faiths that is what CWU is all

organization because the women come from so many different places, different denominations,' said longtime member Norma Roberts from Livonia. "We have our own ways of doing things but we come together and we find the ommonalities are there. "There are so many ways that

we believe the same and we do things the same in spite of the directions to our different church-

personally rewarding.

mon, and CWU is one of many it's a broadening aspect for a woman to be able to share with others different ways of doing things for the same common

added up to more than \$175,000.

Controversial issues don't deserve to sit on center stage



punishment and euthanasia. Why is it that people who can appear REV. ROBERT so intelligent about so many things seem to lose it all when these kinds of issues are brought nto conversation? And why is it

that with all the debates the is-

where angels dare not tread.

rarely lend them-

selves to enlight-

ening discussion.

certainly evident

in the areas of

abortion, capital

sues have never really been resolved? Certainly there are no simple answers to those kinds of questions, but neither does that mean that such questions should not be addressed. Allow me to enter-

For starters, I wonder whether the aforementioned issues deserve the center stage we give them. Yes, they are important issues, but are they the real issues? Might they be symptoms of a problem or problems we choose to ignore - problems of which we are not yet even aware? Medical science shows us that symptoms need to be addressed, but pretending the symptoms are the problem lulls us into the illusion

Individuals, institutions of many kinds, and indeed governments have a cluttered history of focusing on symptoms and living with the illusion that they have tackled the issues.

So what might such emotional-

fact that we have gone in different Chrysler also finds that working with this ecumenical group is

"I find the activity in working with women of other denominations is more of a growing process than just working in my own local denomination," she said. "I find that I enjoy my own way of worship and celebration but I think

For more information about Last year alone, Least Coint Church Women United, call 591-

> Voyagers Singles, a non-denominational organization for people age 45 and older, will meet at 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 20, in the parking lot of St. Paul's Presbyte rian Church, 27475 Five Mile, Livonia, to car pool to Canterbury Village in Orion Township for a capital punishment, and euthana-

tour of the new shopping center Christmas merchandise from Around the World Market and sia have in common? It goes withthe Always Christmas Castle. The out saying that they are all life group will stop for dinner before and death concerns, but there is returning to the church. For more Miki Goldener of Mary Kay Cosmetics will present a "Gal-

ty consultant, she will demon-

strate glamour techniques and

St. James Presbyterian Church

will have a St. Andrew's Day dinner at 11:30 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 21, at the church, 25350 W. Six Mile Road, Redford. A bagpiper will provide entertainment before the beef brisket meal. Cost is \$8 for those 12 years and older, \$4 for children 4-11 years old and free for children three years and under. For tickets, call 534-7730 be tween 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Monday For longer than any of us have through Friday.

Temple Baptist Church in Red-

ford will present "Journey to the

RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the religion calendar

than noon Friday for the following

You can also obtain current in-

formation about events, speak-

ers and service schedules, etc.

ov calling 901-4750 or 953-

2048 on a Touch-Tone phone.

You must have your four-digit

mation about the service, call

Bryan at 953-2297.

TWO-PART PROGRAM

Newburg United Methodist

church I.D. ready. For more infor-

:30-9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 19, and

5:30-8:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 21, at

The program will address the

ssues of the "sandwiched genera

ion," those who find themselves

caring for their aging parents and

same time. It will consist of two

films, a presentation by Linda

Minoux, director of older adult

services at Botsford General Hos

pital, a panel discussion modera

ed by Virginia Britton, a social

ticipants to ask questions and

gram and child care will be pro-

Christ the Good Shepherd

discuss issues.

M GOLDEN GIRLS

worker, and opportunities for par

There is no charge for the pro-

vided. For more information, call

Church invites women over age 50

to join "God's Golden Girls." The

organization meets on the third

riday of the month at the

the church, 36500 Newburgh,

should be submitted no later

Thursday's issue.

Center of Christmas" at 5 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 21. The church is on West Chicago Road east of Telegraph. For more information about this family-oriented play,

BLOOD DRIVE

call 255-3333.

t. Michael Lutheran Church will have a Red Cross blood drive 2:30-8:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 22, at the church, 7000 N. Sheldon, Canton. To make an appointment, call 459-3333 9 a.m. to 4 .m. Monday through Thursday. Walk-ins are also welcome

Church will present "My Mother

M ACTION **ACTION Ministries provides** support and practical help for people who are unemployed or changing careers. The meetings are at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Monday of the month at Ward Presbyterian Church, Farmington and Six Mile roads, ossibly their own children at the Livonia. The last November topic is "Networking" with Jeanette

Seibly on Nov. 22. For more infor-

mation, call 422-1851. B ECUMENICAL SERVICE

An ecumenical Thanksgiving ser vice will be at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 24, at Christ the King Lutheran Church, Farmington at West Chicago, Livonia. The service is sponsored by Christ the King, Episcopal Church of the Holy Spirit and Timothy Luther an. The preacher will be Rev. Em ery Gravelle, assisted by Rev. Margaret Haas, Rev. Richard Martzolf and Rev. Mary Olivanti The public is welcome.

THANKSGIVING DAY Ward Presbyterian Church will

celebrate the Thanksgiving holiday with worship services at 9 and 11 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 25. Former Sr. Pastor Dr. Bartlett Hess will preach on "Thanksgiving When You're Down." The patriot c service will feature Ward's orchestra, brass ensemble and Chancel Choir presenting the Battly Hymn of the Republic. The public is welcome. Ward Church is at Farmington and Six

Mile roads, Livonia. Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church at 42690 Cherry Hill Road, Canton, will have a Thanksgiving service at 9:30 a.m. Thursdays, Nov. 25. For more information, call 981-0286.

St. Michael's Orthodox Church in Redford will have a Christmas

cookie walk 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sat urday, Dec. 11. **E CHORAL PROGRAM** . Andrew's Presbyterian Church will present its annual Christmas choral program at

10:30 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 12, at the Church, 26701 Joy Road, Dearborn Heights. The choir will be under the direction of Elaine Sv mons, music director, and will present special music of the seaon. For more information, call 274-3820 between 9 a.m. and noon weekdays.

III SINGLE SPOKE

III TALK IT OVER

Single Point Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church sponsors Talk It Over the second and fourth Fridays of the month in Knox Hall of the church, Farmington and Six Mile roads, Livonia. For more information, call 422-1854.

grade are invited to a non-denom inational Bible Club. The club meets 4-5 p.m. Thursdays for snacks, songs, verses and a Bible story at Lake Pointe Bible Chapel, 42150 Schoolcraft, Plymouth Township.

the Book of Exodus, including such favorites as the Passover, Moses and the burning bush and manna from heaven. There also will be special stories for Christmas and Easter. There is no charge for the club and transpor tation home is available. For more information or to register, call 420-2420.

MATIONAL AWARD Hosanna Tabor Lutheran School,

9600 Leverne, Redford, has been School Accreditation by the National Accreditation Commiss

See CALENDAR, 6H

Organist: Larry A. Visser EVENING WORSHIP & YOUTH MEETINGS 6:30 P.M.

Rev. Kevin Miles

8:15 and 11:00 a.m. **Praise Celebration** 6:00 p.m.

Family Night - Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.



of the organization, believes this is a common occurrence in many church women's groups. "We need to reach out in various kinds of forms to meet their needs and have them included in our pur-

sion about changing the time for the meeting to an evening time "I asked the group earlier this year, and they voted unanimously keep it as a daytime meeting, Patterson said. "If we did have some leadership that wanted to go

There had been some discus-

in the evening direction, we'd be "I think we need to experience some change," Chrysler added. 'Of course, we have some of the other women in other ways of life where they need the daytime meeting approach, where others in the work force need the evening approach. This is what we're discussing and working toward be-

cause in order to grown we need to be inclusive. For moms with a desire for fellowship and community involvement who are at home with young children, Patterson pointed out that they also offer free babysitting at every meeting.

There are special activities and speakers at each of the six yearly meetings and four of the meetings also incorporate a breakfast or luncheon. Meetings are held at a different member church each



Your Invitation

I grew up in a Protestant family. Oscar came from an Orthodox Jewish background. We were in college when he popped the question "When I told my father, he was very understanding, but she and I were well aware of the inherent problems of an interfaith marriage"

"Especially back then forty-nine years ago!" "That was when we were first exposed to Unitarian Universalism We went to a service, we liked it." "And we kept going back. I think it was the feeling of acceptance.

25717 Power Road + 477-9144 Setween: 10 dt 11 Mile + Parmington & Orchard Lake

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Celebration

the freedom to believe what we wanted to believe"

"It was a community of like-minded people from all different backgrounds "We could take my beliefs, Oscar's beliefs, put them together, and emerge with something uniquely our own" 'And that's what marriage is all about." THE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALISTS

> CHURCH OF GOD of a cure that is not there. A Place for Caring. FARMINGTON HILLS CHURCH OF GOD

> > ladened issues as abortion,

something more. Each of these re- information and advance signup, alities is an attempt to solve a call 591-1350. problem, to make that which is not wanted - on a myriad of levels to be sure - go away. Each is mour Workshop" at 7:30 p.m. Frian attempt to remove a problem, a day, Nov. 26. A professional beaupain, a fear or a combination of all of those things. Pain and fear are enough to makeup artistry. There will be prompt emotive responses in door prizes, a free gift for people

most of us. The pain and the fear bring a friend and refreshments experienced by a women with For more information, call 591unwanted pregnancies is something that I, as a male can only is their fear. The pain and the fear Elder Dave Kulisz and Sr. Pastor of those who have fallen victim to Dr. Tom Eggebeen of St. Paul's violent and senseless crime or Presbyterian Church will present who are at risk of becoming vic- a slide show on their recent trip to tims are exacerbated by a large Haiti during the Pastor's Form at dose of anger. That combination 9:45 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 21. The is also enough to arouse any of us. two men were in the country with The pain and the fear that en- the Medical Benevolence Foundavelop the lives of those in the tion. For more information, call throes of serious and terminal ill-

So what do we do when faced with pain, with fear, with inconvenience, with threat to our dignity, our comfort or our peace of mind? We do what society has gradually let us know is acceptable. WE do that which the experience of others - or indeed ourselves has shown to be a surefire cure. Quick fixes have forever been popular problem solvers.

ness are something that only they

can know.

been alive, quick fixes through the addressing of symptoms have been the response of choice. His-

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church, 42690 Cherry Hill, Canton. The next meeting will be at noon Friday, Nov. 19. The theme will be harvest and the program will include lunch. Bible study and a craft.

HELPER Single Pointe Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church will have an evangelism and renewal conference, "Help Equip Lay People to effectively Share Their Faith" or "HELPER,"8:15 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 20, in the Fellowship Hall, 17000 Farmington Road at Six Mile Road, Livonia "HELPER" will show participants how to use Bible passages, pamphlets and personal testimony to explain the good news of od, how to determine where a person stands with respect to Je sus Christ and how to actually in ite a person to personally accept

lesus Christ. The cost is \$10 per person for materials and food and advanced registration is required. For more information or to register for the conference, call the Single Point

offices at 422-1854.

W VOYAGERS

Single Spoke Ministries will have dinner and fellowship 6:30 p.m. Mondays during November at Bill Knapp's, 40900 E. Ann Arbon Road, Plymouth Township (459-(616). Dinner and fellowship in December will be on Mondays at Silverman's, 9468 S. Main, Plymouth (459-2066). For more information, call Dave Burley at 663-

E CHILDREN'S BIBLE CLUB Children age 5 through the fifth

This year, the club will cover

awarded National Lutheran for Lutheran Schools.

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One of only 251 schools in the country to gain NLSA, Hosanna Tabor had to prove the quality of its Christian educational program to a visiting team, district accreditation commission and the national commission.

The certificate of accreditation was presented to principal Pat Sadler during a worship service Sept. 19.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Single Point Ministries sponsors a men's fellowship group at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month in Garden City. For more information, call the Single Point office at 422-1854

BIBLE STUDIES

Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church offers "Inquire" and "Lifelight" Bible studies at 9:35 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays in the large classroom of the church, 42690 Cherry Hill, Canton. For more information, call the church at 981-0286 between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.

SINGLE PLACE

Single Place Adult Ministries will meet 10-10:45 a.m. Sundays for its Sunday Morning Gathering in the library of the First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main, Northville. For more information, call 380-3291.

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, Northville. For more information, call 348-8576.

SENIOR FELLOWSHIP

Bethel Baptist Temple, 29475 W. Six Mile, Livonia, sponsors meetings 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 information, 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.

TIBETAN BUDDHISM

The Detroit Area Kagyu Study Group offers meditation and discussion of Buddha's teaching. Free meditation instruction can be arranged by appointment. Weekly meditation and discussion takes place Thursdays in Redford. For more information, call 538-1559.

FRIENDSHIP

Friendship Connection, a personal growth and support group, will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays at 13439 Marion, Redford, for discussion, questions and answers, fellowship and Bible study. For more information, call 534-2065.

M ALCOHOLICS

The Alcoholics for Christ, Meet 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-profit 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, sincere relationship with Jesus Christ. For more information, call the church at 326-0330.

Main Street Baptist Church, 8500 N. Morton Taylor, south of Joy in Canton, has a ministry to assist people whose lives have been affected by substance abuse. SAFE (Setting Addicts Free Eternally) Recovery Group meets 7 p.m. each Tuesday for both the chemically dependent and their fami-

Help is provided through a 12step recovery program. Family members receive support in overcoming problems of co-dependency. Those wishing to assist in the recovery ministry are offered training. All meetings are interpreted for the deaf.

For more information or individual counseling, call the Rev. Michael York at 453-4785.

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tory will also show that across the cultures the quick fixes have all too often involved death. Kings used it to rid themselves of enemies. Individuals have used it to blot out people who stood in their way. Many of us grew up with the movies of the Wild West where a Smith and Wesson was the ultimate problem solver.

Perhaps a closer look at what really resolves problems in the human condition would be more enlightening than putting the microscope on the symptoms. That of course has something to do with exploring the meaning of human existence in the first place. Granted such reflection and discussion will probably not draw many marchers or placard painters. It will not provoke rallies to the degree that the symptoms will, but does that mean that ignoring such a basic issue might not shed more light than the smoke to which we have become accustomed?

And oh yes, there is another possible answer as to why discussions on the big three are so seldom enlightening. How often do those of us who involve ourselves in such discussion attribute as much sincerity to those with opposing views as we presume for ourselves? At times the righteousness that drapes the opinions of many is almost as disconcerting as the ease in which we continue to accept death as our solution to life's problems even if it isn't with a Smith and Wesson.

The Rev. Robert Schaden is with Neuman House on the campus of Schoolcraft College in Livonia. If you have a question or comment, call him at 953-2047, mailbox no. 1876 on a Touch-Tone phone.

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CRAFTS CALENDAR

Here is a sampling of arts and crafts bazaars in the western Wayne County area. To be listed, send your information to the

craft, Livonia 48150. # PEDDLERS WALK

Vandenberg Elementary School will have its Peddlers Walk craft show 4-8:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 18, at the school, 24901 Cathedral, Redford. There will be more than 75 crafters, a raffle, bake sale, face painting, food booth and free baby-sitting. Donation is \$1 and includes a free raffle ticket.

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B AMERICAN HOUSE

A Christmas bazaar will be noon to 6 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 18, at The American House Retirement Home, 11525 Farmington Road, south of Plymouth, Livonia. There will be crafts, baked goods and white elephants.

E JANE ADDAMS

The fourth-grade class of Jane Addams Elementary School will have a craft show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 20, at the school. 14025 Berwyn, Redford. Crafters are needed and table space is \$25. For information, call Alana Berriman at 535-2369.

HARRIS-KEHRER

The Ladies Auxiliary of Harris-Kehrer VFW Post 3323 will have an arts and crafts bazaar 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 20, at the post, 1055 S. Wayne Road, Westland. There will be a snack bar and bake sale with proceeds to go for cancer programs.

EASTERN STAR

The Order of the Eastern Star chapter will have its third annual craft bazaar Saturday, Nov. 20, at Livonia Masonic Temple, 37705 Seven Mile, Livonia, For information, call Jeri at 624-8114.

E FRANKLIN PATRIOTS

The Franklin High School Patriots Club will have a craft show 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 20, at the school, 31000 Joy, between Middlebelt and Merriman, Livonia. People in wheelchairs will be admitted at 9:15 a.m. No strollers will be allowed. Admission is \$1 for those age 5 and older.

IRISH CHRISTMAS

An Irish Christmas bazaar will be held 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 20, at the AOH Hall, 24242 Grand River, west of Telegraph. Holiday crafts, Irish imports, Irish calendars and music tapes, sweat shirts, T-shirts, books and baked goods will be featured. For more information, call 885-5618 or 535-4110.

E ST. VALENTINE

St. Valentine Catholic Church's second annual Holiday Crafts Shoppe will be Saturday, Nov. 20,

in the activities building, Beech Daly, three blocks south of Five Mile Road, Redford. There will be a Country Kitchen, Holiday Gazette, Parents Club raffle and bake sale in addition to many unique crafters. Admission is free and proceeds will benefit the children of the parish.

ST. AGATHA

St. Agatha Women's Club will have its Christmas boutique 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 20, at the church, 19650 Beech Daly, between Grand River and Eight Mile Road, Redford. Table rental is \$25. For information, call Marion Russette at 534-0914.

LIVONIA SENIORS

The Livonia Senior Citizens annual arts and crafts sale will be 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, Dec. 3, at the Civic Park Senior Citizens Center, 15128 Farmington Road, Livonia.

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