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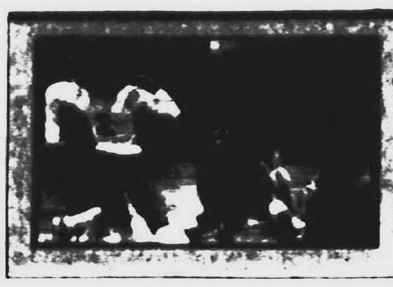

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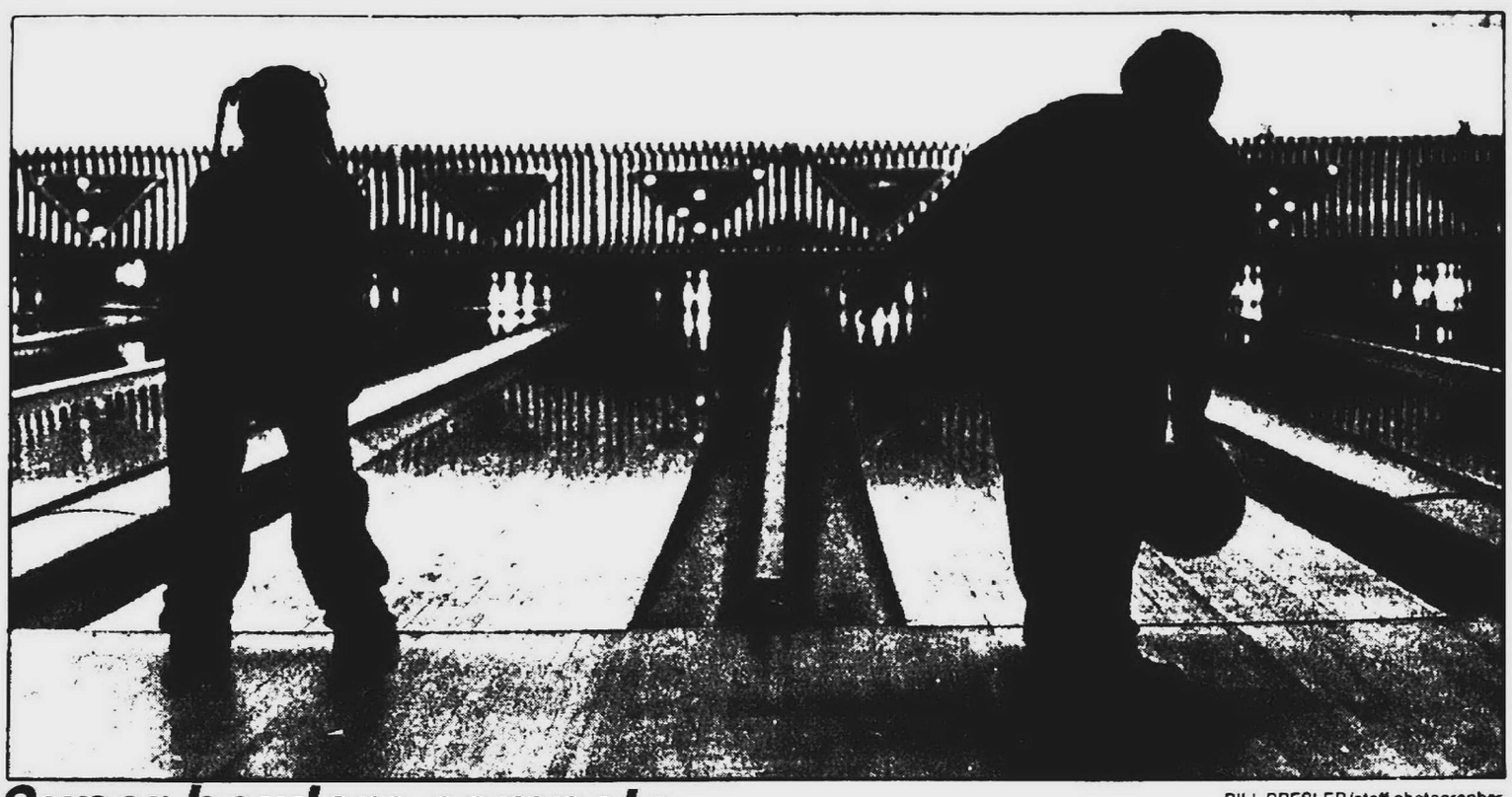

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Super bowlers compete

Special Olympic athletes from Plymouth-Canton and western Wayne County converged on SuperBowl in Canton this past Friday and Saturday for the bowling competition of the 1987 Special Olympics featuring athletic competition for mentally impaired students and adults. For a report on the olympiads and photographic coverage, see the Suburban Life Section of today's Observer.

Township in black by $1.7 million

By Doug Funke
staff writer

What Plymouth Township officials estimated would be a 1986 general fund budget surplus of $115,100 turned out to be a windfall of $1 million, according to auditor Plante & Moran.

That surplus, added to a balance of $688,600 at the beginning of 1986, gave the township a fund balance of nearly $1.7 million entering the current budget year on Jan. 1.

All basic township operations — except water and sewer service — are financed through the general fund.

"We've always been conservative in budget estimates," said Supervisor Maurice Breen. "When we're conservative and the economy goes bust, we're in great shape. When it booms, it looks like bad budgeting."

Last year, actual revenues of $4.3 million exceeded estimates of $3.4 million by almost $900,000, auditors indicated.

THE AMOUNT in major categories by which dollars collected exceeded budgeted figures were identified by Breen as:

- $448,000 in local tax revenue attributed to rising values of existing property and new development.
- $251,800 in state revenue sharing.
- $176,700 in building permit and inspection fees.

General fund expenses incurred last year totalled $3.3 million, $20,900 less than budgeted, auditors indicated.

Breen said he doesn't consider a $1.7 surplus excessive considering that a three-month reserve — comparable to a household's emergency fund — would amount to $750,000.

"Our expense level will increase in 1987," he said.

The township board just approved the purchase of a street sweeper and the hiring of another full-time DPW employee. Those expenses, estimated at $144,400 for this year, will be charged to the fund balance, Breen said.

'We're only in fat city because of a series of unusual circumstances.'
— Maurice Breen, township supervisor

So, too, will the purchase of $35,000 worth of computer equipment.

THE HIRING of an additional inspector and a full-time clerk for the building department, under consideration, also would be charged to the fund balance, Breen said. Estimated cost: about $75,000.

The installation of any sidewalks authorized this year by the township board with general fund money also would tap into the fund balance, the supervisor said.

Rough estimates of four projects, excluding engineering plans, totaled $79,500.

A decrease in the township's tax rate for operations — currently at the charter maximum of $4 per $1,000 of state equalized valuation — isn't likely, Breen said.

"We're only 8 percent of the total bill now. The last time we reduced, no one noticed. No one cared.

"Property taxes are not supporting the service level in this community," Breen said. The audit indicated $1.5 million in revenue last year from property taxes, $1.3 million from state shared revenues, he noted.

"One twitch in the Michigan economy and you'd be involved in layoffs, disruption of service level . . . " he said. "We're only in fat city because of a series of unusual circumstances.

"Our level of expenditure will go up and, over time, it (fund balance) will be used up."

Adult students meet legislators

By Julie Brown
staff writer

In his younger days, Canton's John Young worked in Lansing on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad, about three blocks east of the Lansing Civic Center.

On Tuesday, March 24, Young was back in Lansing for the state government "Connect" program. The program, held at the Lansing Civic Center, was sponsored by the Wayne/Monroe Association of Adult and Community Education, with the assistance of area legislators.

"I'm so much more pleased coming this time," Young said.

Young was among some 1,300 adult education students participating in the program. The Canton resident is pursuing a high school diploma through the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools and will "hopefully be a tutor after I finish. That's my goal."

Young enjoyed meeting local legislators.

"I never had that opportunity before in my life," the 57-year-old said.

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THE PROGRAM was a worthwhile one for Young.

"I think it was very educational." The program helps students know where their tax dollars are going, he said.

Plymouth's Dori Mefford also enjoyed the day in Lansing. Mefford is German-born and has been in the U.S. for some 30 years.

She's taking a citizenship class through Plymouth-Canton Community Education and hopes to take the test to become a U.S. citizen.

"I just don't like history," she said. "That's why it took me so long to do it."

The March 24 trip was Mefford's first visit to Lansing.

"I enjoyed it. I think they planned it well, for it being the first time they've done this.

"It's just interesting to see the House and the Senate. I'd like to come back. I'm sure there's other things to see."

Area legislators met with the students and educators from Wayne and Monroe counties during Tuesday's program. State Sen. Robert Geake, R-Northville, had lunch with some of the participants.

"It's very impressive because we know all these people are concerned about education," Geake said of the program. "And it's a wonderful opportunity for us to meet them."

STUDENTS HAD a number of questions for Geake, covering such areas as property tax relief and medical care availability and cost.

Educators also had questions for Geake and his fellow legislators.

"They're only interested in one thing and that's money," the senator said with a smile. "More funding for adult education programs." Educators are also interested in the quality of services.

"So they're interested in two things, money and quality education programs."

Michigan has historically supported and funded adult education, he said.

"I think it reflects the Legislature's commitment to adult education programs."

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Inside: We look at nursing homes

Dear readers:

Placing a relative in a nursing home is an experience few of us enjoy contemplating but one many of us will face.

Unfortunately, few of us are prepared. We find a labyrinth of unanswered questions that often stymies our attempts to take care of loved ones in the manner we would prefer.

To help develop a deeper understanding of nursing homes, the Observer & Eccentric is publishing a special all-news tabloid section that you will find inserted into today's edition.

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Interpreter

He's turned his survival tools into skills

By M.B. Dillon
staff writer

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Frank Vendetti [illegible] being a toddler, screaming in his crib for what seemed like hours before his mom or dad responded.

At age 10, he was making decisions about life insurance for his family as the Plymouth resident was the oldest of five boys born to deaf parents.

He's taken what used to be the tools of survival and developed them into professional skills. Vendetti, 41, is one of only about 10 individuals in the country working as an in-patient interpreter for individuals who are both deaf and mentally ill.

A PROFESSIONAL certified interpreter at Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital by day, Vendetti teaches sign language in Redford Township's adult education program at night.

"I'm the voice of the deaf person and the hands of the hearing person," said Vendetti, who interprets for patients and their psychiatrists, social workers and dentists, among others.

It's an occupation packed with stress.

"It takes a lot out of you. These patients are mentally ill, and not all can communicate that well. Terminology has to be brought down to their level.

"The hearing population doesn't have a good understanding of the [illegible]eaf culture. Most deaf people will tell you hearing people need interpreters not deaf people.

[illegible] frustrating here.

"The first month, I was always scared to death. I had no basic mental health training," said Vendetti, who was certified through the National Technical institute for the Deaf in Rochester, N.Y.

"You encounter behavioral problems. Sometimes you'll see outbursts that arise because of an inability to communicate. It's very challenging.

"I've done a lot of courtroom work and [illegible]ial work, [illegible] there's [illegible]mental health. It's the toughest. You can burn out fast.

"If you don't interpret properly it can result in a misdiagnosis."

THE ACADEMY AWARD recently presented to rookie actress Marlee Matlin for her performance in the film "Children of a Lesser God" represents leap years of progress for both the deaf and hearing populations, says Vendetti.

Named best actress, Matlin is the first deaf performer ever to win an Oscar. The young woman played a hearing-impaired maid who falls in love with her teacher.

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BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Frank Vendetti of Plymouth, born the oldest of five children to deaf parents, now is an instructor in American Sign Language.

Block grant money will help pave Ridge

Nearly $73,000 in 1987 federal Community Development Block Grant funds have been allocated by the Plymouth Township Board to pave Ridge Road from the M-14 overpass north to the Oak Haven and Plymouth Hills trailer courts.

Construction could begin this fall, "more realistically, next spring," said James Anulewicz, planning director.

The township board last week also budgeted $10,000 to a senior citizen transportation program and $9,200 to cover local costs of administering the grant.

Community Development Block Grant money must be applied to construction projects, equipment purchases or service programs in moderate- or low-income areas.

A public hearing was set for April 14 on the re-allocation of about $84,500 in CDBG funds not spent in the township the previous two years.

Township administrators proposed the application of that money to the Ridge paving, said Anulewicz.

He estimated that about a quarter mile of Ridge, one lane in each direction, could be paved with $157,000. Wayne County will be approached to match the grant and expand the paving north toward Five Mile Road.

Once the roadway is paved, motorists should have smooth sailing from the trailer courts south on Ridge to North Territorial.

He interprets for deaf

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"She did an excellent job conveying her feelings and frustrations over what it's like to be in a world that's been shut off for years," said Vendetti. The movie was an accurate portrayal in that it showed "that the deaf have emotions and feelings just like everyone else."

"We still have a long way to go, but 'Children of a Lesser God' has advanced us by leaps and bounds. It has done a lot for the deaf community by making people aware," said Vendetti, a pro at making patients laugh with his mimes and gestures.

It's long-awaited progress, in Vendetti's view.

"The deaf culture for years has been suppressed because hearing people have done everything for them. It's tough to turn things around."

VENDETTI'S LATE father worked as an unskilled laborer.

"My dad never had an opportunity to get ahead. Years ago, they wouldn't let deaf people work on certain machines. Schools didn't have people trained to work with the deaf."

Until recently, his mom had no access to a phone. She was able to buy a teletype phone a couple of years ago that "to her was like a new toy." While the devices are becoming more widely available, they still cost between $200 and $1,000, he said.

"It costs a lot of money to be deaf," said Vendetti, who's already taught his 3-year-old son Michael some sign language.

Vendetti says he remembers "Helen Keller stating that if she had to be deaf or blind, she'd rather be blind. When you're deaf you're isolated because that's what this world is all about. It's a hearing world."

That's one reason Vendetti finds his work so fulfilling.

"Being able to share a unique talent, I feel very lucky. I'm fortunate to be able to share the ability to communicate.

"The big thing is that now there is an opportunity for better education. The laws are starting to change. You can get more people involved in professions, and more deaf people to become role models. In time we're going to be successful."

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Adult students get to meet legislators

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Those programs fall into two general areas, the senator said. One is high school completion/GED programs. The other is enrichment classes, ranging from aerobics to cooking.

"I believe that both have a legitimate place in the program." Both programs deserve legislative support, he said.

State Rep. James Kosteva, D-Canton, also was among those meeting with students and educators at the program.

Any kind of advocacy effort helps legislators do their jobs, he said.

"There's not enough exchange of information and ideas."

IT'S DIFFICULT to represent a district well without hearing from constituents, he said. Not enough people write to make their views known.

"Therefore, the more people who become involved, it helps me do a better job."

Kindergarten through 12th grade programs receive a great deal of attention, in part due to the number of people involved, Kosteva said. But adult education programs also deserve support.

"We're finding that education is not just an age-5-through-age-18 process."

The changing labor market means there's a constant need for upgraded skills, Kosteva said.

library watch

● LIBRARY CELEBRATES ARTRAIN

During the time the Artrain is in Plymouth, April 2-5, the Dunning-Hough Library will have several special displays.

● The Plymouth Community Arts Council Rental Gallery, which has more than 150 Michigan originals, will be open during library hours today through 8 p.m. and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday for viewing.

● The Isbister Art Collection, award-winning originals by students of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, will be on display.

● The library will have on display a large collection of works by Michigan authors.

● NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK (APRIL 5-11)

A readers poll sponsored by the American Library Association will be taken this week. Children and adults may pick up a ballot at the circulation desk during National Library Week. When the forms are completed and returned to the library by April 11, they will be sent to the American Library Association.

● CHILDREN'S CORNER

● Origama story and workshop at 1 p.m. April 21 for ages 8-11. Registration is required and begins Monday, April 13, and ends when the class is full.

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'Connect'
Adult education has its day

By Julie Brown
staff writer

Local educators and adult education students had a chance to flex their political muscles recently.

Students and educators traveled to Lansing March 24, for the Wayne Monroe Association of Adult and Community Education's state government "Connect" program.

Seventeen school districts from Wayne and Monroe counties were represented.

The keynote speaker was Robert Bowman, state treasurer. Participants met with area legislators and attended issue sessions on jobs, senior programs, adult education and substance abuse.

About 1,300 adult education students gathered for the program at the Lansing Civic Center. Some took tours of the state Capitol.

"All in all, it's an excellent educational opportunity," said Jack Kirksey, director of community education for the Livonia Public Schools.

KIRKSEY WAS co-chairman of the program, along with Stan Mazur of Southgate Community Schools. The Livonia schools administrator served in the Michigan Legislature from 1977 to 1985, representing Livonia and the surrounding area.

Livonia sent about 100 students to the program.

The program was designed to help make adult education students aware of their state government and to make legislators more aware of the needs of adult students.

"Funding is always a problem," Kirksey said. The Livonia district tries to operate its adult education program on a self-supporting basis, including its leisure time offerings.

Funding is a problem, Kirksey said, "but not an insurmountable one. I think our funding is adequate to meet the task." There's always the question, however, of what funding there will be in the future.

OTHER ISSUES facing adult education are recruiting and maintaining a quality staff and finding the best locations for classes.

Garden City Public Schools' Norm Stevens agreed that funding is a concern. Garden City sent 75 to 100 students and staff to the program.

"Funding is one, continuing funding for the programs. We service a lot of people."

Planning for the event began about a year ago, said Stevens, assistant director of adult and community education for Garden City Public Schools.

The program's intent was "to make students aware of what's going on in Lansing," said Stevens, who is president of the Wayne/Monroe Association of Adult and Community Education. "Just to get them acquainted with Lansing and what goes on here."

The day provided an opportunity for students and educators to make legislators aware of where the money goes in adult education. The program was patterned after a K-12 school program held last spring, Stevens said.

Plymouth-Canton Community Education sent some 95 students and staff to Lansing, said Larry Masteller, director of community education.

EACH YEAR, the regional association tries to have some kind of involvement with Lansing, such as a luncheon with legislators, Masteller said.

"There's never been an adult education day in Lansing, a student government day. This is their constituency and they have a chance to see them first-hand."

The day's events can be incorporated into classroom discussions, Masteller said. For many of the foreign-born students, the program was their first time seeing state government in action.

Shirley Tarrant, adult education specialist with the Redford Union Schools, agreed the program was a good learning opportunity.

"We just thought this would be a really good experience for our students." Redford Union sent some 40 students and staff to the program.

Areas such as Michigan history and how a bill becomes law have been incorporated into classroom instruction, Tarrant said.

"I think we try to do that in adult education all the time, not just on one day like this."

AREA EDUCATORS agreed the four issue sessions on jobs, senior programs, adult education and substance abuse were timely, relevant ones.

"I believe that was probably one of the biggest motivating factors," said Michael Holuta, location manager in adult/community education for the Wayne-Westland Community Schools.

The Wayne-Westland district sent 29 school-based adult education students, 35 senior citizens and four staff members.

The opportunity to meet with local legislators was a good one for the students, Holuta said.

"A lot of them had some very specific concerns and questions. It was a real good experience. They really got involved with each of the issues."

The response that Holuta has received from students on the day's program has been positive. Some students will do follow-up reports on the day as part of their class work.

"We're really interested in the follow-up."

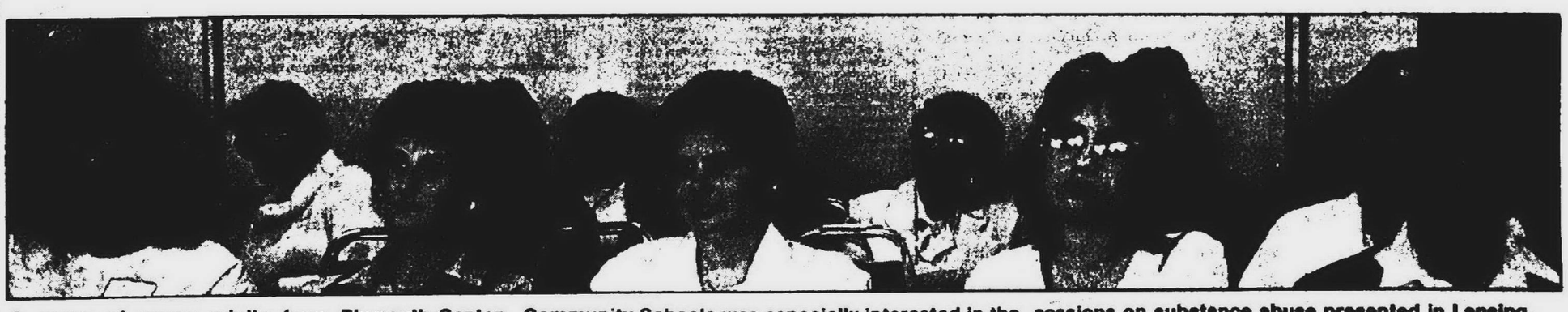
Educators were pleased they had an opportunity to make legislators aware of the needs of adult students.

Some people may tend to think of the typical adult education student as a young adult pursuing a GED, said the Livonia Public Schools' Kirksey. They may not be aware of the diversity found among older students.

It's important that adult education programs are recognized as a viable educational force, he said, and that they aren't treated as a "second cousin" to K-12 and higher education programs.

Some legislators may tend to underestimate the importance of adult education programs, said Masteller. Programs such as the one held can help increase awareness.

Tess Chick of Canton Township lets State Rep. James Kosteva know her feelings on tax- es and senior citizens at last week's adult education day in Lansing.



A group of young adults from Plymouth-Canton Community Schools was especially interested in the sessions on substance abuse presented in Lansing. Pictured here are (left) Laurie Glasel, Julie Fortin, Marie Morgan, Kim McLean and Richard Carter.

Staff photos by Laura Castle

Adult education classes have long history in state

Although the focus at the Tuesday, March 24, adult education program in Lansing was on current events, some history also was included.

Michigan has a rich history of providing adult education, according to Dr. Ronald Gillum, director of adult extended learning services for the Michigan Department of Education.

The first such program began in 1872 in Grand Rapids. Those classes met in the evening.

"The individuals in Detroit liked what they saw in Grand Rapids," Gillum told those attending one of the day's issue sessions. A few years later in 1875, Detroit educators decided to start an adult education program.

The 1875 report of Detroit's schools superintendent said the adult education classes were meeting "seriously felt needs."

THE CLASSES were helpful for students who couldn't go to school during the day because of work, the report said. No students in the city were more manageable, earnest and industrious.

"He said their grades were excellent, their attendance was excellent," Gillum said. The superintendent pleaded to have the adult education program expanded.

Adult education programs soon began to appear throughout the state. In the early 1900s, the Detroit schools' Frank Cody outlined three goals for adult education programs.

The first was to help immigrants in the best possible way as they adjusted to life in the United States.

"It happened in the 1900s and it's still going on today," Gillum said. Cody's second goal was for programs to help those whose education had been interrupted.

His third goal was to help those who wanted to advance in their work or to change their vocation.

"This has to remain one of our major goals."

Today, Michigan's adult education students account for an investment of some $200 million each year, generated from state and local levels. It's important for students and staff to show the investment is a wise one, he said.

"If we can't say that, we're going to be in trouble over the next few years."

STUDENTS WHO are unhappy about their adult education programs need to make those concerns known, Gillum said.

"You can't be shy about that." Some students enroll in adult education programs but don't finish those programs.

"What is it that we're doing wrong that makes you drop out of school so much?

"It's a serious problem. We've got to address it and you can help us do that."

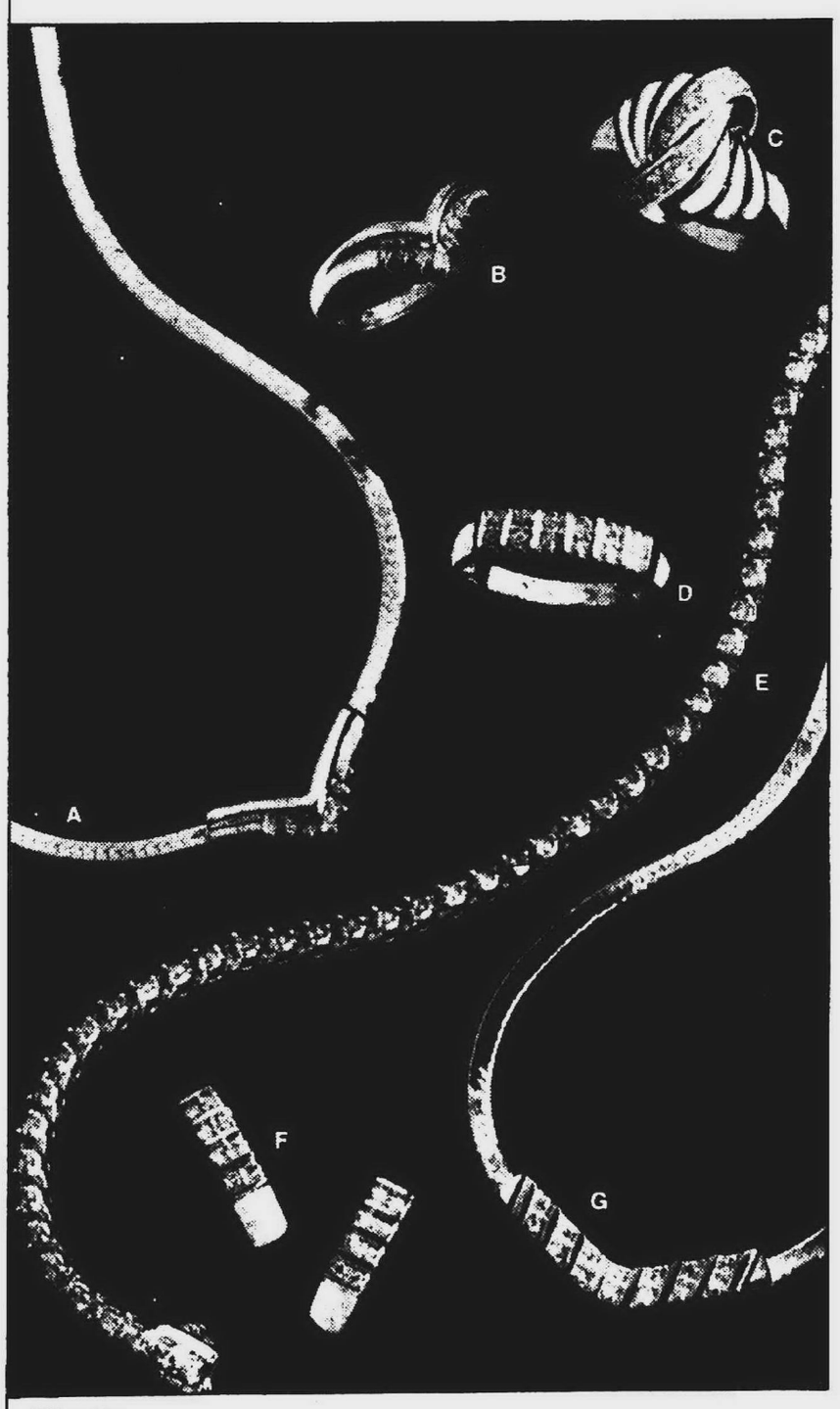
Gillum was pleased with the success of the last week's program.

"It was a good program.

"These types of days are very important for adult education. It has an impact, I believe."

State Treasurer Robert Bowman was the keynote speaker at the adult education day in Lansing. The program, sponsored by the Wayne/Monroe Association of Adult and Community Education, attracted more than 1,300 people from 17 school districts.

Semi-annual diamond sale



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[illegible] Lanning, who died March 27 in Ann Arbor, was born in Minnesota. He was a hardware office manager.

Survivors include: wife, Mabel; daughters, Nancy Kochover of Canton, Sally Meyers of Los Altos, Calif.; and nine grandchildren.

ROY H. SCHROEDER

Funeral services for Mr. Schroeder, 82, of Plymouth were held recently in the Salem United Church of Christ in Farmington with the Rev. John Mikki officiating. Burial was at Oakwood Cemetery, Farmington, with local arrangements made by Schrader Funeral Home in Plymouth. Memorial contributions may be made to the Salem United Church of Christ.

Mr. Schroeder, who died March 26 in Ann Arbor, was born in Northville Township and moved to Plymouth from Farmington in 1946. He retired from Pittsburgh Paint & Glass Co., Inc. Schroeder was a member of the Bethany United Church of Christ, Farmington.

Survivors include: wife, Gladys; daughters, Anne Knoll of Taylor, Nancy Jobbins of Spruce, Michigan, Beverly of Jamesburg, N.J.; sister, Alice Elder of Dexter; 11 grandchildren, 9 great-grandchildren.

TAGE GULDBRANDSEN

Funeral services for Mr. Guldbrandsen, 81, of Plymouth were held recently in Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plymouth with burial at Mount Olivet Cemetery, Kalamazoo. Officiating was the Rev. Richard Perfetto with local arrangements made by Schrader Funeral Home. Memorial contributions may be made in the form of Mass offerings.

Mr. Guldbrandsen, who died March 29 in Plymouth, was born in Copenhagen, Denmark, and moved to Plymouth in 1947 from Kalamazoo. A graduate of the University of Michigan, he was an insurance representative for Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. for 35 years before retiring. He was a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plymouth, Plymouth Elks B.P.O.E. 1760 and the Danish Brotherhood in America.

Survivors include: wife, Pauline; sons, Francis of Duluth, Minn., Dale of Arlington, Vt., Eugene of Champaign, Ill.; half-sister, Helga Sedgwick; and eight grandchildren.

BARBARA D. RICKARD

Funeral services for Mrs. Rickard, 36, of Saline were held recently in Schrader Funeral Home with burial at Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia. Officiating was the Rev. John Grenfel. Memorial contributions may be made to the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

Mrs. Rickard, who died March 24 in Ypsilanti, was born in Ypsilanti and was a former resident of Plymouth. She graduated from Plymouth High School in 1968 and earned a bachelor of arts degree from the University of Michigan in 1977. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth.

Survivors include: parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rickard of Plymouth; brother, Dennis of Howell; grandmothers, Barbara Mitchell of Romulus, Minnie Rickard of Westland; a nephew, several aunts and uncles.

HARWOOD RUNDELL

Funeral services for Mr. Rundell, 84, of Walled Lake were held recently in the Richardson-Bird Chapel of Lynch & Sons Funeral Home in Walled Lake with the Rev. John Bontrager officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Clinton Valley Council Boy Scouts of America or to the Walled Lake Public Library.

Mr. Rundell, who died March 24, was a resident of Walled Lake for two years and before that lived in Pennsylvania. He had been active in sailing and the Boy Scouts of America and was known for his homemade Christmas cards.

Survivors include: wife, Margaret; son, Philip of Walled Lake; daughter, Lynn Culotta of Plymouth; five sisters; and five grandchildren.

VIVIAN O'CONNOR

Funeral services for Mrs. O'Connor, 81, of Dearborn Heights were held recently in the Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. Timothy Hogan officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Heart Association or in the form of Mass offerings.

Mrs. O'Connor, who died March 28 in Riverview, was born in Ontario, Canada. She was a resident of Dearborn for more than 50 years.

Survivors include: daughters, Mary Jane Barnard of Florida, Madonna Bublitz of Allen Park; son, James of Dearborn Heights; several nieces and nephews; 20 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Employee 'quits,' $3,200 missing

By Doug Funke
staff writer

A woman employed as a cashier at a speedway gas station for less than a week allegedly embezzled almost $3,200 the first time she worked there unsupervised, according to Plymouth Township Police.

"She closed and left and they never saw her again," said Officer Erik Mayernik. That was March 18.

The woman used the name of Karen Ann Lindsey and claimed to be 23 on her job application, Mayernik said, but supervisors at the gas station on Ann Arbor Road and Sheldon failed to verify her identification.

She didn't list a phone number and the address turned out to be a motel in Redford, Mayernik said.

The woman was described as white, 5-foot-5, 110 to 120 pounds wearing heavy makeup.

Similar embezzlements were reported earlier at a gas station in Warren, where $3,000 along with the employee's completed application and identification fingerprints were stolen — and Waterford, where $1,800 cash was taken, Mayernik said.

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State goal: A larger slice of tourism pie

By Tim Richard
staff writer

To get more tourist dollars, Michigan will have to cut into other states' share of the pie — particularly the Yuppie share.

"There will be a levelling off in the dollars spent on travel growth," state Commerce Director Doug Ross told a tourist industry conference in Detroit this week.

"If we want to grow, we have to take a larger market share," he said, targetting such "sunshine" states as California and Florida.

ROSS, A former state senator from Oakland County, said people will take more short vacations rather than the two-week trips to a campground or resort. He cited three areas for business to achieve its goal of a $20 billion tourist industry in five years:

- Young urban professionals — So-called Yuppies will spend freely on "status vacations, upscale vacations."
- Michiganians — "Find out what vacation experiences are luring them out of the state. What do we have to keep them?"
- Handicappers — "We have some of the toughest laws" to give them access to public facilities.

He led off a panel of state officials in the fourth annual Governor's Conference on Tourism in the Renaissance Center in downtown Detroit.

IT WAS A bureaucratic love-in as Gov. James Blanchard's department chiefs told the industry how much they would cooperate with each other to help the state's second largest industry.

"We're compulsive about it. We're fanatical about it," Ross said.

They gave credit to John Savich, director of the Michigan Travel Bureau and the man designated by Blanchard to make tourism promotion a multi-departmental task.

The cooperative approach was Blanchard's answer to state Senate efforts to create a 20th administrative department devoted to tourism.

PAUL KINDINGER, director of the state Agriculture Department, had a goodie for southeastern Michigan. The Great Lakes International Draft Horse Show in October is scheduled for the State Fairgrounds Coliseum in Detroit, and it will be touted in color tour promotions throughout Indiana and Ohio, too.

The Agriculture Department's promotion of "U-pick" farms in southwestern Michigan the last two summers has resulted in "a noticeable increase in traffic," Kindinger said.

He said his department would work with Commerce and the others to make consumers more conscious of Michigan food products, including wine.

"Michign consumers want to purchase Michigan-made and grown products but find it difficult to identify them," said Kindinger, promising a "bold new marketing campaign" with a better advertising logo. "Michigan is second only to California in the diversity of raw products grown within its borders."

NATURAL RESOURCES, a department known for protecting the environment and catering to hunters and fishermen, has a new outlook, said Marlene Fluharty, chairman of the Natural Resources Commission.

"Our top priority is to increase tourism," said the Midland environmentalist. She filled in for DNR director Gordon Guyer, who is in China obtaining a new batch of pheasant eggs.

Among DNR's efforts, Fluharty said, will be:

- Promotion of the Lake Huron fishery similar to the promotion of Lake Michigan.
- A new DNR office of coordinator of economic development.
- A Rails to Trails program, in which former railroad beds are converted to trails for snowmobiling, horseback riding, bicycling, hiking and crosscountry skiing.
- An attempt to introduce the peregrine falcon to Detroit, comparable to the successful effort in Grand Rapids. The predatory falcon can live in tall office buildings and feeds on pigeons.
- A major June 6-7 promotion — free fishing, free admission to state parks, free camping in state campgrounds.

"WELCOME CENTERS" on I-75 at Monroe and I-94 at New Buffalo will be expanded, said James Pitz, director of the state Department of Transportation.

A multi-state promotion of driving tours around Lake Michigan will be undertaken with Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin, he said.

Drivers approaching the Mackinac Straits Bridge will be able to pick up informational radio messages.

Pitz said M-DOT is being made far more sensitive to "customers." It has engaged in a heavy media information campaign to ease traffic problems caused by reconstruction of the Lodge Freeway from downtown Detroit to Seven Mile. The "smile" signs at other construction sites around the state are an attempt to show motorists "we care," he said.

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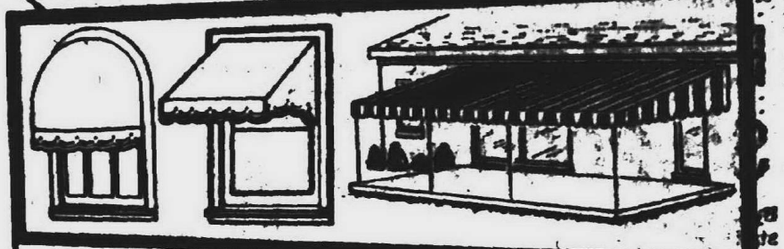

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Church construction ahead of schedule

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[redacted] Canton [redacted] Cherry Hill [redacted] Church of Canton," said Spracklen.

The current church building, at Van Buren and Morrison, will be sold.

"It's not on the market yet. We've been afraid because if it sold right away we wouldn't have any place to move. Once you start spending 700 or 800 thousand, you can lose a lot in the transition," said Spracklen.

The church probably will be for sale by "this summer or fall. We're hoping for $1 million because of the expansion of the airport," he said. Calvary Baptist is two miles north of Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

The remainder of the project will be financed with conventional loans, Spracklen said.

Spracklen, optimistic about drawing new church members from Canton and Plymouth, says the new site was the choice of a majority of his congregation.

"The greatest percentage of our people are from Westland, Canton and the Garden City area. A lot of Wayne members, in the process of time, have moved."

Cherry Hill and Sheldon spin will be home to First Baptist Church of Canton. The masonry and brick structure will face the corner, and there'll be 200 feet of landscaped frontage. Entrance will be from Sheldon Road and, eventually, from Cherry Hill as well.

[redacted] Wayne, where it [redacted] facilities.

"We thought building would begin [redacted] May or June but we're told it [redacted] almost immediately," said [redacted], who's organizing ground-[redacted] festivities for 3 p.m. Sun-[redacted], April 12.

[redacted] church bought the residential-[redacted] zoned, 18-acre site for $190,000 in [redacted] from an independent investor. [redacted] plans to build a $2 million-plus, [redacted],512-square-foot structure in phas-[redacted].

"A Family Life Center will be the [redacted] phase of our building program. [redacted] will consist of a gym, with locker-[redacted]ms and showers, restrooms, a [redacted]indball court and exercise room, [redacted]itchen, and also temporary nursery [redacted]d office space. This will include [redacted]arking," said Spracklen.

A 1,200-seat auditorium, office [redacted]ing, Sunday school and adult class-[redacted]oms and baptismal dressing rooms [redacted]d parking will be added in the sec-ond phase.

"In the third phase we'll add a [redacted]00-seat balcony to the auditorium," said Spracklen.

Plans call for "a west Sunday school wing to be built, enclosing the courtyard, which will be landscaped and prepared for garden weddings and picnics."

Also in the last phase, "a fireside room will be built on the west side of the gymnasium for small meetings and youth programs."

A SCHOOL is a possibility, Spracklen said.

"If there's a need, we have the room. It's just a thought right now. There's plenty of Christian schools, so we wouldn't go into the business unless it was called for," the pastor said.

Enrollment in Spracklen's Sunday school program is near 600.

In the short term, extra acreage will be used for softball diamonds and soccer fields. The major users will be church members.

"Canton has so many other fields, they'll basically be for our youth program," said Spracklen.

The move is a welcome one for associate pastor Bronson and Debbie Clemens. Clemens is Spracklen's son-in-law and a Canton resident.

Also on staff is assistant pastor [redacted] Gagle and youth minister Woody Cash.

THE CHURCH is being forced to change its name, from Calvary Baptist to First Baptist.

Not changing "would just lead to confusion among the community

Awards honor young artists

Eleven students from Plymouth-Canton Community Schools have been chosen as Isbister Award recipients.

The Isbister Awards were established by the Plymouth Community Arts Council during the first Artrain visit to Plymouth 16 years ago. The awards are given in honor of Russell Isbister, former Plymouth-Canton schools superintendent.

Competition is open to all art students in kindergarten through the 12th grade.

Students selected have their work framed and kept in an exhibition that will circulate among the schools for two years.

At the end of that time, the art work will be returned to the students.

RECIPIENTS OF this year's Isbister Awards are:

Kindergarten, Tom Price, Hines Park Montessori; first grade, Erin Schultz, Miller Elementary; second grade, Rory Holt, Tanger Elementary; third grade, James Riffe, Allen Elementary; fourth grade, Erin Johnson, Bird Elementary; fifth grade, Miriam Cervellano, Erlenoor Elementary.

Other award winners are: seventh grade, Emily Sampson, Lowell Middle School; sixth grade, Kelly Allen, Central Middle School; ninth grade, Cathy [redacted], West Middle; 10th grade, [redacted], Plymouth-Canton [redacted] and 12th grade, Mai Koda, Plymouth-Canton High.

Plymouth Community Arts Council [redacted] for the program are [redacted]

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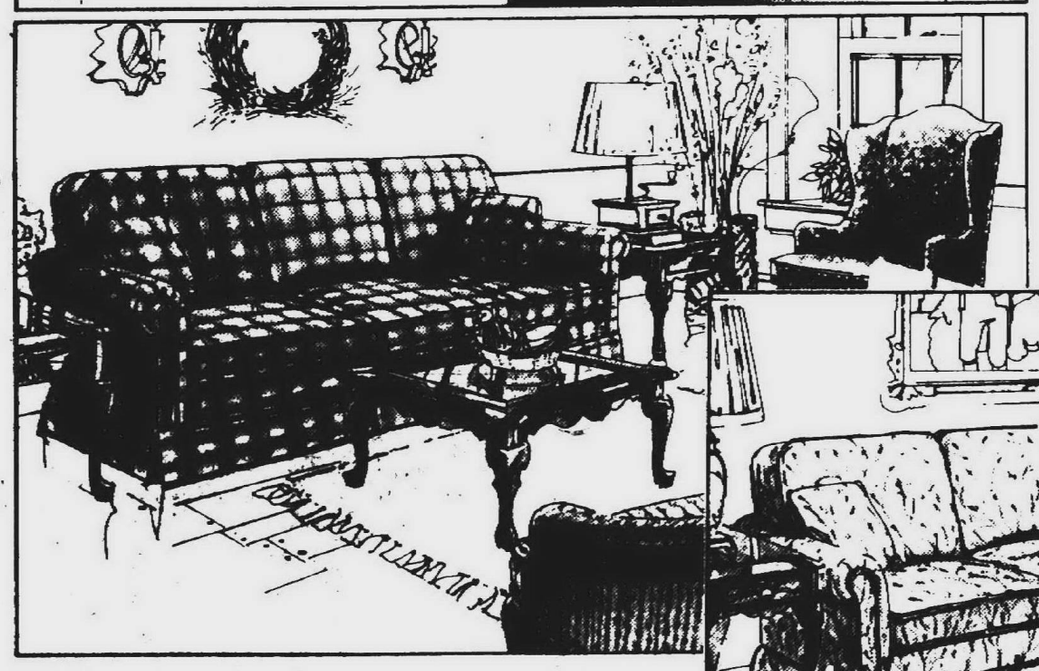

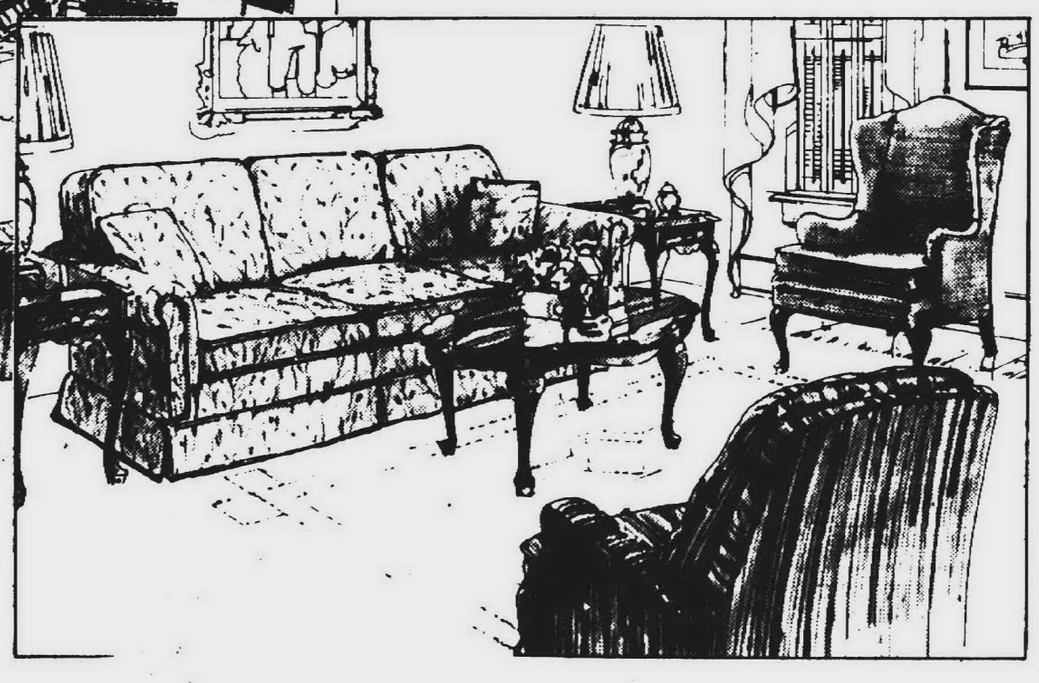

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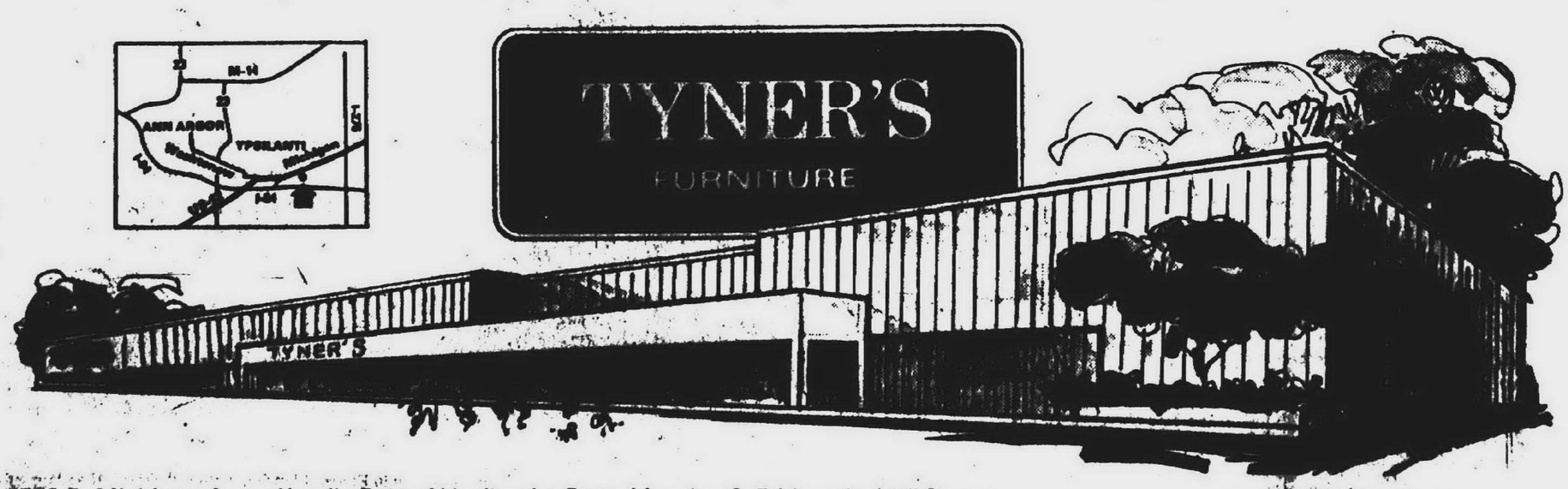

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Two-year colleges seek state aid for job growth

By Tim Richard
staff writer

On paper it looks good. State government has a formula for community colleges that give them $213 million a year.

In the real world it's different, Schoolcraft College President Richard McDowell told a legislative panel. State aid amounts to just $192 million in Gov. James J. Blanchard's proposed budget.

"We need more just to keep us where we are," McDowell said last week in a hearing of the House Appropriations subcommittee on community colleges.

THE MODEL FORMULA would give Schoolcraft $7.9 million in state aid, but Blanchard recommended an even $7 million for the fiscal year beginning next Oct. 1 — an increase of 4.8 percent from the current $6.7 million.

"We hope the Senate whomps it up (the recommended aid figure)," McDowell said in an interview.

"We are making progress. We particularly appreciate the job-retraining funds for high technology," McDowell told lawmakers during a two-hour hearing at Oakland Community College's Auburn Hills Campus.

"We continue to talk about roofs and parking lots, which aren't very sexy, but they absorb a lot of dollars."

Money is needed needed to improve libraries and computer systems, which support instructional effort, McDowell said.

AN ANALYSIS by the Michigan Community Colleges Association shows Schoolcraft got 29 percent of last year's $10 million budget from student tuition — about the state average.

But the college got just 34 percent from state aid, compared to an average of 41 percent for all two-year colleges.

Conversely, Schoolcraft relies more heavily on local property taxes — 34 percent of its budget total compared to a state average of 25 percent.

Besides $192 million in general aid to community colleges, Blanchard's budget recommends $4 million for job training. Of that, each of the 29 community colleges would be allocated $50,000 — adding up to $1.45 million. The other $2.55 million is awarded on the basis of individual competitive grants.

McDowell said he would prefer to double the base grant to $100,000 per college. McDowell said industry looks to community colleges — particularly those like Schoolcraft in the high-tech belt — for hands-on job training.

A NEW APPROACH to giving money to two-year colleges needs to be worked out, said R. Stephen Nicholson, chancellor of Oakland Community College.

"State aid is based on formulas with full-time-equated students. We need formulas based on goals," Nicholson said.

OCC and eight other two-year public colleges argued that the sophisticated kinds of job training they perform for industry require exotic and expensive new equipment that "enrollment-driven" aid formulas fail to help.

"We don't need (just) more dollars. We need a reconceptualization of tasks," Nicholson said. "That's more difficult than the allocation of dollars."

Nevertheless, the tone of the hearing was upbeat as college presidents thanked the state for increasing aid as much as it has during the economic recovery.

"We have to keep banging away as a team," said Rep. Thomas Mathieu, D-Grand Rapids. Chairman Mathieu is known in Lansing as a champion of giving money to community colleges.

OCC'S AUBURN Hills Campus is across Featherstone from a site where Chrysler Corp. is planning the world's most advanced automotive research facility.

Other college presidents envied OCC for the $800 million investment. "Maybe you'd like to spread some of that around," quipped one of the other presidents.

But OCC Vice Chancellor Anthony D. Jarson splashed cold water on that idea. "It's all in TIFAs — 100 percent — for 15 years," said Jarson.

TIFAs are tax increment financing authorities in which the city of Auburn Hills uses all new property tax revenues for municipal improvements, with nothing going to schools, OCC or county government.

WSU to hold conference on histo

Judges and professors will be among the speakers at Wayne State University's 30th annual local history conference April 8-11 in the McGregor Memorial Conference Center on the Detroit campus.

G. Mennen Williams, former governor and retired chief justice, will be the luncheon speaker Saturday, April 11. He will draw on his 50 years of public service in the state and federal governments.

At 4 p.m. Thursday, April 9, Sidney Fine, University of Michigan history professor, will deliver the symposium centennial lecture. Topic will be the 1967 Detroit riot.

After-dinner speaker on Friday, April 10, will be Jay Anderson, Utah State University history professor. His topic will be "Take the Time Warp with History's Fringe."

Other speakers will be U.S. District Judge Avern Cohn; Edward M. Wise, WSU law professor; Otis Smith, former state supreme court justice; and Sidney Fine, history professor.

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- Tuesday, April 21 — Dr. Kazutoshi Mayeda of Wayne State University will discuss advances in human genetics, 10:30 a.m.; Dr. Robert Douglass will discuss advances in endocrinology, 2 p.m.; Dr. Marilyn Sauder of Harper-Grace Hospitals will discuss treatment and diagnosis of cancer, focusing on breast and colon cancer, 7 p.m.
- Wednesday, April 22 — Dr. Janette Sherman of Harper Hospital will discuss cancer-causing chemicals, 3 p.m.; Dr. Hassan Amirika of Grace Hospital will discuss pre-menstrual syndrome, 7 p.m.
- Thursday, April 23 — Nurse Susan Sherman of McCauley Health Center will discuss the myths and reality surrounding Alzheimer's disease, 10 a.m.
- Friday, April 24 — Nurse Cathy Collins of Grace Hospital will discuss midwifery, 9 a.m.; nurse Mary Habb of the University of Michigan Burn Center will discuss burn therapy, 1 p.m.
- Friday, April 25 — Nurse clinician Carol Lassila of McCauley Health Center will discuss AIDS (acquired immune deficiency syndrome) and immunology, 3 p.m.

More information on each program is available by calling 591-6400, Ext. 217.

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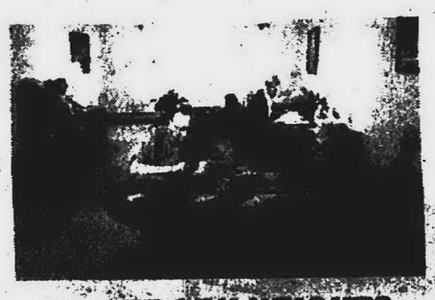

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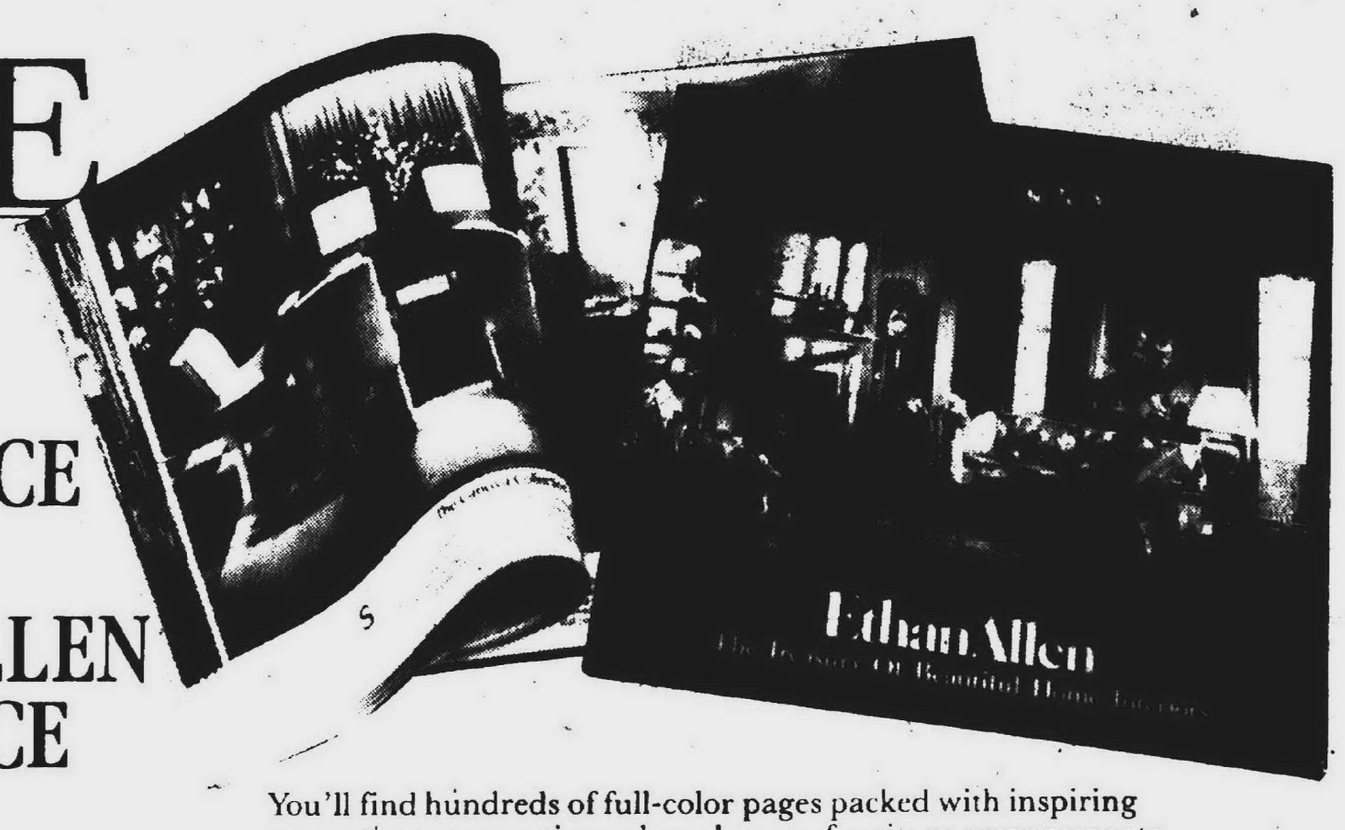

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Artrain action

Clowns, mimes and singers are featured

Clowns, mimes and musicians are among the entertainment being provided at the Artrain site today and this weekend.

This morning Penny Kindiaka sang and from 1-2 p.m. today Geri the Clown entertained at the site on Pearl west of Starkweather in Old Village. Kindiaka will return to sing from 10-11 a.m. Friday.

Saturday's entertainment will consist of face painting and mimes by West Middle School students from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., a Central Middle School singing group from noon to 1 p.m., Centennial Educational Park vocal music group 1-5 p.m. and West Middle School face painting and mimes 3-5 p.m.

Saturday's schedule will be repeated on Sunday.

STUDENT ART WORK from Plymouth-Canton Community Schools is on display this week as follows:

The work of Isbister Elementary pupils at Penniman Deli; Fiegel pupils at Del's; Field pupils at Wiltse's Pharmacy; Smith pupils at Armbruster's Bootery; Farrand and Tanger pupils at Designer Depot; Hulsing pupils at Hugh Jarvis; Miller pupils at Wayside; Bird at Rainbow Shop; Erikson at Plymouth Office Supply; Allen at Folkways; and Gallimore a Plymouth Hobby.

The works of high school art students will be on display at the Detroit Edison branch at Ann Arbor Trail and Main.

West Middle students have done window painting at Fred Hill Haberdasher. Girl Scouts have done window painting in Old Village at Debbie's Card Collection on Spring, Beginnings Bridal on Starkweather, Friendly Persuasion on Mill. Four Girl Scout troops will do businesses on Liberty Street.

Station 885, Country Dolls and Doorsteps and From the Heart in Old Village will do their own window painting.

THE WINNING entries from the Artrain Coloring Contest will be on display in the side windows at The Willow Tree at Penniman Avenue and Main in downtown Plymouth.

Other coloring entries will be on display in stores in downtown Plymouth and Old Village.

More than 100 entries were received for the Artrain Coloring Contest sponsored by the Plymouth Community Arts Council.

In the age 9-11 category, there was a first place tie between Jeanne and Linda Ragan of Plymouth with Mark Bray of Plymouth and Mike Piontek of Canton earning honorable mentions.

In the age 6-8 category Todd Bellaire of Plymouth earned a first place with honorable mentions going to Nicholas Wojnar of Canton, Geoffrey Horst of Plymouth and Tim Jordan of Canton.

Julie Dziekan earned a first place in the age 3-5 category with honorable mentions going to Bernadette Merriman of Redford, Samantha Heck of Plymouth, Christopher Hardy of Plymouth, Christopher Bray of Plymouth and Michelle Kranz of Plymouth.

THE ARTRAIN, which rolled into town Monday, will be open to the public through 5 p.m. today, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Admission is free.

The visit is made possible by a $3,000 grant from Ford Motor Co. — Climate Control Division, Sheldon Road Plant and a $1,500 gift from the Mayflower Hotel, the Chessie Railroad and the PCAC.

This year's Artrain exhibit is devoted to the Cranbrook Academy of Arts.

Some 22 demonstrating artists are scheduled to appear in the exhibition car.

Co-chairmen for the Plymouth visit are Peggy Blaisdell and Pam Dietrich.

BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Nina Riley of Central Middle School paints a fence around a windmill on the window of Fred Hill Haberdashy as part of the activities for the arrival of Artrain in Plymouth.

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● DEADLINES

Announcements for Brevities should be submitted by noon Monday for the Thursday issue and by noon Thursday for the Monday issue. Bring in or mail announcements to the Observer, 489 S. Main, Plymouth 48170.

● CARRIAGE HILLS

Thursday, April 2 — Carriage Hills Homeowners Association of Canton will have its monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. at Miller School on Hanford. Open to all members.

● MESSIAH CONCERT

Sunday, April 5 — The Plymouth Oratorio Society will perform the Easter section of Handel's "Messiah" at 7:30 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial west of Sheldon. All are invited.

● GERANIUM SALE

Sunday, April 12 — Bird School Cub Scout Pack 293 will have its Red Geranium Sale now through April 12. The charge is $1.75 per plant. Plants will be delivered on May 1-3.

● RED CROSS BLOODMOBILE

The American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be accepting donations of blood on these dates:

● Monday, April 13, at St. John's Episcopal Church, 574 S. Sheldon, Plymouth, from 2-8 p.m. For an appointment, call Cindy White at 348-2630 or Beth Stapleton at 459-8472.

● Wednesday, April 15, at the Plymouth Elks, 41700, Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, from 2-8 p.m. For an appointment, call Boyd Shaffer at 459-2206 or 665-9111.

● SENIOR TAX COUNSELORS

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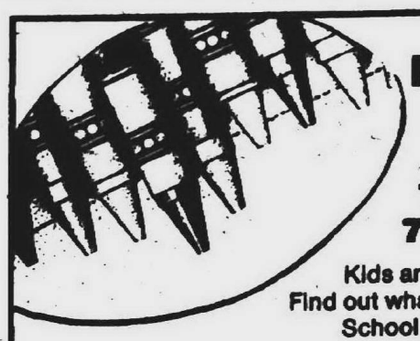

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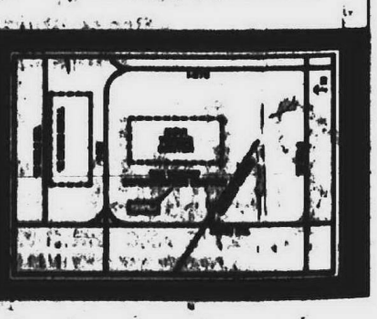

Memories are his business

Dear Jo:

I am probably one step ahead of Edith F. of Victoria who wrote to you that recommended tape-recording the priceless memories of families.

I did that, too. Did this asked myself: "Who will transcribe and edit the tapes, copy the pictures and documents, prepare captions, and then see to the printing and binding of the book to make it suitable for passing on to future generations?"

Many others locally had the same difficulty. So as a post-retirement career, I went into business to help families go from tapes and shoeboxes full of pictures to finished books. I help on all or any part of the process. It has been very satisfying.

Joseph F. Clayton

Dear Mr. Clayton:

I have a great deal of admiration for those who take on a second career after retirement. I wish you the best of luck. Since some of our readers may want to contact you for some advice on starting a second career, or to use your services, I am printing your business address:

After Thoughts, 4174 Woodland Drive, Ann Arbor, Mich., 48103

Dear Jo:

My mother, age 75, has been hospitalized for hypothermia, and she hadn't even been out in the cold weather. I thought this was a problem mainly experienced by mountain climbers and campers. Would you please discuss hypothermia as it relates to an older person.

Mrs. D., Quebec

gerontology

A. Jolayne Farrell

Dear Mrs. D.:

I have discussed this serious and often fatal problem before. But because my column has not appeared in Quebec until recently, and the rest of us could do with a review, I will be pleased to comment on it again.

Hypothermia occurs when the body temperature falls below 35 degrees C (95 F). The elderly are more vulnerable because of some physical changes that go along with growing older, i.e., a decrease in the amount of body fat that is just below the skin, poor circulation and a loss of hair over the entire body.

Other contributing factors are poor diet, lack of exercise and refusal to wear warm clothing both indoors and out.

Some of the symptoms of hypothermia are feelings of fatigue, drowsiness, weakness, poor coordination, forgetfulness, confusion and even stupor. In advanced cases, the heart and respiratory rate are slowed to such an extent that they are hard to detect.

With hypothermia the skin feels cool everywhere, even on the areas protected with clothing. The victims do not shiver and will often say that they do not even feel cold.

THE BEST place for hypothermia to be diagnosed and treated is in the hospital. So if this problem is suspected, medical advice should be sought at once.

It is not advisable to have the victim take a warm bath or be placed under an electric blanket. Such measures do more harm than good.

Hypothermia can be prevented by wearing warm clothing at all times, indoors and out, during cold winter months. Long underwear worn both day and night is very helpful. Other clothing, preferably made of wool, should be worn in layers. Wearing a hat indoors particularly during the night will prevent a high percentage of heat loss.

Other preventive measures include eating a well-balanced diet, avoiding alcohol, exercising daily and using an electric blanket on a low setting at night.

Marchers seek improved public transportation for the handicapped

More than 200 people are expected to participate in a Saturday march advocating improved public transportation for handicapped Wayne County residents.

"We're targeting public transportation in general, not any specific companies," march organizer Frank Clark of Redford Township said.

Marchers will gather at the corner of Rosa Parks Boulevard and Michigan Avenue and travel to the Kern Block, Clark said.

Fifty handicapped Boy Scouts, who Clark says were excluded from last year's Michigan Thanksgiving Day Parade, will lead marchers.

Though group members have instituted other protests, including Michigan Public Transportation Task Force, co-sponsored by the Michigan Public Transportation Task Force, Elderly and Handicapped Advisory Comittee of SEMTA, Detroit Coalition for the Human Rights of the Handicapped, Detroit chapter of ADAPT Americans Disabled for Accessible Public Transportation).

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Rescue of truck driver

Plymouth Township firefighters and police officers use the jaws of life cutting tool to extract Ralph Hollis from the cab of his truck Monday night on the embankment of M-14 just west of Sheldon Road. Police said that Hollis's semi-tractor loaded with frozen poultry hit a patch of ice on the freeway, jack-knifed, hit a guard rail, became airborne, then came to rest on the embankment. Hollis, 58, of Northville, was wearing a seatbelt and driving at an estimated 40 to 45 miles per hour when he hit the ice at about 10 p.m., police said. Hollis sustained a broken arm, broken leg and head lacerations, police reported, and was listed Tuesday in serious condition at St. Joseph Hospital, Ypsilanti. He wasn't ticketed. Wayne County refused to respond to several requests to deal with the slippery freeway prior to the mishap, township police said. Five other motorists lost control of their vehicles there Monday night, but none was injured, police said. That section of M-14 subsequently was closed by police.

School plans program

New Morning School in Plymouth Township is planning a discussion program for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 7.

The program will include a slide presentation. Parents will be able to meet with teachers and parents of the school's students.

New Morning School, founded in 1973, is a state-certified, non-profit parent cooperative school for children in preschool through the eighth grade.

Parents may register their children for New Morning programs at the meeting. Individual visits to the school may be arranged either before or after the meeting.

Registration is being accepted for: middle school (grades 6-8); elementary school (full day kindergarten through fifth grade); early primary (afternoon kindergarten); preschool (Tuesday/Thursday, Monday/Wednesday or Monday/Wednesday/Friday — waiting list, 9-11:30 a.m.); and "Me and My Shadow" (parent-toddler, one day a week).

THE SCHOOL'S parents and staff also have been busy working on New Morning's largest fund-raising event, the annual benefit auction. The auction was held Saturday, March 28, at Roma Hall.

The school offers certified and licensed school-year classes for children 2-14. Extended hours and use of the Plymouth-Canton bus system help accommodate the schedules of working parents.

The school's director is Elaine Yagiela of Northville.

"If the parents understand and support the philosophy of the school, it will be a successful experience for the child," Yagiela said.

The school's student-teacher ratio is 12 students per teacher.

DETAILS ON programs and financial information will be presented at the Tuesday, April 7, meeting. The new co-op and non-co-op options will be presented.

Parents may now invest more time in the school and spend less money.

Advance registration by telephone for the meeting is requested. To register, call 420-3331 between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

New Morning School is at 14601 Haggerty, just north of Schoolcraft in Plymouth Township.

Car pools are available for many areas, including Plymouth, Canton, Northville, Novi, Westland, Farmington Hills and Livonia.

TV religion scandal has little impact here

By Doug Funke
staff writer

Several clergymen in the Plymouth-Canton community maintain they have received no negative fallout from the recent difficulties experienced by the Rev. Jim Bakker at the national level.

Sunday offerings and ministerial credibility haven't suffered here, local ministers said.

"Local churches are very far removed from that milieu," said the Rev. Thomas Pals, assistant pastor at the First Baptist Church of Plymouth.

"If there is any kind of financial effect, it would be in groups like Bakker's PTL Club, phone-in where they ask for contributions."

"I think every individual stands on his own credibility," said the Rev. Harry Yarnell of St. Michael Lutheran Church in Canton. "I don't see where it will affect people giving for the Lord's work."

"MOST OF our people here have a problem with that kind of ministry ... the appeal for money," said the Rev. Mark Morningstar, assistant pastor at the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth.

"I'm sure some have contributed (to Bakker), but I don't think it will affect us at all."

An appeal for money is made from the pulpit at his church only once a year as part of Stewardship Sunday, Morningstar said.

Ironically, before Bakker's problems surfaced, some members of the congregation had indicated a desire for more preaching about giving money and talents to the church, Morningstar said.

How does Morningstar handle negative ecclesiastical publicity for which he isn't personally responsible?

"Just keep on going with what you do best," he said.

The Rev. John Grenfell Jr., pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, said he doesn't believe his credibility is impugned by the actions of other clergymen.

"I try to bring people, individuals, to a sense of personal accountability. I'm more interested in people knowing me as a person than as a professional, the preacher."

LOCAL FINANCIAL repercussions are difficult to assess now, Grenfell said.

"Our offerings thus far this year haven't been up to equal strength. I would attribute that to advance giving due to anticipation of change in tax law."

Jay Berman, spokesman for the Catholic Archdiocese of Detroit, said church officials aren't worried about launching their annual Catholic Services Appeal drive as the spotlight shines not so favorably on religious spending.

The goal this year is $8.5 million.

Archbishop Edmund Szoka will attend seven regional meetings to explain the program to religious and lay leadership, Berman said.

"Catholics, as a population, have a very direct and immediate relationship with their pastor," Berman said. "It's not a video relationship. Catholics aren't much involved with it, television evangelism.

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Panel to rule Friday on Canham charges

By Wayne Peal
staff writer

A three-attorney panel will rule Friday whether former Wayne County chief circuit judge James Canham should be disciplined for his role in a bribe attempt involving the late Michigan Appeals Court Judge S. Jerome Bronson.

Canham faces penalties ranging from censure to loss of his attorney's license if the panel rules he was guilty of misconduct.

A four-day hearing on Canham's role in the bribe attempt was held in mid-March before the Michigan Attorney Discipline Board.

Testimony indicated Canham told attorney James Finn that Bronson sought a bribe and passed a classified appeals court document to Finn.

Chief disciplinary prosecutor Michael Alan Schwartz argued Canham "aided and abetted" Bronson — and may have initiated the bribe attempt — but Canham's attorney, Sheldon Miller, said his client was gathering evidence hoping that Finn would report Bronson to authorities.

PANEL MEMBERS will issue written findings and read highlights of their opinion at 9 a.m. in the attorney discipline board's Detroit offices.

"If they decided there was no misconduct, the hearing is over," attorney discipline board executive director John Van Bolt said. "If they decide there was misconduct, a second hearing would be held to present mitigating evidence before a penalty would be imposed."

Though the second hearing has been tentatively scheduled for Monday, April 13, Van Bolt said the scheduling "in no way presupposes" what Friday's ruling will be.

The panel includes attorneys J. Robert Sterling, Deborah Mela and John Shantz. All three practice law in Oakland County.

In December, the Michigan Attorney Grievance Commission charged Canham was "unfit to practice law."

THE CHARGE stems from a Nov. 4 meeting between Canham and Finn — in which Canham passed a classified pre-hearing report to Finn — and a Nov. 6 telephone conversation, taped by Michigan State Police, in which Canham told Finn to write an opinion Bronson could adopt.

Canham, a Redford Township resident, was given immunity from criminal prosecution for assisting the state police in arresting Bronson. Bronson committed suicide Nov. 14, shortly after being arraigned on conspiracy and bribery charges.

The case being appealed involved $3.2 million in damages awarded a Kentucky man represented by Finn in an accident suit against Ford Motor Co.

Law enforcement officials alleged Bronson sought a $20,000 bribe in return for ruling in favor of Finn's client.

Vollman is voted to road post

Assistant Wayne County Executive James Vollman has been elected vice president of the County Road Association of Michigan.

The one-year term expires March 31, 1988.

The organization seeks cooperative efforts to improve Michigan's county road system.

Vollman, 34, is director of the county Office of Public Services. In that position, Vollman overseas maintenance, construction and operation of county roads, buildings, parks, drains, sewers and sewage treatment plants, as well as Wayne County and Willow Run airports.

He previously served as research director for the Wayne County Charter Commission and as executive assistant, director of research and deputy director of public service under former County Executive William Lucas.

Vollman is a graduate of the University of Michigan and a second-year law student at Wayne State University.

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Senate falls to halt filibuster

Here's how Michigan's U.S. senators were recorded on major roll call votes in the week ending March 27. There were no House votes during the week.

Roll Call Report

SENATE

PRO-CONTRA FILIBUSTER — The Senate failed, 54 for and 46 against, to achieve the three-fifths majority required to silence a filibuster in behalf of more aid for American-backed contra forces in Nicaragua.

The vote enabled contra supporters to continue to suppress a bill (HJ Res 79) banning additional aid until President Reagan explains what happened to funds already provided to the Nicaraguan rebels.

Congressional foes of the contras want the president to account for aid such as appropriations, private funding and money allegedly diverted to the rebels from Iran arms sales.

The bill, which has passed the House, would freeze a $40 million payment to the contras that the Senate approved in mid-March.

Tom Daschle, D-S.D., who voted to end the filibuster, said "support for contra aid among the American people continues to decrease."

Frank Murkowski, R-Alaska, said the United States should continue aiding the contras until "the Soviets and their Cuban allies get out of Central America."

Senators voting yes wanted floor debate on the proposed contra aid freeze. Michigan's Carl Levin and Donald Riegle, both Democrats, voted yes.

FAILING BANKS — By a vote of 52 for and 42 against, the Senate adopted an amendment making it more difficult for so-called "non-bank banks" to get a foothold as competitors against traditional banks and savings and loans.

These unorthodox financial institutions have been able to provide an array of financial services, and operate interstate, by taking advantage of loopholes in federal banking law.

Senators voting yes wanted to make it more difficult for non-bank banks to acquire failing thrift institutions. Levin and Riegle voted yes.

The amendment adopted by this vote sought to sidetrack a pending measure enabling certain non-bank banks to expand their base by rescuing failed or failing thrift institutions. It affirmed the power of state legislatures to block any such acquisitions.

The vote occurred during debate on a sweeping bill (S 790) to bolster the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation, the agency that insures thrift institutions' deposits. The bill was headed for final passage and consideration by the House.

Builders are short of land — Dickstein

By the end of the year, prospective home buyers may find there are no developed lots available.

Dennis Dickstein, president of the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan, said 13,000 developed lots, or lots in the process of being approved, are available — enough to last only nine months.

Dickstein blamed the state Department of Natural Resources. Developers submit "plats" or site plans to the DNR for approval before they begin building, but DNR lacks manpower to process them expeditiously.

Dickstein said there also needs to be more realistic zoning of property in southeastern Michigan to deal with the coming shortage of building sites in this area of the state.

His remarks were made at a meeting of the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan that focused on the impending shortage of land.

Dickstein is president of Ralph Manuel Realtors, Birmingham.

Youth corps jobs available

Job applications are being accepted for adults ages 18-21 who want Michigan Youth Corps jobs this summer.

Unemployed young adults in western Wayne County can apply to the Private Industry Corp., 33057 Schoolcraft, Livonia. Applications are available at PIC offices, all area high schools and community colleges and all MESC and Department of Social Services offices.

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Standards

Children vital enough to require them

ONE ISSUE facing the Michigan Legislature is whether to require that teachers in private schools — specifically in church-operated schools — be certified by the state.

Last month, supporters of church-operated schools rallied in front of the state Capitol in Lansing to urge lawmakers to change the law requiring state certification of teachers for private schools.

Locally, Central Baptist School in Plymouth is positioning itself to possibly become a test case on that issue. The school has decided against compliance with the state law because it doesn't believe the state has any business requiring certification of teachers in Christian schools.

Other church-operated schools in Plymouth-Canton have hired certified staff and don't voice any particular objection to the law.

AT ISSUE is the Michigan Constitution requirement that the Legislature maintain free public schools "as defined by law."

The state assumes a legal obligation for insuring all its residents have equal access to an education. The state maintains it has the right to establish minimal standards for those responsible for educating our people.

Many parents in Plymouth-Canton feel the state has no business interfering with their family life, and that the decision to send children to a non-public school is a private right that can be freely exercised. Parents on both the liberal and conservative spectrums fear undue state intervention in influencing the minds of children.

Basically, certification requires that a teacher have a bachelor's degree with at least 40 credit hours in liberal arts, 20 hours in education and six hours in student teaching. Additionally, a secondary teacher must have three semester hours in the teaching of reading, 30 credit hours in a major field of study, 20 hours in a minor. The standard is adopted by the Michigan Board of Education.

THE MAIN arguments of those who support certification standards are:

- Private schools that accept tax-supported services (such as busing, vocational education or special education) should be willing to accept some state standards.

- Because the state has an obligation to fund unemployment payments, general assistance, jail space and other services necessitated in part by poor education, the state has a financial interest in assuring adequate education of its citizens.

The role of private education in society is generally accepted, even by public educators who recognize public education has a great challenge trying to be everything to all people.

The issue, then, has nothing to do with the existence of private schools but whether the state should become involved in the quality of education offered at such schools.

THE WISE consumer shopping for education will examine, among other factors, the quality of instructors at a private school.

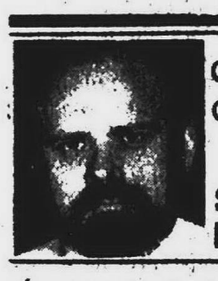
Certification is one way to measure quality as it relates to professional training a practitioner must possess. Another method, suggested by the Rev. Stanley Jenkins of Central Baptist, is to examine test scores of students enrolled there because output is what counts. In this other educators agree. Some argue that results of any educational system are much more important to examine and measure than "pedigree" qualifications of teachers.

There certainly is merit in challenging the validity of certification as an ultimate test of quality. But there should be a measure. Anyone involved in the education of children, whether in the public or private sector, should not shrink away from standards. There is a healthy level of accountability that comes with having to meet minimum standards.

While we may disagree with what those standards may be, hopefully we can agree that the education of our children is too important not to be measured or not to have the deliverers held accountable. Until another yardstick can be implemented statewide, certification may be the best standard to use.

Whether all private schools, regardless of the presence or lack of public funding, should meet minimum standards will be decided by the courts as legal authorities will be the ultimate deciders.

Prepare yourself for elderly years



crackerbarrel debate

Steve Barnaby

FACE IT. Getting old scares the heck out of most everybody. We're a society that just doesn't handle it very well.

And not too many years ago, it seemed as if we would never have to face it. After all, we were the youth generation — eternally young, relentlessly naive and totally unprepared for what the future would bring.

But the baby-boomers, those brash young voices of the '60s, are now middle-aged and a little nervous.

My God, we're getting old.

Not only are we getting old, but our parents are, well, our parents are elderly — and they need special handling.

SURE, SURE, never seemed possible a few years back. But mom or dad just might need a nursing home soon. We've all got so many questions.

How expensive is nursing home care? And what's the difference between one nursing home and another, anyway? From whom can I get reliable information? What should I look for in a facility, and what should I know before shopping around?

A lot of folks are asking these questions.

Many months ago reporter Diane Gale came to me and suggested we do a series to answer many of these questions.

Well, thanks to Diane and a team of others at the paper, we hope to at least get you thinking about the topic before it becomes a family emergency.

We've been talking a lot about nursing homes in recent months at the Observer & Eccentric. You'll see the results of all that talking and planning in today's edition.

You really should sit down and spend some time reading the special all-news section "Nursing home care in the '80s."

WE BELIEVE that nursing homes are an issue of critical importance in today's society. Our team of reporters, photographers and editors worked for several months in putting together a report, which you will find educational and enlightening.

You'll read about how Michigan has implemented stricter guidelines for nursing homes and how they are monitored by the state.

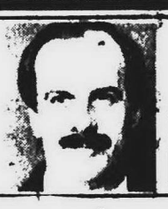
You'll get a first-hand account of what it's like to go out and find a nursing home for a loved one.

Our newsroom team also clears up some of the confusion about Medicaid and how it fits into the nursing home reimbursement system. You'll read about good homes and bad and how one nursing home overcame its bad image.

My favorite bit of writing is on Jimmy Creighton, 86, who everyday visits his sister Cathy, 89, in a nursing home. It's a poignant report and, if nothing else, makes you feel like the whole world hasn't gone to hell in a hand basket.

OK, so give it a read and let us know what you think about this issue.

Terror in the night



Rich Perlberg

"WHAT'S THAT NOISE?"

I didn't know. I didn't care. It was 3 in the morning, for cripe's sake. Besides, women are always hearing strange noises. So, I lied.

"It's the branches," I mumbled. "The wind is making them hit the house."

My wife did not believe that for a second. We had lived in the house for two years. Even during near-tornadoes, the branches had never brushed against the house. But she wanted to believe. So she let the ruse continue for about five minutes.

"Rich, that is not a branch," she then said, with an urgency that said sleep would not come until the noise was explained.

I did not want to know the origin. It could have been a squirrel in the attic. It could have been the plumbing problem was acting up. It could have been a prowler. I was ill-prepared to deal with all three.

BUT I HAD to look. Faking bravado, I swaggered to the window and tugged open the drapes. And laughed. The noise was the lid of a garbage can, blown from a neighbor's yard and scraping across the crusty snow. It was nothing, of course. That's the way it usually is . . . unless you lived in a peaceful Beverly Hills neighborhood last week.

There, a couple was awakened at 2:30 a.m. by "one of those noises you know you have to check," according to the young husband. Instead of something to laugh about, he ran into three armed men robbing his house.

For 30 minutes, the intruders terrorized the couple, binding them, threatening them and making a mockery of both the security of the home and the belief that you can move away from crime.

Beverly Hills is as tranquil as they come. Well-kept homes. Responsible inhabitants. Unlike Southfield or Redford or Livonia, there is no major freeway serving as easy access and egress for criminal outsiders. The victim's home off Southfield Road is not difficult to reach, but there are many much easier. If their home was attacked randomly, as it appears, then any home can be attacked. If a deadbolt failed to protect them, and it didn't, then is there any protection short of turning your home into a prison?

CRIME CANNOT be excused by social arguments. Not every crook was deprived and most youngsters from poor backgrounds do not grow up to be thugs. There is a standard of behavior that society can and must demand regardless of personal backgrounds.

But neither should the suburbs merely cluck their tongues at the poverty, poor educational opportunities and high unemployment of inner cities. Too many people make political hay by bashing Detroit or Coleman Young. It's a form of racism and, like most prejudice, it's a costly way of sticking one's head in the sand.

Their problems are our problems. That's something to remember the next time you hear a strange noise in the night.

from our readers

Letters must be original copies and contain the signature and address of the sender. Limit letters to 300 words.

Appreciate editorial view

To the editor:

Thank you for your March 19 editorial "Trustees miss point on movie." This was the best piece of journalism by a newspaper that I have read in years, including both major newspapers.

Your comments express well the opinion of majority of the people (the surveyed) in the Plymouth community.

Board member Marilyn Bekwith is to be commended for her action on the school board and her courage to stand alone. This issue should never have come to pay into any school particularly a public school.

[illegible] should not allow [illegible] to become dumping [illegible] for unnecessary materials particularly obscene material or anything that is not related to a basic education.

Barbara Graham,
Plymouth

School is the authority figure

To the editor:

I would like to reply to both sides of the Diane Daskalakis and the Plymouth-Canton school controversy.

The thing that is unfair about witchcraft, the occult, and Zen Buddhism being taught in the schools is that Christianity cannot be presented at all in the schools. [illegible] seems to be the only fair thing to do.

If it is not OK to print quotations from the film in the paper, then why let them be blasted from the screen in the schools where the kids are that get the Observer in their home. The school is the authority figure and this makes it OK to use these words any place. Would you as a parent use these words in your home in front of your kids and your grandparents?

The present system is all stacked against the family who is trying to give their kids good guidelines with which to make judgments on their behaviors.

It is the kids who make the judgments on their own behavior who have to suffer the consequences of that behavior; or did you as a parent enjoy bailing them out of their consequences?

Why not give them a good start with good values on which to base their choices.

Robert J. Raye,
Plymouth

Memories of one beginning 2 decades ago

through bifocals

Fred DeLano

O. HENRY ONCE put these words in the mouth of Andy Tucker, a colorful fictional character of the great short story writer's Gentle Grafter series: "I'm all afame and crammed inside with an assortment of words and phrases that have got to have an exodus. I can feel millions of synonyms and parts of speech rising in me."

FOR SOME time I have been intending to do an April column wrapped around an anniversary angle, for it was just 20 years ago this month that I first went to work for Phil Power. Last week what had been a still-nebulous story line took on a new dimension.

Like Andy Tucker, words and phrases kept bumping into one another, particularly during a wakeful three-o'clock-in-the-morning period the night news of Sarah Goddard Power's tragic death had broken. Instead of trying to put myself back to sleep by counting sheep, I couldn't keep my mind from recounting the many employers I have had — and their wives.

REGARDING THE latter, I never knew one of any greater graciousness and poise than Sarah Power, even though as in all instances my judgment had to be reached from afar. By that I mean we didn't move in exactly the same social circle. Among the husbands there have been some true storybook characters.

For instance, there was a publisher who never walked through the city room without his police dog at his side. I wouldn't say he was exactly aloof, but the best we got from a "Good morning, sir" was a nod from the dog.

It was not unusual for the owner of a ball club for whom I once toiled to claim he conversed frequently with Satan, and another had a mansion so large he was able to hide out for days at a time in a secret area where a trusted servant kept him plied with liquid refreshments.

But there also have been some great tutors. Fritz Crisler was one when he was the University of Michigan's athletic director and I served as his sports information director in the era from Tom Harmon to Elroy Hirsch. Don Johnson, a Flint publisher for whom I covered city hall, the court house, and the tumultous labor beat right after the sit-down strikes, was another.

THE LIST of interesting people and experiences could go on and on, but this is not intended as an autobiographical essay. What I really want to say is that no person I ever worked for has been more approachable than Phil Power.

He shared a cubbyhole of an office with his secretary, Margaret Halava, in the paper's Plymouth building when I was hired as a reporter in 1967. I long have harbored the notion that his decision was influenced primarily by a rave pitch from his managing editor, the late Tommy Thompson, with whom I had worked on the Chicago Tribune 24 years earlier.

"Management style" is a phrase we have heard mentioned often lately, and there are two yellowing memos in front of me now that reveal something of the "pat on the back" Power style.

On a scrap of paper, one says simply, "Damn fine column you wrote." Another on an actual letter head and dated Dec. 10, 1970, includes these sentences:

"THIS IS A special note which concerns itself with some things that you have been doing in our organization for a long time, namely the training and upgrading of our young reporters.

"I guess it's a little difficult for me to think that somebody in our organization could actually be a sort of professor and hand-holder for young people, but if there is one person qualified for that title — and for the respect and honor that goes with it — it's you."

FOR 13 years I worked on a freelance basis. When I stormed out in high dudgeon and into semi-retirement one day in March 1979, it was not Mr. Power's doing in any degree. To this day the reasons remains my own, and I'll confess amazement that I'm back even as a contractual columnist.

BARBARA TUCKER, Sarah's longtime secretary, was quoted by Wayne Peal last week as saying of her departed friend, "She spoke up to you, not down to you. She always assumed your intelligence."

And at our house Mother Goose recalled being personally escorted through the Power gardens and put it beautifully, "Sarah Power made me feel as though I counted for something, too . . . that I wasn't just an editor's fringe benefit."

Phil, we share your grief.

A language lesson in automobility glossorial

Roy Denial

LADISLAS' LANGUAGE LEARNER: (Ladislas, one of our area residents, since first being quoted in this column, continues to attract a good deal of interest. A gentle creature who has been in this country a few short years, Ladislas, I learn, has developed a real enthusiasm for helping other foreign-born recently arrived in the U.S. In fact he — well, I'll let him tell you about it)

Sirs and madams: My name Ladislas, and I come America this place two year. My brother Konstantin here long time and live nearby city, Hamtramck. When I have trouble saying name of his place, he say "remember rhyming with 'ham sandwich.' " Not good idea because I not liking ham sandwich. I tell him he move to city rhyming with "kielbasa." (Ha!)

To get back on subject, I thanking Mr. Daniels who write in his paper about me when I go to government meeting and talk against more apartments coming this place. Government leader, he not understanding my talk, so I having to leave meeting before I begin.

Because my brother seeing my name in big paper, he think I famous person and tell many peoples from old country about me. They writing me letters in Polish. All say same thing. American hard talk to learn. Since I famous public speaker at government meeting, could I helping my comrades with American speaking? I talk my brother. He not speak good too. He say I write book on American speaking is "swell" idea. That why I not only famous public speaker (specialize government meetings) but also I become famous American talk teacher.

So I asking Mr. Daniels could he help me become famous author? I wishing write book to help many friends who recently come this place America. Small booklet on American special talk. That way my friends learning these phrase is faster they find work/job. Also helping them getting mixed up in population.

Because this city famous in world for car-making, better my friends learn talk about cars. This helping job. I think it "swell" friends know car words/phrases and using such in sentence. I give example:

Automotive: This most important big word, breaking up into "auto" and "motive." "Auto" means car. "Motive" means moving. So: "car-moving." Sentence: If I driving, that is automotive. If car not starting, then is only auto — no motive.

Ulterior Motive: "Ulterior" comes from word "ultra," meaning "extra-better." "Motive" is shortness for "auto-motive," being explained above. So: "extra-better moving car." Sentence: Mr. Dealer, I not wanting Yugo. Are you having ulterior motive?

Recall: This word is much in news to explain how some high-quality automotives come from factory with parts missing or in backwards. When manager discover parts-missing cars gone from factory, he makes call to bring back automotives before they all lose "motives." If car not coming back right away, manager make call again, or "re-call." Manager sentence: Yesterday I asking second time some cars come back factory, but there are so many I not remembering exactly what I recall.

Glove Compartment: If you wanting snap suspenders of Factory Manager with your much knowledge of automotives, then learn this car part. "Glove" meaning babushka for hands. In America is many kinds gloves. Is heavy glove to keep hands from freeze if wind from Siberia. Is fancy light glove for wear in evening for party (non-Communist) or Bolshoi Ballet. Is also boxing glove, put on if two auto-motives bump together and you wanting to settle argument. Where keep such gloves is called "compartment," meaning getting together — not with "de" (like in "de-partment") which means falling apart. So, "Glove Compartment" meaning place for many hand-babushkas to get together. Sentence: Mr. Factory Manager, why you building Glove Compartment so tiny there being no room for gloves?

Crank Case: Like above, using this word show "swell" knowledge automotives. In ancient days, car not run with gas. It necessary driver "wind up" car before going. To do this, he carry iron "crank" which he put in car front and "wind up." Then he drive car two blocks before "wind up" again. Place in car where keep such crank is called "case." Today automotives have case in trunk, but because all using gas to run car, not needing crank anymore. Sentence: Ha, Mr. Factory Manager, I know about tricky cars today. Have Crank Case, but no crank there. Same as Glove Compartment where no gloves. Is big joke on customer.

(Thank you, Ladislas. It's obvious you have researched the automotive field thoroughly in your effort to help your fellow-immigrants land a job on their first interview. If you like, I'll be glad to publish your name, address and phone number so that all your friends can tell you personally how much your advice has helped them to "get mixed up in the population.")

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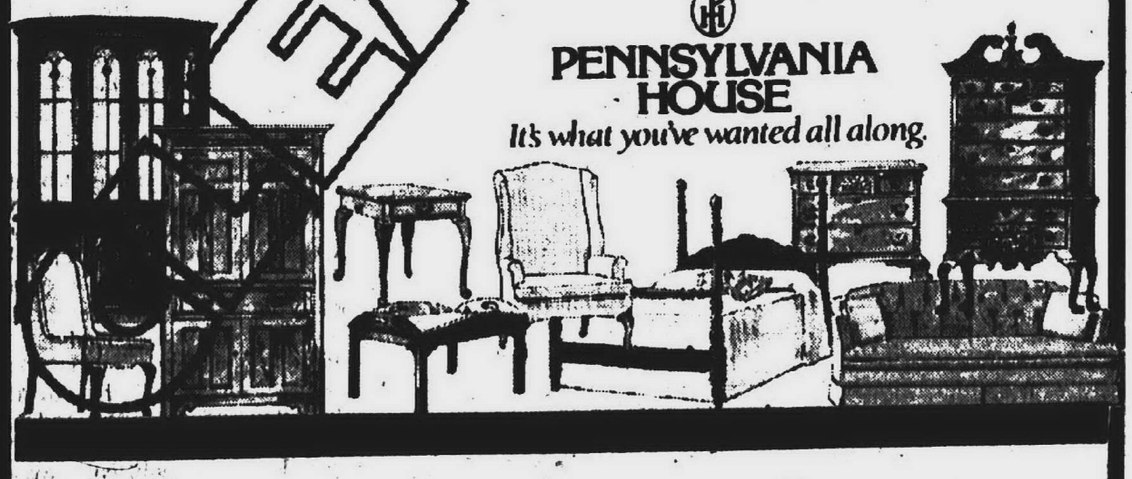

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Court: Women first

Locals debate affirmative action ruling

By Wayne Peal
staff writer

Supporters call it "a valid attempt to rectify past discrimination." Detractors say it is "a terrible mistake" that will usher in an era of reverse discrimination.

But last week's U.S. Supreme Court ruling on affirmative action — allowing companies to voluntarily grant affirmative action job promotions to female employees at the expense of arguably better-qualified males — is now the law of the land.

The 6-3 high court decision allows employers to give preferential promotions to women even without evidence of past discrimination.

Its announcement March 25 was cause for celebration among local women's rights activists.

"I'm pleased to see the U.S. Supreme Court make sex a suspect classification and acknowledge a long history of discrimination against women," said Livonia resident Laura Callow, former co-chair of Michigan ERAmerica. "There is a time for the righting of past wrongs. It's a valid attempt toward rectifying past practices and bringing people into the system."

FORMER UAW president Douglas Fraser, a Northville resident, said he was "very supportive" of the decision.

"No one denies that discrimination has taken place," Fraser said. "If you don't correct the sins of the past now, when do you do it? Do you let them go on in perpetuity?"

For conservatives, including President Reagan, the decision was a stinging defeat.

Elaine Donnelly, a Livonia resident and political activist who lobbied against the ERA, called the decision "regrettable."

"It says it's all right to discriminate," Donnelly said. "It gives benefits to people who weren't the victims of discrimination and creates a new class of victims. It's a terrible mistake."

Reaction varied among area leigslators.

"It's a positive step, women who would work against it are working backwards," state Rep. Lyn Bankes, R-Livonia said. But Bankes was concerned qualified males may be held back.

State Sen. R. Robert Geake, R-Northville, said the ruling was a step backward for everyone.

"I was very surprised by the court's decision," said Geake, whose district includes Livonia, Plymouth, Canton and Redford. "I thought the court was carving out a policy of equal access to jobs and promotions regardless of race and sex. This appears to be a step backward to quotas."

IT ISN'T certain whether large corporations will begin implementing the voluntary affirmative action programs advocated by the high court.

Representatives of General Motors Corp., Ford Motor Co. and Consumer's Power, three of Michigan's largest employers, say they give women equal opportunity for advancement but won't target specific groups for promotions.

Plymouth resident Dick Horner, formerly vice president of a major airline, said affirmative action should best be left in corporate hands.

"If you look at corporations today, you'll see a lot of women in executive positions," Horner said. "My feeling is that companies are getting the message without having a gun put to their backs."

Local job counselors cheered the ruling but said it probably wouldn't affect their programs.

"We've always worked on the assumption that you can do what you intend to do," said Liz Barker, coordinator of Plymouth-Canton Schools adult job placement services. "I grew up in a family that streesed equality and I've tried to extnd that idea, with the help of my staff."

VIRGINIA WILHELM, director of Schoolcraft College's Women's Resource Center, called the ruling "a great step," with one potential drawback.

"I wouldn't like people to have the opinion that women are getting promotions just because they are women," Wilhelm said.

Supreme Court justices ruled in favor of a California county's affirmative action program. Road yard clerk Diane Joyce was promoted to road dispatcher in 1980 under the Santa Clara County affirmative action program, even though fellow clerk Paul Johnson scored two points higher on an oral job-screening exam and was unanimously recommended for the job by examiners.

Basing their ruling upon 1964 civil rights law, the justices upheld affirmative action as a means of creating a more sexually balanced workplace. Previously affirmative action efforts were targeted toward creating a more racially balanced workplace.

"VOLUNTARY employer action can play a crucial role in . . . eliminating the effects of discrimination in the workplace . . .," wrote Justice William J. Brennan in the majority opinion.

Justices Thurgood Marshall, Harry A. Blackman, Lewis F. Powell and John Paul Stevens joined the opinion. Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, a Reagan Administration appointee, issued a concurring opinion, a delicious irony for Callow.

"I'm delighted (Justice) Sandra Day O'Connor voted in favor, in a way she's a beneficiary of affirmative action regardless of President Reagan's position."

President Reagan said he disagreed with the decision but wouldn't "quarrel with it" according to the Associated Press.

"All our position has been is that we shouldn't let affirmative action deteriorate into a quota system that would the be counter-discriminatory," Reagan said. "Obviously, I disagree with the decision, but the court made it, and I'm not going to quarrel with that."

Janet Cooper, director of the Michigan Civil Rights Department's legal bureau, said she doubted whether affirmative action programs would promote reverse discrimination.

"The employer or department or whatever looks at their workforce and decides whether there is significant underutilization in this area, that area or another area," Cooper told the Associated Press. "If there is, they set some kind of goal. Usually, the goal is to be reasonable and temporary and you never get into a situation where the only people who get promoted are minorities and women."

Callow said affirmative action wouldn be necessary once there was an even balance of men and women in positions of authority.

"I would hope that's what we're working toward," she said. "But that's not the case now. At this point, women are still being left out because they are women."

In a near-simultaneous ruling that may find its way before the Supreme Court, the U.S. Appeals Court found State Department discriminated against women in assigning and promoting foreign service officers.

The Associated Press contributed to this story.

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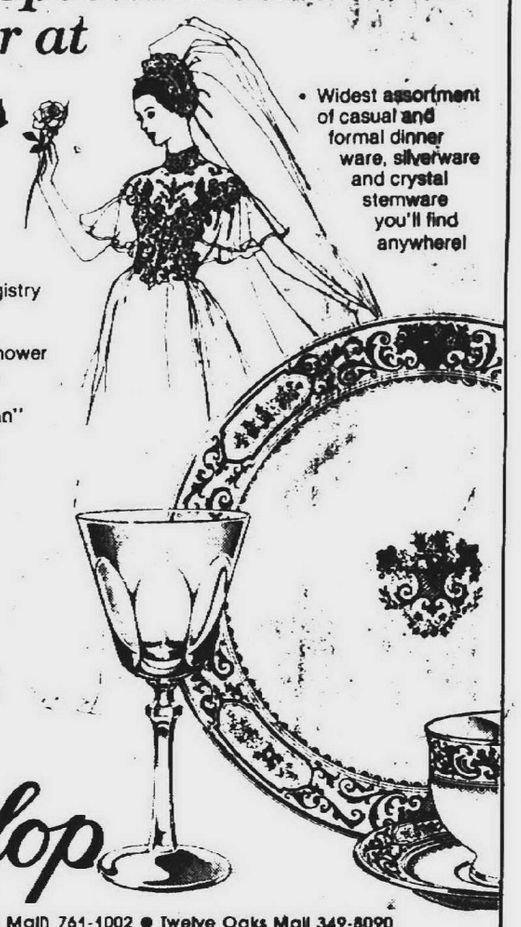

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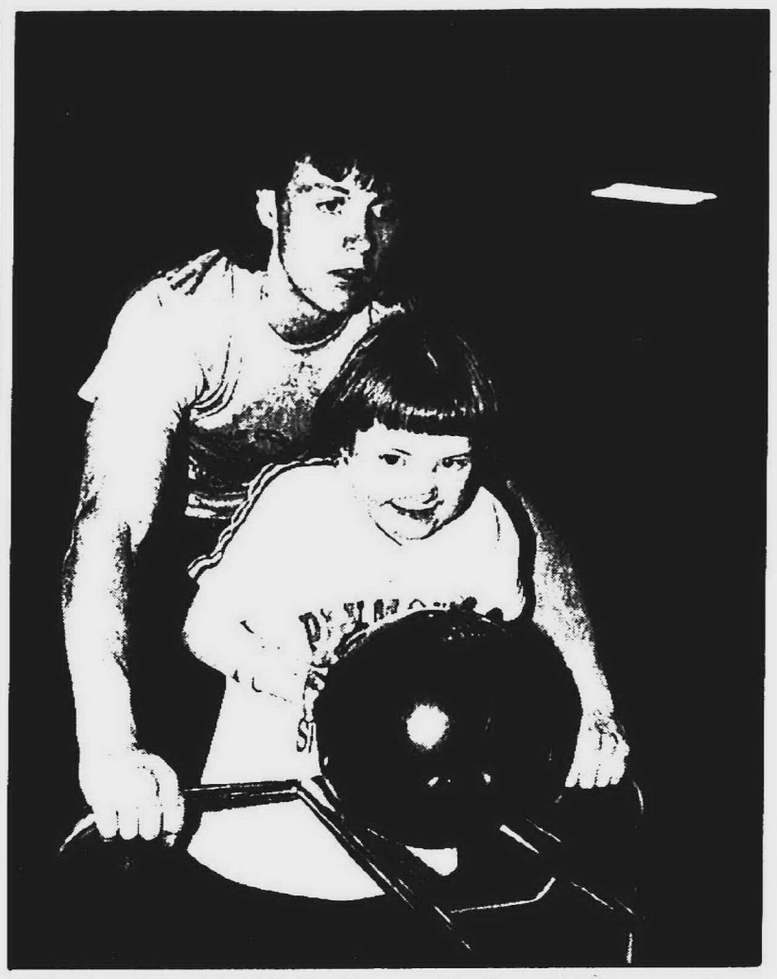

Volunteer Mike Dosh helps Lauren Gusfa get off to a good start at the bowling tournament.

This bowler keeps a close eye on things.

Spirit

Athletes keep things rolling

By Julie Brown
staff writer

For the last 12 weeks, the athletes have been hard at work, practicing at the Plaza Lanes in Plymouth.

On Saturday, it was time to give the game their best.

Plymouth-Canton Special Olympics bowlers competed in the annual Wayne County bowling tournament Saturday. The tournament for athletes from throughout Wayne County was held Friday and Saturday at Super Bowl in Canton.

This is the Plymouth-Canton group's third year in the event. Last year, the group practiced at Plymouth Bowl.

The bowlers from Plymouth-Canton ranged in age from 8 to 58. Most of the adults are from the Plymouth Opportunity House, said Barbara Witt, Plymouth-Canton's coach. Most of the youngsters attend Farrand Elementary School in Plymouth.

"They've really done a good job," Witt said of the athletes. "They're a riot to work with."

ON SATURDAY, lanes 29 through 36 at the Super Bowl were full of Plymouth-Canton athletes going after those strikes and spares. Athletes from other Wayne County communities also gave the game their best during the two-day event.

The Plymouth-Canton athletes bowled two full games.

"They bowl just like any other league would bowl," Witt said.

A couple of the Plymouth-Canton lanes were reserved for bowlers who bowl off of a ramp.

"Some of them are just so little they can't lift the bowling ball," said Susie Pidsosny, Special Olympics area director for Wayne County.

Other athletes have physical difficulties that keep them from bowling without a ramp.

A number of local volunteers also helped out at the tournament. The 12 weeks of practice sessions for Plymouth-Canton athletes at Plaza Lanes were courtesy of the Plymouth-Canton Civitans.

"I have a lot of help," said Witt, a Canton resident whose 11-year-old son was among those participating in Saturday's competition.

The help from volunteers is important to the success of the event, Witt said. The assistance from the Plymouth-Canton Civitans makes the practice sessions possible.

"Otherwise, we could never afford it."

WITT WAS busy Saturday at the tournament and didn't have time to bowl.

"No, I don't bowl," she said with

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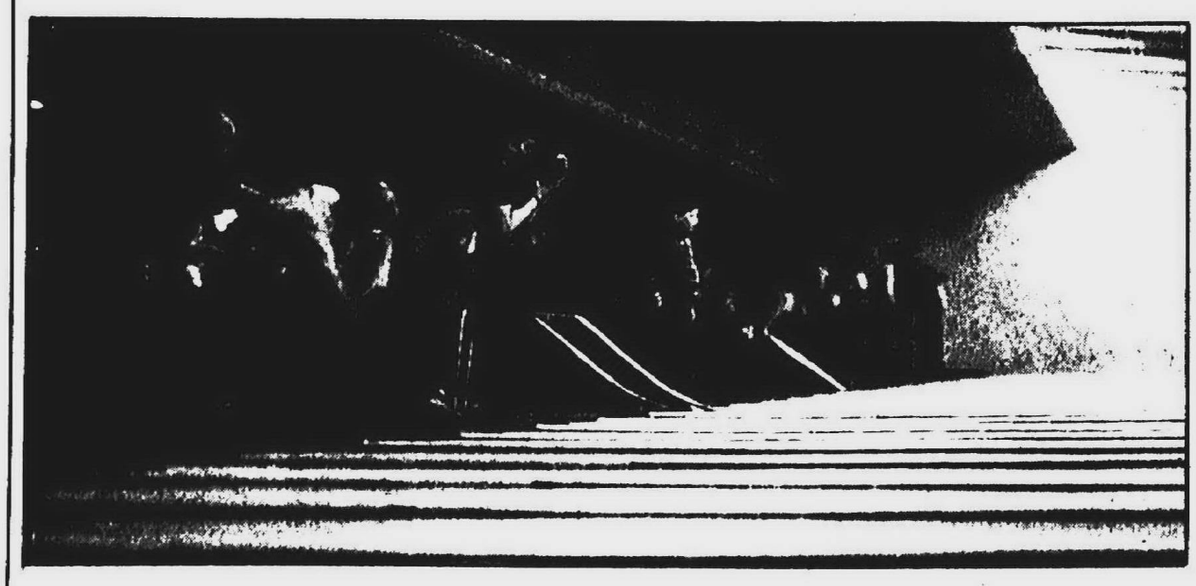
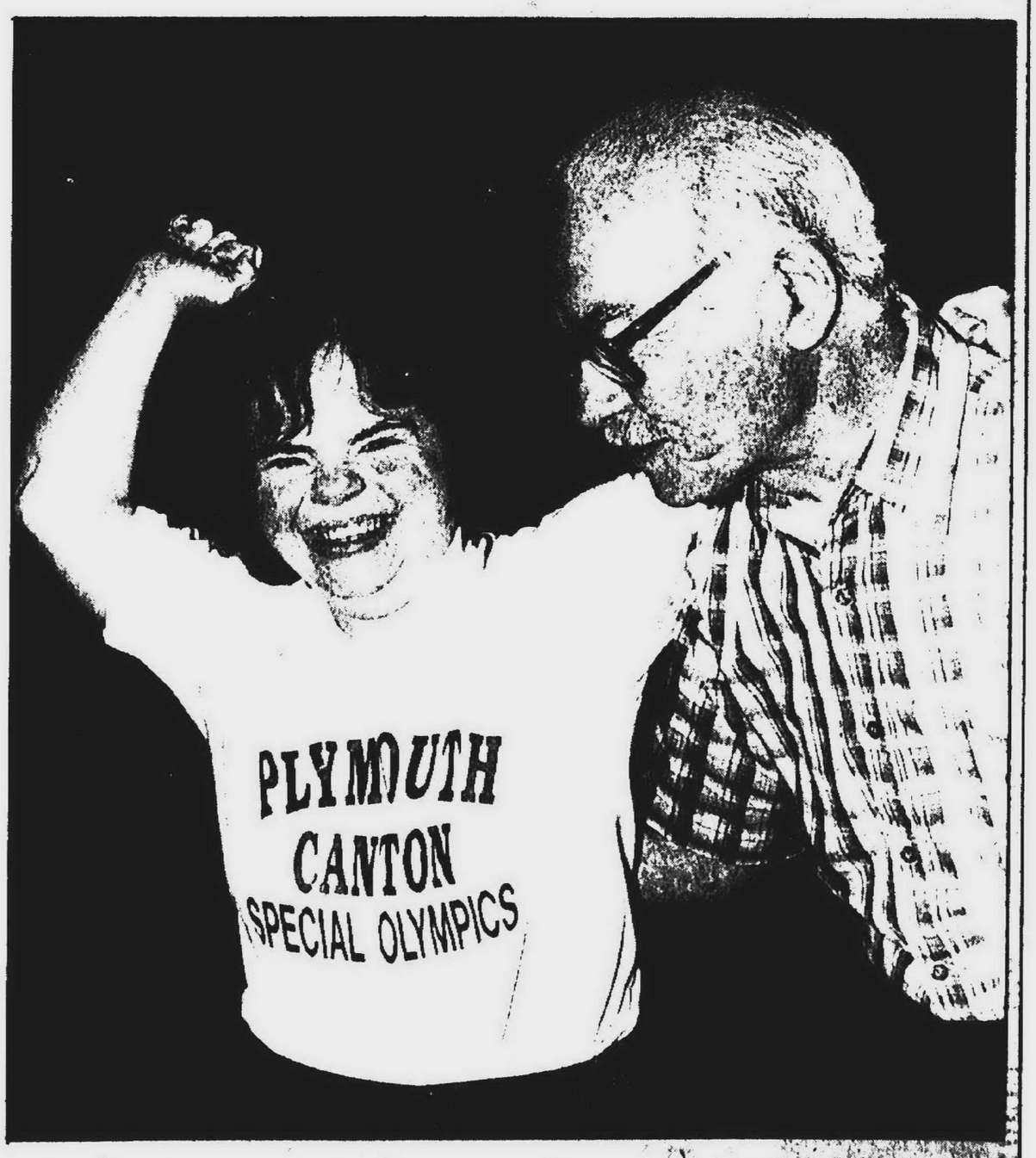
Volunteers Gene and Caroline Sund (right) help out as scorekeepers.

Athlete Carl Subuda gets hearty congratulations.



Strikes and spares are these bowlers' goals.



Mary Brennan and volunteer Rico Sardelli enjoy the day's fun.

Jennifer Jean, 9, and her mom, Cecile Jean of Plymouth, look through the Cabbage Patch clothing.

Staff photos by Bill Bresler

The crowd keeps moving at the arts and crafts show.

Crafts show draws crowd

Wrestlemania wasn't this past weekend's only event.

The annual spring arts and crafts show of the city of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department also attracted a crowd.

"We had good crowds," said Tom Willette, assistant recreation director. He estimated that at least 3,000 to 4,000 people attended the Friday through Sunday event, held at the Plymouth Cultural Center.

It's hard to know exactly how many people attend the arts and crafts show, Willette said.

"With free admission, they just come and go." Some people come to the show on one day and then return later on to make purchases.

Willette and Carol Donnelly were directors of the three-day show. On Sunday, Willette was gone for part of the day to attend Wrestlemania at the Silverdome; Donnelly ended up being stuck with the cleanup at the Plymouth Cultural Center.

"So I appreciate her doing that for me. It was fun to be there."

THE ANNUAL show featured more than 75 exhibitors from throughout the state. The crafters were pleased with the show's success, Willette said.

"They all did very well. I think they expect to do well when they come to the Plymouth show. As far as I know, no one was disappointed."

Those running the show ask the crafters to fill out evaluation forms. The arts and crafts show's regulars are particularly helpful in providing information on the event's success.

"Our regulars have told us they did very well. We didn't get any complaints as far as the show went."

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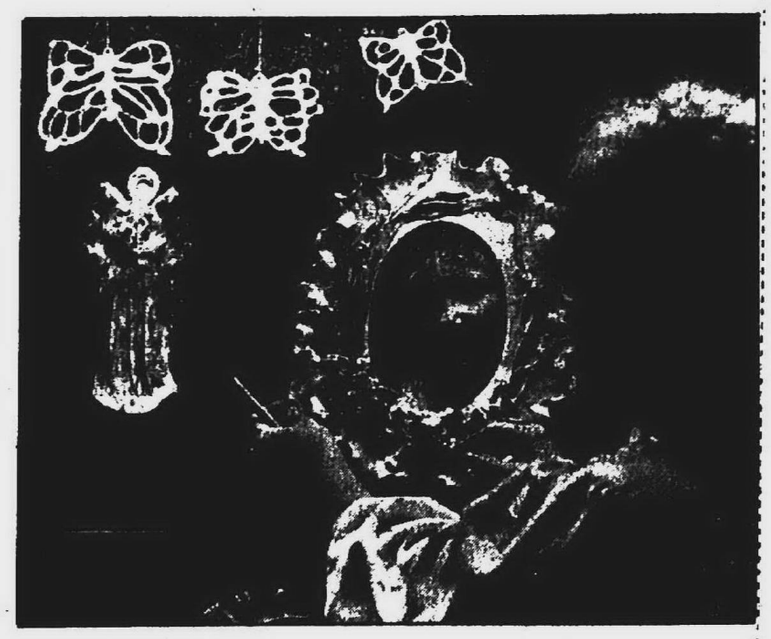

Rae "The Swamp Witch" Thomas (right) hangs a mirror on her display.

Sally Kerzka of Sally's Boutique arranges her display.

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Bowling's a fun sport for these Special Olympics athletes.

These super bowlers have their special day

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a smile. "I'm just here to help the kids."

The Wayne County bowling tournament was for Area 23 of the Special Olympics, including all of Wayne County except Detroit.

"I think this is the 12th year for Wayne County," Pidsosny said.

The tournament had approximately 500 bowlers Friday and 279 Saturday, said Pidsosny, a Canton resident. Her husband, Rick, is assistant area director for Special Olympics.

Work on the annual event began last September with monthly organizational meetings. The Civitans in Wayne County are the core group of volunteers working on the event. Club members help raise funds, coordinate the event and do a little bit of everything.

In some of the other Special Olympics events, athletes receive medals for first through third place and receive place ribbons for fourth place on down. All the athletes in the Wayne County bowling tournament received participation ribbons, rather than medals or place ribbons.

"Because of the large number here, it's just not possible," Pidsosny said. "We'd be here for five days."

THE SPECIAL Olympics athletes participate in a number of other events throughout the year. Those events include gymnastics, weight lifting, track and field, swimming, softball and others.

The state summer games for Special Olympics are scheduled for June in Mt. Pleasant. The state winter games were held in February at Sugar Loaf.

Winter Special Olympics activities include cross country and downhill skiing, figure and speed skating and snowshoeing.

The organization is always looking for new volunteers, Witt said.

"There's a lot of things going on and the kids really enjoy it."

Local bowlers

The Plymouth-Canton Special Olympics bowling league includes a number of local athletes.

The bowlers are: Julie Abraham, Jennifer Barnes, Gerald Batke, Sean Bowers, Mary Brennan, Gary Chmielewski, Randy Clayton, Beth Covington, Natasha DeGraff, Robert Earley, Tina Falcon, Dorothy Grunst, Lauren Gusfa, Joanie Heaton, Terry Jergens, Brian Johnson and Nathan Johnson.

Other Plymouth-Canton bowlers are: Terri Katlein, Neil Keith, Betsy Marquardt, Kimberly Pelty, Shannon Phillipson, Michael Pilotto, Rachel Rees, Ann Reid, Rita Rossow, Carrie Schilling, Tommy Southard, Robert Spanier, Patricia Stram, Carl Subuda, Ron Walzak, Chris Werth, Brian Williams and Tony Witt.

Barbara Witt coaches the Special Olympics group, with the assistance of Marsha Walzak, Linda Wood, Tony and Agnes Miskolci, Rico Sardelli, Lisa Witt, Jennifer Clark, Ken Wood and Debbie Sullivan.

Rita Rossow shares a laugh with volunteer Rico Sardelli.

Spring show's a success

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Willette now needs to get out the applications for the summer show, scheduled for early June.

"So it starts all over again." There are also two Christmas shows held each year.

Many of the craft items at the spring show had an Easter theme.

"It's more spring-oriented things," Willette said. Wreaths, for example, will be decorated with spring flowers rather than with Christmas materials.

Those running the arts and crafts show had to turn down some crafters. Often, that's not due to the quality of their work, Willette said. There may simply be enough of those items already in the show.

"We had a pretty good variety of different things this time."

clubs in action

● **LUNCHEON TIME**

Plans are under way for the 19th annual salad luncheon presented by the Lake Pointe Village Branch, Women's National Farm and Garden Association. The luncheon will be held Saturday, April 4, in the cafeteria of Plymouth Canton High School. Those who are interested in membership in the organization should call Jean, 420-2235.

● **SPRING FLING**

The sixth annual "Spring Fling" sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary to Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Post 6695, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will be held Saturday, April 4, at the VFW Hall, 1426 S. Mill St., Plymouth. A salad luncheon will be served at 1 p.m., followed by a fashion show. Door prizes will be given. Price is $4. For reservations or more information, call Caroline, 455-2620, or Alice, 453-6144.

● **ART AUCTION**

The Plymouth Newcomers will hold an art auction at 7 p.m. Saturday, April 4, at the Northville Recreation Center, 303 W. Main St., Northville. All proceeds will be contributed to Growth Works Inc. Original signed etchings, lithographs, paintings and sculpture will be among the featured items. Tickets, at $3 each, may be purchased from club members or by calling 453-2123 or 455-2795. Tickets are also available at The Mole Hole, Something for You and Growth Works Inc., all in Plymouth.

● **LIVE MUSIC**

The HUB Dance Club will hold a dance 8-11 p.m. Sunday, April 5. The club's home is the YWCA of Western Wayne County, 28270 Michigan Ave., Inkster. Singles and couples over age 30 may attend the dance, which will feature ballroom dance music provided by the Art Wyse Band. Admission price is $3.50 for guests, including dancing and refreshments. For more information, call the YWCA of Western Wayne County, 561-4110.

● **60-PLUS**

Area senior citizens may attend the monthly potluck luncheon at noon Monday, April 6, at fellowship hall of the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial Road. Those attending should bring a food dish to pass and their own table service. Mr. and Mrs. William Edgar will show slides of Miller Woods, on Powell Road west of Plymouth. The slides show the area's trees, birds, plants and trails.

● **THREE CITIES**

The Three Cities Art Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 6, at the meeting room of Plymouth Township Hall, 42350 E. Ann Arbor Road at Lilley. There will be a members' critique of paintings to be entered in the upcoming show. The subject for members' competition is "April Showers." Guests may attend. For more information, call Dorothy Koliba, club president, 455-5159.

● **ORIENTATION**

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association is offering a Caesarean orientation at 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 6, at Newburg United Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. The program is for couples anticipating a Caesarean birth, as well as Lamaze-prepared couples. It will feature a birth film. There is a $1 per person charge at the door. Advance registration is not required. For more information, call 459-7477.

● **FASHION FUN**

The Catholic Central Mothers' Club will hold its annual luncheon and fashion show Tuesday, April 7, at the Meadowbrook Country Club, on Eight Mile Road west of Haggerty in Northville. The theme is "Rainbow of Fashions." Fashions will be by Hadley Arden of Farmington, The Children's Store and Four Seasons of 12 Oaks. Hair and makeup will be by the Mane Connection. Cocktails will be served at 11 a.m., with luncheon at noon. Raffle/door prizes will be awarded. Donation is $20. For reservations, call Ruth Westhoff, 464-8480, or Nancy Gormley, 464-7447.

● **FOOT CARE**

Dr. Bruce Kaczander, a local podiatrist, will discuss proper foot care at a 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 7, program, hosted by Chris' California Concept, on Lilley Road south of Joy Road in the Golden Gate Plaza, Canton. Kaczander specializes in the treatment and prevention of sports injuries. He will give information on preparing for the March of Dimes "Walk America," set for Sunday, April 26, at Oakland Community College. Chris' California Concept is an official sponsor for the March of Dimes event. The public may attend the Tuesday, April 7, program;

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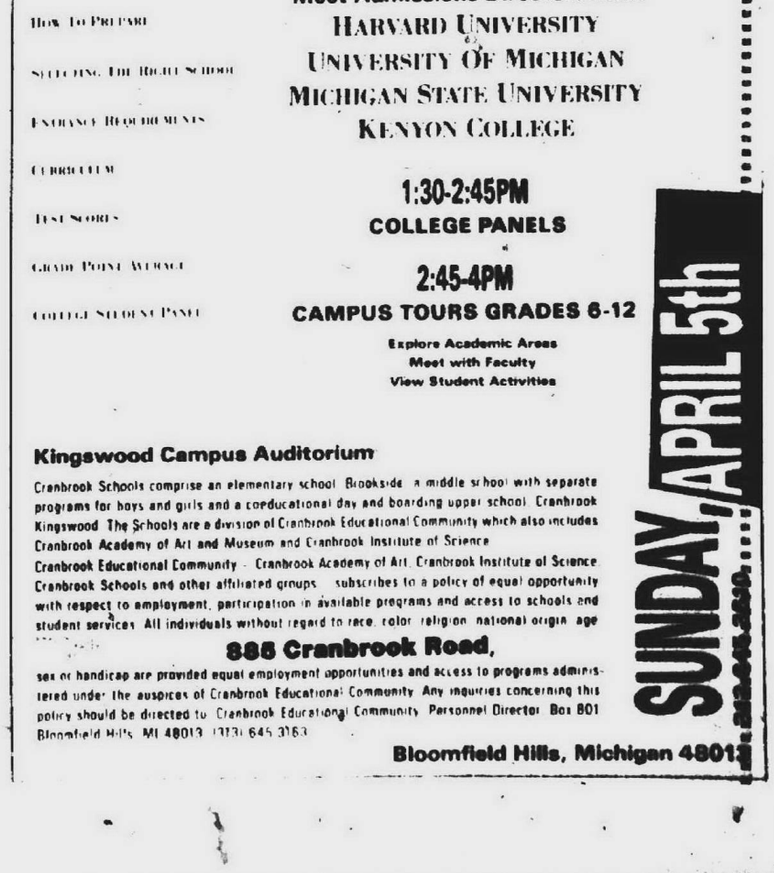
Tickets sold for musical

Tickets are on sale for the Plymouth Park Players production of Cole Porter's "Anything Goes."

Performance dates for "Anything Goes" will be April 9, 10 and 11. The jazzy musical will be presented by Centennial Educational Park students in the auditorium of Plymouth Salem High School, 46181 Joy Road, Canton.

Ticket prices are $3.50 for general admission, $5 for reserved seats. For more information, call 451-6600 Ext. 243.



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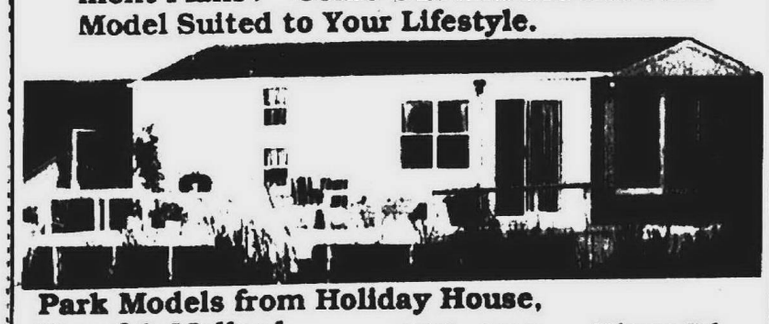

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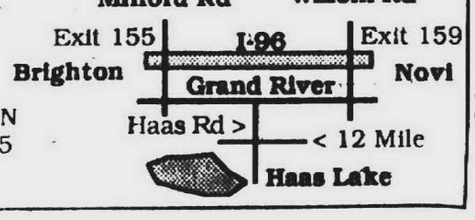

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SUNDAY, APRIL 5th

BPW offers assistance

The Canton Business and Professional Women organization is available for women who wish to advance in their careers or to seek career changes.

Scholarships are available to qualified applicants who lack job skills needed to provide support for themselves and their families. Applicants should be able to demonstrate financial need.

Applications will be available at the Canton Public Library. They may also be obtained by calling Terry Ponkey, 453-1800, or Teresa Solak, 981-8900.

Applications will be accepted through April 15. Information will be treated confidentially by members of the scholarship committee.

Potential recipients will be notified after May 1; personal interviews will be arranged with the committee to determine final selection.

Club offers scholarship

Scholarship money from the Plymouth Business and Professional Women is available for women in the Plymouth-Canton area.

Scholarship assistance is available to women over 21. The scholarships are intended to provide financial assistance to women who wish to continue their education or return to school.

The recipient could be a displaced homemaker, a single head of household, a woman in need of training to increase her income or someone wishing to take a refresher course.

The BPW organization intends to assist someone who is upgrading her job skills or someone who is now working but needs help in returning to formal education.

The deadline for applying is April 21. Applications may be obtained by writing to: Scholarship chairwoman, Plymouth Business and Professional Women, 7184 Meadowbrook, Apt. 203, Canton 48187.

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mission is free of charge. For more information, call 459-1900.

● LAMAZE SERIES

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association will offer a seven-week Lamaze series, beginning at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 8, at St. Michael Lutheran Church, 7000 Sheldon Road, Canton. Early registration is advised. For more information, call 459-7477.

● WOMEN'S GUILD

The St. John Neumann Women's Guild will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 8, in the activities building at the church in Canton. The meeting will include election of officers for the coming year. All women of the parish may attend.

● BOUTIQUE

Middlebelt Nursing Centre, 14900 Middlebelt Road, Livonia, will hold its annual "Spring Boutique" Thursday through Sunday, April 9-12. Hours will be 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday and Friday, noon to 8 p.m. Saturday, and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. Handmade crafts will be available. Proceeds will benefit the residents through the activities department.

● MIGRATION

The Plymouth Historical Society will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 9, at the museum, Main and Church streets in Plymouth. Wildlife enthusiast and lecturer Evelyn Edgar will present a slide program, "The Mysteries of Migration." She will discuss the hows and whys of migration of birds, butterflies and whales. Guests may attend. For more information, call 455-8940.

● ARTS, CRAFTS

Handcrafters Unlimited will hold an arts and crafts show from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, April 10, and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, April 11. The show will be in the Northville Recreation Center, 303 W. Main, west of Center (Sheldon) in Northville. More than 65 artisans will participate. Lunch will be available. Admission is $1.

● LUNCHEON

The Canton Newcomers will meet for a luncheon out at 12:45 p.m. Friday, April 10, at Chi Chi's. For reservations or more information, call Julia, 459-8039.

● DINING OUT

The Canton Newcomers (couples) will dine out at Mountain Jack's on Warren Road at 7 p.m. Saturday, April 11. Deadline for reservations is Tuesday, April 7. For reservations or more information, call Arlene, 459-1797.

● JUDGED SHOW

The Three Cities Art Club will hold its spring judged show Saturday, April 11, through Tuesday, April 14, at the Hillside Inn, Plymouth, during restaurant hours. The event will be a benefit for the Michigan Cancer Foundation-Plymouth branch. For more information, call Dorothy Koliha, club president, 455-5159.

● COUNTRY FUN

Craft Gallery will hold its "Country Folk" arts and crafts show from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, April 12. The event will be held at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill, between Merriman and Venoy. It will feature 70 displays of country art, early American designs and antique reproductions. Parking will be available. Lunches and dinners will be available. Those attending should not bring strollers. Admission price is $1.50, with gift certificates as door prizes. For more information, call 336-3947 between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.

● CANTON BPW

The Canton Business and Professional Women will meet Monday, April 13, at the Roman Forum Restaurant in Canton. The program will be on "Everything You Wanted to Know About BPW, But Didn't Know Who to Ask." It will be presented by Marlene Danol, past state president of the group, and Charlotte Adams, state ERA coordinator. The Canton BPW organization meets the second Monday of each month at the Roman Forum Restaurant, on Ford Road just west of I-275 in Canton. Social hour is at 6 p.m., dinner at 7 p.m. Guests may attend. Membership is open to all working women. For reservations or more information, call Terry Ponkey, 453-1800, or Teresa Solak, 981-8900.

● ARTHRITIS

The Arthritis Support Group will meet 7-9 p.m. Monday, April 13, in the sixth floor lounge of the Reichert Health Building, Catherine McAuley Health Center, Ann Arbor. Thelma Sterling of Michigan Rehabilitation Services will discuss "Employment Concerns Related to Arthritis." The public may attend. For more information, call Mary Winkel, 747-9128 or 434-9432.

● BOOKS, TOTS

The Moms and Tots of the Canton Newcomers will meet at 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 14, at the Canton Township fire station on Canton Center Road. The program will include a tour of the station and a discussion of fire safety. For more information, call Kenda, 981-6331.

● SCRIMMAGE

A spring scrimmage trip, sponsored by the U-M Club of the Plymouth Community, will be held from 11:45 a.m. to approximately 8 p.m. Saturday, April 18. The game will be at 1 p.m. A double decker bus will leave Plymouth Township Park on Ann Arbor Trail at McClumpha. Price is $12 per person, including transportation, game ticket and a beverage for the bus ride. The event will be held rain or shine. Checks should be made payable to the U-M Club of the Plymouth Community and sent to Jeff Lipshaw, 1325 Park Place, Plymouth 48170. For more information, call Lipshaw, 453-1684, or Lowanda Jarvis, 455-6577.

● LAMAZE CLASS

The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association is offering a Lamaze orientation class at 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 20, at Newburg United Methodist Church, 34500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. This introduction to the Lamaze birth technique will feature a birth film, "Saturday's Children." There is a $1 per person charge at the door. Advance registration is not required. For more information, call 459-7477.

● AUCTION

"The Fine Art of Discovery" is the theme for this year's art and antique auction/sale, sponsored by the Friends of the University of Michigan Museum of Art, Thursday-Saturday, April 23-25. Donations for the event will continue to be accepted into April. Those who wish to contribute items should contact the group's office during business hours. Proceeds will benefit the museum's acquisitions fund. There will be a preview party and sale opening 6:30-9:30 p.m. and 9-10 p.m. Thursday, April 23, with a $5 general admission price. The sale will be held from noon to 9 p.m. Friday, April 24, with free admission. It will continue from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, April 25. Viewing and the live auction will be 7-11 p.m. Saturday, April 25, with a $5 price for the auction. The museum is at the corner of State and South University streets in Ann Arbor. For more information, call 764-0395.

● PLAY GROUP

The Morning Play Group of the Canton Newcomers will meet from 10 a.m. to noon Friday, April 24. Those attending may relax and drink coffee while the children play. For more information, call Mitch, 451-1069.

● WOMEN'S GUILD

The St. Kenneth Women's Guild will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 28, in the parish center, 14951 Haggerty, Plymouth Township. The guest speaker will be Tom Underwood from Our Lady of Snows in Illinois. Guests may attend.

● USED BOOKS

The Plymouth branch, American Association of University Women, is accepting books for its annual used book sale. Books may be taken to the Dunning-Hough Library in Plymouth. For home pick-up, call 455-2798. The book sale will be held from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 1 and 2, in the auditorium of Westland Shopping Center.

● STAR SPANGLED

Spotlight Players performances of Neil Simon's "Star Spangled Girl" will be May 1, 2, 8 and 9 at the auditorium of Wayne Memorial High School, Glenwood east of Wayne Road in Wayne. Doors open at 7:30 p.m., with an 8 p.m. curtain time. Ticket prices are $4.50, $3.50 for students and seniors. For more information, call 728-6418.

● SPRING BREAKFAST

The St. Thomas a Becket Women's Club will hold its annual spring breakfast at 10 a.m. Sunday, May 3 at Bob's Hideaway on Newburgh Road, Westland. All women and children may attend the breakfast buffet. Prices are $5.75 for adults, $4.75 for children age 10 and younger. Tickets will be sold after all Masses April 4-5, 10-11 and 25-26. For more information, call Pat, 397-9971. No tickets will be sold at the door.

● THESPIANS

A reunion banquet is planned for all former members of the International Thespian Dramatic Honor Society, Troupe 354 of Plymouth Salem/Canton High School. The event is planned for Friday, May 22. For more information, call Gloria Logan, 451-6600, Ext. 243. Logan is also looking for addresses of alumni.

● WHEELS FOR LIFE

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is planning a "Wheels for Life" bikeathon, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 30, at Maybury State Park. Saturday, June 6, will be the rain date. A state park sticker is required for admission or a fee of $2 per vehicle will be charged for the day. Those attending should bring a picnic lunch. Canton's Kathleen Bradbury is chairwoman for the benefit event.

● MUSEUM FUN

The Plymouth Historical Museum is celebrating Michigan's sesquicentennial with exhibits throughout the museum. The exhibits include glassware, quilts, and materials representing industry, the Civil War, Michigan Indians, the schools and other areas. There is also a collection of Hamilton rifles, manufactured in Plymouth by the Hamilton Rifle Co. from 1898 to 1945. The museum is at 155 S. Main St., Plymouth. It is open to the public 1-4 p.m. Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. Admission price is $1 for adults, 50 cents for those ages 11-17 and 25 cents for children 5 to 10. For more information, call 455-8940.

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● **PLACEMENT**

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● **YOUNG DANCERS**

The Polish National Alliance Centennial Dancers of Plymouth are looking for preschoolers to help complete the spring recital. The organization promotes Polish culture through a variety of activities. It currently has more than 100 dancers between the ages of 2½ and 20. Parents who are interested may call Joanne Ygeal, 464-1263, or John Peltz, 261-9016, for more information.

● **PARENTS**

Northwestern Guidance Clinic is offering a parenting program for parents of children 18 months to 5. The Parent-Child Enrichment Program is a five-week class designed to help parents learn listening skills, problem-solving and behavior management. Participants must live in suburban western Wayne County and must meet income eligibility requirements. For more information, call Leslie Graves or Saroja Boaz, 261-0480.

● **POLKA FUN**

Classes are now being formed for people 16-60 who would like to do advanced polka and oberek routines for performances at festivals, parties and other events. The classes are offered by the Polish National Alliance Centennial Dancers of Plymouth. For more information, call Joanne Ygeal, 464-1263, or Audeen Wojtowicz, 427-2885.

● **ST. JOHN NEUMANN**

The St. John Neumann 50-Up Club for local seniors meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the church, on Warren Road west of Sheldon Road in Canton. New members may attend. For more information, call Betty Gruchala, 459-4091.

● **PREVENTION**

The Plymouth Canton Council for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month. Meetings are held in the library of East Middle School, 1042 S. Mill St., Plymouth. For more information, call Kathy Reilly, 459-2067.

● **TOUGHLOVE**

Toughlove meets at 7 p.m. Mondays at the Faith Community Moravian Church, 46001 Warren Road, at Canton Center Road in Canton. Toughlove is a self-help group for parents troubled by teenage behavior.

● **TUESDAY SINGLES**

Tuesday Night Singles meets Tuesday evenings at the Pittsfield Grange Hall on Ann Arbor/Saline Road, Ann Arbor. Dancing is a part of the fun. Married couples may attend. For more information, call 971-4480 or 434-1615.

● **CANTON HISTORY**

The Canton Historical Museum is at 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton. Museum hours are 1-3 p.m. Tuesday and 1-4 p.m. Saturday. Regular meetings of the Canton Historical Society are held at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information, call 397-0088 during regular museum hours.

● **WOMEN'S GROUPS**

Plymouth Family Service is offering groups for women who wish to explore their drug/alcohol use or who want to recover from drug/alcohol problems. Fees are based on the ability to pay. For more information, call Judith Darlington at Plymouth Family Service, 453-0890.

● **NURSERY SCHOOL**

The Plymouth Children's Nursery, a cooperative nursery school in Canton, has several openings for 3- and 4-year-olds. For more information, call Kathy Holbel, 397-2488.

● **CANTON JAYCEES**

The Canton Jaycees hold general membership meetings at the Fellows Creek Golf Course clubhouse. Meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month. They are open to the public. Fellows Creek is on Lotz, north of Michigan Avenue in Canton.

● **BETHANY**

Bethany Plymouth/Canton meets at 8 p.m. the third Saturday of each month at St. Kenneth Church, 14951 Haggerty, south of Five Mile, Plymouth. For more information, call 981-1274 or 981-1965 after 6 p.m.

● **TOASTMASTERS**

Motor City Speakeasy, a member of Toastmasters International, meets the second and fourth Monday of each month at O'Sheehan's in the Highland Lakes Shopping Center, southeast corner of Seven Mile and Northville Road in Northville. Dinner is at 6 p.m., the meeting at 7 p.m. Motor City Speakeasy welcomes people who want to improve their speaking skills. For more information, call 459-5759.

● **OPTIMISTS**

Club meets at 7 p.m. the first and third Mondays of each month in the Miles Standish Room of the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth. Plymouth and Canton residents may call 453-8547 for membership information.

● **CHORUS COOKBOOK**

Plymouth Community Chorus cookbook, "All Our Best," is available at Plymouth Book World and from chorus members. Price is $7.95.

Scouts lend helping hand

On Saturday, April 11, more than 5,000 Detroit-area Boy Scouts will once again "Do a Good Turn" for Goodwill Industries. The Scouts will collect clothing and small household items from homes in the metropolitan Detroit area.

The drive will be held to benefit the handicapped employees of Goodwill's donated goods programs. It will begin Saturday, April 4, when Scouts distribute more than 150,000 Goodwill bags to homes in the tri-county area.

On Saturday, April 11, the Scouts will return to pick up the filled bags from the porches of those homes. Residents are asked to fill the bags with useful, saleable items.

The bags will be taken to trailers and then delivered to Goodwill Industries. Handicapped employees will then sort and process the items for eventual sale in Goodwill's Roseville Thrift Store.

A NUMBER of local businesses and organizations are supporting the event. Trailer companies have donated their trucks and drivers; local churches and businesses are allowing trailers to be stationed in their parking lots.

This will be the third annual "Good Turn Drive" the Boy Scouts have held since Goodwill reopened its retail operation in September 1984 with the Roseville Thrift Store.

Goodwill Industries, a non-profit vocational rehabilitation agency, has been serving handicapped men and women in metropolitan Detroit since 1921.

new voices

Bob and Lynne Hendzell of Plymouth Township announce the birth of a son, Curtis Alan, March 11 at Garden City Hospital. Grandparents are Walter and Eleanor Hendzell of Canton and Larry and Beverly Romatz of West Branch.

● **FARM AND GARDEN**

The Lake Pointe Women's National Farm and Garden Association has two cookbooks available from group members. A number of salads from the spring salad luncheon are included, along with other recipes submitted by the members. The price is $5. For more information, call Jean Pink, 453-2902.

● **CANTON WOMEN**

The Canton Women's Club will meet 9-11 a.m. the first and fourth Thursday of the month at the Faith Community Moravian Church, 46001 Warren Road, west of Canton Center, Canton Township. New members may attend. The club is for women interested in being a part of cultural events, group discussion and recreational activities. The club is co-sponsored by the YWCA of Western Wayne County. For more information, call Cynthia Nichols, area program director, at 561-4110.

● **PLYMOUTH SENIORS**

The Plymouth Township Seniors meet at the Friendship Station Club Hall, 42375 Schoolcraft, on the following days: Mondays from 10 a.m. to noon for cooking and pool. Tuesdays, 8:30-9:30 p.m. for pinochle. Fridays from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and 6:30-9:30 p.m. for bridge and pinochle. Seniors living in Plymouth Township or the city of Plymouth may attend. For more information, call Helen Krupa, 453-3250.

● **DANCERS' COOKBOOK**

The Polish Centennial Dancers of Plymouth cookbook, "Secrets from Centennial Cupboards," is available from group members. It features a number of Polish recipes, along with American recipes. The price is $5. For more information, call Joanne Ygeal, 464-1263.

● **FAMILIES ANONYMOUS**

Families Anonymous, a self-help program for relatives and friends concerned with drug abuse or behavioral problems, will meet at 8 p.m. Thursdays in St. John Neumann Catholic Church, 44500 Warren, Canton.

● **U.S. COAST GUARD AUXILIARY**

United States Coast Guard Auxiliary Canton Flotilla 11-11 meets the fourth Tuesday of the month in Room 2816, Plymouth Salem High School, 46181 Joy, two west of Canton Center. The flotilla welcomes new members. Call Robert Kistler, 455-2676, for information.

● **TAKE OFF POUNDS**

TOPS Chapter 1259 meets every Thursday evening in Faith Community Church, 46001 Warren, Canton. Weigh-in starts at 6:30 p.m., with a meeting following, 7-8 p.m. For information, call 961-0446.

● **CIVIL AIR PATROL**

Air Force Auxiliary Squadron 16-1 invites interested people to attend weekly meetings, 6:30-10 p.m. Tuesday, on the second floor of the Plymouth Township Police Department, 9955 [illegible]. U.S. citizens 13 or older [illegible] a volunteer. For more information, call Robert Elam, commander, [illegible].

● **TOPS MEETINGS**

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets 7:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays in Central Middle School, Main at Church, Plymouth. Meals are weight reductions are discussed. For information, call 459-4764 or 455-1859.

● **ZESTERS**

Zesters, a club for Canton residents 55 and older, meets at 12:30 p.m. Thursdays in the Canton Recreation Center, 46237 Michigan at Sheldon. Membership fees are $1 to join and $1.50 per month. For more information about the club, call the Canton senior citizens office, 397-1000 Ext. 276.

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30975 W. 6th Mile, Livonia
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(Affiliated with American Baptist Churches, U.S.A.)
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9:30 A.M. FAMILY BIBLE SCHOOL
10:45 A.M. WORSHIP
WEDNESDAY
6:15 P.M. CHURCH DINNER (RSVP)
7:00 P.M. MID WEEK PRAYER
Ronald E. Cary, Pastor 261-6660

Redford Baptist Church
ABC/USA
7 Mile Road and Grand River
Detroit, Michigan
533-2300
9:30 A.M. "The Cross and The Crown" - Rev. Elmer E. Rose
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Special Music by the Youth Choir
Rev. Elmer E. Rose, Interim Pastor
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PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN 48170
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9:40 A.M. Sunday Worship
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"The Crucified's Concern for His Disciples"
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Cheryl Kaye, Music Director

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28660 Five Mile
421-1760
SUNDAY 10:00 & 11:30 A.M.
Dial-a-Thought 261-2440

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[illegible] Mile Rd. (Just E. of Newburgh)
Minister • 422-0330
10:00 A.M. Worship Service
10:00 A.M. Church School
(3 yrs. - 6th Grade)
10:00 A.M. Jr. & Sr. High Class
11:15 A.M. Adult Study Class
Nursery Provided

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28307 West Eleven Mile Road
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476-2565
Farmington Hills
9:15 & 11:00 WORSHIP SERVICE
"Does My Faith Offer A Present or Future Kingdom"
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Rev. George Klingbeil
Rev. David R. Strang, Assoc. Pastor
Mr. Malcolm Pearson, Dir. of Music
Mary T. Thiele, Director of Christian Education

NEWBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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422-0728
Church School and Worship Services
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
Nursery Care Provided
Rev. Clarence C. Cole, Pastor

ALL NATIONS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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Between Plymouth and West Chicago
Redford, MI 48239 — 937-5170
9:30 A.M. Classical Worship Service
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All Ages
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Children's Church Available
"The Church With a Heart"
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Minister of Music Ruby Tinker

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of Plymouth
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Worship & Church School
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
Nursery Available

LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD

CHRIST OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH
14175 Farmington Rd. (Just N. of Schoolcraft)
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LUTHER A. WERTH, PASTOR
SUNDAY WORSHIP 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School & Bible Class 9:45 A.M.
Week Day School, Pre-School, Kindergarten
TUNE IN THE LUTHERAN HOUR, 8:30 A.M. SUNDAY • WXYT-AM RADIO (1270)

HOSANNA-TABOR LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
9600 Laverne • So. Redford • 937-2424
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WORSHIP WITH US
Sundays 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
(Nursery provided)
Monday Evening 7:00 P.M.
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Christian School: Pre-school-8th grade
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937-6660

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20000 Middlebelt at 8 Mile
Farmington Hills • 474-0675
The Rev. Ralph E. Unger, Pastor
The Rev. Carl E. Mahl, Pastoral Assistant
SATURDAY WORSHIP 6 P.M.
SUNDAY WORSHIP 8:30 & 11 A.M.
SUN. SCHOOL/BIBLE CLASS 10 A.M.
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
Grades K-8
Randy Zielinski, Principal
474-2488

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532-2266 — REDFORD TWP.
SUNDAY SERVICES
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SUNDAY SCHOOL
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
Rev. Victor F. Halboth, Jr., Pastor
Rev. Thomas Waber, Pastoral Asst.
Rev. V.F. Halboth, Sr., Pastor Emeritus

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HOLY TRINITY
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WORSHIP SERVICES: 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
NURSERY AVAILABLE
SUNDAY SCHOOL ALL AGES 9:45 A.M.
WEDNESDAY CLASSES 6:45 P.M.
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nursery available
BIBLE CLASS 9:30 A.M.
TUES. SCHOOL K-8 4:15 P.M.
Education Office 421-7359

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Services — Sunday 11:00 A.M.
Prayer Service Sunday 9:30 A.M.
Sunday School for All Ages 9:30 A.M.
23600 Laheer Rd.
Southfield
Elmer Liimatta, Pastor
Telephone 357-5529

FIRST APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN CHURCH
26325 Halstead Road at 11 Mile
Farmington Hills, Michigan
Services Every Sunday at 10:30 a.m.
Also, 1st & 3rd Sunday at 7:00 p.m.
Sunday School - 9:15 a.m.
Bible Class - Tuesday 7:45 p.m.
Song Services - Last Sunday of Month 7:00 p.m.

ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN
Church & School — 5885 Venoy
1 Blk. N. of Ford Rd., Westland — 425-0260
Divine Worship 8 & 11 A.M.
Bible Class & Sun 9:30 A.M.
Monday Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Ralph Fischer, Pastor
Gary D. Headapohl, Ass't. Pastor

RISEN CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH
46250 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth
Robert Carlton, Pastor 453-5252
Worship 8:30 & 11:00
Sunday School 9:45

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High & Elm Streets, Northville
T. Lubeck, Pastor
C. Boerger-Pulpit Asst.
Church 349-3140 — School 349-3146
Sunday Worship, 8:30 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School & Bible Classes 10:00 A.M.
Saturday Vespers: 6:00 P.M.

LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA

ST. MICHAEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Sunday Worship 8 A.M. • 9:30 A.M. • 11 A.M.
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Wednesday: Bible Study 7 P.M.
Advent & Lenten Vespers 7:30 P.M.
Pastor: Jerry Yarnell
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7000 N. Sheldon, Canton Twp. 459-3333
(Just South of Warren Rd.)

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9300 Farmington Rd., Livonia
421-0120 — 421-0749
8:15 & 11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE
9:30 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL
Rev. Richard A. Martzoff

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In Plymouth
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Pastor Mark Freier • 453-3393
Worship Services 8:00 & 10:30 A.M.
Sunday School and Bible Class 9:15 A.M.
In Redford Township
Lola Park Ev. Lutheran Church
14750 Kinloch
Pastor Edward Zell • 532-8655
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Sunday School 9:45 A.M.

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Making Faith A Way Of Life!
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J. Christopher Icenogle, Pastor
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Sunday School (all ages) 9:30
WORSHIP 11:00
Evening Service 6:00
Wednesday: Dinner 6:15, Bible Study & Youth Groups 7:00 P.M.

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LIVONIA
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Sign: Herald of Truth

GARDEN CITY
1657 Middlebelt Rd.
SUNDAY WORSHIP
11:00 A.M. & 6:00 P.M.
Bible School 10:00 A.M.
Wed. 7:30 P.M. Worship
Ministers: Dennis Swindle & Lamar Matthews
422-6650
TV Channel 20 Saturday 9:30 A.M.
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Worship Service 8:30 P.M.

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30424 Oakland, Farmington — 474-8300
CHURCH SCHOOL 9:30 A.M.
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"YOU'RE WELCOME"

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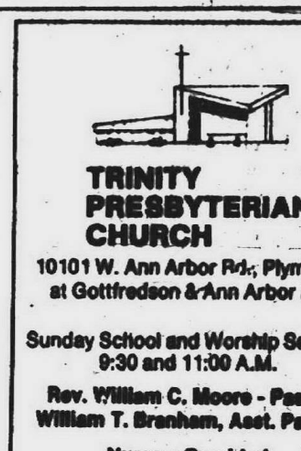
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship Service
Sunday Service Broadcast
9:30 a.m. WMUZ-FM 103.5
Worship and Sunday School
HOLY COMMUNION
8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 a.m.
"UNTIL HE COMES"
Rev. John S. Grimmins, III
7:00 p.m.
"CUL-DE-SAC CHRISTIANITY"
Rev. James Kilgore
Wednesday, 7:00 P.M.
SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
(Activities for All Ages)
Nursery Provided At All Services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10101 W. Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth
at Gottfredson & Ann Arbor Rd.
Sunday School and Worship Service
9:30 and 11:00 A.M.
Rev. William C. Moore - Pastor
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Nursery Provided
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9:30 and 11:00 A.M.
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Every Wednesday during Lent: 6:15 P.M. Family Dinner - 7:00 P.M. Lenten Worship - 7:30 P.M. Classes For All Ages
Dr. W.F. Whitledge — Rev. P.R. Irwin — Rev. K.R. Thoresen

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11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE
NURSERY THRU HIGH SCHOOL
GARETH D. BAKER, PASTOR

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)
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Rev. J. Cyrus Smith
A Creative Christ Centered Congregation
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9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
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459-6013

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PLYMOUTH (U.S.A.)
Main and Church 453-6464
Philip Rodgers Magee
Minister
Mark Morningstar, Asst. Minister
SUNDAY WORSHIP
9:15 & 11:15 A.M.
CHURCH SCHOOL: K-6th GRADE
9:15 & 11:15 A.M.
H.S./ADULT ED./JR. CHURCH
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WORSHIP SERVICE
Church School (Nursery-12th) 10:30 A.M.

REFORMED CHURCH IN AMERICA

CHURCH OF THE SAVIOR
(Reformed Church in America)
38100 Five Mile, Livonia
WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.
Nursery Available
SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:45 A.M.
REV. GERALD DYKSTRA, Pastor — 464-1062

CHRISTADELPHIANS

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2:15 P.M. Lesson: The Bible Devil In Man, Not A Fallen Angel
Sunday Morning Service 10:00 A.M.
Wednesday Night Bible Class 8:00 P.M.
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Christ Community Church of Canton
981-0459
Meeting at:
Canton High School
Canton Center at Joy
WORSHIP 10:00 A.M.
Fellowship - Youth Club - Choir
Bible Study
Reformed Church in America

church bulletin

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● GROUND BREAKING

The Westland Church of the Nazarene recently conducted a ground-breaking service at its new 9.2-acre property site on Palmer Road, east of Hix Road. Participating in the ceremony were Westland Mayor Charles Griffin, Dr. Marselle Knight, superintendent of the Eastern Michigan District Church of the Nazarene; Stephen Lowe, pastor; Thorton Van Der Voort and Paul Miller, church board of trustees; William Nikkila, Zion Church Builders; and Greg Brown, Wayne Bank.

The 11,113-square foot facility will include a sanctuary with seating for 300, a baptistry, fellowship hall, educational space and church offices. The project is expected to be completed by November.

● LUTHERAN SINGERS

The Detroit Lutheran Singers will present a Spring Concert at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, April 5, at Grace Lutheran Church, 25600 Grand River, near Beech Daly. Cost is $4 for adults, $3 for students and seniors. For more information, call 535-1840.

● EASTER CONCERT

At 6 p.m. Sunday, April 12, the Music Department of Calvary Baptist Church will present its annual Easter concert at the church, 43065 Joy Rd., Canton. The four choirs will be presenting the music of John Peterson, William Gaither, Don Wyrtzen, Jimmy Owens, Derric Johnson and Harold DeCou.

The concert, which is free, is open to the public. For more information, call 495-0022.

● FISH FRY

St. Edith Church, 15089 Newburgh, Livonia, will have a fish fry from 3:30-7 p.m. Fridays, through April 17. Dinners cost $2.75 for adults, $1.50 for children. For more information, call 464-1222.

● GUEST PREACHER

The Rev. David Clardie will be the guest preacher for the Evangelism Crusade Wednesday through Sunday, April 1-5, at Westland Free Methodist Church, 1421 Venoy, north of Palmer, Westland. Services begin at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday and at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Sunday.

The services are open to the public.

● CHORAL

Kenwood Church of Christ, 5800 Merriman, Livonia, will present "A Morning Like This" at 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 10, and at 11 a.m. Sunday, April 12. The church choir, under the direction of Kevin Hurcula, will perform the musical. The concert is free. For more information, call 476-8222.

● SOUTH AFRICAN FORUM

A South African forum will be presented from 6-8 p.m. Sunday, April 5, at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall, 29620 Five Mile, Livonia. Thomas Fentin, executive director of the Michigan Coalition for Human Rights, will be the guest speaker.

A potluck dinner will precede the forum at 5 p.m. The film, "Witness to Apartheid," will be shown. For more information, call 464-0211, 477-0172 and 453-3019.

● SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

Jill Holthus, a member of Newburg United Methodist Church in Livonia, was one of five Adrian College freshman named as a National Bicentennial Scholarship recipient by the Board of Higher Education and Ministry of the United Methodist Church.

Holthus is a 1986 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School. She is the daughter of Fran Holthus of Pinestreet in Plymouth.

Students are nominated during their last year of high school by the pastor of their church and then selected by a national committee. To be eligible, a student must intend to pursue a baccalaureate degree at a United Methodist Institution.

● CHAPLAIN AWARD

Kerry Erickson was one of 15 students to receive the Adrian College Chaplain's Award recently. The award honors outstanding Christian leadership as reflected in religious activities, personal witness, personal lifestyle, care of others and ethical or moral courage.

Erickson, a senior majoring in mathematics, is the son of Ronald and Libby Erickson of Westland. He is a member of Grace Moravian Church in Westland.

● GOSPEL CONCERT

Ira Stanphill will be in concert at 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 8, at Plymouth United Assembly of God, 46500 N. Territorial, Plymouth. Stanphill has composed more than 500 gospel songs, including "Suppertime," "Mansion Over the Hilltop" and "Victory in the Lord."

The performance is open to the public.

● GUEST MINISTER

The Rev. H. Maurice Lednicky, president of Central Bible College in Springfield, Mo., will be the guest minister during morning services, 9:45 and 11 a.m., Sunday, April 12, at Fairlane Assembly, 23575 Ann Arbor Trail, Dearborn Heights. The services are open to the public. For more information, call 561-3300.

● LENTEN BREAKFAST

Women of the Newburg United Methodist Church will have its annual U.M.W. Lenten Breakfast at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, April 4, in Gutherie Hall, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. Tickets are $2.50 and are on sale at the church office. For more information, call 422-0149.

● FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

A ladies' breakfast of the Joy Fellowship will meet at 9 a.m. Saturday, April 4, at Roma Hall of Livonia, Schoolcraft Road, Livonia. Vickie Gentry will be the guest speaker. The Joy Fellowship is a Christian group for women who share their experiences with God. To make reservations, call 591-1366.

● PRAYER & PRAISE

Ken Burton will be the featured speaker at St. Andrew Church's "Prayer & Praise" service at 7 p.m. Sunday, April 5, at the church, 16360 Hubbard, Livonia. Burton will be sharing his conversion to Christianity after experiences with drug abuse. For more information, call 421-9451.

● CHOIR PERFORMANCE

Felix Mendelssohn's "Elijah" will be performed by the Ward Presbyterian Chancel Choir at 7 p.m. Sunday, April 12, at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington, Livonia. The performance is open to the public.

● CHOIR

The Redford Baptist Chancel Choir will present "Lamb of Glory" at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, April 10-11, at the church, 25295 Grand River, Detroit. For more information, call 533-2300.

● WOMEN FOR JESUS

Jeanne Buzzeo will be the guest speaker the Women For Jesus meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 6, at Corner Lighthouse-Mamre Annex, Outer Drive and Dix Road, Melvindale. For more information, call 722-4224 or 453-8218.

● LENTEN CELEBRATION

Rice Memorial United Methodist Church, 20601 Beech Daly, near Eight Mile Road, Redford Township, will have a host of Lenten activities through Sunday, April 19.

Scheduled activities include: Wednesday, April 8, a potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m.; Sunday, April 12, a Palm Sunday Celebration; Thursday, April 16, Maundy Thursday Communion Service at 7 p.m.; Friday, April 17, Good Friday Ecumenical Service at Alderwood United Methodist, Beech Daly and West Chicago, at 12:15 p.m.; and Sunday, April 19, Easter Sunday Worship Service at 11 a.m.

For more information, call 534-4907.

● LENTEN ACTIVITIES

Village Presbyterian Church, 25350 W. Six Mile, Redford, will have a series of activities for Lenten 11:15 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sundays, through April 12. "For the Love of Pete," a Bible question game, will take place April 5, and on April 12 the play, "Sonrise," will be presented.

A brunch will take place 11:15 to noon. A free-will offering will be taken.

● ORGANIST

David Wagner, a well-known organist, will appear at the final organ dedication concert at Hosanna-Tabor Lutheran Church, 9600 Laverne, Redford, at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 5. Wagner is afternoon music host and program director of WQRS-FM in

The Rev. H. Maurice Lednicky of Fairlane Assembly

in concert.

Detroit, April will be a free-will offering taken. The concert is open to the public. The church is between Beech Daly and Inkster roads, a half-mile north of West Chicago.

● FLOWER BREAKAWAY

Detroit Metropolitan Youth for Christ will be sponsoring its annual Florida Breakaway Friday-Saturday, April 17-25. The week-long trip will include snorkeling, sailboarding and a day at Disney World.

Price of the trip is $400.

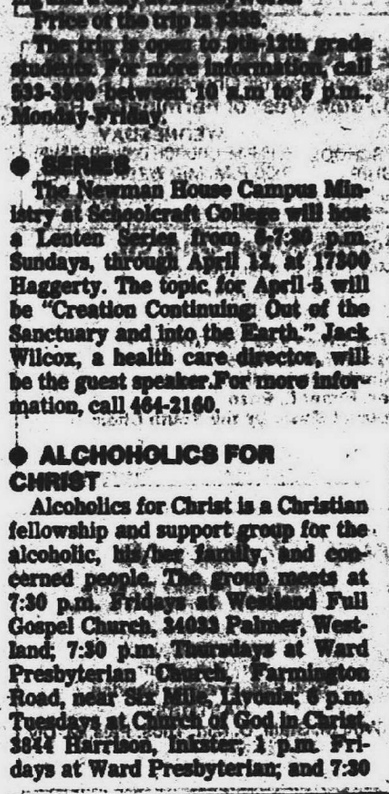
The trip is open to 9th-12th grade students. For more information, call 532-3600 between 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Monday-Friday.

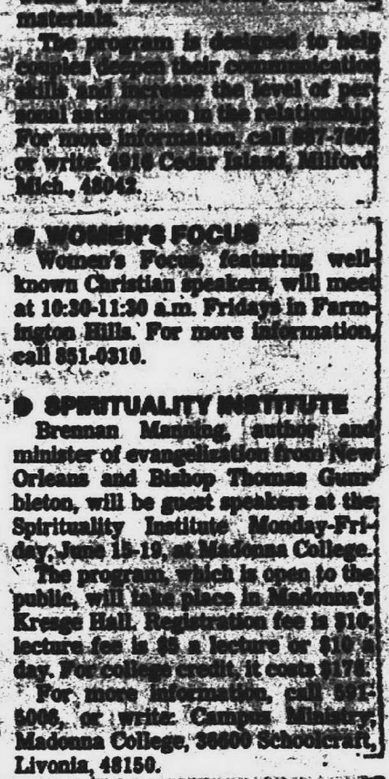
● SERIES

The Newman House Campus Ministry at Schoolcraft College will host a Lenten Series from 6-7:30 p.m. Sundays, through April 12, at 17300 Haggerty. The topic for April 5 will be "Creation Continuing: Out of the Sanctuary and into the Earth." Jack Wilcox, a health care director, will be the guest speaker. For more information, call 464-2160.

● ALCHOHOLICS FOR CHRIST

Alcoholics for Christ is a Christian fellowship and support group for the alcoholic, his/her family, and concerned people. The group meets at 7:30 p.m. Fridays at Westland Full Gospel Church, 34033 Palmer, Westland; 7:30 p.m. Thursdays at Ward Presbyterian Church, Farmington Road, near Six Mile, Livonia; 8 p.m. Tuesdays at Church of God in Christ, 3844 Harrison, Inkster; 1 p.m. Fridays at Ward Presbyterian; and 7:30





The Rev. David Clardie guest preacher

p.m. Saturdays at Fairlane Alliance Church, 100 Hickory north of Michigan Avenue, Dearborn. For more information, call 292-0005 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. between Monday-Friday.

● MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT

Marriage Encounter, a weekend workshop for married and engaged couples, will take place from 7 p.m. Friday, April 3-7 p.m. Sunday, April 5-7, at St. John Fisher Seminary in Plymouth. Price is $140 a couple which will include room, meals and materials.

The program is designed to help couples deepen their communication skills and increase the level of personal intimacy in the relationship. For more information, call 937-7660 or write: 4210 Cedar Island, Milford, Mich., 48042.

● WOMEN'S FOCUS

Women's Focus, featuring well-known Christian speakers, will meet at 10:30-11:30 a.m. Fridays in Farmington Hills. For more information, call 851-0310.

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moral perspectives
Rev. Lloyd Buss

TV ministry needs overall examination

Our mistake is in watching the deeds of misconduct and ignoring the system wherein they were committed.

IT'S A simple story. I think of it often, and use it almost as frequently. I even remember the first time I read it, where I was and what I was doing.

The story comes from the pen of Dennis De Rougemont and is about the devil and his confederate following a philanthropist on the streets of New York.

A poor man asked for a cigarette, and the philanthropist gave him money. The confederate asked the devil if he were not afraid of the philanthropist, who was intelligent, good and generous.

"I'll take care of him," the devil said, as the philanthropist gave a sum of money to a second beggar, "I'll organize his charity."

Fyodor Dostoevsky introduced the same theme with his famous Grand Inquisitor legend in his novel "The Brothers Karamazov." Humanity cannot tolerate freedom. Humanity needs the realism and order of the life that only the church can provide.

The Grand Inquisitor asserts that few people could follow the way of Christ. He concludes that Christ hinders the work of the church, and therefore must die. He warns us that institutions have a way of replacing the purpose they were meant to serve with their own reasons for existence.

THE RECENT STORIES in print and picture of TV evangelists engaged in a multifarious variety of death-defying actions exhibit a fatal flaw in our lives. One evangelist calls on God to strike him down if he fails to raise $8 million.

Another dares to violate a sacred command protecting the sanctity of marriage. A third engages in acrimonious critique.

To be human is to be rooted in self-deception. Fundamental to truth and integrity is the will of God. Our lives must be formed by what God wills and not what we will do with them.

Our moral task is always a constant viligance to seek out those places in our lives where God's will is not heeded.

But isn't that exactly what TV evangelists say they do. They claim a most serious effort in following the will of God.

Believing God will strike down those who fail to raise a certain amount of money certainly sounds serious and intentional. Resigning from a public ministry for a compromised act of obedience is equally zealous. And who would question the earnestness of one who feels the shame brought upon their collective ministries?

In a very precise way, the TV evangelists in recent print and picture have identified specific problems and/or transgressions in their lives and have acted forthrightly on them. Offering one's life as a sacrifice, resigning from a successful post, calling for integrity and morality are all actions that will be claimed as positive in days to come.

OUR MISTAKE is in watching the deeds of misconduct and ignoring the system in which they were committed. It's not the rules that were broken that should be our primary concern. We need to review the system in which the rules were placed.

TV evangelists have constructed a system that works well for them. They will resolve their problems and correct their errors. They will make their ministries grow and increase. They know how to work their system.

The rest of us have an obligation to ask their intentions of purpose. Organizing a system and operating it successfully is one thing. Being faithful to God's will in the care and love of life is quite another.

Denis De Rougemont and Fyodor Dostoevsky can help us discern and appreciate the difference.

The Rev. Lloyd Buss is the pastor of Abiding Presence Lutheran Church in Rochester.

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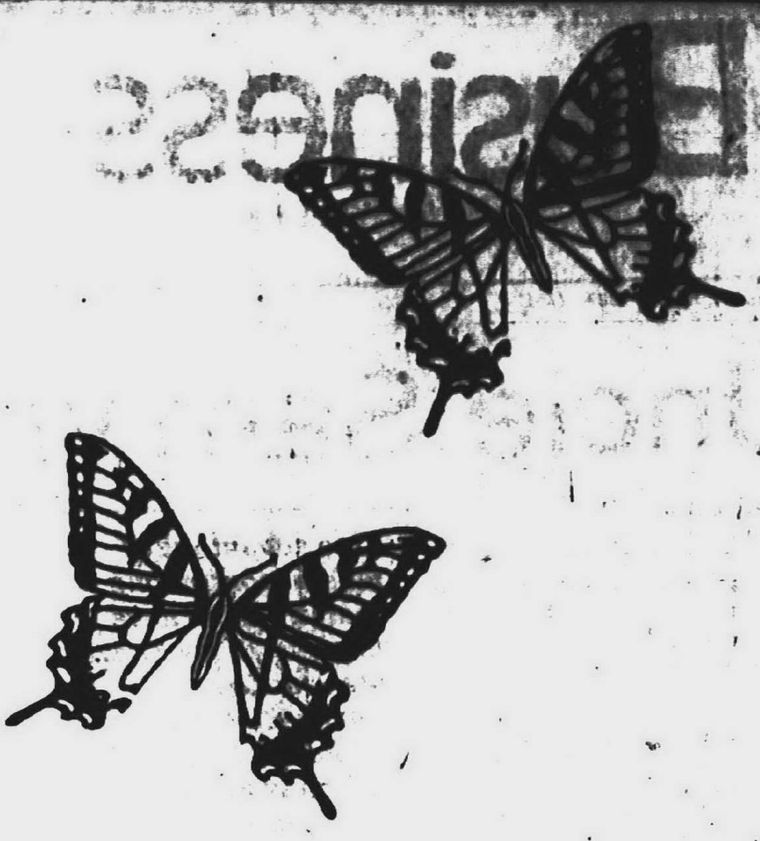

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Uncle Sam wants local contractors

By Pat Walsh
special writer

Local firms that see limited expansion with the auto industry are looking to the aerospace and defense industries for growth and diversification.

Federal contracting is an often ignored alternative for companies capable of offering goods and services in robotics, lasers, transistors and computers. But the Michigan Commerce Department is hoping to capitalize on such opportunities by organizing trade missions to introduce local companies to federal contractors.

At a recent mission to Los Angeles, local firms were introduced to buyers from such giants as Lockheed, Hughes, Ford Aerospace, General Dynamics, McDonnel Douglas and Rockwell.

The companies included Advanced Technology and Testing of Livonia, the BCR Computing Corp. of Westland, St. Claire Inc. of Farmington Hills and Triple Tool Manufacturing of Troy.

John Chichester, procurement specialist at Schoolcraft College's Business Development Center, said the California trip was designed to provide opportunities in subcontracting.

"A lot of big firms in government contracts are located in California. Sometimes it is easier to get a contract out of the government directly than it is out of the prime contractors.

"We're taking some proven government contractors and going out there to win some additional work as subcontractors to some of the large primes."

ONE SUCH PROVEN contractor is St. Claire Inc., a producer of operation and maintenance manuals that conducts training programs and develops technical art and slide films.

Its typical subject matter is a piece of ground support equipment, such as the computerized test stand used to test the fuel control system in the jet engine of the F-18 fighter planes at Kelly Air Force Base.

'One advantage of federal contracting is that you don't have to know anybody to get started. The information is available without taking anybody to lunch and persuading them to trust you.'

— John Chichester procurement specialist

St. Claire owner Floyd White said his goals for the trip were a little different from those of others.

"I was not looking for prime contractors as much as I was looking for the subcontractors in this area that do work for them. That's a level that's invisible to me. I wanted to find out who the prime contractors were dealing with in the Michigan and Ohio areas that might have need for our services."

Did the program achieve its objectives?

"I thought it was excellent," White said. "It enabled us to meet a lot of aerospace prime contractors in California. If we had to do it on our own, it probably would've taken us months or years to try and ferret out who to talk to and then get to see them."

White was also pleased to learn of some possible prime contract opportunites in technical training for the Air Force, and he praised the commerce department program.

"I think they're doing an excellent job. I think they're doing more than 80 percent of the other states. It's a tremendous program."

TEST EQUIPMENT White's company writes about is designed and built by Advanced Technology and Testing of Livonia.

Mike Kensinger said his company's expectations for the trade mission trip were "to meet as many possible potential customers in a very short period of time as we could.

"We got to meet representatives from 12 to 15 aerospace companies who we have the potential of doing business with in the future," he said.

Advanced Technology builds powertrain test equipment for automobiles and off-road vehicles as well as jets.

ANOTHER MEMBER of the trade mission discovered Michigan's lack of reputation in computer software.

John Morrison is vice president of sales for the four-year-old BCR Computing Corp. of Westland, which develops computer-based factory automation systems for the auto companies. His company is looking to diversify and build on previous subcontracting work with the Navy and the Air Force.

"Our business is really software," Morrison said. "There seems to be a preconceived notion in that area of the country that Michigan is a good place to have precition machining done. It's (Michigan) not looked on as a strong software area.

"The trip gave us contacts with people we would not normally be able to reach. I was extremely pleased."

Contract work is going to attorneys, accountants, architectural engineers and designers, computer programmers, housekeeping services and medical suppliers.

HAPPILY RIDING on Michigan's repuation of machining capabilities is Joe Smyles of Triple Tool Manufacturing of Troy. He called the trip an excellent source of contracts for the firm, which does precision tool and die work, manufacturing small parts such as those for the hydraulic fuel pumps on the B-1 bombers.

The Los Angeles trade mission was the commerce department's eighth since 1982. Last year's trip was to NASA in Florida. Future trips are planned for Seattle and St. Louis.

SCHOOLCRAFT'S Chichester said that service companies are receiving an increasing number of government contracts.

"One area that's growing quite rapidly is that of professional services such as computer programming, studies and evaluations, and training."

His procurement office sees contract work going to attorneys, accountants, architectural engineers and designers, computer programmers, housekeeping services and medical suppliers. Updated lists of goods and services in demand, bid specifications and technical aid are available.

"One advantage of federal contracting," Chichester said, "is that you don't have to know anybody to get started. The information is available without taking anybody to lunch and persuading them to trust you.

"For newer firms, this is a real benefit. With all the new business starts in communities like Livonia, that's a big deal."

For more information, call the procurement office at 591-6400.

Livonia Expo nears goal

By Pat Walsh
special writer

Expectations are high among participating companies and local sponsors of the Greater Livonia Expo to be held May 5-7 at Schoolcraft College who are looking for on-site sales, the chance to do some local networking and for potential customers.

Spearheaded by the Livonia Chamber of Commerce, the show has more than 70 percent of the booth space rented with 150 trade, service and industrial companies from Livonia, Plymouth, Farmington Hills, Southfield, Westland, and Garden City on hand to demonstrate their products and services.

One company that expects to broaden its customer base is Livonia's Main Office. It provides mailing services, typically 500 to 10,000 pieces, ranging from catalogues to newsletters to advertising for companies that don't want to tie up their own manpower.

"One of our problems is identifying people who have a need for our services," owner Bob Temske said. "There's a lot of people out there; it's just finding them. Being a small company, it's difficult to take the time to go door to door and prospect. Hopefully, this will allow us to accomplish that much quicker."

This is Temske's first try at a show where he expects to do a lot of 15-second interviews. "If we get five to 10 customers out of the show, I think we'll be successful."

A MORE SEASONED exhibitor is Novi's Diversitec. Booth displays will include micrographic cameras and products related to the company's records managment services.

Sales coordinator Dorothy Duke said Diversitec participates in the Downriver show, the Detroit Business Expo at Cobo Hall and the Macomb County show. She finds suburban shows more cost effective than the big shows.

"They are too expensive, don't facilitate booth setups, and draw a general public audience that really can't buy the product or services for sale.

"All the vendors are there for one thing, and that is to get customers. Quality people can sign on the dotted line."

How many contacts does she need to offset booth costs?

"All you need is one. A super contact will more than pay for your booth in the show."

MAJOR SPONSORS for the local expo include Allmand Associates; Burland, Reiss, Murphy & Rambiesa; Consumers Power Co.; Detroit Edison; Ford Motor Co.; Health Appliance Plan; Manufacturers National Bank; Reliable Business Computers; and Air Gage Co.

Don't be looking for tire gauges at the Air Gage Booth. Instead you'll find sample dimensional gauging equipment of the electronic, computerized and automatic nature. The primary markets for Air Gage are Ford, General Motors and their suppliers.

Marketing and sales manager Dave Joslyn is a veteran of trade shows such as the Quality Expo in Chicago. To him, expos are good business. His company participates in trade shows "because our customers are there, and we want to give them another chance to look at our products as well as to develop new leads.

"A lot of expositions are good public relations as much as they are good selling tools."

Many vendors will be exchanging

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Focus: computer graphics

By Maria Gold
staff writer

The victim, neck in a brace, clutches a shiny, new cane and hobbles toward the witness stand to tell the sympathetic jury how he has suffered since being sideswiped by a driver one night a year ago. With no witnesses, his testimony, along with skid marks on the road, are the only evidence his attorney has that the other driver was at fault in the two-car accident.

Enter the defense attorney, computer in tow, to visually show the jury how the accident occurred, and who is at fault.

Forensic engineering, one of the newest computer-based technologies, makes exact re-enactments of accidents simple.

A specialist loads the commands, and the computer demonstrates how each of the cars would have driven on that specific road under the same conditions as the night of the accident.

THIS DEMONSTRATION will be one of the displays at the 11th annual SAE/ESD International Computer Graphics Conference/Exposition at Cobo Hall April 7-9.

SAE, the Troy-based Engineering Society for Advancing Mobility — Land, Sea, Air and Space, and the Engineering Society of Detroit, or ESD, are sponsoring this three-day computer extravaganza, which will feature about 25 exhibits.

M.J. Asensio, staff engineer at SAE, said the conference will focus on "the role of computer graphics in different technical specialties." These specialties include engineering work stations, forensic engineering, artificial intelligence, CAD/CAM displays and robotics.

"We're trying to cover not only highly technical computer graphics, but every function computer graphics interfaces with," Asensio said.

IN ADDITION to the displays, the three-day conference will include about 70 technical presentations by national experts in the computer industry.

Rebecca Evans, manager of conferences and expositions of ESD, said the event is aimed at high technology experts in the automotive industry, rather than the casual computer user.

Electro Sales, a 30-year-old manufacturing representative with an office in Livonia, is setting up two work stations at the exposition featuring software from Futurenet, a California-based manufacturing company.

"We get good, qualified interest at these events," said sales engineer Bob Kokovich. He said the company displays systems from one or more of their 22 represented firms at about 20 shows each year.

Kokovich said that expositions present the opportunity for engineers and managers to see and experiment with his wares. Buyers are more likely to order from his display after sampling the software programs. The featured programs at the SAE/ESD exposition will be Computer Aided Engineering (CAE), which cost from about $6,000 to $30,000. He said the programs are valuable to anyone working professionally in electronics.

The cost for admittance to the exhibits is $10, and the full conference is $300 for an SAE or ESD member, and $365 for others. Daily rates are also available.

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Mary DiPaolo

For the female entrepreneur interested in making the most of her present or proposed small business venture, the Fourth Annual Conference of Women Business Owners is one event that should not be missed.

Called "From Start-up to Stock Offering," the event will be held Friday and Saturday, April 10-11, at the Hyatt Regency Hotel, Dearborn.

The purpose of the conference is to provide "valuable opportunities to gather information, make contacts, improve skills and become aware of resources available to assist business owner — established and new."

SPEAKERS AT this year's conference include Debbi Fields of Mrs. Fields Cookies and Joan Greenfield, psychologist, columnist and owner of Joan E. Greenfield & Associates.

Workshops have been designed to help the entrepreneur in three distinct levels of business decision-making: "creating your business," "build your knowledge" and "expand your vision."

Roundtable discussions and exhibits provide those attending with the opportunity to address specific business concerns. Appointments can be made with purchasing agents of major corporations and the state and federal government.

"Ask the Consultant" is one conference highlight that is invaluable to the entrepreneur. A team of 14 professional consultants representing key business fields will be available both days to work with individuals.

A BROCHURE outlining this years' conference schedule is available through local chambers of commerce.

The registration for both days is $110, which includes meals, c onference materials and handouts. For those only attending the Friday luncheon featuring Debbi Fields, the fee is $50.

The conference is sponsored by the Michigan Small Business Development Center in conjunction with Wayne State University. For more information, call the center at 577-4848.

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Douglas Jaskierney of Plymouth was promoted to vice president in the National Bank of Detroit's Midwest banking division. Jaskierney, an NBD employee for 15 years, is commercial loan officer in the Indiana group of the division.

Susan Pasi of Westland has been named manager of office operations at J. Walter Thompson-U.S.A./Detroit. She had been facilities manager. She will supervise the facilities management, office services, communications and reception functions. Pasi joined the company in 1977.

Carrie R. Weed of Plymouth retired from Ford Motor Co. where he was service planning and development manager for the Ford Parts and Service Division. Prior to his appointment in 1979, he had been field service manager in the General Sales and Service Office. Weed joined Ford in 1956 as a service training specialist and subsequently served as service instructor for Lincoln-Mercury.

Weed will become president and chief executive officer of Automotive Service Consultants of Birmingham, Ala.

Robert J. Farris was appointed manager of Corroon & Black of Michigan's employee benefit department. Farris had been with a large employee benefit company as manager of the life insurance and employee benefit operations. Corroon & Black is in Livonia.

Marilyn Dyer of Livonia has been appointed director of quality assessment at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital. Dyer had been assistant director of the medical record department. She graduated from Mercy College and is a registered record administrator.

Fawzi N. Tomy of Redford has been promoted to vice president of corporate finance at Diversified Chemical Technologies Inc. He will direct all financial operations for DCT and its subsidiaries. Tomey joined the company in 1978. Most recently, he was corporate controller.

Bobby J. Gibbs, an agent in the Redford district office of American General Life and Acident Insurance Co., has been with the company for five years. Gibbs has worked in personal sales production in the Pontiac and Detroit area since joining the company in February 1982.

Jeanne G. Paluzzi was appointed to the Advisory Council on Small Business of the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago. Paluzzi is president and owner of JGP Marketing Group International Inc. in Livonia.

Gail Hodge of Garden City, a sales associate from Real Estate One's Westland office, was named to the company's 1986 President's Council of Excellence and has qualified for a four-day, all-expenses-paid trip to the Camelback Inn in Scottsdale, Az. She sold more than $3.5 million in 1986.

Thomas C. Johnson, a native of Livonia, was inducted in Gelco Space's Masters Club. Members are chosen based on outstanding sales . Johnson, branch sales representative of the Detroit branch of Gelco Space, is the son of Charles and Erma Johnson of Livonia.

William F. Horner, formerly of Plymouth, has been promoted from senior vice president to executive vice president of Manufacturers Bank of Lansing. He has been with the bank for three years and has 16 years experience in the banking industry.

Gary Druchniak, an agent for State Farm Insurance Cos. in the Westland area, has earned membership in the company's Millionaire Club and also the state Hall of Fame. These sales honors are based primarily on quality and quantity of life insurance sold and serviced. Druchniak has been a Milionaire Club member four times.

Jim Smithpeters of Westland, a sales representative with the Prudential Insurance Co.'s Livonia district office in Livonia, has received the company's President's Citation for outstanding sales and service in 1986. This is the fourth year that Smithpeters has won the award.

Ronny Seyler was selected "Account Executive of the Month" at Adistra Corp. of Plymouth. Her accomplishments included outstanding sales achievement, devotion to job excellence and the cultivation of new business while maintaining the highest quality service for her existing clients.

Caroline Kolakowski, a sales associate from Real Estate One's Livonia office, has been named to the company's 1986 President's Council of Excellence and has qualified for a trip to the Camelback Inn in Scottsdale, Az. Kolakowski sold more than $3.8 million in 1986.

Tom Barker of Canton Township has been promoted to district leader with the A.L. Williams Co. and has just received his security license. Barker joined Williams in September as a representative.

Jerry Reeves of Livonia has been appointed senior manager in the audit division of Ernst & Whinney. Reeves will service the accounts of governmental agencies, educational institutions and privately owned businesses. He joined Ernst & Whinney's Detroit office in 1974 as a member of the audit staff. Most recently, he was treasurer and director of finance and administration at Diversified Technologies Inc.

Robert A. Young of Canton Township has been elected to the board of governors for the Detroit chapter of the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers. Young is senior mechanical engineer at Blount Engineers Inc.

Mary Jo Cameron of Westland has been promoted to senior vice president with Campbell-Ewald advertising. Cameron, who joined the company in 1955, is manager of client accounting. She was named manager of client accounting in 1978.

George S. Matick Jr. of George Matick Chevrolet Inc. in Redford was elected to the board of the Metropolitan Detroit Chevrolet Dealers Association.

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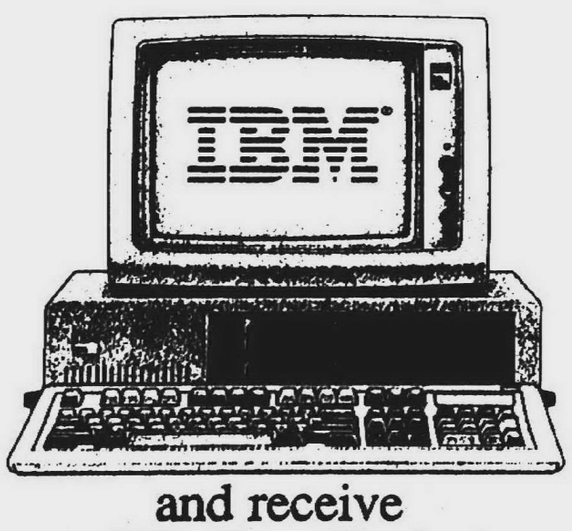

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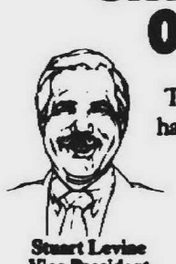
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In April millions of Americans cheerfully indulge in their favorite pastime — paying taxes to the government. We have therefore selected April as the Tax Awareness Month.

The Tax Reform Act (TRA) of 1986 made sweeping changes in our tax system. However, it did not take away the right of every taxpayer to convert earned income into tax-free money. Here are some examples of exclusions allowed by the TRA.

Donative Items

A. Money or property inherited is not taxed as income. Only money and property received from a descendant or as a bona fide gift fall under this rule. For a transfer to constitute a gift, there must be a motive of "detached and disinterested generosity."

B. A scholarship or fellowship grant in most instances escapes taxation. The payment must be made for your education and training, and must not represent payment for services or for studies conducted for the grantor's benefit.

C. Prizes and awards received in recognition of past accomplishments are excludable from income. However, prizes received from sweepstakes, TV shows and beauty contests do not qualify for this exclusion.

Benefit Items

A. Employee contributions under a written "cafeteria" plan selected as nontaxable benefits are not taxed. These benefits can be either insurance type (group life, disability, etc.) or non-insurance type (group legal services).

B. Educational assistance provided by an employer which is job related is generally not taxable. The employee may have to establish the fact that such education/training was necessary for continuation of employment.

C. The value of dependent care or assistance received by an employee is generally not reported as income. However, under this program, payments can't be made to anyone related to the employee.

D. The value of meals and lodging provided to you, your spouse, and your dependents without charge by your employer is not taxed as income provided certain criteria are met.

E. Hospitalization premiums (including Medicare) paid by your employer are excludable from your income. However, if you get a lump sum payment in lieu of group medical insurance when you retire, this amount will be subject to tax.

F. Group life insurance coverage of up to $50,000 provided by your employer is excludable from your income.

Benefits For The Aged

A. You may exclude from your gross income up to $125,000 of gain from the sale of your home provided you are at least 55, have owned the home for three out of five years and are planning to use the exclusion for the first and last time.

B. If you sell your principle home at a profit, that gain can be sheltered from tax if it is reinvested in a new home within two years. However, all is not lost if you can't sell your old home during this two year period. If you legitimately arrange a sale of your home to your "personal corporation," that would shelter your gains from tax.

C. When you retire you may buy an annuity investment with after-tax dollars and arrange to receive your retirement income from this investment. Since part of what you are receiving represents a recovery of your initial investment, this recovery amount is fully excluded from your taxes.

Next week: More on tax savings.

Educational Seminar: Main Topic "New Solutions To Old Financial Problems Under The New Tax Law." The seminar, sponsored by the Observer and Eccentric Newspapers and Coordinated Financial Planning, Inc., will be held from 7-9:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 14, at Baldwin Public Library, 300 W. Merrill, Birmingham. For information and reservations, call 642-8888.

Sid Mittra is director of certificate program in personal finance at Oakland University and president of Coordinated Financial Planning, Inc.

business briefs

● LEGISLATIVE BREAKFAST
Monday, April 6 — U.S. Sen. Donald Riegle will speak on product liability at 8 a.m. at a legislative breakfast at Mike Kelly's Landing, 14000 Middlebelt, Livonia. Fee: $7. Information: 427-2122. Sponsor: Livonia Chamber of Commerce.

● DOCTOR OPENS OFFICE
Dr. D. Bradford Barker has opened an office at 8010 N. Wayne Road between Joy and Cowan in the Oakview Plaza in Westland. Dr. Barker is a specialist in physical medicine and rehabilitation. The telephone number is 422-4680.

● CAREERS
Wednesday, April 8 — "The Future Job Direction of Michigan Workers: the Union Perspective" offered at 5:30 p.m. in Detroit. Nonmember fee: $22. Information: Fred DeRoche, 455-4421. Sponsor: Careers Michigan of Plymouth.

● AD AGENCY ADDS ACCOUNT
Pfeister Co. of Livonia will handle No Nonsense Fashions Inc. in the Detroit and surrounding markets.

● QUALITY CONTROL
Monday-Tuesday, April 13-14 — National automotive conference offered in Novi. Non-member fee: $$245. Information: Lloyd Brumfield 583-5145. Sponsor: American Society for Quality Control.

● CENTURY 21 OPENS
Century 21 Chalet has opened at 33607 Seven Mile, Livonia. The telephone number is 477-1800.

● FINANCIAL PLANNING
Tuesdays, April 14-28 — "Financial Planning Basics" will be presented 6:30-9:45 p.m. at Schoolcraft College, 16800 Haggerty, Livonia. Fee: $69. Information: 591-6400, Ext. 409. Sponsor: Schoolcraft College.

● TRUCKLINES ACQUIRED
Ryan Expediting Inc., Cavalier Cartage Inc. and Industrial Switching Inc., all of Livonia, have been acquired by Canada Transport International Ltd.

● SMALL BUSINESS MEETING
Wednesday, April 15 — After Business, meets monthly in Detroit to expand private economic development in southeast Michigan. Nonmember fee: $10. Information: John Sherry, 964-4000.

● INSURANCE AGENCY HONORED
C.L. Finlan & Sons Inc. in Plymouth was named to the President's Million $ Council in 1987 by Citizens Insurance Co. It was the third year the agency was named to the council.

● INVESTING UNDER TAX REFORM
Wednesday, April 15 — Free seminar on the effect of tax reform on investors begins at 7 p.m. in Dearborn. Information: Debbie Lennis, 27-2500. Sponsor: PaineWebber.

● INSURANCE AGENCY HONORED
Corroon & Black of Michigan in Livonia was named to the President's Million $ Council in 1987 by Citizens Insurance Co.

● ANTIBOYCOTTING LAWS
Thursday, April 16 — "U.S. Antiboycott Regulations: a Practical Guidance for Company Compliance & International Accounting Update" will be presented from 8:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty, Livonia. Fee: $72. Information: Paul E. Litton, U.S. Department of Commerce, 226-3650.

● INSURANCE AGENCY HONORED
Insurance Planning Service in Livonia was named to the President's Million $ Council in 1987 by Citizens Insurance Co.

● ENROLLED AGENTS
Tuesday, April 21 — National Association of Enrolled Agents meets at 6:30 p.m. at the Eagles Nest, 28937 W. Warren (east of Middlebelt) in Garden City. Information: Beverly Polmanteer, 589-2105.

● GE, RCA COMBO
General Electric's and RCA's service operations in the Livonia area were combined Monday as part of the GE/RCA merger announced last year. The new office is on Mayfield just off Plymouth Road. The telephone number is 522-4800.

● MANUFACTURING PROFESSIONALS
Tuesday-Thursday, May 5-7 — "Computerized Project Management for Manufacturing Professionals" offered in Dearborn. Information: 271-1500 Ext. 598. Sponsor: Center for Professional Development of the Society of Manufacturing Engineers.

● HOME DECORATING
Decorating Den, which handles home decorating services and products, will hold its grand opening April 3 at 12925 Portsmouth Corssing, Plymouth. The telephone number is 453-1810.

● ENGINEERING JOB FAIR
Monday-Tuesday, May 18-19 — A Detroit engineering and high tech job fair will be held from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. in Detroit. For more information, call 388-2429. Sponsor: Career Recruiting Conferences.

● CAR WASH SUPPLIER
Power Brite, a supplier of chemicals, parts and equipment to car washes, moved its headquarters and manufacturing operations to a 10,000-square-foot facility at 12053 Levan, Livonia. The telephone number is 591-7911.

● ROBOT SAFETY
Wednesday-Thursday, May 20-21 — "Robot Safety Workshop" offered in Detroit. Information: Steve Trombino, 1-994-6088. Sponsor: Robotic Industries Association.

Livonia expo nears its goal

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services among themselves. Networking between companies in the surrounding communities is a major goal of the event sponsored by the Livonia Chamber of Commerce.

"It's awfully good at providing the opportunity to network with other businesses. You have the tremendous amount of different products and services offered in Livonia. It's an opportunity to discover what the resources are in our own community," John White, executive director of the chamber said.

Booth space costs $495 and $595 and includes electric outlets, draped tables, draperies and carpeting.

A cocktail party will kick off the Greater Livonia Expo of Trade, Service and Industry from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, May 5. About 15 local restaurants will supply hors d'oeuvres with food tables set up in the show aisles and bars set up in each room. Admission is $15 or $10 when purchased in lots of 20 or more.

Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara will address a luncheon at 11:30 a.m. at Schoolcraft College prior to the opening of the show at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 6. The show will close at 9 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday, May 7. On Thursday, the show will open at 11 a.m. Admission to the show is free.

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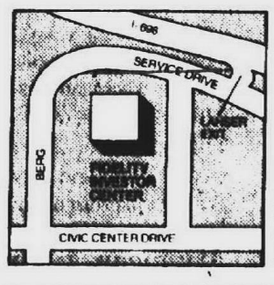

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● THEATER SEASON
The Marquis Theatre in Northville's 1987 subscription season includes some of theater's finest moments — "South Pacific," "Annie Get Your Gun," "Harvey," and "Vaudeville Tonight," a musical revue with such tunes as "Yankee Doodle Dandy," "My Wild Irish Rose" and other turn-of-the-century favorites. "South Pacific," the current attraction, continues through Sunday, April 12. "Vaudeville Tonight" runs July 10 to Aug. 16, "Annie Get Your Gun," Sept. 11 to Oct. 4 and "Harvey," Oct. 23 to Nov. 8. Subscription prices range from $28.50-$36, depending on day and time. For more information call 349-8110 or 349-0868.

● SUMMER WORKSHOP
A summer theater workshop for children ages 6-12 is being offered by the Marquis Theatre of Northville. Professional theatrical instruction in singing, dancing, acting, improvisation, mime, stage make-up, stage movement and puppetry will be offered. Each workshop session will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday-Friday on the following dates: June 22 to July 3, July 6-17, July 20-31 and Aug. 3-14. Each session is $250. For more information call 349-8110 or 349-0868.

● PLYMOUTH HILTON
Sinnamon opened Wednesday for a five-week run at the Plymouth Hilton Inn. The group plays beginning at 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays.

● NOSTALGIC MUSIC
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● AVON PLAYERS
Musical hit "Woman of the Year" will be presented by Avon Players from Thursday, April 30, through Saturday, May 16, at the playhouse in Rochester Hills. Becky MacIntyre of Troy stars as Tess and Tony Mattar of Bloomfield Hills as Sam. For ticket information, call 739-4660.

● SPANISH DANCER
Flamenco dance Maria del Carmen and her Spanish dancing group will appear in concert at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 11, at Cranbrook Kingswood's Performing Arts Center in Bloomfield Hills. The event is sponsored by Cranbrook Kingswood School's La Sociedad Honoraria Hispanica, Chapter Juan Carlos I. Admission is $5 for adults, $4 for students and senior citizens. For more information, call 645-3440.

● 'MUSIC MACHINE'
Two area residents will appear on the second show of "The Music Machine," which goes national beginning April 4 for its fourth season on Channel 4, WDIV-TV. Karen Newman of Bloomfield Hills and Russ Parks of Birmingham will appear on the broadcast Saturday, April 11. The syndicated, talent show hosted by Curtis Gadson features competition between singers.

● ACTOR'S WORKSHOP
A one-day intensive training for actors will be held from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, April 25, at the Actors Workshop in Southfield. The session is designed for beginners and advanced actors, as well as models. Cost is $60 per person, not including meals. For more information, call the Actor's Workshop at 443-0062.

● BENEFIT NIGHT
A performance of the Pulitzer-Prize-winning play "Talley's Folly" will be presented by St. Dunstan's Guild to benefit Cranbrook House at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 9, at St. Dunstan's Theatre in Bloomfield Hills. Tickets at $10 per person include dessert and coffee served at 7:30 p.m., as well as an afterglow following the performance and shuttle bus service from the Christ Church parking lot. For tickets and information, call 398-5735 or 644-0527.

● SPRING CONCERT
Dan Ross will be featured soloists at the annual spring concert of the Farmington Musicale at 8 p.m. Friday, April 10, at Farmington High School Auditorium. Ross, a French hornist, is a former first-place Musicale Scholarship winner. He attends the University of Michigan on a full-tuition scholarship from Interlochen. Tickets at $4, $2 for students and seniors, will be available at the door. An afterglow will follow the concert.

● ARTS PROGRAM
The Public Access program "This Week in the Arts," seen at 9:05 p.m. Wednesdays on Channel 52 of the United Cable Television of Oakland County, has changed its name to "This Month in the Arts." The program will change on a monthly basis, rather than weekly. Featured are regular segments on television, theater and film, as well as explorations into all other forms of art.

● SHOW ENSEMBLE
"Spring Celebration '87" will be presented by the Meadow Brook Estate, show ensemble of Oakland Uni-

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Linda Barsamian stars as Nellie Forbush in the musical "South Pacific," continuing through Sunday, April 12, at the Marquis Theatre in Northville.

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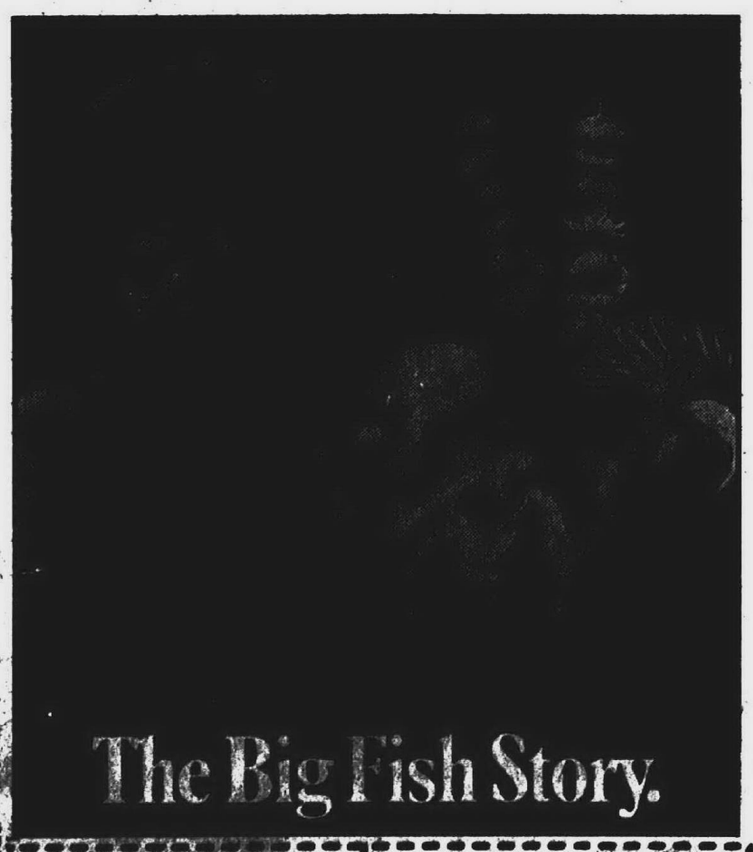

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Bill Kux charms as nerdish hero

Performances of Woody Allen's "Play It Again, Sam" continue through Sunday, April 19, at Meadow Brook Theatre on the Oakland University campus in Rochester Hills. For ticket information, call the box office at 377-3300.

The wonder of the variously named characters who play Woody Allen clones is that he can make women fall for a whiney neurotic with owlish eyes on a scrawny chicken body and make macho men almost sorry for a wimp who blathers in public about his sexual insecurities.

In Meadow Brook's funny "Play It Again, Sam," Bill Kux pulls off the tough job of playing the Woody Allen character. He's splendid. Maybe it's because he's better looking than Allen. The chicken chest has filled out and the peculiar charm of the Allen character is not so incomprehensible as it is with the pallid nebbish of Allen himself.

"Play It Again, Sam" is Woody Allen's 1960s commentary on the contemporary mating game. When the wife of Allan Felix, an intellectual urban nerd, walks out on him, his friends, Dick and Linda, step in to raise his spirits and find him some female companionship. Allan makes a fool of himself with a succession of women.

Felix's hyperactive imagination provides the best comedy in "Play It Again, Sam." When his imagination kicks into high gear, the lighting dims and the audience gets to see the people in his fevered thought.

BECAUSE WOODY Allen/Allan Felix has a movie fetish, film characters come alive and kibbitz over his shoulder. Bogart, his ultimate hero, coaches Allan on how to make time with "dames."

Robert Grossman re-creates Bogart's voice and his nonchalant macho saunter. His fine acting brings the essence of Bogart to life on the Meadow Brook stage. With reverence and no apologies, Allen steals whole speeches as well as the title for "Play It Again, Sam" from the movie "Casablanca."

Peter Hicks cleverly designed the set with multiple hidden escapes to accommodate the sudden appearances and disappearances of the characters in Allan's imagination.

As Allan's friend, Dick, James Anthony has impeccable timing. He's a preoccupied businessman who doesn't give his wife, Linda, much attention. She spends more time with Allan because he's distraught over the loss of his wife. Their easy familiarity and shared neurosis turn into more than a friendship. Leslie Lynn Meeker is well cast in the Diane Keaton role of Linda, the tender, waifish-looking woman who wins Allan's heart.

Judi Mann is versatile in three busty roles of women passing through Allan's life. Loretta Higgins doubles in two roles, the best as a morbid hippie Allan tries to pick up at the art museum. As Allan's wife who left him to "live," Brigid Cleary shows her flair for revenge when she returns in his imagination to take pot shots at his ego.

For those who appreciate Woody Allen's witty way of turning himself inside out and exposing his neurotic preoccupations, director Carl Schurr has a hands-down winner in "Play It Again, Sam."

Cathie Breidenbach of West Bloomfield has always loved theater. A former high-school English teacher, she works in public relations, advertising and as a freelance writer.

They've got gusto, doing Simon comedy

Performances of Neil Simon's "Come Blow Your Horn," presented by the Troy Players, continue at 8 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays through April 11 at the Troy Community Center. For ticket information, call 524-3484.

The Troy Players production of "Come Blow Your Horn," directed by Connie Patrick, is bright and funny.

Neil Simon's witty script tells about the coming of age of the two sons of a waxed-fruit manufacturer. The cast of seven brings energy to enacting Simon's dizzy but well-crafted play. What the players lack in polish is made up for by sheer gusto. Delight in the funny lines carries across the footlights.

Joe Burdick's set design is wonderful. Chris Locke, Dee Chalfant, Terry Dirnberger and everyone connected with the final set deserve congratulations. The door through which all the wrong people enter at the wrong time is located in exactly the right place. So is the phone, the charcoal nude, the bar and everything else.

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It isn't easy

Despite changes, shows go on

By Ethel Simmons
staff writer

ESTABLISHING ITS FIRST theater season at the Jewish Community Center in West Bloomfield hasn't been easy for Nancy Gurwin Productions.

The first show ("Funny Girl") was a hit, the second ("The Diary of Anne Frank") was a flop. The third — rescheduled from the musical "Anything Goes," which was to open in April — will be a familiar Gurwin vehicle, the musical "I Do! I Do!" for late summer.

Gurwin co-stars in the two-person play, about 50 years in the lives of a married couple.

GURWIN, a Southfield resident who is executive producer of Nancy Gurwin Productions, and Donna Zatkin, also of Southfield, who is producer of the theater company, talked about their upcoming plans over lunch last week at Machus Red Fox in Bloomfield Township.

Besides the upcoming show at the Jewish Community Center (community theater, not dinner theater productions) and the dinner theater at Mama Mia's, there is Gurwin's one-woman show to be considered, and the scheduling of the next season at the JCC.

Michael Goodman, a former associate, asked Gurwin to bring her shows to the JCC when Dr. Morton Plotnick, the JCC's executive director, asked Goodman to help in starting a theater season there.

The season opened with "Funny Girl," starring Gurwin as the comical Ziegfeld Follies star Fanny Brice.

"It just took off. Even the Sunday matinees were terrific," said Gurwin of the show's eight performances.

Deciding on a change of pace, Gurwin's group went with the somber Broadway hit, "The Diary of Anne Frank," about the young Jewish girl and her family hiding from the Nazis in World War II.

"We had an artistic success," said producer Zatkin.

"But a financial disaster," finished Gurwin. The critics liked it, but the public, surprisingly, stayed away in droves.

Goodman, who also played a role in "Anne Frank," ended his participation with the new community theater after this show.

ALTHOUGH Gurwin has done "I Do! I Do!" before (as well as "Funny Girl"), Plotnick asked her to do the show again. Gurwin, who started her production company 11 years ago, first appeared in "I Do! I Do!" with Phil Marcus Esser of Livonia, in 1976.

One of the difficulties in presenting shows at the JCC, Gurwin and Zatkin agreed, is the scheduling, because there are so many other activities also being booked there.

Rehearsal time, in the Aaron DeRoy Studio Theatre where the shows are presented, often is not available, and actors have to prepare their parts in rooms other than those in which they will perform.

Sets need to be uncomplicated because they can't be kept in the theater during the rehearsal period and run of the show because of competing events.

Gurwin is thinking of doing "I Do! I Do" at the JCC outdoors, "under the stars," as she did "South Pacific" at the Botsford Inn in the summer of 1983.

The show will probably not open until after she does "Fantasticks" with the actor who is the replacement for the role of El Gallo, at Mama Mia. The same actor might be considered to costar in "I Do! I Do!"

Nancy Gurwin will play Agnes again in "I Do! I Do!" this time in late summer at the Jewish Community Center in West Bloomfield, where her Nancy Gurwin Productions is offering a theater season.

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'It just took off. Even the Sunday matinees were terrific.'
— Nancy Gurwin

"Fantasticks" has been moved from an opening date in May to June. That means "I Do! I Do!" will have a late summer opening. Because of the Sabbath, there can be no activity on Saturdays at the JCC until after sundown, so the show could start as late as 9:30 p.m. Zatkin said they're going to check the calendar, hoping for an earlier sunset and starting time, maybe in August.

The new season, for 1987-88, will begin with the musical "Gypsy" — Gurwin will star as Mama Rose — in October; Neil Simon's "Come Blow Your Horn" the following March; and "Guys and Dolls," next April.

Gurwin is trying to do more package shows, which are easy to transport and present at various locations, such as her one-woman show called "Tribute to Broadway."

THE ONE-WOMAN show is going to be given at McDonald Towers, a senior citizens residence in Southfield, at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, June 13. The show at McDonald Towers is open to the public, and there is an admission charge. Call 354-9362 for more information.

Other performances of "Tribute to Broadway" are scheduled for the Danish Club in Detroit in May and at Beth Achim in Southfield on either Oct. 31 or Nov. 15. Of the two dates at the synagogues, Gurwin said, "These are conservative, orthodox synagogues that have not brought in this kind of entertainment."

In "Tribute to Broadway," Gurwin does excerpts from "Mame," "Guys and Dolls," "Fiddler on the Roof" and "Anything Goes," for the first half of the show.

The second half is a chronological tribute to Ethel Merman. Gurwin will sing many of the brassy star's hits and her son, Danny 14, will play Merman's leading men. Also appearing is " this other extraordinary singer," Gary Lee, Temple of Plymouth. Ed Guest III of Birmingham narrates.

Cable 8 of Southfield has asked to tape the show, for showing on the local channel, and Gurwin said she probably will agree to the taping.

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versity's commercial music program, at 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, April 3-4, and 3 p.m. Sunday, April 5, at Varner Recital Hall on campus in Rochester Hills. The concert offers popular music including hits from theater and film. Tickets are $7 general admission, $4 for senior citizens and children under 12, and $3 for OU students. For information, call the Center for the Arts box office at 370-3013.

● LIGHT OPERA

The Windsor Light Opera Association will present two productions for season '87 at the Cleary Auditorium in Windsor. "Oliver!" the musical by Lionel Bart will be presented Saturday, May 2, through Sunday, May 17. "A Christmas Carol" will be performed Saturday, Nov. 7, through Sunday, Nov. 22. For information about season's subscriptions, call (519) 974-6593. A dinner theater package also is available.

● BENEFIT CONCERT

"Love Song II — A Concert from the Heart" will be presented at 7 p.m. Sunday, April 12, at Groves High School in Birmingham. The talent line-up includes Phil Marcus Esser, Babara Bredius, Ron Coden, Charlie Latimer, Sheri Nichols, Jonathon Round and other entertainers. The concert is a benefit performance for the Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association. Tickets ar $$12.50 each, $15 at the door. To order by mail, make check payable to ADRDA and send to: 17251 W. 12 Mile Road, Suite 103, Southfield 48076, or call 557-8277 for more information.

● AT MURDOCK'S

Jazz will be played during April at Murdock's in Rochester Hills. Bugs Beddow performs through Saturday, April 18. The Lee Hermanson Quartet plays Thusday, April 23, through Saturday, May 2.

● IN 'EVITA'

Several area children are in the cast of the musical "Evita," continuing through Sunday, April 12, at the Birmingham Theatre. They are Leigh Jonaitis, 12, a seventh grader at Van Hoosen Junior High School in Rochester Hills; Sean Jonaitis, 9, third grader at Baldwin Elementary School in Rochester Hills; Shyam Maskai, 13, eighth grader at Orchard Lake Middle School in West Bloomfield; Katie O'Shaughnessey, 10, fifth grader at Bemis Elementary School in Troy, and Kevin Skiles, 12, seventh grader at West Junior High School in Rochester. The children alternate in performances.

Maria del Carmen will bring her Spanish dance troupe to Cranbrook Kingswood's Performing Arts Center in Bloomfield Hills at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 11.

Sally's offers musical revue

Nina Machus and Martin Burwell will present a Rodgers and Hart Revue, with performances at 7:30 and 9:30 p.m., Thursday-Saturday, April 9-11, at Sally's Saloon at the Machus Sly Fox in Birmingham. Reservations are suggested.

Machus, a soprano, is director of vocal music at Cranbrook Kingswood School in Bloomfield Hills. Burwell, who teaches piano at Cranbrook, will be her accompanist.

Nina Machus is the wife of Bob Machus, chairman and chief executive officer of Harris O. Machus Enterprises. She is handling promotions for the restaurants and hopes to present other musical attractions at the Sly Fox and possibly at Foxy's West in West Bloomfield.

They've got gusto, doing Simon comedy

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Rich Fleming is adroit as older brother Alan Baker. Fleming is convincing in his move from swinger to responsible businessman and bridegroom. He's especially good at looking harried when Tim Mohan, as Buddy Baker, turns into a carbon copy of his brother.

MOHAN AND Fleming work well together. As the two characters around whom the action revolves, they're satisfying to watch. They move well, and Mohan is great at near-hysteria pitch. Mohan is very believable as the hesitant 21 year old who moves in with his brother and blossoms, in a mere three weeks, into a confident man-about-town.

Keith Wallace nearly steals the show as the father. Mr. Baker is obsessed with transparent grapes, the longevity of the waxed-fruit business and wanting to pass his hard-earned plant on to his sons. Wallace manages to stay apoplectic during all three acts.

Cora Rector is a pretty, addled Mrs. Baker. As Mom, the complaining peacemaker who lives on Alka Seltzer, Rector has good lines, and she belts them out while rushing to and fro.

Colleen Kane as Connie Drayton, an "industrial singer," has a good voice and a quick way with a line. Kane is amusing describing a stint she spent as "Miss Toaster." Sue Cicerone is a good-looking neighbor, though a bit less of the "dumb blonde" would've helped. Wilma Nichols is hilarious in a final curtain cameo.

Helen Zucker has many years experience reviewing for newspapers and magazines in Michigan, New York and Massachusetts.

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7 p.m. . . . Sportsview.
7:30 p.m. . . . Videotunes.
8 p.m. . . . Masters of Dance — Tap dance.
8:30 p.m. . . . Pendleton Fashion Show.
9:30 p.m. . . . Idle Chatter.

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3 p.m. . . . African Rhino — Information on the life and history of the Rhino.
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5 p.m. . . . Off the Wall.
5:30 p.m. . . . Youth View — Music and videos from several Christian preformers, including Sue Calloway from Southfield.
6:30 p.m. . . . Legislative Forum.
7 p.m. . . . Mustang Monthly.
7:30 p.m. . . . Omnicom Sports Scene — Plymouth Salem Rocks vs. Northville Mustangs in girls soccer.
9 p.m. . . . Yugoslavian Variety Hour.

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8 p.m. . . . Out to Lunch.
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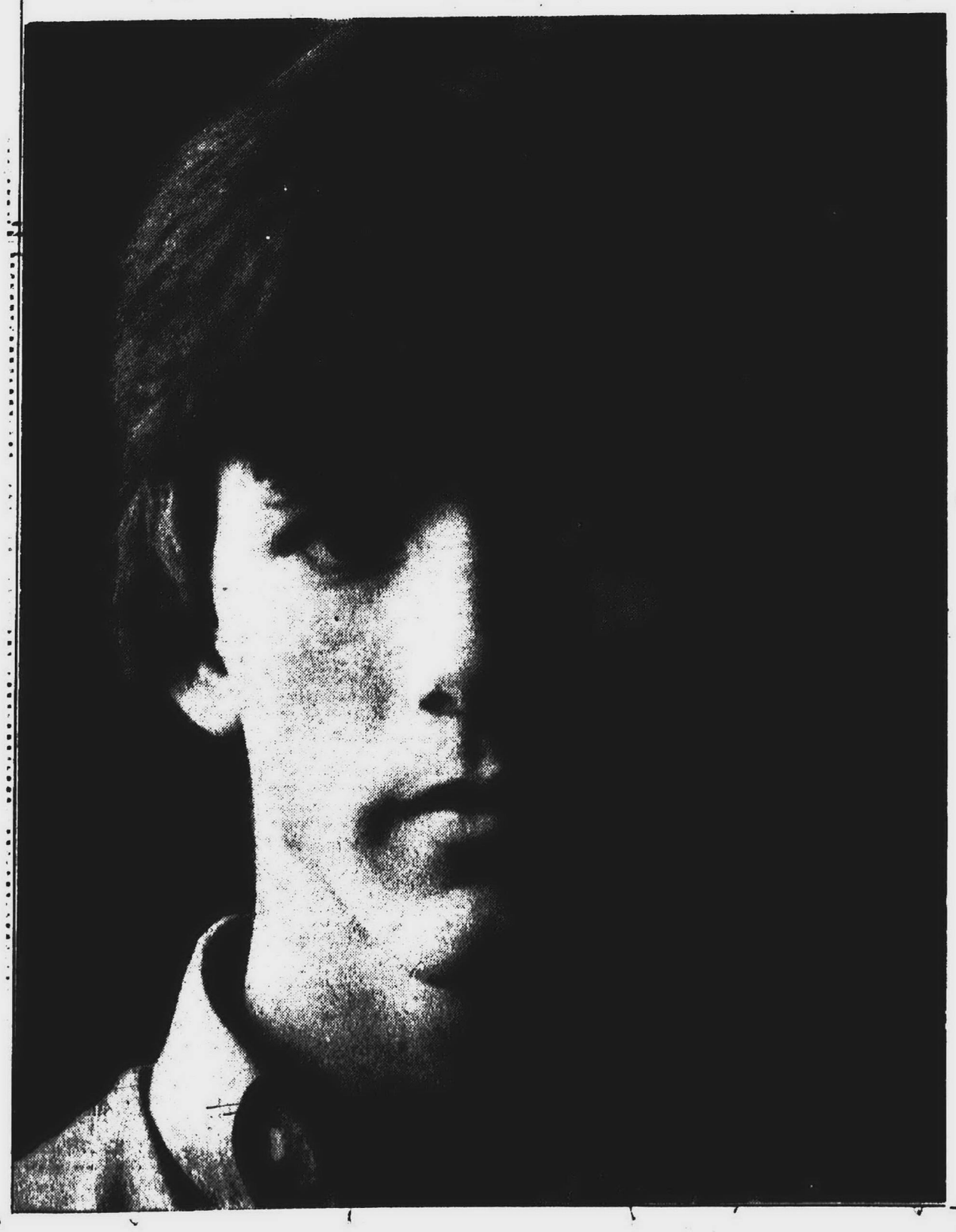

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Part time, Eves. Farmington/Farmington Hills area. Responsible individuals and couples. 548-4888

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Clerk needed to assist manager of Office/Services Dept. at fast paced insurance company. Varied responsibilities. Full-time position, and must be willing to work flexible hours. Call 353-9311, Ext. 217

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Full time; franchise office. Garden City area. Call 261-6666

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Full & part-time Dispensers with a minimum 1 year experience needed for new optometric practice in Downtown Farmington. Warm, outgoing personality a must. Good hours & competitive pay & benefits. Call
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Minimum 5 years experience, commercial. Call between 8-5 pm., Mon. thru Fri. 851-3129

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Part time. Age, 45-50. Car not necessary. Call after 6. 426-9408

PARTS DELIVERY PERSON for growing company in Redford. On-the-job training. Vacation & health benefits. Please call 532-3006

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Relief - for occasional work, once a week & vacation fill in. Must have community retail experience. Apply in person, Warren Prescriptions, 32910 Middlebelt at 14 Mile Rd. Farmington Hills 855-1177

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Troy real estate firm seeking 2 persons to phone canvass. Pleasant speaking voice a must. Experience preferred. Interested person, call 362-3333

PHOTO FINISHING - Full time positions available in a professional finishing lab. No experience necessary. Starting pay $3.80-$4 hour. Raises and promotions based on performance. Apply: North American Photo, 27451 Schoolcraft, Livonia.

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Energetic growing employee owned company looking for a few good people. We offer competitive salary, commission, benefits, car allowance and profit sharing. No overnight travel. You must have enthusiasm and enjoy working with people. A basic knowledge of photography helpful but not necessary. Call between 10am and 2pm
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PICTURE FRAME DISTRIBUTOR needs reliable, steady person for cutting molding. Farmington Hills Area 477-3103

PICTURE FRAME SHOP seeks part time employee 2-3 full days per week. Duties include: designing, selling and assembly of framed wall decor. Ideal candidate should possess good math and verbal skills, work well with their hands and have a creative flair. No framing experience necessary but sales experience helpful. Apply in person at: Frames Unlimited, 34648 Warren Road at Wayne in Westland Crossing Shopping Center.

PLACEMENT COUNSELOR
for rehabilitation agency. Prior teaching background and/or experience in placement of high level disabled population. Prefer experience in resume writing, interviewing techniques & knowledge of current job market. Must be willing to travel between Bloomfield, Novi & Madison Hts locations. Salary $16,800 plus comprehensive benefits. Please forward resume to:
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Pontiac, Mich 48063
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PLATING SHOP is seeking a responsible individual to operate a plating line. Must be able to read micrometer. Apply in person: 37915 Interchange Dr., Farmington Hills, MI 48335

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POOL ATTENDANT
Needed for indoor pool. Lifeguard certification required. Apply at: 29995 Grand River, Farmington, MI 48336

POSITION AVAILABLE with established Detroit area manufacturer of plastic products. Must have experience working with shop personnel. Send resume and salary requirements to: Box 1, 1355 Naughton Dr., Troy, MI 48083

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CLERK & CARRIER POSITIONS
$28,800/Year to start. Over $40,000/Year in 3 years. Many benefits, no experience needed. To apply and send self a free exam form, Postal Exam, A Dept of BE, 3975 Research Park Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48108
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PRINTER
Medium size print shop in Plymouth area has immediate opening for 2-color multi-operator. Two to three yrs. experience preferred. Good wage & benefits program. Contact Larry Wells: 455-0800

PROCESSOR - Mortgage &/or real estate experience helpful, but will train right individual. Apply in person: 1767 W. Big Beaver - W. of Crooks, Troy.

PRODUCTION LINE - Precision injection molding firm in Troy is seeking production line workers to operate equipment in the manufacturing of plastic parts for afternoon shift. No previous experience required. Very pleasant work environment. Regularly scheduled overtime, good wages, overtime pay & benefit packages. Reply to - Production, PO Box #451, Lathrup Village, MI. 48076
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Full and part time for Birmingham group home. M.O.R.C. trained preferred for part time/Midnights. Will train full time for afternoons. Flexible schedules may include weekends. Apply at: 30229 Grand River, Farmington, downtown Farmington Shopping Center, Mon.-Fri., 9-4.

PUBLIC SAFETY SUPERVISOR
for private northwest Detroit campus. Direct, manage, & supervise the public safety staff & department. Bachelors degree in criminal justice or related field. 3 to 5 yrs experience in professional or supervisory level. Send resume to Box 284, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, Michigan 48150

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PUNCH PRESS operators, production workers, all benefits. Must be experienced. Apply in person: 12645 Haggerty, Belleville. 697-3535

PURCHASING AGENT
for advertising agency in Bloomfield Hills. Experience in working with advertising layout, art work, printed material. Salary based on qualifications. Call Larry 334-9689

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Experienced Quality Control Inspector wanted. Knowledge of S. P. C. helpful. Please apply Box 332, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, Michigan 48150

QUALITY CONTROL individual for building/cleaning contractor. Afternoons. 40-50 hours per week. Classon & surrounding Oakland County suburbs. Knowledge of floors and general office cleaning required. Send resumes & salary requirements to: P. O. Box 195, Clawson, MI 48017-0896

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needed for large, established, Metropolitan Detroit area appraisal firm, with unlimited income potential. Must be experienced in FNMA and FHLMC single family appraisal techniques. Designation preferred but not required. Please send sampling of 5 FHLMC/FNMA Appraisals to: Silverwood Appraisal, 25682 Orchard Lake Rd., Suite 101, Farmington Hills, MI., 48018, Attention: President.

RECEPTIONIST
Experienced medical receptionist for ophthalmology office. Send resume to Box 206, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, Michigan 48150

RECEPTIONIST wanted for full time position at Veterinary Hospital. Salary commensurate with experience Taking applications at: 9 Mile Rd. Veterinary Clinic, 24070 W. 9 Mile Rd., Southfield. 352-4580.

REDFORD PRINT SHOP needs full time help in pre production department. Job includes stripping, plate burning, camera work & other detail work. Some knowledge of business forms preferred. Applications now being accepted. Call between 9am-4pm 533-9814

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Guardian Photo, a recognized leader in photo finishing has
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Our openings are on a variety of shifts & departments. If you are ambitious, hard working & committed to performance you will qualify for this rewarding employment.
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If this sounds like your kind of opportunity then we want to talk with you. Apply in person weekedays from 9am until 3 pm at:
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20 hours/week. Flexible scheduling, nights & weekends. Master Degree in Library Science. Library experience preferred. Computer data base searching experience desired. Apply in writing with resume by May 15, 1997 to: James W. Moffet, Head Reference Department, Baldwin Public Library, 300 West Merrill, Birmingham, Mich., 48012-3002

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Commercial and Domestic. Must be reliable and dependable with good references. Call Now 588-9500

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National franchise company, rated #1 in our industry, seeks energetic, business person to assume complete responsibilities for operation and growth for newly opened Detroit Regional Office. The "right" person will be motivated to grow our franchise base, contract billings, and provide support services to franchisees in our high growth industry. College degree required. Send resume and salary history to:
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Birmingham, MI 48010

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Part Time
Exciting new Winkelman's is looking for "Retail Career" minded individuals to join its sales staff. If you are a mature, enthusiastic individual with professional appearance and can work on a flexible schedule, we would like to talk to you

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Position for individual to do stock and light janitorial work

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RUNNER, part time, needed for Farmington Hills based mortgage company. Must have good driving record, insurance, & be 21 yrs. or older. Our products: Prime 11mm to 13mm. For interview call Margaret between 9 and 1 at 855-8944

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SECRETARY/RECEPTIONIST for downtown Rochester law firm. Must be good typist with verbal skills. Call for additional information. 656-2618

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Full time, needed immediately for private school. Half time during summer months
PRE-SCHOOL TEACHERS AIDE
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SERVICE STATION ATTENDENTS - needed, retirees welcome. Apply at Ken's Shell Service, Grand River at Power, Farmington. 476-4717

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Livonia area. Mature persons put your home sewing skills to work preparing materials and sewing for a sweater manufacturer. Training provided. Call Shirley 2-5PM 261-6033

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SHAMPOO-APPRENTICE. Part or full time. Sinbads Hair Studios. 547-0370

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Minimum 1 year experience. Must be familiar with industrial type spray painting. Excellent pay and benefits. Apply in person Mon. thru Fri. 8am to 4:30pm.
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Farmington Hills
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SHIPPING clerk, high-low driving and packaging, experience preferred, day shift only. Apply in person Pressteele Corp., 34569 Glendale, Livonia. West off stark Rd.

SHIPPING DEPT - Full or part time help needed. Must have knowledge of UPS, general shipping procedures, wrapping, & have good math skills. Heavy lifting required. Applications now being accepted. Call between 9am-3pm. 595-9614

SHIPPING & Receiving Clerk, 9am - 5pm daily, Mon thru Fri. Farmdale area. Call for interview. 546-5978

SHIPPING/RECEIVING CLERK
Experienced preferred. Apply Federal APD, 34700 Crestview Ct. Farmington Hills.

SHIPPING/RECEIVING position with small forms manufacturer in Telegraph/Plymouth Rd. area. Loading/unloading trucks, packaging orders, some machine operation. $8.18 per hour to start, substantial bonuses, full benefits, opportunity for advancement. Write: Shipping/Receiving, P.O. Box 6900, Northville, MI., 48167.

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SHOP FABRICATORS AND INSTALLERS

SHOP WORKER

WANTED: SIDERS

SIDERS WANTED
Experience preferred, will train. Apply 970 Holbrook, Plymouth. 459-6664

SIDING HELPER - experienced or will train. 471-4185

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Eastern Oaks skating companies needs full & part time office coordinator. Must have good singing voice. Call Ray. 595-2300

SMALL ENGINE MECHANIC full time, experience required. Apply in person only. Town & Country Fleet Store, 27745 Ford Rd., Garden City, MI. Ask for Kirk. 266-0404

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SPRAYERS - Experienced urethane foam mechanic or painter experienced with airless equipment. Need good all-around mechanical skills. Background in roofing helpful. We're looking for some good physically fit men with experience and a willingness to work. We pay good wages & benefits.
Contact: Energy Shield, Inc.
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Young expanding company seeking the following:
Plant Supervisors
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STOCK, Deli or Cashier. Experience preferred. Apply in person Jonne's Fine Wines, 24225 Halstead at Grand River, Farmington Hills.

STOCK PERSON for small retail store. Experienced. Good pay. Apply: Howard's Beauty Supply, 33318 Grand River, Farmington. 477-6449

STOCK PERSON
PART TIME
New retail store opening at Greenfield & Grand River location would like a reliable person to handle stock, some afternoons, evenings and Saturday. Must be neat and have good references. (Ideal for student - not under 18). Call for interview, 358-3933.

SUB-CONTRACTOR seeking enthusiastic person willing to take directions. $10. per hour. Part-time, possible full-time. Call Art, 398-7175

SUMMER help, cleanliness, grounds keeper, experience helpful but not necessary. Apply 8-4pm daily, 28120 8 Mile, Livonia. 421-5660

SUMMER HELP - full time/part time. Driving ice cream truck in suburbs. Call 10 am - 5pm. 755-4886

SUMMER HELP WANTED
by Burton Hollow Swim Club, Livonia. Life Guard (preferably W.S.I. approved) and concession positions available. Send resume to: BHSC, 16100 Merriman, Livonia 48152

SUMMER HELP wanted, full time. Positions open: inside sales, general warehouse, general office. Century Rainaid, 22159 Telegraph, Southfield, MI 48034. See Steve Kullbom or Debbie Spencer.

VIC TANNYS Somerset Club is looking for enthusiastic career oriented individuals for Management positions in its Sun Salon and Health Bar. Full and part time positions available. Call Dee at 772-0005.

SUPERINTENDENT - experienced. Commercial general contractor. Project 2 million & up. Salary requirements with resume to Box 340, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, Michigan 48150
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SUPERVISOR FOR HORTICULTURAL TECHNICIAN
Horticultural experience required. Salary based on abilities. Please call 545-6433

SURVEYING CREW CHIEF
Must have minimum 3 years Crew Chief experience in land surveying & lay-out work. L.L.S. not required. Send resume to: DBA, 107 S. Main, Plymouth, MI., 48170.

SWIMMING Pool firm in Southfield is looking for 10 to 12 outside workers & one secretary. For interview please call: 355-0778

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR
Contingent positon immediately available for experienced Telecommunications Operator to work on an as needed basis only. Must be available to work all 3 shifts as necessary and for training on the day shift.

You will be directly responsible for operating the Hospital telephone switchboard and paging systems. A minimum of 1 year experience on Digital PBX equipment is required. Medical/business office experience helpful.

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Full or part-time, experience in men's or women's alterations. 349-5175

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Homemakers, College Students, etc., need extra income or want to supplement your present income? You choose the HOURS. You must be motivated and eager to work. Southfield and Downriver locations.

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Appointment, specialists to contact prospects for investment broker. Salary plus commission. Experienced preferred. Flexible hours, 20-40 hours a week.
Call Robin 259-9494

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Start at $6.50 Per Hour
Customer service representatives at Florida USA Corporate Headquarters in Southfield. Individuals must be enthusiastic, persuasive and enjoy talking to people around the country. Computer experience helpful but will train. $7.00 per hour after 3 weeks. You will be contacting existing customers regarding their membership. No cold calling. We will train. Call Pat between 10 Noon and 5pm, ask for Ms. Blakes. 645-1257 or 642-2553

TELEPHONE SOLICITORS
Wanted, salary plus commission, experience preferred, but will train. 474-6211

TELLER
Full-time position is open at our office located in Plymouth on Penniman at Main. Position offers public contact, with excellent working conditions and competitive salary and benefits. Candidates must have a good math aptitude and light typing ability. Cash handling experience desirable. Apply in person 10am-3pm, Mon. thru Fri.:
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Livonia
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2-3 days per week. Part time position at our Livonia office. Teller experience required. Good typing & math skills. Excellent starting salary. Apply in person - 10-3pm.
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502 Help Wanted Dental-Medical

Director of Nursing

261-9500

DIRECTOR OF RESIDENTIAL REHABILITATION PROGRAM
Masters degree with rehabilitation experience & management of programs for the dually dxed required. Supervision of multidisciplinary team. Send resume to: Antrim House, Inc., 15 Valerie Plaza, PO box 1268, Royal Oak, Mi. 48068

ENDODONTIST A permanent assistant needed. Part time for doctors office in Rmd. Duties to include filing, clerical & answering phone. Knowledge of insurance billing desirable. Willing to train the right person. Send resume to: P.O. Box 90068, Novi, Mich 48050.

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Hennessey settles for 2nd best again

By C.J. Risak
staff writer

Nothing at stake? Don't tell that to Hennessey Engineers hockey coach A.J. Baker.

The Engineers could not solve the mystery of Compuware goalie Jim Dubke, and it cost them a shot at the North American Junior Hockey League playoff title as they fell 4-1 Tuesday at the Oak Park Ice Arena.

It was the second-straight runners-up finish for the Engineers, and it left Baker thinking about recurring nightmares.

"It was like deja vu," the Hennessey coach said. "We forced Compuware to a deciding game last year with an overtime win, just like this year. We even had the same referee as last year.

"Same result, too."

That final similarity grated on Baker. "I hate these runners-up trophies," he said.

COMPUWARE'S 3-2 series victory means nothing in regards to the National Junior A Hockey Tournament, which starts Friday at the Oak Park Arena. Compuware will face Madison, Wis., at 7:30 p.m.; Hennessey still makes the tournament, playing the tourney's opening game at 4:30 p.m. against Rochester, Minn.

The Engineers then play Madison at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, with Compuware facing off against Rochester at 6:30 p.m. On Sunday, the Engineers and Compuware will have their rematch in this round-robin tournament at 5:30 p.m. Rochester and Madison, both members of the U.S. Junior Hockey League, will play in Sunday's first game at 2:30 p.m.

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The tournament's top two teams after round-robin play will meet for the national championship at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Oak Park Arena. Tickets are $5 per day for adults and $2.50 for children and senior citizens.

The Engineers forced the fifth game with a 5-4 overtime win Sunday at the Plymouth Cultural Center. Larry Pilut scored three goals for Hennessey, but Tom Madden supplied the game-winner on a rare penalty shot in overtime. The penalty shot was awarded when it was ruled a Compuware defenseman deliberately jarred his team's net off its mooring while the Engineers were threatening.

BRYAN KRIEGER also got a goal for Hennessey, and Matt Wiljanen and Leif Gustafson each picked up two assists. The Engineers led 4-2 with three minutes left in regulation, but Compuware rallied to tie it with two late goals.

Luck changed for Hennessey on Tuesday. The first period was played cautiously by both sides and ended up scoreless. Compuware took control in the second, going ahead 2-0 on goals by Dave Szymanski and Brant Ketzenberg. The Engineers cut that deficit in half with a power-play goal scored by Gustafson late in the period. Jeff Smith assisted.

Hennessey continued to apply the pressure in the third period, but Dubke met every challenge. "We had our chances, but we couldn't get it by him," said Baker.

Then, with six minutes left to play, Mike Jorgensen took a pass out from the corner on a Compuware break and buried the puck behind Engineer goalie Dave Church to make it 3-1. Mike Boback scored into an empty net for the final margin.

It was a disappointing end to an otherwise solid tourney performance for Hennessey, which was given little chance to succeed after finishing third in the NAJHL in the regular season.

But the Engineers upset the Fraser Falcons 4-1 in their best-of-seven series, then opened their best-of-five series with Compuware with a 4-3 victory March 24. Compuware won the next two, however, 4-2 Friday in Plymouth and 2-1 in overtime Saturday in Oak Park.

BOTH WERE difficult losses to swallow. The Engineers had forged a 2-2 tie in Friday's game on Krygier's third-period goal and were working on a power play when Compuware's Todd English broke free to score a short-handed goal and turn the tide back in his team's favor.

English finished with two goals. Mark Olson and Doug Collins added one apiece for Compuware. Smith got the Engineers' first goal.

Saturday's game was another experience in frustration for Hennessey. "We entirely outplayed them," said Baker. "We outshot them (39-33), we outhit them — we did everything but outscore them."

Madden scored in the first period to stake the Engineers to a 1-0 lead, but that was the only score they would get. Still, Compuware was thwarted until Pat Moran poked in a goal with just three minutes left in regulation. Moran then notched the game-winner 1:40 into overtime.

More frustration for Hennessey. And although Sunday's OT win relieved that frustration somewhat, Tuesday's loss brought it back. It also made Baker a little more determined.

"I will look forward to it, definitely," he said in reference to Sunday's meeting with Compuware.

DAN DEAN/staff photographer

Eric Kapelanski tees up a shot for the Engineers in their series with Compuware. Kapelanski got a goal in the opening game of the series but was held scoreless in the next four.

Gunners, take aim! 3-point shot is here

C.J. Risak

GET OUT YOUR paint bucket and tape measure. The three-point shot is coming to Michigan high school basketball.

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And why not? Do you think Steve Alford's defense or ballhandling skills were the deciding factor for Indiana in Monday's NCAA title game? Or was it his seven-for-10 shooting from three-point land?

THE THREE-POINTER first came to high school in 1985, when the Michigan High School Athletic Association (MHSAA) allowed leagues to decide whether they wanted to use it. Last week, the rule was adopted by the National High School Athletic Association.

And what the national association approves, the MHSAA approves.

"More than likely, we'll have it," said Jack Roberts, the MHSAA's executive director. "Our council would have to take specific action not to accept the change, and I don't believe they've ever done that before."

The rule will be identical to that adopted by the NCAA prior to this season. A semicircle measuring 19-9 from the center of the basket will be marked on all floors; any shot scored from outside that arc will count for three points, instead of two. The rule will be for both girls and boys basketball.

Roberts had not received the official wording on the three-point shot, so he couldn't be certain whether junior varsity and middle school programs would employ too.

THE ADOPTION of the rule did not surprise Roberts — "I thought it was coming; I think most observers felt it was inevitable it would come to high school after the colleges adopted it." But the timing did.

"It just surprised me that it was this year," admitted the MHSAA director. His reasoning is the controversy that greeted the three-point shot's adoption a year ago.

The majority of the NCAA's coaches either didn't want the shot at all, or they wanted it at a more challenging distance. But opinion has shifted after one year of use. Many college coaches would still like the line moved back, but it will remain where it is for now.

Roberts had mixed feelings on the three-pointer.

"My personal preference is that I'm mildly opposed to it," he said. "I'm most concerned that it puts another demand on the officials. Secondly, it puts another demand on the facility — another line on a floor already covered with lines for volleyball and whatever else.

"Thirdly, I'm not convinced the high school game needed it as much as college. We don't have the packing in on defenses like they do in college."

YET COACHES whose leagues have used the rule for the past two seasons favored it. In the Observer & Eccentric coverage area, two conferences — the Tri-River League, of which Redford Thurston is a member, and the Metro Conference, to which Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook, Avondale and Livonia Clarenceville are affiliated — employed the three-point shot.

"It helps your team all the way around," said Cranbrook coach Robert Rogers. "It's great if you have inside players and it's good if you have shooters — it gets them involved in the game."

Rogers' feelings echoed those of any three-point shot supporter: "It forces defenses to play you honest. They have to develop their man-to-man skills, or play a very good match-up zone."

The Cranes' coach also saw the shot as a potential game-breaker. His fellow Metro Conference coach, Clarenceville's Paul Clough, did not agree.

"I LIKE IT," said Clough. "But I haven't seen a team with good enough shooters to force (an opponent) to change. Most teams want to go inside still. Right now, it's just fun. In two seasons of play, it hasn't been the deciding factor in any game I've been in or scouted."

The three-pointer will likely receive similar mixed feelings next season. But as exciting as it sounds, don't expect it to have the same effect as it had on college basketball. Clough is correct in saying few high school teams have shooters good enough to score from that distance.

It'll add glamour and fun and will decide a few games. But my bet is that fewer than 25 percent of the winning teams next season will attempt more than a half-dozen three-pointers a game.

So, shooters, don't occupy your time firing 20-footers all summer. Best keep your other basketball skills sharp, too; they may come in handy.

Fans flock to witness WWF's well-oiled machine in motion

Jim Toth

A COUPLE OF MONTHS ago when the World Wrestling Federation announced its annual extravaganza would be held at the Pontiac Silverdome, some friends told me I was insane to expect 90,000 people to attend.

They were right. I underestimated the metropolitan area and its love for professional wrestling. And don't let anybody kid you, it is professional.

It is professional, you see, because the combatants do get paid and a win requires a three count or a submission hold — not a simple one-second pin of the shoulders.

The geniuses behind the most successful wrestling organization in the world, the WWF, solidified their No. 1 ranking Sunday by luring 93,173 fanatics into the Silverdome to witness WrestleMania III.

No other indoor event in the history of the world ever attracted that many people. Not a Rolling Stones concert, not a Super Bowl and maybe not even the pope's visit later this year. That says something for the WWF.

The success of the WWF can be attributed to organization. From promoter Vince McMahon to the bouncers protecting the wrestlers, the WWF rarely experiences a hitch.

SUNDAY WAS NO different as ring announcer Howard Finkel grabbed everybody's attention at precisely 4 p.m. with a boisterous, "Good afternoon, ladies and gentlemen, and welcome to the Pontiac Silverdome, home of WrestleMania III."

For the next three hours and 15 minutes, 38 of the Federation's top wrestlers, four managers and celebrities Aretha Franklin, Bob Uecker, Mary Hart and Alice Cooper kept the 'Dome rocking.

There was a little something for everybody. Midgets being sandwiched by giants, rock stars battling snakes, a hair-cutting seminar. You name it, it probably happened.

I know the reality of all this at times is questionable, but the electricity generated by these heroes and villains was unbelievable. I don't know if I have ever heard more cheering than what the crowd let out for villain-turned-hero Rowdy Roddy Piper or the atomic leg drop unleashed in the main event by champion Hulk Hogan.

Hogan has developed a cult following and has become a role model for youngsters since gaining the championship in Januray 1984. His strenuous work ethic and fight against drugs and alcohol have become every bit a part of his repertoire as his powerful leg drops.

MANY PEOPLE question the validity of professional wrestling and its moral aspects.

The validity and reality tend to stir up interesting conversations. "Did you see him hit him with that table?" or, "That wasn't real blood, that was ketchup."

The moral aspect sometimes becomes more heated because those opposed argue about producing more violence in the world. Obviously, those opposed have been to very few wrestling matches because 99 percent of those in attendance hate the bad guys worse than the good guys do. Wrestling fans aren't all stupid, they can tell the difference between good and evil.

Hogan, along with fellow wrestlers Ricky "The Dragon" Steam-

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Registration for football players and cheerleaders interested in participating with the Plymouth-Canton Steelers Junior League Football Club this fall has been scheduled from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the following Saturdays: April 11, April 25 and May 9.

The registration sessions will take place in the lobby of Plymouth Canton's Phase III facility.

Players and cheerleaders ages 9-13 are eligible. The cost is $50 per player and $35 per cheerleader. There is a $125 maximum per family.

For more information, call Sue Herman at 455-7299 or Linda Roushkolb at 459-9519.

● LIONS FOOTBALL

Speaking of football, the Plymouth-Canton Lions are also holding registration for their 1987 season. Any boys or girls, 9-14 years old, interested in playing or cheerleading can sign-up from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Ford Road McDonald's April 25 and May 2.

For further information, contact Ernie Parrish (981-1981) or Kathy Milligan (981-6406).

● PCJBL LATE SIGN-UP

The Plymouth-Canton Junior Baseball League is sponsoring a late registration at 7 p.m. in the Plymouth Canton high school cafeteria. Anyone interested in playing this summer who did not sign up earlier can register at this time. Those interested in managing and umpiring should also sign up.

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● SOCCER FUND-RAISER

A 24-hour soccerthon is planned April 11-12 at Plymouth Salem to raise funds for eight members of a Michigan elite team which is making a trip to Europe July 2 to Aug. 5. All eight team members are from Plymouth and Canton.

Anyone wishing to make a pledge should contact David O'Malley, a team member, at 981-4513.

● KOUFAX BASEBALL

Any boys 13 or 14 years old who will attend Plymouth Canton High School interested in playing Koufax baseball should attend the team tryout at Griffin Park's diamond No. 5 at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 4.

For further information, contact Norm Maxwell at 981-4216.

● VOLLEYBALL TOURNEY

Schoolcraft College is hosting a men's and women's volleyball invitational Saturday, April 18. The tournament will consist of both men's and women's classes in open and B Divisions.

Cost is $60 per team. Play starts at 9 a.m. at Schoolcraft, located on Haggerty between Six and Seven Mile. For further information, contact Tom Teeters (261-4725, or at Schoolcraft 591-6400, Ext. 483).

● SOFTBALL TRAVELERS

Any girls 14-16 years old interested in playing for the Mid-America Mustangs, a sponsored, slo-pitch softball travel team, this summer should call Ray Knickerbocker at 455-5893 for further information.

● CANTON GOLF LEAGUES

The Canton Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring several golf leagues at Fellows Creek Golf Course this spring.

The Wednesday night men's league will begin April 29, tee times 5-5:55 p.m. Returning players should register by April 3. New players can sign up after April 6. Call 397-5110 for more information.

The Thursday night men's league will begin April 23, tee times 4-4:44 p.m. The league will run for 22 weeks. Call 397-1000 for more information.

Registration fee for both leagues is $25 plus weekly greens fees. Each league will hold 36 players.

On Tuesday mornings, the seniors golf league will meet. Cost is $5 registration plus weekly greens' fees. Play begins in May. Call 397-5110 for further details.

On Friday mornings starting May 8, a women's golf league will take to the course at Fellows Creek. Cost is $10 for registration, plus weekly greens' fees. Call 397-5110 for further details. There will be a league meeting at 7:30 p.m. April 30 in the Canton Township administration building.

● PLYMOUTH SOFTBALL

The Plymouth Parks and Recreation men's slow-pitch softball league will begin the week of May 4. The entry fee is $500 per team.

New teams can sign up now. There will be a 32-team limit.

For more information, call 455-6620.

● CANTON SOFTBALL

The Canton Parks and Recreation Department still has openings for its men's and women's softball leagues.

Here are the fees: men's first division, $360; men's second division, $340; women's Class A, $350; women's Class B, $260.

Fees must be paid in full at the Canton Parks and Recreation Department. Call 397-5110 for more information.

● CANTON S'BALL CENTER

Canton Softball Center is accepting registrations for its 1987 softball season, which will begin April 12. Men's, women's, coed and over-35 leagues are being offered. There also will be tournaments every weekend. Call 483-5600 for more information.

● COED SOFTBALL

The Plymouth and Canton recreation departments will co-sponsor a co-ed softball league starting this spring.

For more information, call 397-1000 (Canton) or 455-6620 (Plymouth).

Chiefs win

Plymouth Canton opened its girls soccer season with a lopsided 9-0 shutout of Walled Lake Western Friday at Western.

Julie Stabnick did most of the goal-scoring damage for the Chiefs with four scores. Candy Jones, Shannon Meath, Michelle Fortier, Tricia Greenhalge and Jenny Russell each notched one goal apiece.

Jenny Saul was in the nets for Canton to collect the shutout.

National stars succeed

A wild final period marked the Little Caesar's-sponsored high school all-star hockey game Sunday at University of Michigan-Dearborn, with the Michigan Nationals outscoring the Michigan Americans 3-2 in the period and 5-3 for the game.

Sean Skinner supplied the Nationals with the clinching goal, scoring into an empty net in the final minute. It was the second goal of the game for the Livonia Stevenson star.

Bill Dorough, from Livonia Churchill, also scored a goal for the Nationals, and Sean Flynn of Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook added two assists. Flynn was voted the game's No. 1 star.

Tim Olschanski (Livonia Franklin) added an assist and Fred Calkins (Stevenson) was in goal for the first period for the Nationals, surrendering one goal. Cranbrook defenseman Todd MacCallum also performed well for the winners.

Redford Catholic Central Lee Ziegler scored one of the three goals for the Americans.

The Nationals bounced back after trailing 1-0 after one period to take a 2-1 lead into the last period.

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Pioneers prepare for baseball restart

By C.J. Risak
staff writer

OU sports

WHEN STARTING a college-level baseball program from scratch — with little "scratch" for recruiting — a coach will take whatever ballplayers he can find, wherever he finds them.

Which is exactly what Rod Righter has done at Oakland University. The school approved bringing back varsity baseball just last spring. The late approval and Righter's subsequent hiring curtailed recruiting, but the new coach did find a few players, although not all were discovered through normal recruiting procedures.

For example: Freshman lefthanded pitcher-first baseman Eric Jorgensen was enrolled at OU when Righter found out about him. It seems Jorgensen's mother called OU's athletic offices when she heard the school was bringing back baseball.

RIGHTER QUICKLY found out that Jorgensen was a standout at Grand Rapids Forest Hills Northern and for the highly-respected Grand Rapids-based Sullivans' Juniors summer league team. It didn't take the OU coach long to decide whether or not to pursue Jorgensen, and to sign him.

While Jorgensen may have traveled a distance to play baseball for OU, Righter didn't have to go far to fill another hole in his pitching staff. In fact, he went no further than the Wendy's restaurant on University Drive, right across the street from the school.

That's where he found Chris Foster. Foster was a standout right-handed pitcher at Rochester Adams a year ago and wanted to go to Central Michigan. But his plans changed, and last fall Righter discovered he was managing the Wendy's.

AS SHORT a trip to sign a recruit as that was, there was another even shorter — Righter didn't have to leave the house. That's because the outfielder he was after had a familiar name — Don Righter, the OU coach's son who played at Birmingham Seaholm and was honorable mention all-Southeastern Michigan Association as a senior.

But Righter, the coach, will take whatever players he can find, wherever he can find them, to help restart a program that's been in hibernation since 1980. The Pioneers play their first two games at Aquinas College Friday.

"Our starting nine are very good," said Righter, the coach. "I have a lot of hope for them. If there's an Achilles' heel on this team, it's a lack of pitching. If we stay healthy, we'll be in pretty good shape. If we don't, we'll be in trouble."

Righter has coached in the Pontiac Class A summer league for several seasons, and that helped him find a few more players. His biggest addition from summer baseball is left-handed pitcher-first baseman Jim Kosnik, a Royal Oak Kimball grad.

KOSNIK ENROLLED at Eastern Michigan three years ago, but a sore arm forced him to quit the team and eventually drop out of school. He has sophomore status at OU, and will be the anchor of the staff.

When he's not pitching, Kosnik will be stationed at first. "His bat is just too good to keep him out of the lineup," said Righter. When Kosnik is pitching, Jorgensen will fill in at first.

Joining Kosnik, Foster and Jorgensen on the mound will be freshman lefthander David Waldis, from Sterling Heights. Righthander David Walczyk and lefthander Dan O'Brien, both freshmen from Harper Woods Notre Dame, will be part-time starters.

Walczyk will also spend time behind the plate. He'll share the catching duties with John Finley, a freshman from Berkley who played for Righter's summer league team. Mark Dishinger, a freshman from Memphis, Mich., also has experience as a catcher.

UNFORTUNATELY, BOTH Walczyk and Dishinger will be called upon to fill in at third base for the first few weeks of the season. That's because the team's only senior, Garth Peterson (Bay City John Glenn), injured his knee when he tripped in a hole while jogging. He's expected to be lost at least three weeks.

In the middle of the infield, Righter will call on junior Tom Zerona (Wayne Memorial) at second base and freshman Bill Franzen (Sterling Heights) at shortstop.

Don Righter should see plenty of playing time in the outfield, together with freshman Keith Grant (Sterling Heights) and junior Rob Alvin (Birmingham Groves), a member of OU's basketball team. Freshman Randall Bailey (Clarkston) is the fourth outfielder and back-up shortstop, and Michael Hickey (Grayling) provides depth at several positions.

SO WHAT does Righter expect from his team, in its first season?

"I guess I could go out on a limb and say we'll win 40 percent of our ballgames," he said. "I'd like to think we'll be .500. We have the talent, the offense. Pitching is the question."

OU will open its season at a disadvantage. While other teams have made spring trips and already played a dozen games, the Pioneers will have to open their Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC) season five days after their first game. Northwood Institute visits OU Wednesday.

The Pioneers are also limited to 16 playing dates (32 games), which could hamper their development when they go up against GLIAC rivals like Grand Valley State, Wayne State and Ferris State, the three teams Righter picked to challenge for the league title.

OU probably won't be among those in the title chase. Not yet, anyway. Righter just wants his team — there are only 18 on the roster, compared to 25-30 for other GLIAC squads — to survive the season without injury and with a few victories. That would be a significant step in the right direction.

CAMILLE McCOY/staff photographer

Chris Foster will be one of the hopes looking to steady the Oakland University pitching staff this season.

college sports

● SPORTS STANDOUTS

Tom and Doug Goad, a father-son team that races for the Mr. Joe's/Bayley Motorsports team, piloted their GTA Trans Am to a third-place finish in the 3½ hour Firestone/Firehawk Grand Sport Endurance race March 20 in Sebring, Fla. Doug Goad is a Farmington Hills resident . . .

Josephine Smith of Farmington, the senior co-captain on Central Michigan's gymnastics team, ended her college career in style by setting a school record on the bars (9.2) and finishing second in the Mid-American Conference meet. CMU finished fourth in the MAC with 173.25 points; Western Michigan won with 177.20 . . .

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Spartan spikers a big hit

By C.J. Risak
staff writer

CERTAIN SCHOOLS, year after year, dominate in certain sports. That's what's called building a program. And few schools have done a better job of constructing dominating volleyball programs than Livonia Stevenson and Redford Bishop Borgess.

So it should come as no surprise that their players occupy five of nine berths on the Observer's all-area volleyball squad. The reason is clear: Stevenson marched to the final four in the Class A state tournament before stumbling, a year after Borgess reached the state finals before losing.

Borgess had a tough campaign by its standards. The Spartans were 26-8 during the regular season, but they failed to win Catholic League or state district tournament titles. It should be noted, however, that the teams that won those championships were Birmingham Marian (the league champ) and Stevenson (district champ) — two of the state's final four teams.

IT'S HARD to argue with the kind of success enjoyed by these two powerhouses, but several area coaches are building a case. Livonia Ladywood, Wayne Memorial, Westland John Glenn and Garden City are all closing the gap on Stevenson and Borgess.

With the increase in competitive rivalries, it's not hard to envision a shift in the power structure. But for this year at least, Stevenson and Borgess were tough to stop.

Stevenson's Lee Cagle was selected as coach of the year because of the success enjoyed by his squad. The Spartans went 45-5 and won Western Lakes Activities Association and Class A district and regional crowns before falling to eventual state champion Portage Northern in the state semifinals.

Here is a profile on each member of this season's all-area Observerland team.

Kristine Bailey, senior, Stevenson: Bailey is the latest in a long line of outstanding players to come out of Stevenson, and Cagle rates her second to none. "She's often compared with former Stevenson greats, but stands alone as a superior player in all the skills," said Cagle.

Bailey, who Cagle called a "devastating hitter and outstanding defensively," had a .400 kill average (580 in 1,040 attacks) and 141 service aces. She was named to three all-tournament teams, was all-WLAA, all-region and all-state, and was Stevenson's MVP. Bailey will attend Michigan State in the fall on a volleyball scholarship.

Sue Zatorski, junior, Stevenson: Zatorski's stats — a .350 kill average (373 in 754 attacks) and 68 aces in 300 serves — would make her the star of any other team, and despite Stevenson's overall talent opponents couldn't overlook her.

"Sue is recognized for her leadership on our team and throughout the league and our area," said Cagle of Zatorski, who made three all-tournament teams and was all-WLAA. "She was very difficult to stop at the net, and few did. You'd coach forever with a player like Sue."

Rocky Cibor, junior, Stevenson: Cibor had more than 1,600 sets this season, 88 percent of which were good and 58 percent that registered as kill assists. Such prowess earned her all-WLAA honors — an amazing accomplishment, considering this was her first season as a setter.

"As a first year setter, she grew into the role and performed beyond all expectations," said Cagle. "She'll be better next year. Watch for her."

Beth Zacharski, senior, Bishop Borgess: Zacharski made few mistakes for Borgess, posting a 94 percent efficiency average on attacks with 25 percent going for aces and putting 98 percent of her serves in play. She was selected to the all-Catholic League and all-region teams and was picked to Borgess' all-tournament team. She was also Borgess' co-MVP.

"She is probably one of the most intense players ever to play for Bishop Borgess," said coach Jerry Abraham. "She is a 'coaches dream' type of player, a leader on the court."

Zacharski will attend Eastern Michigan this fall on a volleyball scholarship.

Lisa Dreske, senior, Bishop Borgess: Dreske's .390 kill average and 89 percent serve efficiency will be difficult to replace, Abraham said. A three-year starter, Dreske's "defensive skills rank with the best in the area," according to her coach.

The hitter-blocker was all-Catholic League and named to the Borgess all-tournament team. A team co-MVP, Dreske has a volleyball scholarship at the University of Toledo for the fall.

Jenny Belcher, junior, Ladywood: Belcher collected 138 kills in 580 attacks (.280 kill average), was named to all-tournament teams at Bay City and Schoolcraft and was selected for the all-region and all-Catholic League teams. Ladywood was 31-8 for the year and finished first once, second three times and third once in tournaments.

"Much of Jenny's success can be attributed to her excellent jump reach — at 5-foot-9, she can touch 9-7½ — and her strong arm," said Ladywond coach Tom Teeters. "Jenny's offense from the middle block position was, in part, a big contributor to Ladywood's success. With most of the 1986-87 team returning next year, Ladywood will be in a position to utilize Jenny's talents even more."

Nikki Stubbs, senior, Garden City: Stubbs' ability was evident when she switched from setter to hitter this season and made the move work, averaging seven kills per game and ranking as the Cougars' top defensive player. Stubbs was Garden City's captain and MVP.

"She's a very smart and strong player," said GC coach Sue Cyrus. "She's improved a lot, and she's an all-around great athlete," Stubbs will play for Teeters at Schoolcraft College next fall.

Stacy Graham, senior, John Glenn: Graham averaged five kills and four blocks per game for the Rockets, who won their district title after compiling a 19-15 record. Graham had a .355 kill average and 88 percent serve efficiency, was named to all-tournament teams at Wayne State and Walled Lake, and was an all-Lakes Division choice.

"Stacy was a definite asset to our team," said Rocket coach Wendy Bostwick. "She had a fabulous season, leading us in hitting and blocking. Besides her great net play, she was very dedicated and a pleasure to coach."

Graham will attend EMU on a volleyball scholarship this fall.

Jo Ann Kolnitys, junior, Wayne Memorial: A 5-10 middle hitter-blocker, Kolnitys collected 268 kills in 662 attacks, earning team MVP honors and selection to the all-Wolverine A League first team and all-region second team. The Zebras were 28-9 overall and won the WAL with a 13-1 mark.

And yet, as strong as her hitting was, Kolnitys was ranked second offensively in the WAL — it was no better than her other skills. "Her passing, serve reception and attack reception were very good," said Wayne coach Doris Busuito. "She's a very aggressive player, very good defensively. Her defense helped her offense."

Kolnitys also played on the under-15 Junior Olympic team at University of Michigan last summer.

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Ladywood

Jo Ann Kolnitys
Wayne Memorial

JERRY ZOLYNSKY/staff photographer

Stevenson's Lee Cagle directed the Spartans to their third state Class A semifinal berth in four years. For his efforts, the veteran coach was again named Observerland Coach of the Year.

all-area volleyball

First team

Kristine Bailey	Stevenson
Sue Zatorski	Stevenson
Rocky Cibor	Stevenson
Jo Ann Kolnitys	Wayne Memorial
Beth Zacharski	Bishop Borgess
Lisa Dreske	Bishop Borgess
Nikki Stubbs	Garden City
Jenny Belcher	Ladywood
Stacy Graham	John Glenn

Second team

Mikey Gorak	Garden City
Sarah Adzima	Ladywood
Chris Paciero	Churchill
Jenny Okon	John Glenn
Corinne McNamara	Ladywood
Amy Anderson	Stevenson

Third team

Chris Jones	John Glenn
Mary Hebert	Garden City
Nancy Wagner	Ladywood
Stephanie Kielb	Bishop Borgess
Maria Vassellou	Franklin
Kandi Boyle	Mercy
Mary Kelley	Ladywood

Honorable Mention: Bishop Borgess — Cheri Johnson, Dawn Pincheck, Laura Thiele; Stevenson — Jenny Sladewski, Laura Brown; Garden City — Maria Evans; Ladywood — Michelle Pionka; Farmington Harrison — Heidi Reyst, Janine Whittemore; Plymouth Salem — Jane Klaes, Kara Cummings, Denice Tackett; John Glenn — Liz Gorecki, Jeanine Ross, Heather Pickup; Farmington Hills Mercy — Jennifer Slosar; Livonia Churchill — Pam Salms, Liz Monroe, Aleta Beck, Kristen Thompson; North Farmington — Tammy Spengler, Terry Spengler, Suzi Butcher, Kris McMinn; Livonia Clarenceville — Diane Lindsey, Dawn Goeman, Jenny Guerin; Redford Thurston — Pam Isenegger, Anne Marie Moss, Julie Waterloo; Franklin — Sandy Hertel.

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Duck carving reaps awards for artisan

outdoors
Bill Parker

WHEN LIVONIA's Richard Sprague was a young boy he often spent hours watching his father whittle away at a piece of cedar until it finally took on the likeness of a duck.

As a youngster Sprague dabbled in decoy carving, mostly so he and his dad would have a full line of decoys handy when duck season rolled around.

More recently Sprague began to take his carving seriously. He began to spend more time on his projects in an attempt to make some of them more lifelike.

"I used to make decoys with my dad when I was a young fellow back in the late '40s and early '50s," said Sprague. "About eight years ago my wife suggested I try it again, so I did. Now I'm hooked.

"I love the outdoors and I like to duck hunt. I always try to make the decorative ones look as real as possible."

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But those long hours pay off, especially for Sprague who has won numerous awards for his carvings, including the Best of the Show Awards at Traverse City in 1985, Potters Lake in Flint in 1985, and a Virginia Beach show in March of this year.

Sprague's carvings, along with some of the best wildlife art in the country will be on display when 60 nationally known artists gather Thursday through Sunday at the Michigan Wildlife Art Festival at the Southfield Civic Center.

WEST BLOOMFIELD'S Heiner Hertling (the soccer coach at West Bloomfield High School) will also have some of his wildlife paintings on display at the show. He was last year's feature artist at the Michigan Wildlife Art Festival and 450 prints of his painting depicting a ruffed grouse walking in the snow were sold at the show, with the proceeds going to the Michigan Wildlife Habitat Foundation.

"I've been painting wildlife since 1981 when I started with water fowl. But lately I've been doing all types of wildlife," said Hertling. "I'm not a hunter but I do enjoy the outdoors. I do a lot of research with a camera. Often times I try to get a mounted specimen to have in front of me when I paint, so I can look more closely at the details."

Hertling, who works as a commercial artist doing automobile ads, is striving to become a full-time artist. He would like nothing better than to spend his time doing paintings of Midwestern art.

"THERE IS A LOT of work done on Western art but not too much Midwestern art," said Hertling. "There were many, many tribes of indians in the Midwest along with beautiful scenery and a lot of animals."

Highlights of the Wildlife Art Festival include a series of wildlife workshops presented by several of the participating artists on Friday and Saturday, a decoy painting contest, and a silent art auction.

On Saturday, 3-8 p.m., a live, full-grown, male peregrine falcon will be available for public viewing.

All of the artwork at the Festival will be for sale. Tax-deductible contributions at the Festival will be used by the Michigan Wildlife Habitat Foundation for the restoration of wildlife habitat in Michigan.

IMPORTANT DATES

- March 31, 1986, Michigan fishing license expires.
- April 1, certain trout/salmon streams open for early fishing. (Consult the Department of Natural Resources 1987 fishing guide (pages 14-17) for details.
- April 1, walleye, sauger, muskie and northern pike season opens on the Great Lakes and connecting waters in the lower peninsula. Muskie fishing on Lake St. Clair and the Detroit River doesn't open until June 6.
- April 1, spearing, handnetting and bow fishing season begins for suckers, carp, gar and bowfin on non-trout streams south of M-46.
- April 10, Smelt-dipping season begins north of highway M-72 on Great Lakes and all connecting waters and all tributaries within a half mile of their mouth. (Smelt dipping opened March 1 south of M-72).
- April 15, spearing, handnetting and bow fishing season begins for suckers, carp, gar and bowfin on non-trout streams north of highways M-46 and M-72.
- April 25, regular trout season begins statewide.

OU star eyes NCAAs

people in sports

By C.J. Risak
staff writer

It's yo-yo time of year for Mark VanderMey.

The junior swimming sensation at Oakland University finished what should have been his biggest collegiate meet of the season March 14, when he helped the Pioneers place second in the NCAA Division II championships in Long Beach, Calif.

Actually, helped may be too mild a term to describe VanderMey's contributions. He won the Division II title in the 100-yard breaststroke in 55.59, then placed second in both the 200 breast (2:02.31) and 200 individual medley (1:50.87). His times in the 100 breast and 200 IM were OU records.

His times also were good enough to qualify him in all three events for the NCAA Division I meet this weekend at the University of Texas in Austin. Which is why VanderMey is submerged in another yo-yo season.

UNDERSTAND, MOST swimmers train for months for a single meet, starting with long-distance workouts and slowly tapering and resting as they approach the event. VanderMey had no such luxury; he tapered for the Division II meet, returned home and immediately started a quick taper for the Division I meet.

"I went up in yardage a couple of days," explained VanderMey, "then cut back. For me now, this is just another big swim meet. I get up for it the same way I get up for the Division II meet."

If VanderMey sounds tired, he should. He did the same thing last summer, only he tapered for five major meets in a six-month stretch. After winning the 100 breast at last year's Division II championships, VanderMey got ready for the Division I meet, the World Trials, the Goodwill Games and the Long Course Nationals.

"The whole summer, I was tapering," he said. "I was pretty burned out by the end."

THIS IS by no means intended as an excuse for however VanderMey performs this weekend. He needs none; his accomplishments stand on their own merit. But this meet *is* different, and VanderMey plans to approach it differently than a year ago.

"It's a lot different," he admitted. "There are world-class swimmers everywhere. You were around real heavy amateur world record-holder, but I think I was (better prepared this year)."

VanderMey's goals are complex: topple the 2-minute mark in the 200 breast (his best is 2:01.85), break 55 in the 100 breast (his best: 55.59) and better 1:56 in the 200 IM (1:56.92 is his fastest time).

"I'd like to make it to the top six in both breaststrokes," he said. "A placing like that would earn him All-American designation.

It won't be easy. VanderMey figures he'll have to go 1:58 in the 200 breast and have to bust 55 in the 100 breast to attain those goals. His top competition: USC's Steve Bentley in the 200 breast, and Gianni Minervini of UCLA in the 100 breast.

But it's an easy bet that he'll be better prepared for this year's meet, both mentally and physically, than he was a year ago.

WWF keeps wrestling in control

Continued from Page 1

boat, Junk Yard Dog and the British Bulldogs, have become heroes to followers because of their clean images.

The youth of this country have turned more and more to wrestlers for their heroes and it is no surprise. With all the publicity generated recently by the likes of Michael Ray Richardson, Steve Howe and the late Len Bias, it's no wonder.

The WWF does a great job of keeping its organization in top shape. The wrestlers have strict rules and regulations to follow and when they don't, they're gone. Case in point is former WWF star "Dr. D" David Schultz who was let go after striking a television reporter during an interview. Another is the Junk Yard Dog who is rumored to be on his way out after failing to show up for some matches.

Wrestling's peaks and valleys will continue for a long time as will the discussions over its reality and morality.

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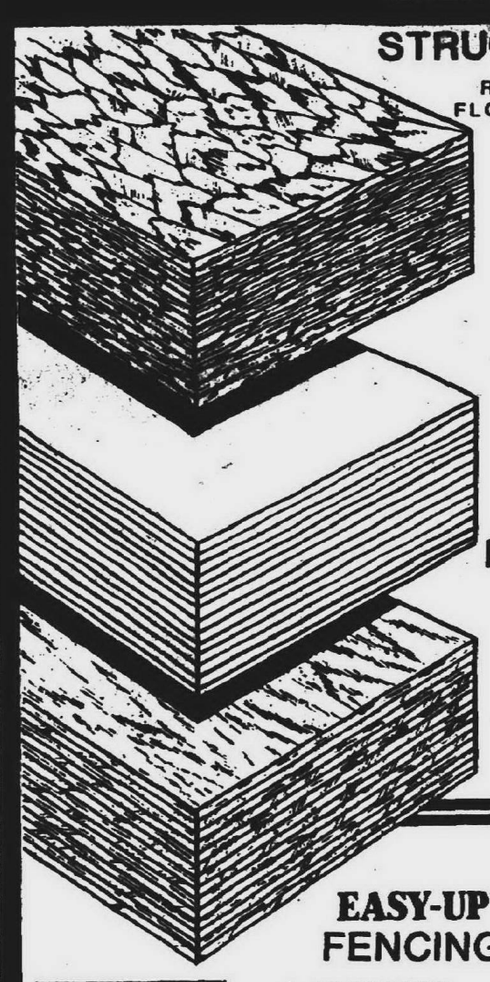

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Big Ten champ guns for NCAA diving titles

By G.A. Hook
staff writer

So far, Mike Wantuck's diving season is following a familiar trail. The Bloomfield Hills Andover graduate can only hope the final destination is a bit more pleasant.

Wantuck successfully defended his Big Ten titles for Ohio State on both the one- and three-meter boards and was named the conference's diver of the year — for the second straight time last month. Wantuck scored 337.51 points on the one-meter and 396.67 on the three-meter in winning his dual championships.

The victories assured Wantuck of a berth in the NCAA meet which starts today. The place: University of Texas in Austin, where Wantuck started his collegiate career.

"It's sort of an alpha-omega," he said. "I started there and I'm ending there."

The deja vu course his season has followed doesn't bother Wantuck — to a point. Where he'd like to take a detour is at the end of this collegiate season. A year ago, Wantuck dived to a third at the NCAA meet on the one-meter, which he thought was his weaker event. But on the three-meter, he hit the board on a dive and it cost him. He finished seventh, just 20 points out of first.

"I might have put a lot of pressure on myself last year," Wantuck reflected. "I didn't compete well. Sure, hitting the board hurt my chances, but I just didn't compete well."

HE'LL BE OUT to make amends next weekend. Wantuck is favored to win the NCAA title on the one-meter, and is among the top returnees on the three-meter.

"Last year, there were a lot of really good performances at the NCAAs," he said. "But a lot of those divers have graduated."

Of those who haven't, Wantuck rattled off a half-dozen who possess the ability to win a title: Pat Evaps of Cincinnati, who placed third last year on the three-meter; Jose-Luis Rocha of Auburn, a Mexican with solid international experience; Scott Fosdick of Florida; and Zeke Crowley, Eric Murff and Scott Dohney of Southern Methodist.

"All these guys are All-Americans, except Dohney, who's just a freshman," said Wantuck. "All of them have fantastic backgrounds. I certainly hope my experience at this meet will put me at an advantage."

Although Wantuck overwhelmed his Big Ten competitors, winning the one-meter title by 40 points and the three-meter crown by 50, he admittedly accepted his victories with "mixed emotions. I had certain goals in mind, I really wanted to dive well for myself.

"Let's just say I was pleased with my performance, but by no means satisfied."

WANTUCK'S COMPETITIVE schedule is partly the reason for his dissatisfaction. He's had to cut back on it because of school work. Wantuck is unlike most of his NCAA rivals; he's enrolled in OSU's law school. He retained a year of eligibility after transferring from Texas.

The lack of competition hasn't hurt, Wantuck insisted. "School's kept me from a lot of meets I qualified for," he said. "But I've been working on refining my dives. It hasn't been a problem keeping in shape. I know when I started law school there would be some give-and-take, and I wasn't sure what would suffer. It's been a little of both."

Until now, anyway. As Wantuck put it, "I've got my meets coming up. That's why I'm working hard now to get ahead in school. I'm looking forward to the competition."

After next week's NCAA meet, Wantuck will compete at the U.S. Indoor Championships April 14-18 in Baton Rouge, La. The top two divers on each board will qualify for the World FINA Cup April 23-26 in Amersfoort, Holland.

Wantuck plans to make both trips. But first, the NCAAs, and a chance to end his collegiate career with championship.

Substance abuse clinic draws crowd

By Bill Parker
staff writer

What will it take for the youth in America to wake up to the dangers of alcohol and drug abuse?

Will it take an overdose or an automobile accident? The loss of a carrier or the death or crippling of a friend? What will it take before we all wake up to the dangers involved in the misuse of drugs and alcohol?

Hopefully, it won't take any of the above. But with graduation, the beginning of the unofficial "party season" right around the corner, many parents and school officials are worried about their kids.

That's why Joe Francis, athletic director of the Troy School District, sponsored a seminar titled "Athletes, Drugs and Alcohol." The two-hour program was held Monday night in the Performing Arts Center at Troy Athens High School.

An estimated 200 parents, coaches and athletes turned out for the program, which featured Al Dicken — health educator and coordinator of health education and director of Student Services Center for West Bloomfield Schools, and Ed Lynch, former all-state baseball and football player at Birmingham Brother Rice.

DICKEN POINTED OUT the physical dangers of drug and alcohol abuse. He noted that the first area of the brain that alcohol influences is the area of judgment.

"How can anyone who has been drinking make an accurate judgment of if they are able to drive a car?" asked Dicken.

He also pointed out that marijuana kills motivation and that one joint does the same amount of damage to your lungs as a pack-and-a-half of cigarettes.

Dicken went on to explain that LSD, PCP and mescaline play with the chemical balance of your brain, and that these drugs have often sent users, even first-time users, into a drug-induced psychosis.

As far as athletes using steroids as a shortcut to bigger muscles, Dickens said that the only real shortcut is work and effort.

"You may see short-term effects through the use of steroids but the long-term effects are dangerous."

LYNCH, A 1979 graduate of Rice, told the audience a tragic story of how he lost his potential professional career in baseball due to drug and alcohol abuse.

Lynch also pointed out a frightening fact about high school drinkers.

"Most high school aged people don't drink socially," said Lynch. "They drink to get a buzz. Peer pressure often has a lot to do with people drinking in high school. You don't have to drink to be cool. I know it's going to be tough, but you have to hang together and look out for one another."

The program ended with a 25-minute film titled "Driving Under the Influence — It Could Never Happen to Me."

The film told a story of a high school boy who got drunk at a party and attempted to drive his best friend and their dates home. They got into an accident and his friend and girl friend were killed. The other girl was crippled for life.

The story didn't end there, however. It went on to show the damage done to the driver's family, the crippled girl and her family and the family of the girl who threw the party.

Fleet Falcons shatter Huron Relays' record

Behind a record-setting performance by their distance medley relay team, the Farmington Falcons opened their boys track season with an impressive fourth-place finish in the Huron Relays at Eastern Michigan Saturday.

With 71 teams competing, Farmington finished tied for fourth with Detroit Pershing, each scoring 25 points. Lansing Sexton was the winner with 47, followed by Southfield (30) and Elyria, Ohio (27).

The Falcon foursome of Brandon London (800 meters), Dave Barringer (400 meters), Allen Stebbins (1,200 meters) and Chris Inch (1,600 meters) finished first in the distance medley relay in a meet and school record 10:35.8. The former Huron Relay record was 10:36.3.

London also placed second in the high jump with a leap of 6-foot-6, while Andrew Holliday cleared 12-0 in the pole vault to place third.

the week ahead

BASEBALL
Friday, April 3
Redford Union at Liv. Stevenson, 4 p.m.
Wayne at Southgate Anderson, 4 p.m.
D.H. Annapolis at Clarenceville, 4 p.m.
Bishop Borgess vs. Bishop Foley at Redford's Capitol Pk. (2), 4 p.m.
Saturday, April 4
Liv. Franklin at Ypsilanti (2), 11 a.m.
St. Agatha at Det. Henry Ford, 1 p.m.

SOFTBALL
Friday, April 3
Southgate Anderson at Wayne, 4 p.m.
Liv. Stevenson at Redford Union, 4 p.m.
Clarenceville at D.H. Annapolis, 4 p.m.
Saturday, April 4
St. Agatha at Divine Child (2), 4 p.m.

BOYS TRACK
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Liv. Stevenson at Novi, 4 p.m.
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Northville at Liv. Franklin, 4:30 p.m.
Liv. Stevenson at N. Farmington, 5 p.m.
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Tuesday, April 14, 1987
Wednesday, April 15, 1987 (if needed)
Thursday, April 16, 1987 (if needed)

GORDON G. LIMBURG, CMC
City Clerk

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CITY OF PLYMOUTH

At a regular meeting of the City Commission to be held in the Commission Chamber of the City Hall on Monday, April 20, 1987, at 7:30 P.M., a public hearing will be held to consider the following:

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All interested parties will be given an ample opportunity to participate in the hearing and, at the close of said public hearing, all comments and suggestions of those citizens participating will be considered by the City Commission, prior to rendering its decision.

GORDON G. LIMBURG, CMC
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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH
Legal Notice
Public Hearing

On Tuesday, April 14, 1987, the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth will conduct a public hearing on the Community Development Block Grant Program in the Meeting Room of the Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170. All interested citizens are invited to attend and submit their views on the reallocation of the remaining 1985 and 1986 Community Development Block Grant Funds.

The purpose of the meeting, which begins at 7:30 p.m., will be to permit the Board of Trustees the opportunity to review the remaining 1985 funds (approximately $30,000), and 1986 funds (approximately $92,000) and determine how said funds would be spent.

Written comments or request for information should be directed to James D. Anderwies, Director of Planning, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170, Telephone No. 453-3167.

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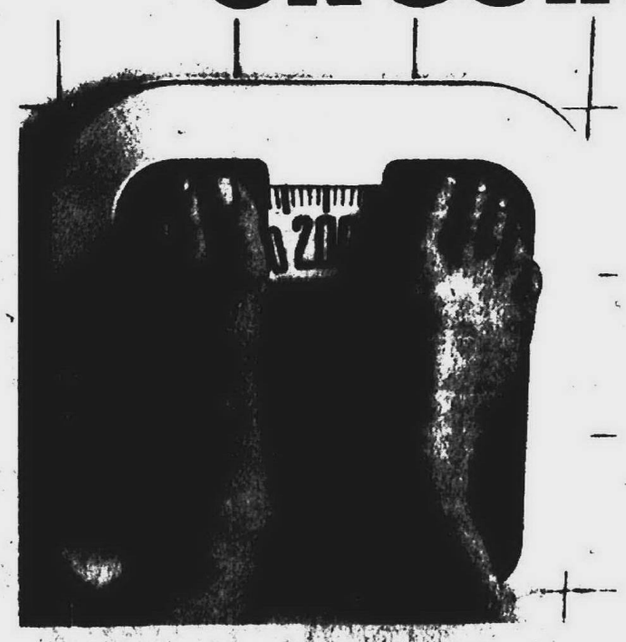

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By Victoria Diaz
special writer

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To give you an idea of what some of these unique and usually off-the-beaten-path trips are like, we've compiled a list of 12 "adventures" follow. Most are professionally guided, and all are available to travelers this spring and summer.

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Visit primitive Tanzania in East Africa. From January through June, you can get a look at wildebeest herds and other wildlife on Tanzania's Serengeti Plains. Olduvai Gorge, where Louis and Mary Leakey discovered some of the earliest fossils of man, is also accessible, as is the 200-square-mile Ngorongoro Crater, Africa's "Garden of Eden." African Classics; One East Wacker Dr., Chicago, Ill. 60601.

If you're a woman over 30, explore Alaska's Denali National Park (formerly Mount McKinley National Park), and Prince William Sound on a week-long special group trip for women only. Fish, hike or search for bald eagles, seals, otters, kittiwakes and gold during the day. At night, eat that splendid salmon you caught and relax in a redwood hot-tub at base camp. Rainbow Adventures, 1308 Sherman Ave., Evanston, Ill. 60201.

Week-long biking trips are available in many states, as are week-long trips. In Vermont, for instance, you'll travel from country inn to country inn, seeing some storybook Grandma Moses scenery along the way, and dining on delectable New England cuisine at day's end. Bike Vermont, P.O. Box 207, Woodstock, VT 05091. Bicycle USA, 6707 Whitestone Road, Baltimore, MD 21207.

For six days, participate in mountain sports. Ride horseback through Colorado's Wet Mountains, learn rock-climbing and, on 15-speed mountain bikes, explore the Sangre de Cristo range. Finally, hold onto your hat, and take a raft trip on the Arkansas River through Brown's Canyon. At night, spin yarns around the campfire. In the mornings, look forward to hearty, ranch-style breakfasts to get you going. American Wilderness Experience, P.O. Box 1486, Boulder, Colorado 80306.

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A photographer's and artist's paradise, the region of Shekhawati has not been "discovered" by tourist hordes, and is not even mentioned in guidebooks. From October through June, visit Ranthambhor National Park and see if you can spot some of its resident tigers via game runs in an open jeep. Contact the India Government Tourist Office, 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N.Y. or telephone (212)586-4901.

Experience "The Baja Adventure," an eight-day bus tour starting out from San Diego and concluding at the southern-most tip of the peninsula, where the Pacific Ocean blends with the Sea of Cortez. You can also go whale-watching off Baja's seldom-visited islands along the Pacific coast, or take a wildlife cruise to the wilderness waters of Mexico's west coast. Baja Adventures, 16000 Ventura Blvd., Encino, Calif. 91436.

If you're an angler, charter a boat and fish in the cold "Big-Sea-Water" of Lake Superior from May through September. Most charter boats carry four-six passengers, and prices range $120-$200, depending mainly on the number of hours you're out.

The captain of your charter provides equipment and bait, but will expect you to bring your own food and drink — and a portable cooler for those Chinook salmon and lake trout you'll be bringing in. Out of Duluth, Minn., the Captain's Association can help you plan fishing parties, arrange lodging discounts, and have your catch cooked to order at a local restaurant. Contact the Duluth Convention and Vistors' Bureau, 1-800-4-DULUTH.

If you've never tried white-water rafting, this might be the season you catch "rapid fever." This is an incurable malady manifested by an uncontrollable desire to quit your job and spend the rest of your life on whitewater trips.

If you win the lottery, and if you plan it just right, it's possible to follow the sun to year-around rafting, beginning in March in Texas' Big Bend country on the rolling Rio Grande. In April, get a taste of Arizona's Salt River, then spend until November on the northern Rio Grande in New Mexico, and the Dolores, Gunnison, and Arkansas River in Colorado.

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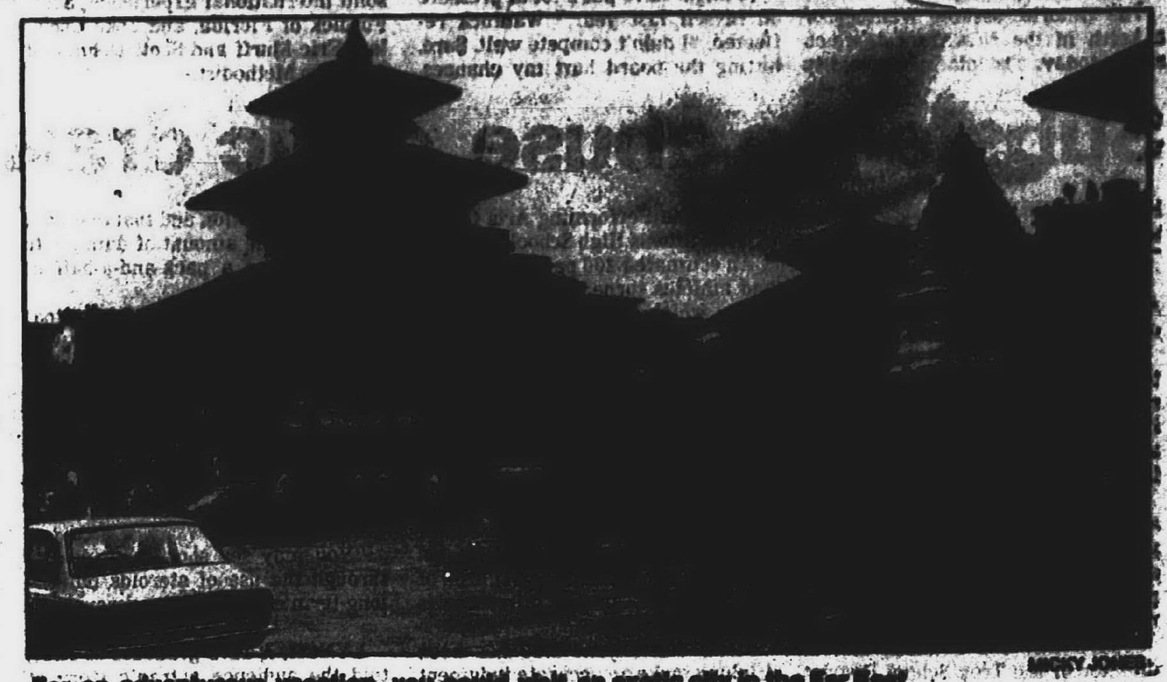

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Police ask court for permission to destroy pit bulls

By Bill Casper
staff writer

Redford Township police are going to court for permission to destroy two pit bull terriers that attacked a 55-year-old man.

The victim, John Gehringer of Redford, is in Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills, where he has undergone three operations for treatment of severe dog bites over his face, arms and legs.

"We're going to request that the dogs be destroyed according to township ordinance," Redford police chief James Barclay said Tuesday.

"We've been advised by township attorney Jan Yarling that we shouldn't destroy the dogs before we go to court for a show cause hearing. I'm hoping that hearing can be scheduled by Thursday (today).

"The hearing will provide an opportunity for the dog owners or other interested parties to object to destruction of the dogs," Barclay said.

Yarling could not be reached Tuesday for comment.

The dogs have been designated as vicious and can be destroyed according to ordinance after being held for 10 days, according to Redford animal control warden Dennis Helferty.

The 10-day quarantine period expired Saturday and the dogs are still being held at the Michigan Humane Society facility in Westland, Barclay said.

The dog owners, George Sayers, 24, and Barry Clark, 34, both of Redford, have refused to sign a voluntary release form that would give the township custody of the dogs, Barclay said.

The owners were each cited for three misdemeanor charges of violating the township animal ordinance, but have not yet been scheduled to appear in local district court to answer the charges, he said.

Gehringer was attacked March 18 by the two dogs shortly before 11 a.m. outside of the vacuum repair shop he owns on Grand River west of Beech Daly as he was loading a chair into his pickup truck, Helferty said.

There is no indication that Gehringer provoked the dogs and no indication that the animals were trained attack dogs, he said.

An attorney representing Gehringer said last week that he is investigating the possibility of filing a lawsuit against the dog owners.

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Wind Ensemble's 'Cabaret II' harbinger of spring

EVERYBODY loves a parade. So it follows that everybody probably likes rousing marches and music that raise the pulse and stir the emotions.

That's what the Schoolcraft College Wind Ensemble have in mind in presenting its spring concert, "Cabaret II," at 4 p.m. in the college's Waterman Center.

The ensemble will play a variety of marches by Gould, Sousa, Elliott, Prokofieff and Hindemith. But they will also include highlights from several Broadway musicals as well as other selections appropriate for a spring afternoon.

The Schoolcraft woodwind quartet, horn ensemble and brass choir will also appear.

"Cabaret II" will also feature hors d'oeuvres prepred by the college's food services department. A cash bar will provide wine and soft drinks.

Admission is $6. Tickets will be available at the door. For more information, call 591-6400, Ext. 440 or 310.

● ART TRAIN IN PLYMOUTH

The Artrain will be in Plymouth through Sunday at Pearl Street, west of Starkweather Street in Old Village. Hours are: Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.; and Sunday, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

The train exhibit will be devoted to Cranbrook Academy of Art. Twenty-three artists are scheduled to participate as demonstrating artists in the exhibition car.

● VAAL CLASSES

Registration is now under way for spring art classes sponsored by the Visual Art Association of Livonia. The classes are conducted in Jefferson Center, 9501 Henry Ruff, Livonia. For more information, call Shirley Ceasar, 421-3207 or Marge Masek, 464-6772.

● VOICES OF SPRING

International Opera Theater presents "Voci Di Primavera,"(Voices of Spring"), a celebration of spring; songs and arias performed by Christina Lypecky, Kaye Rittinger, Denise Brander, Quinto Milito, Clayton Norris and commendatore Dino Valle. David Wilson will accompany on harpsichord and piano.

The event will take place at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 23 in Henry Ford Estate-Fair Lane on the University of Michigan-Dearborn campus. Tickets are $8. For ticket information, call 525-1111.

● FARMINGTON MUSICALE

The Farmington Musicale will present Dan Ross as featured soloist at its annual spring concert 8 p.m. Friday, April 10 in Farmington High School auditorium.

Ross, a French hornist, is former first place musicale scholarship winner. He is currently attending the University of Michigan. He will play the Mozart Concerto No. 2.

Tickets at $4 and $2 (for students and seniors) will be available at the door. An afterglow will follow the concert.

briefly speaking

● ART AUCTION

Excellent original signed etchings, lithographs, serigraphs, paintings and sculpture will be featured at the benefit art auction 7 p.m. Saturday, April 4 in the Northville Recreation Center, 303 W. Main Street, sponsored by the Plymouth Newcomers. Proceeds will benefit Growthworks Inc.

Tickets are available at the Mole Hole in Plymouth, Something for You in Old Village or by calling 453-2123.

● LIVONIA ARTISTS CLUB SHOW

Livonia Artists Club 26th annual art show is scheduled for 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, April 5 in Carl Sandburg library, 30100 Seven Mile, Livonia. Some of the artists participating are pictured elsewhere on this page.

● STUDIO ART GLASS

"Twenty-five Years of Studio Glass," from the Hilbert and Jean Sosin collection, will be on display from Friday, April 3, through Monday, June 15, at the University of Michigan-Dearborn library. The collection provides a rare opportunity to observe the growth which has taken place within the studio art glass genre from its early stages to its current manifestations. There is no admission charge.

● NORTHVILLE CRAFT SHOW

Handcrafters Unlimited will sponsor an arts and crafts show Friday-Saturday, April 10 and 11, in the Northville Recreation Center, 303 W. Main. Over 65 artisans will participate. Show hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday.

● OCC EXHIBIT

The Oakland Community College Arts and Humanities Club is presenting a "Small Works" exhibit at the Southfield campus through Friday, April 24. The juried show will feature a variety of multimedia entries. The exhibit will be open to the public from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Fridays. OCC's Southfield campus is located on Rutland Drive, just north of Nine Mile between Greenfield and Southfield roads. For more information, call 967-5747.

● PORTRAIT PAINTING WORKSHOP

Second Thursday lecture series will have artist Julie Giordano as guest speaker at 7:30 p.m. April 9 in the Northville City Hall council chambers. Admission is $3. Giordana will speak on portrait painting. The lecture/demonstration will appeal to both novice and experienced painters.

● AWARD PROGRAM

The Farmington Area Arts Commission has announced its annual artist-in-residence award program which will culminate at the reception for the recipient on Sunday, May 17, in the Farmington Community Center.

The award is given on the basis of high achievement and recognition in the fields of visual art, dance, drama, literature or music.

Nomination forms are available at the two Farmington Community libraries. They may also be obtained by calling Pat McElroy at 478-4889. Forms and supporting materials must be received by the commission's selection committee by Tuesday, March 24.

● BASKETRY SEMINARS

On Friday, April 4 and Saturday, April 5, Tint & Splint will host a two-day hands-on workshop, "Experimentation with Basketry Forms and Techniques." The course will be taught by nationally known professional basketmaker Byrant Holsenbeck of Durham, N.C. The workshop is geared for beginning to advanced level basketmakers.

Later in the month, Saturday, April 25, and Sunday, April 26, Tint and Splint president Kathleen Crombie will conduct a hands-on workshop on "Free Form Tree Bark Basketry." For more information on either event, call 522-7760.

ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Marvel Steiger of Farmington Hills will be one of the exhibitors at the Northwest YWCA's fifth annual miniature show and sale from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday at the YW, 25940 Grand River, Redford. Steiger makes mini floral arrangements. Highlight of the show will be a "Room of Rooms," featuring Pat Rohde. Admission is $1 and 50 cents for children 5-15.

● GRAHAM MARKS: RECENT WORKS

"Graham Marks: Recent Works," an important exhibition of six major ceramic pieces, is now display at Cranbrook Academy of Art Museum through April 5.

Marks' massive, ovoid forms of earthenware and coil construction place him at the forefront of contemporary American ceramics. Museum hours are 1-5 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday. Docent guided tours are available by advance notice. For tour information, call 645-3323.

● FACULTY EXHIBIT

The Sarkis Galleries of the College of Art and Design, affiliate of the Center for Creative Studies, will present the industrial design faculty exhibit through Monday, April 6. The galleries are located in Yamasaki Arts and Crafts Building at 245 East Kirby in the University Cultural Center.

The multi-media exhibit will feature paintings, drawing, illustrations and renderings by eight participating artists, including ID department chairman William House, and Bill Frcka, Homer LaGassey, Dan Lew, Tom Molyneaux, Camilo Pardo, John Steiner and Keith Vreeland.

● DONATIONS NEEDED

Search your walls, attics and imagination for an appropriate work of art or an antique for the University of Michigan Museum of Art's second Art and Antique Auction and Sale Friday-Saturday, April 24-25.

Anyone with items to contribute can call Ann Spehar or Mary Jane Hogan at 764-0395. Donations are tax deductible within the provisions of IRS regulations.

Proceeds will become part of the museum's acquisition fund. Sponsored by the Friends of the Museum, the sale and auction will be held from noon to 9 p.m. Friday and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday in the Michigan Union. Free admission and open to the public both days.

● CALL FOR SLIDES

The Exhibit Gallery of the Ann Arbor Art Association is currently accepting applications for its 1987-88 exhibition schedule. Individual artists or groups interested in exhibiting should submit 10-20 slides representative of current work, an updated resume, and a self-addressed stamped envelope for the return of slides. Slides should be enclosed in a clear plastic sleeve and labeled with the name, date of execution, size, medium, and a dot in the lower left corner. Additional supporting materials and/or a statement of intent may be included. Deadline for receiving applications is March 31. Send application materials to Kim Bauer, gallery director at 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor 48104.

● CALL FOR ARTISTS

Michigan's professional performing artists, solos, duos and groups, professional visual artists, museums and galleries with exhibitions to travel, and filmmakers with films to rent or loan may submit an application for a listing in the "Directory of Michigan Touring Arts Attractions."

The directory is a booking guide for groups and individuals presenting performing arts entertainment and educational programs, exhibitions and films in their communities. There is no charge to artists for this listing.

The application deadline is April 1. Applications are available by writing: The Touring Arts Agency, Midland Center for the Arts, 1801 W. St. Andrews, Midland 48640-2695.

ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Canvas-ing spring

From the looks of things here, spring will be in full force Sunday when the Livonia Artists Club holds its annual art show from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday in Carl Sandburg Library, 30100 Seven Mile, Livonia. However, the club still remembers the year the show was called because of a spring snow storm. Participating are club secretary and chairwoman of the art show Evelyn Henry (left), president Audrey Harkins and Doris Kenealy. Farmington artist and teacher Alice Nichols will judge the show.

Unknowns present real challenge of revelation

artifacts

David Messing

I HAD QUITE a revelation this week. My three sons have "trashophobia." That's the fear of opening the kitchen cabinet door and depositing trash in the container.

It was a Thursday, about 2:20 p.m. Everyone was gone and I had been on my diet for two weeks, three days, six hours and 20 minutes. I heard a small voice in the kitchen calling, "Dave, Dave . . . " I went into the kitchen, opened the cupboard door and it was the Pringles potato chip can!

"It's OK, Dave," it said, "Go ahead and have a few." In a moment of weakness, I opened the can and lo and behold all that was in there was Pringle dust. Somebody ate them all and just left the empty can in the cupboard..

Having made the decision to cheat, I was all the more desperate for indulgence. Opting for a Fudgesicle, I opened the freezer and found a very cold, empty Fudgesicle box. Placing it on the counter next to the Pringles can, I started to look for more goodies.

I FOUND a large plastic Coke bottle with a half-inch of twice dead Coke in it. A box of Cherrio. Yes, I mean that singularly because in the bottom of the box was one lonely Cherrio. Then I found an ounce of milk in a gallon container. Oh yes, there was, about a thousand Jolly Rancher and Tootsie Roll Pop wrappers in the kitchen snack drawer.

Heaping all these various and sundry cans, boxes and wrappers onto the counter top, I stepped back to practice my lecture to the boys. So now I'm on the look out for an abandoned Popsicle stick in the family room, Fruit Roll-up plastic wraps, Ho-Ho foils on the couch and in cupboards full of empty containers.

So what's wife Sandy's comment to this new found revelation? "You're just finding this out? I've been throwing their empty boxes away for 16 years and your not exactly innocent yourself Mr. Messing."

EVERYDAY LIFE offers us revelations by circumstance, or by studying we become aware of things that were formerly unknown to us. I feel that artists not only happen unto revelations which usually are by circumstance, but they actually seek them out. Every time an artist attempts to draw something he or she searches for the lines, shapes and colors that were most likely unknown to them. The word "revelation" means: to become aware of the previously unknown, so artists not only happen upon revelations, they look for them.

Even someone as close to you as your own family members, offer fantastic revelations as you attempt to draw them. The subtle little bump that a three-year-old has for a nose, the strength in your father's furrowed brow or maybe you never noticed the beauty and look of concern in your mother's eyes.

A few months ago I thought it would be fun to have an "Artifacts" Art Club. You know, just a couple dozen artists that would meet and critique each others art works. I guess the idea was well received because by our fourth meeting we had to move our "little" club to a hall that could accommodate 100 artists.

Our club assignment for the month was to do a portrait of a famous person. So all month long, club members have been making comments like; "Boy! Does Clark Gable ever have big ears; did you know Clint Eastwood's cheeks were so hollow?

Here's my favorite — Richard Kennedy said when showing me his picture of James Cagney, "Dave, this picture kind of looks like James Cagney but maybe it's of his brother — that is if he had a brother."

Over and over again, each member artist has forced himself or herself to become aware of features that were previously unknown to them. Sure, everyone knows what Charles Bronson looks like — but could you draw his every feature? Not without revelation.

How blue is your parakeet? What shade of green is your umbrella plant? How fascinating it is to be an artist. Some need to fly to far away

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Here is a portrait of Stanley, who — by the way — breaks every rule of facial proportion known to man, says artist Messing.

Hillside art show benefits cancer group

The Three Cities Art Club's annual show will be held Saturday, April 11, through Tuesday, April 14, in the Knob Room of the Hillside Inn in Plymouth.

The show will benefit the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

Judging and award presentations will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, April 10. David Messing, O&E art columnist, will be make the presentations.

AT 2 P.M. SUNDAY, April 12, an auction will be hosted by Steve VanOort of WJOI-FM. Five painting will be offered by the following club members: Judy Gibbs, Dorothy Koliba, Lucille McKenzie, Janice Sparks and Andrea DeZell, who is chairman of this year's show.

The show is dedicated to the late Shirley York, wife of Frank York, the club's oldest member.

The auction paintings are currently on display in the main lobby of the inn, located at 41661 Plymouth Road.

Other artists participating in the show are: Joan Baker, Frances Bowlby, Jackie Daniel, Ann Gentry, Florence Hirschman, Cindy Jackson, Celia Kilpatrick, Okema Lee, Nick Lopez, Mary Swiegart and Frank York.

The show is open to the public. Hours are 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday; 10:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Sunday; 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday.

For more information, call 453-2002.

Thread art seminar set

SUNSHINE COMPANY of Livonia, in cooperation with the "Doves" chapter of the ThreadArtists International, will sponsor an informational workshop on bunka, the oriental art of thread painting 8-10 p.m. Tuesday, April 14.

Bunka thread art is a form of embroidery, using a punch needle and special rayon yarn, to create this unusual Japanese art form.

Many examples of the this needlework will be on display and experts will be on hand to answer questions.

The session will be held at Sunshine Picture Framing, 37279 Six Mile, in the Newburgh Plaza mini mall. Reservations are suggested and may be made by calling 591-7746.

Meeting challenge

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places to find beauty. But the watchful eye of an artist finds beauty in the common place. Such as the folded and cracked leather of a high-top work boot. The free flowing lines of the untied laces and the shiny brass of the worn eyelets.

Now I am not saying that staring at an old boot could replace a Florida vacation. It is just that some need to "get away from it all" and the artist seeks to understand what was always there. To do so, look at your surroundings wherever you are. Revelation will come to you as you look and study the lines, shapes and colors of all that you attempt to draw.

So instead of getting away from it all, try getting "into" it all. Find revelation in the common place and not forgetting to explore the uncommon. Along with exotic animals and far away scenes look for the beauty of those things readily available and often overlooked.

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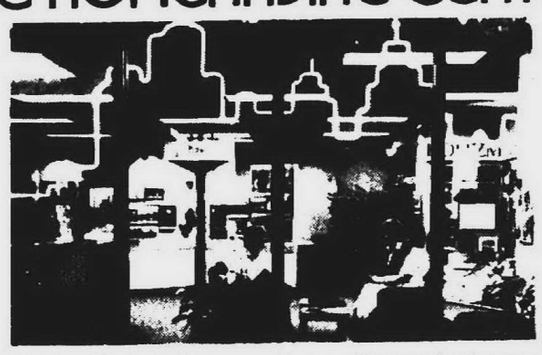

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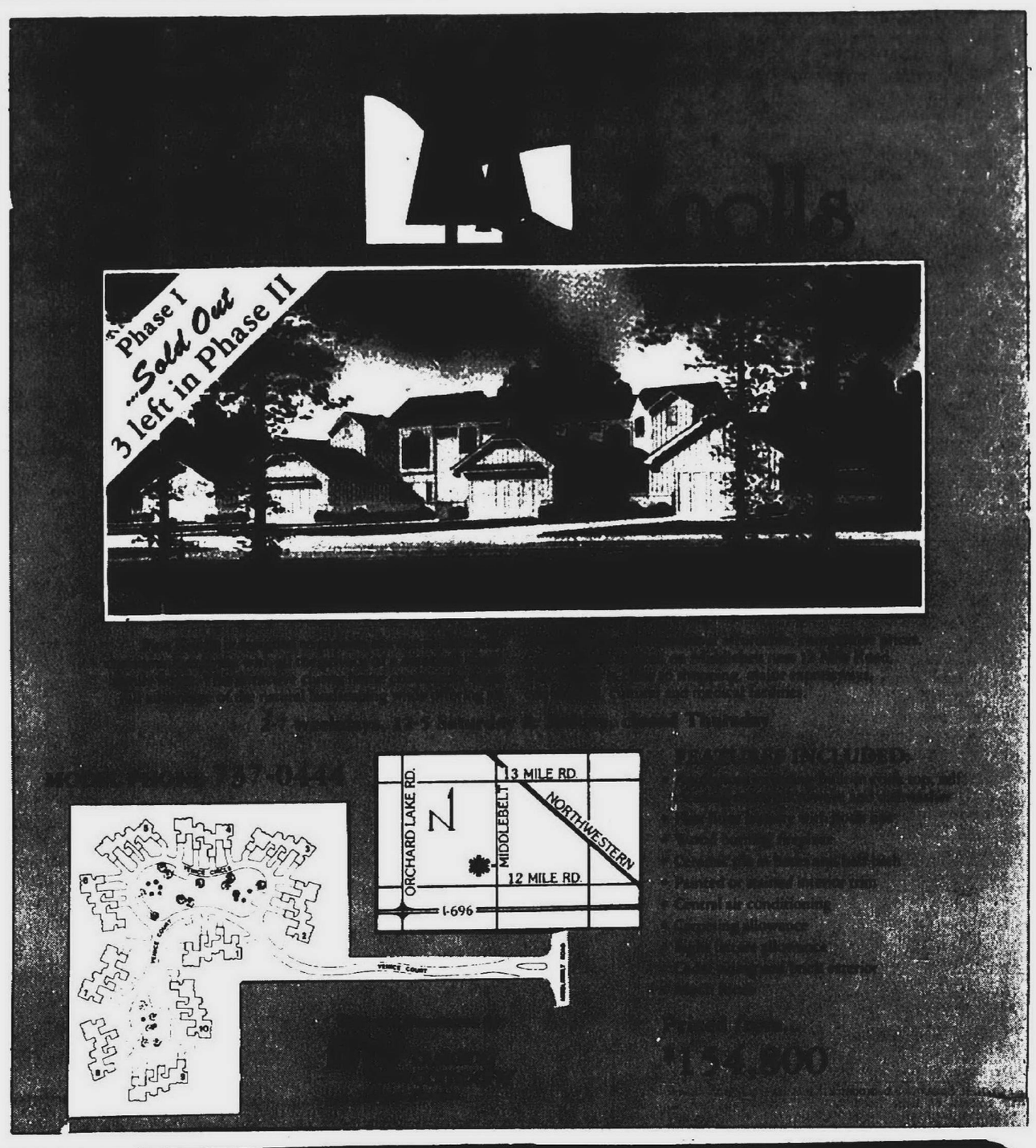
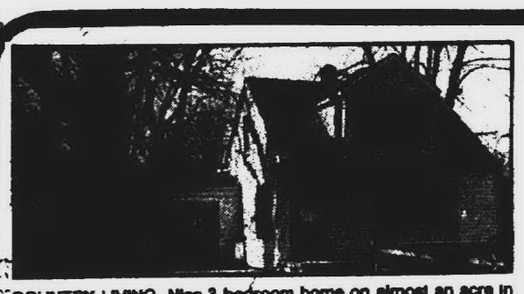
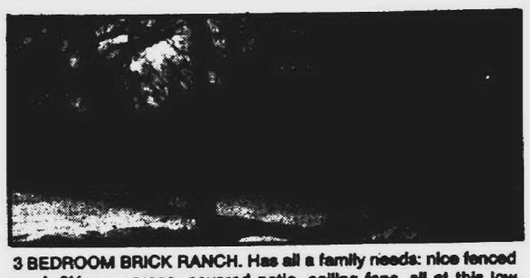




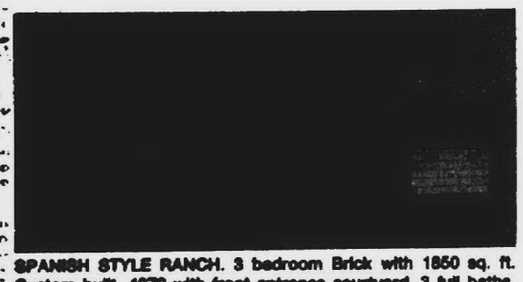
COUNTRY LIVING. Nice 3 bedroom home on almost an acre in the heart of Livonia. Approximately 1800 sq. ft., large family room with natural fireplace, 2 car garage. $69,000 261-0700

MINT STARTER - NEW LISTING! Everything is new, furnace, roof, electric, plumbing, etc. Decorated in neutrals, carpet thru-out, fenced, double lot, 2½ car garage. $44,500 261-0700



3 BEDROOM BRICK RANCH. Has all a family needs: nice fenced yard, 2½ car garage, covered patio, ceiling fans, all at this low price of $27,900. 326-2000

CANTON COLONIAL. Great Family home. Large corner lot, 2-tiered deck with trellised roof, 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, cozy family room, fireplace with heatalator, built-in bookshelves, lighted fan. Country kitchen, partially finished basement, 2 car garage. $87,900 455-7000



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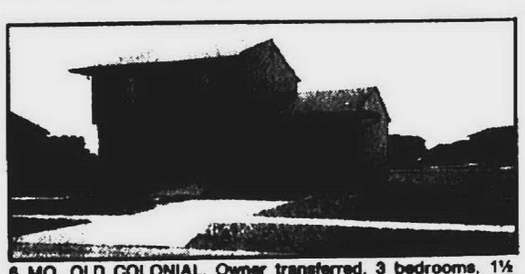
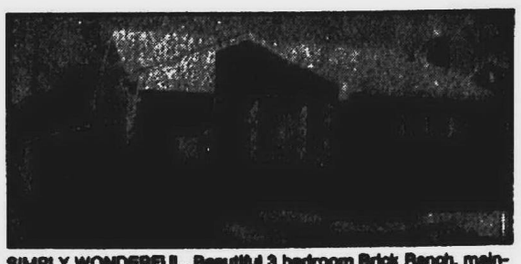


IMMACULATE COLONIAL. Fantastic family room, full wall fireplace, beamed ceiling. Spacious country kitchen, dining room, 1st floor laundry. Beautiful deck, privacy fence, professionally landscaped on small court. $104,900 455-7000

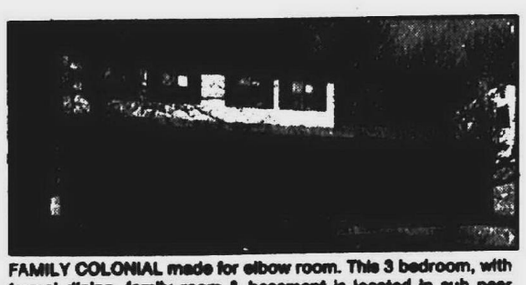
LIVONIA AND AFFORDABLE! 3 bedroom Brick with alot to offer. 2 car garage, remodeled kitchen, newer roof, and added insulation. A must to see! $72,900 261-0700

6 MO. OLD COLONIAL. Owner transferred. 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths. Neutral tones in beautiful new Brentwood Estates. Walk to shopping & movies. $84,500 455-7000

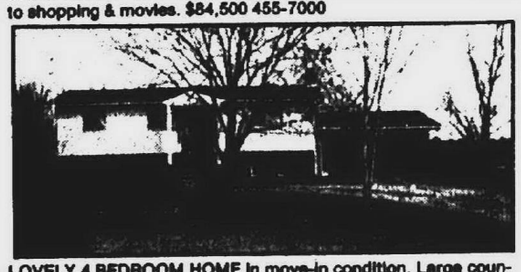
3 BEDROOM VINYL RANCH. Nicely decorated, breakfast nook, newer windows, fenced yard, on a large lot. Home warranty offered! Come on by! $47,500 261-0700



SIMPLY WONDERFUL. Beautiful 3 bedroom Brick Ranch, maintenance-free, new roof, furnace, central air, carpeting, full kitchen & bath in basement - super rec room. $64,500 261-0700



FAMILY COLONIAL made for elbow room. This 3 bedroom, with formal dining, family room & basement is located in sub near schools & Southfield Rec Center. $75,900 477-1111



LOVELY 4 BEDROOM HOME in move-in condition. Large country lot, features: spacious living room, comfy family room with natural fireplace, formal dining room and much more. Only $81,900. 455-7000

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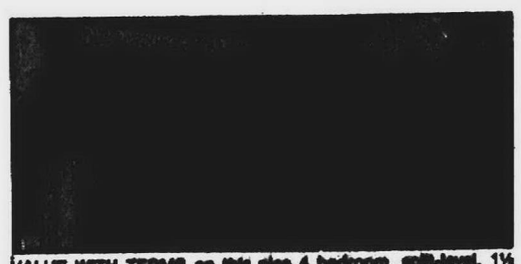
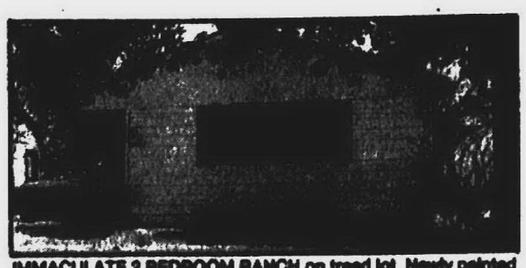
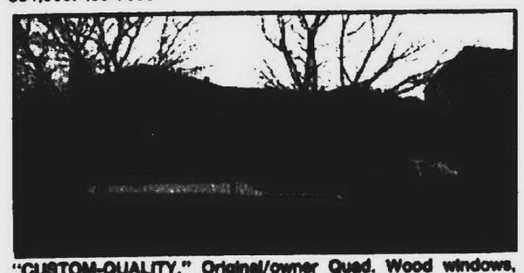


VALUE WITH TERMS on this nice 4 bedroom, split-level, 1½ baths, 2 car garage, clean and neat and nicely maintained. Wayne-Westland schools. $36,500 326-2000



IMMACULATE 2 BEDROOM RANCH on treed lot. Newly painted throughout, lovely tiled bath. New concrete drive to side entry. Stove & refrigerator. Great starter. Immediate occupancy. $36,900 477-1111



"CUSTOM-QUALITY." Original/owner Quad. Wood windows, central air, wood parquet foyer, 4 bedrooms, 1½ baths. Oversize garage, gorgeous 3-tiered deck with lush landscaping, neutral decor, move-in condition. $125,900 455-7000

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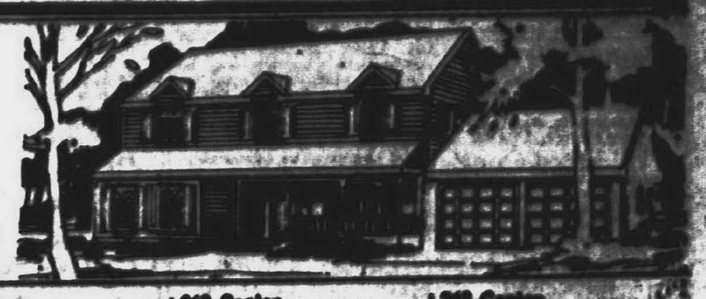

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Just listed! Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 full bath Cape Cod situated on a large fenced yard with fruit trees. Gorgeous large kitchen with built-ins. Includes garage and more! Only $58,900.

PLENTY TO OFFER
Just listed! Beautiful & spacious 3 bedroom brick home. Includes family room, nice kitchen, 1½ baths, attractive fenced yard. Popular location. Only $84,900.

Beautiful Former Model
Plenty of extras packed into this attractive 4 bedroom, 2½ bath brick colonial. First floor laundry, central air, family room, raised hearth fireplace. Priced for immediate sale. Only $127,500.

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A REAL CREAM PUFF
This is it! Custom brick ranch in prime area. Dream kitchen, spacious family room with fireplace, attached garage, finished basement with wet bar. Year-round Florida room. Huge lot. A must see at only $110,000. Marge or Vicki.
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BEAUTIFULLY maintained 4 bedroom brick & aluminum quad. Large kitchen, 1½ baths, 2½ car garage, sprinklers. New furnace, roof, windows & doors. $89,900. 464-3134

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3 bedroom brick ranch, nicely finished basement, inground pool, garage, updated kitchen, carpeted throughout. Only $80,000.

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BRICK RANCH
Neat & clean 3 bedroom with finished basement, central air, newer roof, furnace and water heater, garage, $67,900.

NEWER RANCH
Built in '79. Immaculate 3 bedroom 2½ bath in one of Livonia's most desirable subs. Master bedroom with walk-in closet and full bath, 1st floor laundry, central air, sprinklers, 2 car attached garage. $139,900.

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BURTON HOLLOW
4 bedroom colonial, 1900 plus sq. ft. 1½ baths, very clean, $119,000. By appt. 464-8913

BY OWNER - twin ranch, family room, dining room, fireplace, 2 baths, 3 bedroom, country kitchen, 2½ car garage, $89,000. 474-5629

BY OWNER. Spacious 3 bedroom, 2 bath colonial on large treed lot. Family room, fireplace, 2 plus car attached garage, $84,900. 478-3820

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BY OWNER, 3-5 bedroom, 2½ baths, custom built 1½ story home with 2 car attached garage. Located on almost 1 acre in prestigious area. $129,900. 422-2899

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5 Mile/Beech Daly. $4000 down. Immediate occupancy. Nice 4 bedroom home, spacious living room, carpeting, 1st floor bedroom, large kitchen and dining area, fenced lot, side-drive. $36,900.
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CONTEMPORARY DECOR
Peaceful privacy on a large lot in Northwest Livonia, rich and roomy 4 bedroom brick split level with 2 full baths, family room, fireplace and 2 car attached garage. Immediate occupancy and must be sold. $124,900
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Country Style Lot
1 + acre. Very nice 3 bedroom, 1½ bath ranch. Living room with natural fireplace, 2½ car garage, area of much higher priced homes. $82,900.

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DESIGNER colonial home, prime location, 4 bedrooms, master bedroom/doorwall to balcony, 2½ baths with marble sinks, formal dining room, circular staircase, full brick wall fireplace, bay window, central air, alarm system, circle drive, 2½ car garage with side entry. Sprinkler system, brick patio, many designer features. $159,900. 478-3373

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Give her room! 3 bedrooms, 2½ bath colonial, formal dining room, all modern conveniences. Only $139,900. Call now!

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Custom built 4 bedroom home with 3 full baths, formal dining room, and large den or office. Quality and value in prime Northwest area. $164,900.
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First offering in Northwest Livonia, Burton Hollow Subdivision. Spacious 3 bedroom brick ranch featuring a full bath off the master bedroom, basement, aluminum trim, 2 car attached garage and a big open kitchen with new oak cabinets. $99,900
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JUST LISTED
Superb wooded setting enhances this sharp nearly new colonial. Features include - custom wood trim, central air, 1st floor laundry, fully automatic sprinkling system, 20 x 16 deck, ceiling fan in dining room, and additional insulation. Only $145,900.
Call GEORGE APPICELLI
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Large Deep Lot
80 x 330 ft. lot to enjoy with this ranch-style home. 1st floor study or sewing room, enclosed porch, patio and garage. Asking only $49,900. Call for appointment today, ask for:
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2,500 sq. ft. colonial, 5 bedrooms, 3½ baths, many extras. Asking $129,900. Hurry!

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LAUREL PARK SOUTH
1½ year old 4 bedroom colonial. 2½ bath, living room, family room, formal dining room, 1st floor laundry & den, neutral colors throughout. Immediate occupancy if needed. $169,900. 464-3391

LIVONIA
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LIVONIA-FIRST OFFERING. Absolute mint condition is this lovely 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2 full baths, family room, attached garage, partially finished basement, central air. This is truly a fine home and it won't last at $91,900.

GOOD AS NEW! The sellers have done everything possible to make this 3 bedroom, 1½ baths, large living room with natural fireplace. Dyno-mite country kitchen overlooking the beautiful yard. Family room located on second floor. Very unique home. 2 car attached garage. $124,900.

LIVONIA-IT'S HERE! Spring into this first floor condo in downtown Livonia. 1 bedroom, bath, large living room with dining area, pool for summer fun, check this $39,900.

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LIVONIA
NEW LISTING
4 bedroom brick tri-level, 2 full baths, large country kitchen with built-ins, family room with fireplace, 2 car attached garage, all aluminum trim, patio. $98,900. Call:
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CENTURY 21 - Hartford S.

LIVONIA RANCH
$48,900
IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY
1100 sq. ft., of living area, 3 nice bedrooms, newer roof, windows, furnace. Sale includes all appliances, super sharp and clean, 2 car garage. Move right in. $4900 down. Jay hughes.
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MEDITERANIAN COLONIAL
From the tiled roof to the ornate brick work, this unique home speaks of old world craftsmanship. 2278 sq. ft., 4 bedrooms on a large lot with 3½ baths, stone foyer, two natural fireplaces and so much more. FIRST SHOWING - $124,900.
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Beautiful! 3 bedroom 2½ baths, family room, Florida room, decking and neutral decor. For the fussiest buyers who want the best - your search is over! $83,000.

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North Livonia 1980 built reclaimed brick ranch on a large treed lot 3 bedrooms with a private master bath, family room with heatolator fireplace, basement and 2¼ car attached garage. Plus wood windows and wood deck with hot tub. $110,000
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HOT ON THE MARKET! 3 bedroom ranch with 1½ baths, sharp kitchen - newly remodeled with oak cabinets, built-in dishwasher & new floor. Nice master suite with half bath access. Large finished recreation room with carpet. Central air/air purifier. Garage. Maintenance free exterior. $78,900.
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4 pick paint and carpet colors. 1st floor laundry. John Bower, Re/Max Foremost, Inc. 422-6000

NEW LISTING! Lovely 3 bedroom ranch. North Livonia with full finished basement, large lot, 2 car attached garage. $73,500. (O-7).

Michigan Group
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NEW LISTING!
3 bedroom maintenance free ranch in heart of Livonia. Gorgeous new ceramic bath, all new vinyl thermo windows throughout. Newer carpet, roof. 24x24 garage. Nice yard, low taxes. $61,900. Call MARY KELLY. Re-Max West 261-1400

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Entertainers delight in Northwest Livonia. Large brick trim tri level includes 2 full baths, 25 ft. family room with a natural fireplace, extra large kitchen, central air and 2 car attached garage on an 80 ft. lot. $99,900
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PEEPER PLEASER
Real eye appeal in this Northwest Livonia 1960 built brick colonial. 4 bedrooms family room with natural fireplace and attractive book shelves, formal dining room, insulated windows and neutral decor. Nicely landscaped yard with underground sprinklers. $134,900
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Quality Colonial
4 bedroom 2 bath home is a decorator's delight. Beautiful kitchen with pantry, wet-bar in family room, plush carpet, ceiling fan and mini-blinds throughout, 2 car garage. $131,900.

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Hartford South 464-6400

READY TO BBQ
Be the 1st one on the block to start in your new 3 bedroom brick ranch in Livonia's most popular sub. Then sit in front of the fire in your family room or take the gang down to the finished basement with bar. $94,900. Call:
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ROOM WITH A VIEW
You get both in this open and flowing model. The exceptionally large living room offers a breathtaking view over a rolling 1½ acre setting. Build a crackling fire and relax or enjoy the convenience of a 24 foot kitchen. All bedrooms are large, there is a den or office, 1½ baths, and 2 car attached garage too. $109,900.
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THREE BEDROOM brick ranch. 2 car attached garage, finished basement, 1½ bath, deck, beautiful condition. 6 Mile/Levan area. $120,000. After 6pm. 591-1396

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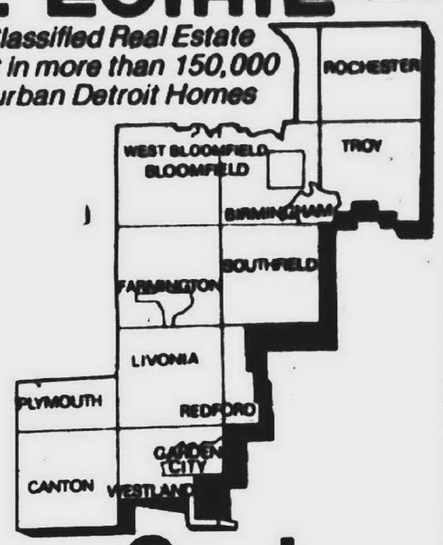

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Beautifully landscaped, 3 bedroom, 2½ bath spanish ranch, formal dining room, 1st floor laundry room, 2 way fireplace, central air, many more extras, $119,500. After 6PM 453-0293

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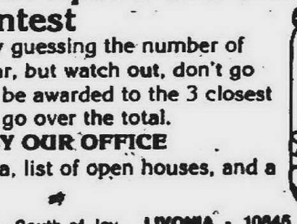

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EASTER PARADE OF HOMES

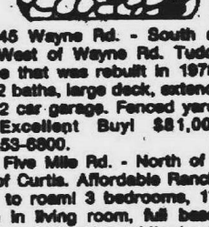
SUNDAY, APRIL 5
2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Join in the fun, stop by any Schweitzer open house on April 5 and enter our Jelly Bean Jar Contest

Enter the contest by guessing the number of Jelly Beans in the jar, but watch out, don't go too high; prizes will be awarded to the 3 closest guesses that do not go over the total.

STOP BY OUR OFFICE

for a map of the area, list of open houses, and a helium balloon.



CANTON - 44767 Windmill - South of Joy, West of Sheldon, 4 Bedroom, 2½ bath Quad with crown moldings, brick floor in foyer, kitchen and bar area. Leaded glass doors off dining room to deck. An absolute beauty and a must see for decorators with the country flair. $124,900 (P67WIN) Call 453-6800.

PLYMOUTH - 1030 Penniman - North of Ann Arbor Trail, West of Main St. Highly sought after Penniman Ave. location! One of a kind home in-town. Updated with wood trim, leaded and beveled glass, ceramic tile and much more. 3,000 sq. ft., 4 bedrooms + den, 3½ baths. $220,000 (P30PEN) Call 453-6800.

NORTHVILLE - 41215 Eight Mile Rd. - South of 8 Mile, East of Meadowbrook. Unique offering of Old World charm, 2+ acres backing to golf course, oak floors, large living room, dining room, sunroom, deck, 5 bedrooms and 2½ baths, large garage with horse stall. $185,000 (P15EIG) Call 453-6800.

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CANTON - 1639 Lotz Rd. - South of Cherry Hill, East of I-275. Lovely Ranch on 1.5 acres, country living within the City. Well-kept beautiful wooded lot near golf course. Additional 1.5 acres available. $114,900 (P39LOT) Call 453-6800.

PLYMOUTH - 10141 Eckles - South of Ann Arbor Trail, West of Eckles Rd. This super 3 bedroom, 1½ bath Colonial with newer Andersen wood windows thru-out and newer carpet is located on a quiet dead-end street. Family room has bookcases and built-in wine rack next to fireplace. $104,900 (P41ECK) Call 453-6800.

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LIVONIA - 14672 Huff, S. of 5 Mile, W. of Newburgh. CASTLE GARDENS! Sharp 3 bedroom brick ranch with separate lovely dinette, overlooks family room with natural fireplace, central air, finished basement, aluminum trim and 2½ car garage. $99,900 (L72HUF) Call 522-5333.

REDFORD - 15401 Leona, N. of 5 Mile, E. of Beech. Nice starter home with 2 bedrooms, first floor laundry, attached breezeway. Simple assumption. All for only $89,900. (L01LEN) Call 522-5333.

FARMINGTON HILLS - 22206 Wingate, S. of 9 Mile, W. of Drake. Gracious U-Front brick ranch with 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, family room and fireplace, 1st floor laundry, formal dining room and 2 car attached garage. $156,900 (L06WIN) Call 522-5333.

LIVONIA - 14094 Brentwood, S. of Lyndon, E. of Middlebelt. Delightful 3 bedroom tri-level, 1½ baths, family room, 2 car attached garage and large back yard. Asking $82,500. (L34BRE) Call 522-5333.

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Prestigious Beacon Hill
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This home has it all! With the custom moldings, beautiful window treatments and great floor plan it is charming and immediately inviting. All on a fantastic park like yard set with mature shrubs and brick patios professionally done. You won't have to do a thing, just move right in! $229,900.

Desirable Walnut Creek
You'll love this English Tudor quad-level on a beautiful lot. Newly decorated, fabulous foyer, stained woodwork throughout, crown moldings. Call for list of extras. Don't miss this home!

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PLYMOUTH TWP., LAKEPOINTE
5 bedroom colonial, 2½ baths, family room with fireplace, large kitchen, formal dining & living rooms, partially finished basement, 2 car attached garage, $126,900. 420-0390

SHARP 3 bedroom brick ranch in move-in condition. Beautiful country kitchen, neutral decor throughout, 2 car detached garage. Convenient to freeways & bike paths. Extra deep lot. $84,900. (T-3).
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Huge great room, formal dining room, large master bedroom has walk-in closet, bath and jacuzzi. 1st floor laundry, fieldstone fireplace, beautiful oak and ceramic kitchen, walk-in pantry, deck, underground sprinklers, 2 car attached garage. $139,900.
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NEW - Meadowbrook Lake Sub. Over 2,500 sq.ft., 3 bedroom, 2½ bath ranch, formal dining, 1st floor laundry, basement, many custom features. Priced from $188,500. Appointment only. Century 21 Today 538-2000

GOLF FOR THE MOST DISCRIMINATING
This home offers premium living at its best. Enjoy golf privileges at Lochmoor Country Club and dining at Laurel Park Place. Lovely 4 bedroom colonial with 2½ baths, 1st floor laundry, finished basement, 2 fireplaces, 2 car attached garage, central air, sprinklers, and much more. Priced at $239,900. Call Sue Hall at 348-3000 ext. 3304 for more information.
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Realtors
453-8200

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1313 BEECH STREET: PLYMOUTH E. of Sheldon; S. of Ann Arbor Trail. Spacious quad in prime in-town area. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, formal dining and family rooms on large treed lot. Asking $132,500.
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PLYMOUTH! A cul-de-sac location in BEACON HILL adds to the appeal of this French Colonial boasting exciting care and all the amenities. Four bedrooms, 2½ baths, a large foyer with open wood staircase, a study, formal dining room, island counter kitchen, a large family room with fireplace, 1st floor laundry, side entrance garage, etc. Central Air, sprinklers, aluminum covered exterior trim, etc. $234,500
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PLYMOUTH TWP., LAKEPOINTE
5 bedroom colonial, 2½ baths, family room with fireplace, large kitchen, formal dining & living rooms, partially finished basement, 2 car attached garage, $126,900. 420-0390

SHARP 3 bedroom brick ranch in move-in condition. Beautiful country kitchen, neutral decor throughout, 2 car detached garage. Convenient to freeways & bike paths. Extra deep lot. $84,900. (T-3).
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Executive Ranch
Huge great room, formal dining room, large master bedroom has walk-in closet, bath and jacuzzi. 1st floor laundry, fieldstone fireplace, beautiful oak and ceramic kitchen, walk-in pantry, deck, underground sprinklers, 2 car attached garage. $139,900.
CENTURY 21
Hartford South 464-6400

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2½ acres - huge 4 bedroom quad-level features: dining room, family room, 2 fireplaces, 3 car garage and more.
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Maple Hill Subdivision Phase II, 2770 Sq. ft. custom built Colonials by Classic Home Builders Inc. starting at $186,900. Call for lot selection.
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Livonia Schools
3 bedroom brick, full finished basement, large country kitchen, 1½ baths, newer roof and furnace, large 2 car garage, professionally clean. Offered at $89,900. Only $7,500 down. Call today!
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Your Real Estate 525-7700

NEW listing, well cared for 3 bedroom, aluminum sided ranch. Large fenced yard, new insulation, attractive remodeled bath. $86,900. Jacob Johnson Real Estate. 981-6660

OPEN SUN. 2-5PM
28452 Ideal, in beautiful Carlton Village, Westland. Enter off Hix Rd. Clean 3 bedroom ranch, cozy family room with fireplace, partially finished basement, new carpeting & kitchen flooring. $82,500. Call:
Joyce Johnson
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Sharp 3 bedroom brick ranch, neutral decor, country kitchen with doorwall to spacious lot, lots of cupboards, no-wax floor, finished basement. $49,900. S. of Cherry Hill, W. of Venoy, 1191 Easley.
Rachel Rion 422-6030
RE/MAX FOREMOST, INC.

OWNER - Clean 4 bedroom bungalow, large kitchen & wooded lot, 2 car garage, extras. Maintenance free. $49,900. 525-3811

THE ULTIMATE
Darling 2 bedroom ranch featuring fireplace in living room, large kitchen, large utility room, 2 car attached garage on large lot in nice area. Tastefully decorated & spotlessly clean. This won't last at $48,900.

AFFORDABLE
Why pay rent when you can own this darling 3 bedroom ranch with 2½ car garage with $0 down & low monthly payments. Clean & nicely decorated. Call for more information. Only $33,000.
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Super clean 3 bedroom ranch, complete with full basement & garage plus much more. A must to see. 261-3434.
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WESTLAND - Extra clean 3 bedroom brick ranch, fireplace in family room, 1½ baths, appliances, air conditioner, extra insulation, newer carpeting, full basement, patio. $66,900. After 6PM 721-5683

WESTLAND - IMMACULATE
This one has it all - 3 bedrooms, family room, fireplace, garage & much more. Just $56,000. 721-6117

WESTLAND
Popular 3 bedroom brick ranch with aluminum trim, 2 car garage. Finished basement with newer high efficiency furnace. $52,500.
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WESTLAND RANCH
Beatiful 3 bedroom brick ranch with very nice finished basement, quick occupancy, fenced yard, patio & more. $49,700
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326-2600

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A natural fireplace adds to the country charm of this 3 bedroom brick ranch on a wide open lot. Full basement, formal dining room, country kitchen breakfast area, and 2 car attached garage. $84,900.
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LAND CONTRACT
Redford Twp., 7 mi. & Beech Daly area, newer 3 bedroom ranch, 1600 sq.ft., asking $87,900 with 10% down. Phone 471-6660

MINT CONDITION! 2 bedroom ranch. Modern & attractive! Only $36,500. Buyers only. By appointment, call: 875-3837

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13540 Sarasota, S Redford Brick ranch, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, professionally finished basement. 70x132 lot, 2 car garage, aluminum trim. Extra insulation, hardwood floors, & more. E of Beech, S of Telegraph. $86,900. 537-3560

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PRIME SOUTH REDFORD
14018 GARFIELD
N. of Schoolcraft, E. of Beech
Custom built, clean brick ranch. 3 large bedrooms, spacious living room with fireplace, formal dining room, kitchen, 2 baths, Florida room, full professionally finished basement with bar, central air, 2½ car garage, newer furnace, humidifier & air cleaner, wet plaster walls. 1,600 sq. ft. More quality features. $71,900. Buyers only. Answering service 337-9948

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1,666 sq.ft. custom contemporary, 3 bedrooms, living room with fireplace, family room with wet bar. Must see! Ask for...
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St. Robert Bellarmine area - move right into this MINT home. Too many improvements to list. Prime S. Redford area. A must see! $63,900.
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317 Redford

BEECH VILLA
Beautiful Custom Ranch in S. Redford's finest area; featuring 3 bedrooms, fireplace, heated Florida room, finished basement with unique sauna & bath combination, central air. Spacious, unique floor plan. Approx. 1,400 sq.ft. Asking $74,900.
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In a bungalow. The list of many fine features include 3 nice bedrooms, finished basement with full bath, aluminum trim and a garage. An extra deep lot make summer fun more enjoyable. Only $46,900.
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BY OWNER - South Redford. 3 bedroom brick ranch. New kitchen, basement, 2½ car garage, move in condition. $49,900. 937-2116

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East of Telegraph. Good neighborhood and schools, 3 bedroom brick bungalow w/aluminum trim, new carpet in bedrooms, clean & neat w/ 1½ car garage 537-2162

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COLONIAL - Outstanding 2400 sq. ft., 2½ baths, many extras. Unusual plush interior. Pool, barn, etc. Retiring, may take smaller home in trade. 255-2890

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318 Dearborn Dearborn Heights

A BEAUTY
Nice condition 2 bed ranch with attached 1½ car garage, large fenced lot, new furnace & central air. A real value for only $64,900. Ready to move in! Call today!
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The jokes on you if you should miss the charm and value of this quiet ranch in a neighborly location. 3 big bedrooms, basement, new furnace and central air, new windows, extra insulation and a 2½ car garage. Move-in condition. $84,500.
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You won't believe it. All new oak cabinets and counters normally found in much more expensive homes, and excellent eating space. Plush carpet leads to the spacious bedrooms while in the basement you'll find new plumbing and electrical. $61,900.
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302 Birmingham Bloomfield

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Are you searching for a colonial including 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths plus Bloomfield Hills schools? Here is a brick home featuring family room, cozy fireplace, formal dining room, first floor laundry, finished basement, central air, patio, 2 car attached garage. Immediate occupancy. Affordable price - $194,900.
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BIRMINGHAM SCHOOLS
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West Bloomfield 855-9100

BIRMINGHAM, BY OWNER
New listing. Well-built, 3 bedroom brick ranch, 1½ car garage, wooden deck and many extras. $85,900. Call for appointment, 644-2642.
OPEN SUN. 1-5 PM.

BIRMINGHAM- By Owner. Brick 3 bedroom, 1½ baths, fireplace-living room, treed corner lot. New deck & roof. 2 car attached garage. 14 & Eton area. $126,000. 642-1506

BIRMINGHAM - Classic Cape Cod in Midvale area. 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, living room with fireplace, dining room with built-in leaded glass cabinets. New kitchen, family room with skylight, 4 French doors lead to Florida room & private yard. Rec room, central air. Must see! $179,900. 258-4842: 293-1020

BIRMINGHAM - downtown, custom home 2500 sq. ft. 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 6 car garage, Call weekdays for appt. between 9-5 683-5040

BIRMINGHAM - Immaculate 3 bedroom, 2 bath, completely renovated, contemporary, cathedral ceiling, skylight, many extras. Must see. 1583 Cole. $89,000. 258-5805

BIRMINGHAM INTOWN 3 bedrooms, 1½ story. Garage, hardwood floors, full basement. Excellent condition. $74,900. 258-4842, 293-1020

BIRMINGHAM - OPEN 2-5PM, Sun. Remodeled charmer, great room, bay window, fireplace, 2 full baths, huge master suite, custom built deck. $110,000 642-7367

BIRMINGHAM, Pembroke Manor, immaculate 3 bedroom brick bungalow, 2½ car garage. 731 Coolidge. $93,000. 646-6238

BIRMINGHAM - Poppleton Park, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, completely renovated, landscaped. Master suite with steam shower, central air. $195,000. 644-2818

BIRMINGHAM TOWNHOUSE
Private entry, 2 bedroom end unit, one of the better locations in a peaceful park-like setting, walk to park and easy access to town. Nice. $67,500. Ask for:
Marjorie Hirschfield.
EARL KEIM REALTY
MAPLE 642-8500

BIRMINGHAM. Lovely 2 bedroom home with full basement; newly decorated, neutral decor; convenient to downtown; $72,000. 642-2195

BLOOMFIELD hills. Long Lake. Franklin Rd. area, 5 bedroom colonial, with pool on over 1 acre, 4462 Pine Tree Tr. $212,000. 851-5978

BLOOMFIELD HILLS
A unique 1½ acre estate. Well built brick ranch in excellent condition. 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 3 fireplaces, walkout sub-level, utmost privacy. Too many features to mention. $212,000. Land Contract available. Shown by owner. 644-0121

CALIFORNIA CONTEMPORARY RANCH - Fantastic views, dramatic entry foyer overlooking living room with cathredral ceilings. Acre hillside setting. Walnut Lake privileges. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room, partial basement, finished, central air, $258,900. Open Fri., 9:30am-12 noon. 1980 Cragin, Lone Pine & Inkster area. Agent, Lillian Thompson, Cranbrook Assoc. Inc. Realtors 540-5500 855-3672

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Our 1-owner, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, contemporary ranch. Almond kitchen, built-in micro, wall oven, range, compactor, 2 fireplaces, separate dining room, panelled family room, glassed, screened porch, 24'x14'. $158,900. Call 540-6479

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Zoned multiple with prints
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CHARMING BEVERLY HILLS Cape Cod on approx. ½ acre. Newer kitchen, open floor plan, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 2 car garage, trees. Asking $137,900.

CHARMING REMODELED RANCH on 1¼ acre beautifully treed lot. Great floor plan for entertaining. 3 bedroom, 2 baths, Bloomfield Hills Schools & lake privileges. $129,900.
Merrill Lynch
Realty
851-8100

LOVELY Williamsburg colonial, Poppleton Park area, 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, central air. Owner anxious to sell - price reduced $179,900. Call after 6pm, 644-8580 Open house Sun 12-5pm.

NEW LISTING
Bloomfield Hills colonial, with 2 master bedrooms and private bath, superb condition, totally refurbished, wet plaster construction, circle drive and private wooded lot. $246,000.
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647-7100

302 Birmingham Bloomfield

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Tall living master suites & studies, designer decor, many features to choose from. Models open daily 1-5 except Wednesday. Directions: 4 south from Square Lake Rd to 1181 Promenade Court. Open 1-5 Sat & Sun
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4784 Bonnie Brae, (N. of Lone Pine, W. of Lahser)
Immaculate Hills ranch features 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, living room with fireplace and newer roof & carpeting. Privately priced with lots of potential. Bloomfield Hills Schools. $120,000. (T-82-18)
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OPEN SUNDAY 2-5
Just Listed! 3 year old large family home situated on 1 acre treed lot in prime area of Beverly Hills. Birmingham Schools. 2 fireplaces, large family room with doorwall overlooking Deck and park-like backyard. Built-in swimming pool, 3 car attached garage. Country kitchen with skylight, cooking island, many other built-ins. 2½ baths, 5 bedrooms. Master bedroom suite with skylights and balcony. Many other extras. Great home for living and entertaining. Immediate Possession. Home at 29276 W. 13 Mile, W. of Evergreen.
Century 21
Maplewood
Executive Homes
851-7711

OPEN SUN. 1-4
Immaculate Meridan built home. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, kitchen with "keeping room" with fireplace, private wooded, ravine lot. $244,900. 4270 Willoway Estates Ct., S. off Long Lake, E. of Telegraph, enter on Sunningdale
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646-6000

OPEN SUN. 2-5
N. off Quarton, W. of Franklin. Walnut Lake privileges. Magnificent view of Hunters Lake. 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, 2 half baths, living room, family room, finished walkout basement, park, Birmingham schools. $289,000. Ask for
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POPPLETON PARK - Great location, move in condition. 4 bedrooms, family room, screened porch, 2 car garage, 1½ baths. $175,000. 644-8422

WABEEK
Entertain your guests in this spacious, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath contemporary, huge great room with beamed cathredal ceiling, family room, 2 fireplaces, huge formica kitchen, first floor laundry, finished basement. $359,900. 851-9770
ERA RYMAL SYMES

303 West Bloomfield Orchard Lake

BEAUTIFUL Wooded lot in W. Bloomfield. 4 bedroom, 2½ bath, family room with fireplace. $142,900. After 4 PM. 661-2644

BETTER THAN New. Striking contemporary, 1 yr. old, Herman Frankel home, 3,600 sq.ft., walk-out basement to park, Bloomfield Hills Schools, almond kitchen, European wool carpet, lots of marble. $335,000. By appt. only. 855-5835

BIRMINGHAM Schools. Immaculate center entry winged colonial. 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, slate

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NEW LISTING
Custom built Cape Cod in a country atmosphere, lovely wood interior, 3 fireplaces, finished basement, 2½ baths, 4 bedrooms, 2 car attached garage, many extras. Priced at $164,900. Open Sat. & Sun. 1-5. 4954 Green Rd. close to schools, 2700 sq.ft. brick colonial, scenic lot. 4 bedroom, finished basement, formal dining room, living room with crown molding, leaded glass doors. New deck, sprinkler. Come see & compare. $164,900. 661-4379

RALPH MANUEL 851-6900

NEW LISTING
New construction, English Tudor, boasts a grand foyer staircase. Large spacious kitchen, cathedral ceiling in family room, library, 3 bedrooms, plus a wonderful master suite with private bath. $230,000.

RALPH MANUEL 647-7100

NEW LISTING
OPEN SUN. 1-4PM
3468 Middlebelt
N. of Square Lake, W. of Middlebelt. Charming 3 bedroom brick ranch, immediately available, cathedral ceiling, newly decorated and ready for occupancy. Great patio with built-in grill. $74,900.

HEPPARD 855-6570

NEW LISTING
4 bedroom colonial in West Bloomfield. Enormous master bedroom with walk-in closet and dressing area. Super kitchen with doorwall to picturesque, spacious deck overlooking lush commons. Also includes formal dining room, family room with doorwalls to lovely landscaped lot. $129,900.

Century 21 Maplewood Executive Homes 851-7711

ON GOLDEN POND
Hilly treed acre, spacious 4 bedroom walkout ranch. Fishing & gardening paradise, Hammond Lake area. $139,900. Owner. 334-4647

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3500 Valley View, S. off Lone Pine, W. of Middlebelt. Bargain hunters delight. Assumable mortgage. Big 5 bedroom, 3.5 baths, living room, library, master bedroom, finished basement. Beautiful, freshly painted, new carpeting. Bloomfield Hills Schools. Bloomfield on the Lake Subdivision.
$229,000.
Kumud Kalra, Ralph Manuel Assoc. West, Inc. 851-6900 or 661-4966

OPEN SUN. 1-5. By owner. 4507 Rolling Ridge, W. of Middlebelt, S. of Lone Pine. Contemporary lake front, 4 bedrooms, living room, formal dining room, great room, library, new carpeting, updated kitchen, master bedroom with Roman tub and walk-in closet, Bloomfield Hills schools. Approx. 3,700 sq. ft. $249,900. 851-7828

RANCH WITH WALK-OUT finished basement, 3 years old, 4 bedrooms upstairs, 3 bedrooms down stairs, 2 complete kitchens, 2 laundry rooms, 5 full baths, 2 ½ baths, built-in pool, finished 3 car garage, plus much more. This house is something different and a must to see! Moving out of state. Available with furniture. For more information call 855-2910

Smashing Contemporary
In move in condition! 3 bedrooms, rooms are extra large with sitting area in upstairs hall. Beautiful treed lot overlooking Derb Lake.

Perfect Lifestyle!
Enjoy this gracious 4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial. Library, first floor laundry, large center entrance, separate dining room, huge master suite. West Bloomfield Schools. Call for private showing.

Michigan Group 851-4100

SPECIAL HOME
Charming older farm home on 2 acre wooded site yet schools & shopping nearby. 5 - 6 bedrooms, 2 baths, library, living room with large brick fireplace, huge dining room or great room, large kitchen, beautiful oak trim & crown moldings, 2 enclosed porches, new furnace, 4 car garage plus barn. Must see, $169,900.

CENTURY 21 Secontine Assoc. 626-8800

WALNUT LAKE HILLS
4736 Wendrick
Open Sat-Sun. 2-5PM
S. of Lone Pine, E. of Middlebelt. Gorgeous contemporary with private beach on all sports Walnut Lake. 4 bedroom, 2 story, 3½ plus half baths, library. Fabulous white Formica kitchen with glass atrium. Large whirlpool. White Formica built-ins. Great room & family room. Finished lower level. Magnificent landscaping, decks & much more. Bloomfield Hills Schools. Just reducted to $409,900. Please ask for

Sylvia Stotzky REAL ESTATE ONE 350-2056 or 644-4700

WEST BLOOMFIELD
Long Lake & Middlebelt
Bloomfield Hills Schools
NEW ON MARKET

By Owner - beautiful 4 bedroom, 2½ bath contemporary colonial on professionaly landscaped lot, approx. 1 acre lot, separate master bedroom suite, kitchen with breakfast room, formal dining room, living room, family room with brick wall fireplace, central air, completely finished basement with wet bar, finished garage, many more custom features.

SACRIFICE AT $159,900
Ask for Mr. Benadaret
851-5287
or
855-4447

W. BLOOMFIELD-Owner. 4 bedroom, 2½ baths, family room, dining room, 2 car garage. Large lot. Extras. $138,000/offer. 879-8521

W. BLOOMFIELD - By Owner. W. of Farmington, N. of 14. 1963 built. 4 bedrooms, 3½ bath contemporary Quad. Family room with wet bar, all neutral decor, sprinkler & alarm system, 2 car attached garage, opener. Reduced to $188,900. 661-8236

W. BLOOMFIELD SCHOOLS
Beautiful brick ranch on country size lot, 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, family room with fireplace, country kitchen with walk in pantry, finished basement, 2 garages, $117,900.
Earl Keim MW Farmington Hills
553-5888

3 BEDROOM ranch. Birmingham School. Large lot, up-dated kitchen, central air, 2-way fireplace. $122,500. By owner: 626-4639

304 Farmington Farmington Hills

Beautiful 4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial. Enclosed porch. Partially finished basement, with office. $129,000. Open Sun. 1-5pm.or by appointment. Owner. 477-9667

BRICK aluminum ranch, 3-4 bedroom, finished basement, 2 baths, 2 car garage. Neutral tones, immaculate. $86,000. 478-5127 or 533-5200

A Breathtaking Multi-level
Farmington Hills. Loaded 4 bedrooms, 3½ bath, family room with fireplace, study, formal dining, breakfast nook, family room with fireplace, garden, 2½ car attached garage, full basement, cathedral ceilings, neutral colors throughout. $199,500. Call leave message. 855-6461.

BY OWNER. Kendalwood Tri-level, 5 bedrooms, 2½ baths, huge family room with fireplace, formal living room & dining room, kitchen with nook, & more...$121,900. 553-6469

BY OWNER - 1700 Sq. Ft. bi-level, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, central air, fireplace, 2 car attached garage, large lot. Newly redecorated. Close to schools. Immediate occupancy. $103,900. 363-7790 or 348-7883

COLONY PARK
4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial with library, central air, finished rec room. $139,900. Ask for...
Carol or Dick Amrhein REAL ESTATE ONE 477-1111 553-4029

Diamond In The Rough
Older Downtown Farmington home needs some final polish. 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, basement and garage. $77,900.

Sprawling
3 bedroom brick ranch on tree-lined street. Park-like backyard with patio and privacy hedge, 2 full baths and garage. $86,500.

Century 21 Today 855-2000

FANTASIC LOCATION In Farmington
3 bedroom brick ranch with family room/fireplace & 1400 sq. ft..
Only $82,900. 476-6636
COLDWELL BANKER

FARMINGTON GREEN WEST colonial, on premium cul-de-sac lot. 2100 sq.ft., 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, with fireplace, finished basement, central air, and deck. By original owner. $145,000.
Open Sun. 12-5. 569-6054

FARMINGTON HILLS. 3 bedroom brick ranch in highly desirable 13 Mile & Drake area. Spacious family room with fireplace, formal living room/dining room, new carpeting, new furnace, large treed lot. $90,000. 35248 Gary Dr. Shown by appt. 553-0448

FARMINGTON HILLS. 33819 Colfax. Brand new 3 bedroom ranch, 2 baths, full basement, 2 car attached garage. $97,900. 569-5180

FARMINGTON HILLS
12 Mile & Drake
4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial, central air, deck, prime lot. Open Sat.-Sun., 12-6PM. $130,000. 553-2547

FARMINGTON HILLS - Open Sun. 12:30-2. 3 bedroom colonial, dining room, family room/fireplace, court location. Basement. 2 car attached garage, air. $91,900. 477-5974

FARMINGTON HILLS BEST BUY!
3 bedroom colonial, 1½ bath, large family room & kitchen overlooking scenic pond. Must see. Open house Sun., 12-5pm, 28338 Seven Oaks. $118,900. q553-3763

FARMINGTON HILLS - by owner, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath, 2,078 sq. ft., colonial, new kitchen cabinets, formal dining, family room, fireplace, first floor laundry, paneled rec room, attached garage, many extras. Priced to sell at $120,000. Call for appointment. 474-3694

FARMINGTON HILLS
INDOOR POOL
COLONY PARK
Superb home. Combine formality with plush casualness. 6 Bedrooms, huge master suite, family room plus first floor game room. 4½ baths, and MUCH MORE. $249,900.
Call 553-8700
Thompson-Brown

JUST LISTED!
Meadowbrook Hills
Compo built, super quality brick ranch. This home could be in "Better Homes & Gardens". Home has been professionally redecorated in past 3 months. Spectacular leaded glass windows, fabulous dinette garden room, circular paver brick driveway, circular brick patios plus deck off master bedroom. This home is priced to sell! $184,900.

Strathmore Sub.
New home just completed. Super quality. No expense has been spared in building the "perfect home". Wooded lot. Great floor plan. Almost everything has been upgraded. Professionally decorated, burglar alarm system. Call for list of extras. Owner has been transferred. $255,900.

Green Hill Woods
Custom built, over 3,200 sq. ft. colonial. Kitchen is fantastic, custom wood cabinets with "one-of-a-kind" pot rack over huge center island. Built-in microwave and trash compactor. Large dining room. Fantastic fieldstone fireplace in family room. $209,900.

Independence Commons
French Tudor quad. Immaculate condition. Prime sub with Commons. Parquet floors in foyer & dining room. Beautiful full brick wall fireplace. Wet bar in family room. $157,700.

ASK FOR PHYLLIS LEMON
Re-Max Boardwalk 459-3600

Meadow Hills Estates
You'll love owning this beautiful prestigious Tudor home which boasts neutral decor. 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, large kitchen, family room with fireplace, first floor laundry.

Michigan Group 851-4100

WANT EVERYTHING in a starter home? This is it! 3 bedroom brick ranch plus finished basement, kitchen appliances included. Garage & fenced yard. Hurry on this one. $61,000. Century 21, East at 12 Oaks. 348-5600

3/4 ACRE
Super Area of trees, huge family room with fireplace highlights this 1800 sq. ft. brick ranch. 3 bedrooms, 2 car attached garage, barn, play house & more. $88,900
Earl Keim MW Farmington Hills
553-5888

304 Farmington Farmington Hills

Meadow Hills Estates
JUST LISTED! Immaculate, 3 bedroom, 2½ bath, family room with fireplace, central air, 2 car attached garage, many extras. Priced at $147,900. ASK FOR DEBRA HOVORKAD
Merrill Lynch Realty 626-9100 356-6673

MINT CONDITION! 3 bedroom ranch, basement, Modern & attractive! Only $48,500. Buyers only. By appointment, call: 375-3657

NEW LISTING
Immaculate ranch recently decorated. Ceramic foyer, crown moldings. Quiz cabinets, custom window treatments, great room with recessed lighting, wet bar and French doors to 60 ft. deck. $106,000.

RALPH MANUEL 851-6900

NEW LISTING
OPEN SUN. 1-4PM
3510 Concord, N. of 12, E. of Drake. See this 3 bedroom colonial with large country kitchen and spacious family room, fireplace, large deck, beautifully landscaped, well maintained. $119,900.

HEPPARD 855-6570

NEW LISTING
Spacious colonial in super family sub. on premium wooded lot backing to Commons. Large island kitchen with doorwalls to deck, master suite with fireplace and convenient second floor laundry. $164,900.

RALPH MANUEL 851-6900

OLDE FRANKLIN TOWNE
Charming desirable sub., freshly decorated. Well maintained 4 bedroom colonial sitting on park like setting. Large master bedroom with large wonderful closets. Sprinkling system. Many amenities. Just reduced to $148,500. Ask for
IRENE EAGLE
RALPH MANUEL WEST
851-6900 or 626-6907

ON CUL-DE-SAC
Choose your own colors for this gorgeous brick cape cod, offers - 3 spacious bedrooms, fireplace in great room, den, formal dining room, 2½ baths, dream kitchen, garden room, 1st floor laundry, 2 car side garage. $199,900.
INGROUND POOL
Contemporary elegant 4 bedroom brick home, features - 1st floor laundry, 2½ baths, island kitchen, beautiful breakfast area, formal dining room, huge family room with wood burning fireplace, many custom features, attached 2 car garage. $229,900.
COUNTRY IN THE CITY
Nestled among the trees sits this 4 bedroom plus den brick quad, slate entrance, 2½ baths, country kitchen, family room with fireplace, 3 doorwalls, 2 patios, 2 decks, gunite pool, absolutely beautiful, 2½ car side garage. $198,000.

CENTURY 21 NADA, INC. 477-9800

OPEN SUNDAY - beautifully appointed brick ranch, 13 Mile/Drake area. 3 bedroom, 2 baths, spacious family room with fireplace, 2 car attached garage, central air. No basement - but ample storage. Easy care Kayak pool accents 112x180ft landscape. Priced to sell at $95,000. Shown by appt. 553-0474

OPEN SUN. 2-5PM
Bring us your blended families. Split level home, with flexible floor plan, in downtown Farmington, 5 bedrooms, 3½ baths, $139,900. Call
Joan Sundt REAL ESTATE ONE 851-1900 474-1092

PRESTIGIOUS Chatham Hills executive home. 4 bedroom colonial, 2½ baths, large family room with natural brick fireplace and 12 ft. Pella bow window, kitchen & dining room with Pella bay-windows, hardwood floors, ceramic tiled baths, 1st floor laundry room, carpeted throughout, close to X-ways. Immediate occupancy, relocating out-of-state. $139,900. After 6 pm. 476-7593

REDUCED $2000
3 bedroom vinyl ranch, Farmington Hills Schools. Not a drive-by. Bring us an offer. $45,500. Ask for...
Joe Nimmo REAL ESTATE ONE 261-0700 533-2031

ROLLING OAKS
OPEN SUN. 2-5
29580 Mayfair, N. of 13 Mile, W. of Farmington Rd.
Former model. Lovely, sparkling 4 bedroom colonial nestled on private setting featuring neutral tones. Beautiful family room with French doors to wood deck. $149,950. For private showing, ask for
MARCIA VAN CREVELD
RALPH MANUEL WEST
851-6900, Res. 661-0993

SPACIOUS 1,842 sq. feet, 3 bedroom ranch, with inground pool, on large lot. 4th bedroom in finished basement. 3½ baths, large kitchen, 2½ car garage. Many extras. $123,900. 477-5485 or 557-2018

3/4 ACRE
Super Area of trees, huge family room with fireplace highlights this 1800 sq. ft. brick ranch. 3 bedrooms, 2 car attached garage, barn, play house & more. $88,900
Earl Keim MW Farmington Hills
553-5888

305 Brighton Livingston County

BRIGHTON, BY OWNER - 3 bedroom brick ranch, family room, fireplace, 2 baths, 2 car garage, central air, 1.1 acre, $87,900. 1-229-2379

BRIGHTON. 2,400 sq. ft., 1½ acre private location., 4 bedroom brick/aluminum, 2½ baths, open spacious floor plan, $138,900. 227-6761

NEW LISTING! 2,200 sq.ft. Split-Level Colonial, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, den, family room fireplace, finished basement/bar. Much more. By Owner. $129,900. 227-1884

OPEN SUNDAY 1-5
Fabulous country colonial conveniently tucked away in prestigious Dunham Lake Estates. Bring your family and friends for a tour of this spacious 2,240 sq. ft. family home. Featuring 4 large bedrooms, 2½ baths, spacious great room with fireplace, full basement, 3+ car garage and many more quality features too numerous to mention. Hartland Schools. $147,900. 13838 PLOVER. Call for directions.
England Real Estate 474-4530

306 Southfield-Lathrup

ALMOST ONE ACRE
Quiet country setting... roomy 3 bedroom, multi level home featuring a 21 ft. kitchen, family room, florida room, walk-out lower level. 2 car attached garage. Call for more extras. New price. $75,900.

ERA FIRST FEDERAL 478-3400

BEAUTIFUL English Tudor, 4 bedrooms,2½ baths, modern kitchen, library, porch, patio, garage, Magnolia Sub. 569-5373

BIRMINGHAM SCHOOLS
30020 Rock Creek Dr.
Southfield 4-bedroom colonial, 2½ baths, central air, rear deck with Jacuzzi, many extras. $116,000. By appointment. 968-2600 or 968-3630

CRANBROOK VILLAGE. 3 bedroom contemporary brick ranch, 1½ baths, new roof, new doorwall & deck, large lot. $71,500. 569-8654

306 Southfield-Lathrup

BIRMINGHAM SCHOOLS
Charming family home in popular area. 4 bedroom colonial, 2½ baths, family room with fireplace, formal dining room, library, den & all modern conveniences. Oversized attached 2 car garage. Owners motivated. $159,900.

Cranbrook
Alden Ivey, Realtors
642-5000

CONTEMPORARY RANCH, open floor plan with 3 large bedrooms, 2½ baths, sauna, skylights, Florida room, central air. Finished basement, 2 car garage on 1.7 wooded acres. Must see to appreciate. By owner. $135,000. 682-1677

COUNTRY SETTING
Hard to find 4 bedroom ranching ranch in lovely subdivision, exquisite property at end of private cul-de-sac street. 4½ baths, finished walkout lower level, premium location convenient to everything. Must be seen to appreciate. $199,900 BY.

EARL KEIM West Bloomfield 855-9100

DECORATOR PERFECT
spacious 4 bedroom center entry colonial with the extra lighting, window treatments and carpeting you'd love to live with. 2 zone heating and air conditioning, finished basement, Guardian Home Warranty. $99,500 CA.

EARL KEIM West Bloomfield 855-9100

EXTRA SHARP 3 bedroom ranch with huge modern kitchen, 1.5 garage, newer furnace, nice treed lot. Excellent Location! $90,900

EXCELLENT VALUE! Lovely 2 bedroom aluminum ranch on a country setting with additional lot available plus enclosed front porch, all appliances included. $48,900

THIS ONE'S GOT IT ALL! One of the largest homes in the sub, this maintenance free 4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial has every extra including security system, central air, 2nd floor laundry, finished basement, bay windows and extra large rooms. $94,900

BUY OF THE MONTH! Super family colonial in San Marino Villa with 4 bedrooms and 3 complete baths, large breakfast nook, family room with fireplace, nice sized dining "L", open floor plan. $105,000

HURRY! HURRY! HURRY! This one of a kind home in a quiet subdivision features a gleaming slate foyer, secluded study with parquet floor, gigantic family room with fireplace, security system. $112,500

SPECTACULAR COUNTRY LIVING IN THE CITY Best describes this gorgeous 3-4 bedroom home on 1.7 acres with family room, 3.5 baths, kidney shaped pool and new carpeting and window treatments. $120,000

CENTURY 21 MJL CORPORATE TRANSFEREE SERVICE 851-6700

FIRST OFFERING
Birmingham Schools. 3 bedroom Cranbrook Village colonial. Central air, carpeted rec room, large lot, decorated to perfection. $84,900. Ask for Terry McKinnon.
REMAX Associates 540-9700

GREAT N. SOUTHFIELD LOCATION 1½ miles to downtown Birmingham. 4 bedroom colonial, paneled family room with fireplace, opens on to a deck, spacious foyer, living room, dining room, 1st floor laundry, walk-in closet in master bedroom. Home has central air, security alarm, finished rec room, 2 car attached garage, neutral decor, move-in condition, many extras. $105,000. Call
Audrie Friedman REAL ESTATE ONE 644-4700

IMMACULATE move-in condition 3 bedroom colonial, central air, natural brick fireplace, eat-in kitchen, 2 car attached garage plus many more features. A must to see at $79,900. 354-4436 or 851-3667

LATHRUP VILLAGE - 2 bedroom 2 bath brick ranch on well landscaped double lot. Living room with fireplace, panelled rec room, enclosed porch, patio, central air, attached 2 car garage. $84,900. 569-2917

Neat As A Pin!
One look and you will fall in love with this 4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial. This home has it all! Spacious foyer, large paneled family room with built-in bookshelves, and neutral brick fireplace. Plush new carpeting, track lighting, master bedroom with dressing area, walk-in closet and private bath. $89,900.

A Cream Puff!
Tastefully decorated ranch with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room, full basement, attached garage. Bright and sunny kitchen with eating space. Spacious foyer with open feeling leads you into this mint condition home. A must see! $71,500.

Michigan Group 851-4100

NEW LISTING
Impressive quad-level with 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, marble entrance, beautiful wood ceilings, circle drive, finished basement and much updating in kitchen with all appliances. $94,900.

RALPH MANUEL 851-6900

NEW LISTING
Southfield gem. Knockout contemporary decor in this special 4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial, completely updated. White formica kitchen is a gormet's delight. Alarm, central air, rec room, and first floor laundry. $98,500.

RALPH MANUEL 647-7100

OPEN SUNDAY 12-4
18725 Webster, Southfield.
12½ Mile Road (Webster), west of Southfield, Cranbrook Village. 3 bedroom ranch, 1½ baths, fireplace, air conditioning, basement. $88,500. 569-1271

OPEN SUN. 2-5. 4 bedroom, 2½ bath tri-level, featuring large family room, 2 car attached garage plus loads of extras. 22499 Bell Brook, S. of 12 Mile, E. of Bell Rd. Asking $125,900. Owner. 355-5270

OPEN SUN. 2-5
23240 W. 10 Mile. E. of Telegraph. Almost 2 acres! 3 bedroom brick ranch on beautiful park-like lot with trees, ravine and stream. Slate patio and more. Sellers are asking $144,900.
ASK FOR MARIE MAMASSIAN
Merrill Lynch Realty 626-9100 476-9581

SHARP, IMMACULATE & CUSTOM is this quality built ranch on over ½ acre of wooded splendor. 3 spacious bedrooms, finished basement, natural fireplace in the large living room and 2 car attached garage are a few of the amenities that go with this charming home. You have to see it to believe it! $96,500.
HARRY S.
WOLFE 474-5700

SOUTHFIELD - OPEN SUN 12-3 by owner, 29648 Chelmsford, N of 12, W of Southfield. Definitely not a fixer upper! Cranbrook ranch, 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths,extras galore, quality thruout, great neighborhood. Must see. $75,900. 569-4229

306 Southfield-Lathrup

SOUTHFIELD - BY OWNER
Beautiful 6 room brick ranch, 4 bedrooms, 1½ baths, family room with fireplace, central air, finished basement, 2 car attached garage, many extras. Just $99,900. 557-4788
Open Only. 354-4788

SOUTHFIELD, older style, 3-4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, formal dining room, 2½ baths, Level 1 den with fireplace, 2 car attached garage. By Owner. After 6. 569-4889

SOUTHFIELD. By owner. 9 Mile/Lahser Rd. 3 bedrooms, fenced-in garden, finished attic, new roof, large lot. $84,500. 557-4373

SOUTHFIELD
OPEN SUN. 2-5
21930 Hiawatha, S. of 10 Mile, W. of Northwestern. (Tamarack Trail to Hiawatha). Ranch 1,550 WOODED ACRES. 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch. Family room, fplce room with fireplace and garage. Bridge & deck over centre to house. Use your imagination—lower level 14x10 walkout could be computer room, office, exercise room or whatever. $97,500.
CALL ELAINE COHEN
557-6700 OR 398-2781
CHAMBERLAIN

SOUTHFIELD. 1,650 sq.ft. 3 bedroom brick ranch. Large lot, hardwood floors, fireplace, custom deck, basement, many new features. $88,000. 17249 Margate. 569-8375

SOUTHFIELD, 12 Mile. 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2 car attached garage, 1½ baths, finished basement, central air, large lot. $70,500. Open Sun 1-5pm. 569-0288

SOUTHFIELD - 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2 baths, family room fireplace, basement, attached 2 car garage, low $70's. After 6pm, 443-2741

307 South Lyon Milford-Highland

BUILDER'S WINTER CLOSE-OUT
$89,500.
Contemporary 1600 sq. ft. passive solar home on 1½ acres features 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths & a 3 car garage with plenty of room for a work space. The open floor plan incorporates cathedral ceilings, a skylight in the kitchen & Merillat cabinetry. Located in Sherwood Meadows Subdivision (paved streets) in Milford, N. of Commerce Rd. & E. of Duck Lake Rd., it offers the Huron Valley School system & a variety of community/religious activities geared to families. If you have been contemplating a move to Milford, this house will be ready in 8 weeks! Call for an appointment today!
SHEW CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.
360-1777

FRESH AIR FOR SALE surrounding this lovely 10 year old 3 bedroom, 1½ bath aluminum colonial in popular South Lyon. Custom drapes, designer accents in bath. Assumable VA mortage. $96,900. (W-16)

Michigan Group 591-9200

MILFORD, BY OWNER
2 year old custom built brick ranch on 3 acres, 2,016 sq. ft., 2"X 6" construction, central air, cathedral ceiling, maintenance free exterior, full basement. 3 miles from I-96. $149,000. 685-8560

MILFORD VILLAGE - 3 bedroom ranch, exceptional. Wood floors, ceramic tile, studio ceilings, new kitchen & bath, basement, garage, deck, wooded lot. $89,900. Ask for Peter Work, 360-3069: Home, 685-0507

308 Rochester-Troy

BY OWNER, Rochester City. 4 bedroom, 2-story colonial. Assumable land contract. $97,900. Call Kathy, weekdays. 652-8200

OPEN SUN. 2-5PM
3398 Medford, Troy
S. of Big Beaver, W. of Coolidge
Stunning contemporary 4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial, new almond St. Charles kitchen with built-ins, white ceramic flooring, great room with fireplace and built-in wet bar, family room with cathedral ceiling, central air, sprinklers, burglar alarm, rec room, wooded lot, 2½ car attached garage. $178,900. Please ask for...
Sylvia Stotzky REAL ESTATE ONE 350-2056 or 644-4700

ROCHESTER HILLS - 3 bedroom ranch on large treed lot, 2 fireplaces, 2 car attached garage, neutral decor, new landscaping, very clean, $117,900 651-2765

ROCHESTER HILLS - 4 bedroom, 2½ bath Tudor colonial, Brookdale Woods Sub., 3,000 sq.ft., immediate occupancy, mint. 375-9707

ROCHESTER HILLS - California contemporary ranch, 3 bedrooms, 1¼ baths, 2 fireplaces/living room/family room, 3 skylights, updated kitchen, large deck overlooking lovely treed lot, $114,900. 852-3586

ROCHESTER Hills. By Owner. Open Sun 1-4pm. New sub. 639 Kentucky Dr. near Hamlin & Rochester Rd. off Cumberland. Colonial, 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, living/dining room, kitchen, den, 1st floor laundry, full basement, air. Must see, move-in. $140,000. Principals only.

ROCHESTER HILLS
BY OWNER
Lochmoor Hills Sub.
Share the best kept secret in Rochester Hills. Enjoy 145' frontage on picturesque Lochmoor Lake with your own wooded island, just a canoe ride away!! Multi-level 3 bedroom brick home, living room, formal dining room with bay, library or 4th bedroom, step-down family room with fireplace, 1st floor laundry, 2½ baths, basement, extensive decking with built-in eating area, professional landscaping, heat pump, central air, sprinkler & security systems, 2½+ attached garage. $179,900. 852-4649

ROCHESTER
OPEN SUNDAY 2-5. 1201 Barnswood. Spacious colonial with 4 bedrooms located on a private lot. Features family room with fireplace, basement, deck and barbecue. $124,900.
VACANT PROPERTY located in City of Rochester. Close to park and walking distance from town on a quiet deadend street. $24,900.
GIRARDOT, Inc. Realtors 651-5005

ROCHESTER Schools- 3 bedroom white ranch, 2 car attached garage, gas heat. Newly decorated. 2663 Melvin. (near Dequindre & Auburn) $64,900. Call Mr. Obrien.
Days: 656-0800 or Eves: 334-5206

TROY/BLOOMFIELD SCHOOLS
4 bedroom colonial, 2½ baths, den, 3 car garage, family room with fireplace, basement. Open Sun. 1-4 pm., 5121 Serena, N. of Long Lake, E. of Adams. $238,000.
Ask for PAT BISCHOF
CENTURY 21 - Town & Country
524-1600

TROY - ranch in prestigious Merrill Acres, 2200 sq. ft. on premium lot, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, sprinkler system, $176,900. 641-6182

TROY, Stoneridge Sub. Sharp 3 bedroom brick ranch, new carpet, finished basement, inground pool, large corner lot. $118,500. 828-3813

TROY. Lovely 4 bedroom colonial in Raintree Sub. 1½ baths, formal dining room, full basement, family room with raised hearth fireplace. $121,900. Ask for...
Jean LaPointe REAL ESTATE ONE 528-1300

TROY - 3 bedroom brick ranch, 1½ baths, ½ acre wooded lot, fireplace, large family room, new kitchen, 2½ car attached garage. Buyers Only. $106,500. 528-1065

309 Royal Oak-Oak Park Huntington Woods

JUST LISTED!
ROYAL OAK - [illegible]
ROYAL OAK, BY OWNER
Charming Dutch colonial, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, fireplace, recreational kitchen, many extras. Open House Sat. & Sun. 1-5. 2 blocks E. of Woodward, S. of 13 Mile. $119,900.
Merrill Lynch Realty 851-6100

N. CENTRAL Royal Oak - 3 bedroom brick ranch. Newly remodeled & redecorated & very appealing. Kitchen remodeled with large bay window, including stove, dishwasher, refrigerator/freezer & disposer. Finished basement with formica recreation room, garage (22 X 21), automated garage door, 14 X 28 wood deck, newly landscaped, privacy fence in backyard, air conditioning, much, much more. Call owner. 398-3677

310 Wixom-Commerce Union Lake

COMMERCE/Fox Lake Privileges. 4 bedroom tri-level, brick front, 2 baths, quiet uncrowded area. By Owner. $79,900. 363-8477

COMMERCE/Lake Sherwood. New contemporary home; lake privileges. Immediate occupancy (you pick colors). Just $134,900. 669-8181

COMMERCE TWP. - Build to suit. 6 sites available all with lake access. "Homestead Shores", 2 miles W. of Haggerty, N. of Richardson. Jane Building Company 348-0838

DESIRABLE UNION LAKE FRONT. Three bedroom waterfront colonial with large kitchen 2 fireplaces, 2 car garage. Enjoy the Summer! $149,500.
ASK FOR IRIS GOLDSTEIN.
CENTURY 21 MJL CORPORATE TRANSFEREE SERVICE 851-6700

LAKE SHERWOOD lakefront - beautiful 4 bedroom, 3,400 sq. ft., ranch walk-out lower level, 3 full baths, dining room, first floor laundry, large kitchen, 3 car garage. $289,900. By owner. 685-8540

VENICE OF THE WOODS
One of the finest brick colonials boasting 3000 sq. ft. including many luxurious features such as family room with cathedral ceilings & enticing fireplace, den, formal dining room, paneled laundry room, wood windows, travertine flooring in foyer, beach privileges. Allow plenty of time to view this pleasure. $148,000. 360-0450
COMMERCE REAL ESTATE

311 Homes Oakland County

AUBURN HILLS
3 bedroom ranch, walk-out basement, large lot, $59,900.
Phone: 338-8742

BEAUTIFUL TWIN Lakes Village-White Lake Twp. Lakeview & privileges. Clean 3 bedroom brick ranch. 642-5663 Or 625-5226

ORION TWP. - Kealington - 4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial. Beautifully decorated. Many extras. Desirable neighborhood. Private all sports lake privileges. $114,500. 391-0807

ORTINVILLE country, paved drive with lamp lights, leads way to English Tudor home, on 6 acres, beautiful woodwork through out is just one immunity, close to paved road. $120,000. Please call Madeleine at Quaker Realty. 879-2215

CLARKSTON - Parke Lake. Beautiful, superbly appointed lake front home. 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, formal dining room with loads of charm for the antique lover. Nook, window seats, mouldings, bookcases, all add charm to this refined home. $219,900. Ask for Val or Ken
625-7800
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COUNTRY Charmer on the water, newly re-built New England style home on Watkins Lake. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, dining room, living room, kitchen. 2 car garage/studio workshop. Mid $100's. 673-8448

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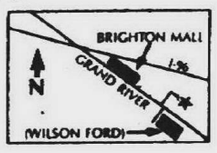

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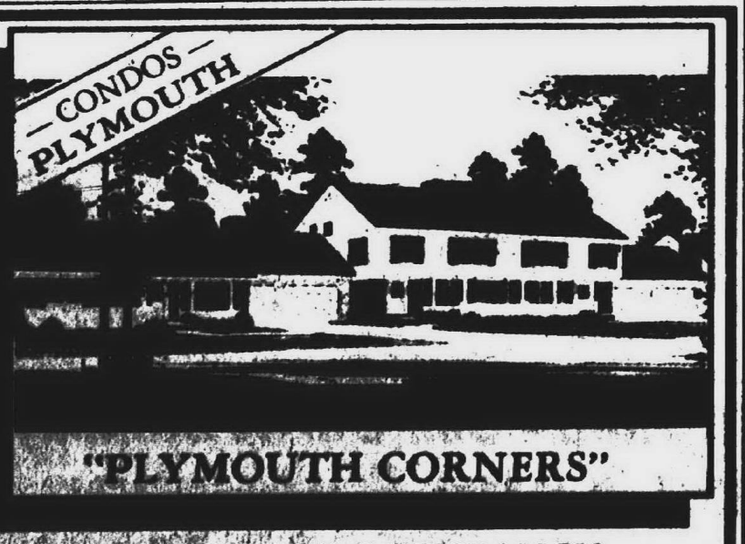

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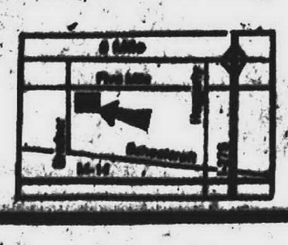

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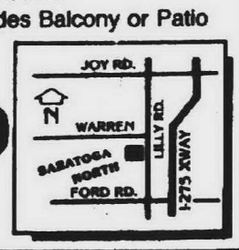

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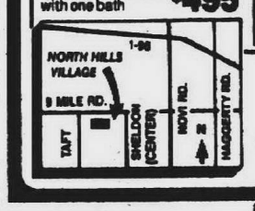

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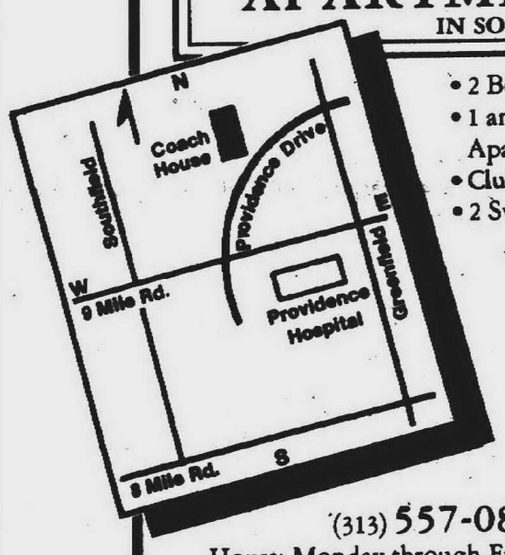

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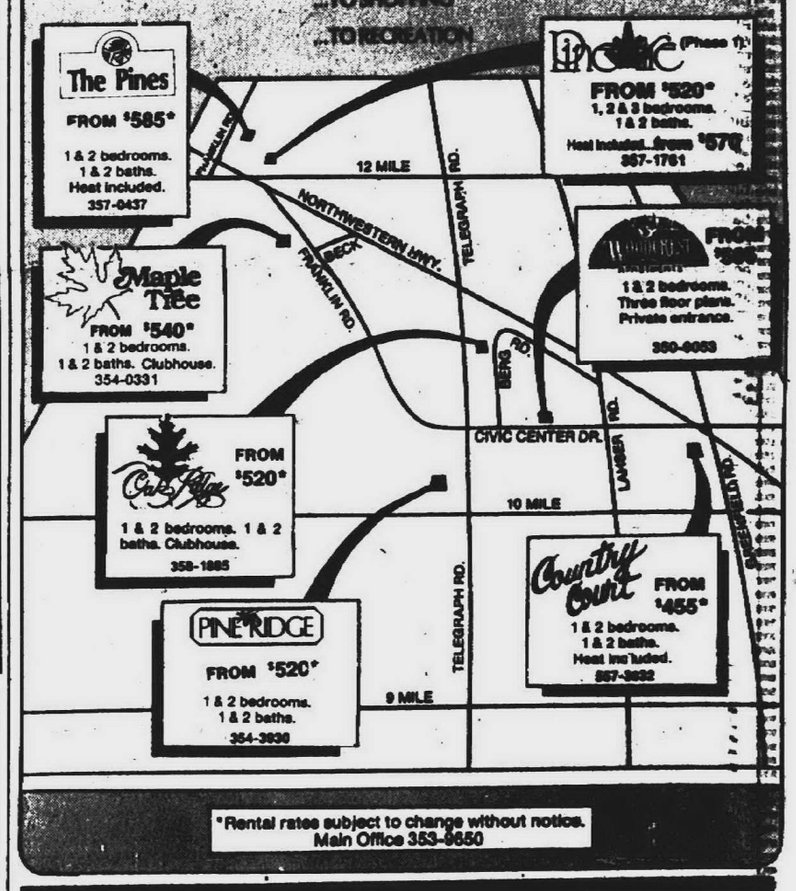

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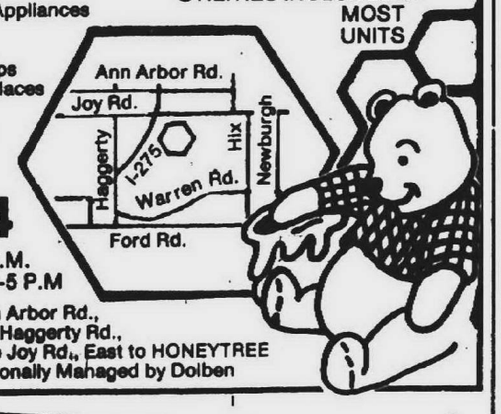

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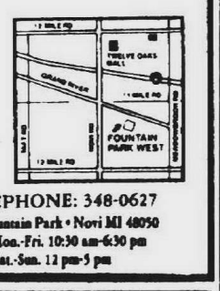

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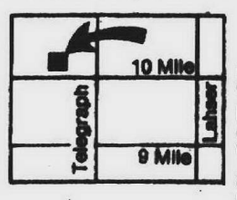

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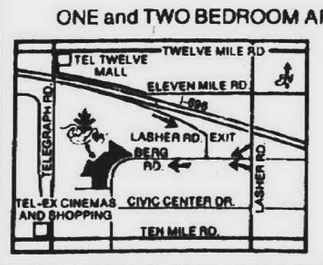

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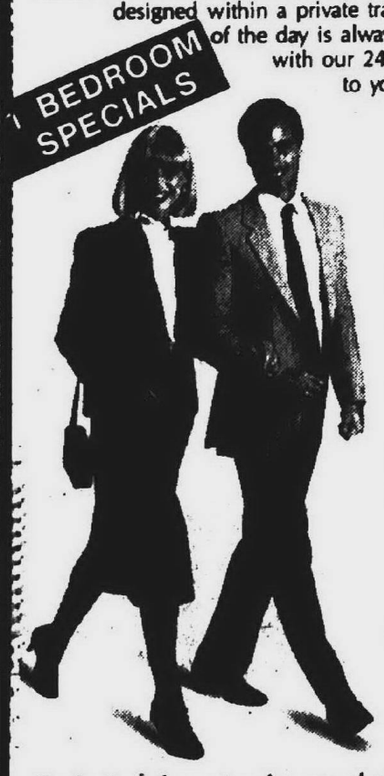

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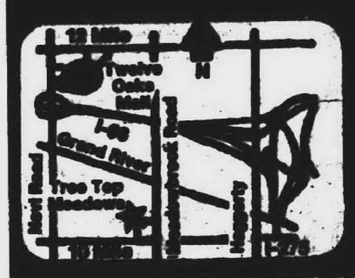

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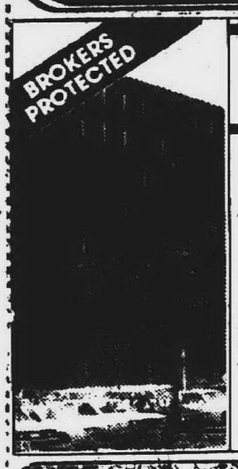

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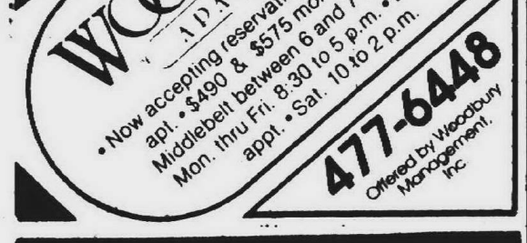

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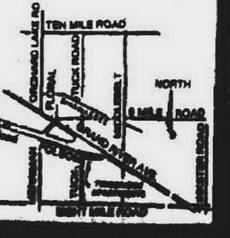

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A guide to nursing home terms

Nursing homes provide skilled or basic care, depending on the certification they have. Some facilities are certified in both areas.

The following is a glossary of words you might come across, provided by Citizens for Better Care:

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- **Basic care patients** need help with activities and daily living tasks.
- **Medicare** is a federally funded health insurance program for people permanently disabled or 65 and older. Medicare can pay for up to 100 days of skilled care in a nursing home. The first 20 days of skilled care are covered in full; there is a co-payment for days 21 through 100. Some Medicare Supplement Insurance (Medigap) policies will cover this co-payment.
- **Medicaid** is a state and federally funded assistance program for those unable to pay. Unlike Medicare, Medicaid will pay for basic and skilled care. It is important to find out whether a nursing home will provide the correct level of care. About 70 percent of Michigan's nursing home residents rely on Medicaid to help pay for their care.

The following is a list of terms used for places where elderly and handicapped live:

- **Senior citizens' housing** or apartments offer independent living for those who prefer not to live in their own homes. Most have features to accommodate handicapped people; like handrails and wide doorways for wheelchairs.
- **Homes for the aged** are residential care facilities for 21 or more people 60 years and older. They provide room and board, recreation, supervision and personal care assistance, like bathing, dressing and grooming.
- **Adult foster care homes** offer room and board as well as supervision and personal care to people over 18 years old. Homes may specialize in providing care for the mentally retarded, chronically mentally ill or elderly.
- **Boarding homes** are available for adults who want someone to prepare meals and take care of household tasks. They aren't supposed to provide supervision or personal care. If they do, they must be licensed as adult foster care homes.
- **Nursing homes** provide medical supervision and nursing care to persons suffering or recovering from illness. Most nursing home residents are for the elderly, but some provide care for people of any age in need of 24-hour care.

Home chore programs, home health programs, meals-on-wheels, adult day care or other services also help some people to live independently.

Citizens for Better Care or your local Area Agency on Aging suggest where to go for help in selecting a service or home. Citizens for Better Care will help if you have any questions on rights or care complaints. The Farmington Citizens for Better Care number is 476-2040. The Detroit number is 962-5068.

'It's been trial by fire. I've seen bad hospital care, bad nursing home care and bad home health care.'
— Rita Burgess

When Rita Burgess (right) visited her father, George Burgess, a stroke victim, a lot of her time was spent showing staff how she wanted things done.

Clara Burgess straightens her husband's collar during a visit.

Nursing homes face scrutiny

By Diane Gale
staff writer

A LOT OF changes are going on in nursing homes.

State and federal agencies are writing stricter rules because of growing public interest.

Some changes are the result of a national study — completed last year — by the Institute of Medicine, a private non-profit organization, which found the "quality of life in many nursing homes is poor."

Most nursing homes — even some of the best — took a blow in the public's eye as a result.

ANOTHER MAJOR change was the result of a lawsuit initiated by a Colorado nursing home resident 12 years ago.

The lawsuit has altered each state's health department survey procedures — called patients' care and services (PACS).

As of Aug. 1, 1986, survey teams must have contact with residents. Previously the team was required to make sure the facility met paper work requirements, which may or may not include patient interviews.

"Under the old survey process, the survey team might never have looked at the patients and said: 'OK you're providing enough care,'" said Hollis Turnham, of Citizens for Better Care, Michigan longterm care ombudsman.

"This is not a revolutionary change in Michigan, but it's a change in other areas."

THE CHANGES include requiring survey teams to interview residents and observe dining periods and drug dispensing.

"We are seeing a lot more citations being given with the implementation of the (PACS) process," Turnham said. "Overall we are very excited about the PACS program. We are 10 steps ahead of where we were."

The complaint was that the survey didn't evaluate the health care that was provided but evaluated the capacity of the facility to provide the health care.

"It has increased the number of citations that have been issued," said Evelyn Jones, a registered nurse with the Health Department deputy division chief.

"The (citations of) deficiencies have increased. They relate to direct patient care, like providing warm food, correct diets and treatment."

NURSING HOMES are much better today than even 10 years ago, said Celia Savonen, project director for Citizens for Better Care. "But in many cases it's still appalling," she said.

Some 440 nursing homes in Michigan house more than 45,000 residents.

Seven percent of all facilities — 29 homes — are responsible for 42 percent of all complaints, said the state attorney general.

In 1985, 997 complaints were investigated by the health department, said James Buchanan, patient rights investigation and monitoring section chief.

IN MICHIGAN last year, Attorney General Frank Kelley issued more than 20 indictments in a crackdown on nursing home employees. State officials say abuse reports have fallen as a result.

A Health Department team — consisting of a registered nurse, dietician and sanitarian — makes annual checks at nursing homes, hospitals and other health care facilities. These teams — a total of about 40 people — are responsible for monitoring more than 1,000 health care facilities.

Homes that have chronic health code violations involving patient care as well as facility structural problems are placed on the health department's "intent to deny license list."

The action which nursing home operators fear even more, however, is "decertification of Medicaid funding." That could mean a loss in all or most of the facility's financial resources, forcing closure.

THE HEALTH Department and advocacy groups prefer to see corrections made rather than the closing of a facility.

"Relocating causes trauma to patients," Jones said.

When there's immediate danger to residents, an emergency order can be issued and the facility immediately closed.

More often, after repeated state violations, nursing home owners succumb to state pressures and close the facilities on their own.

U.S. recommends strict state control

The Institute of Medicine completed its massive report last year reviewing government regulation of nursing homes.

The private non-profit corporation recommended changes in regulatory policies and procedures. As a result, Michigan and other states have drawn stricter nursing home guidelines that have resulted in a more active approach to monitoring.

The study concluded:

- Quality of care and quality of life in many nursing homes are satisfactory.
- More effective government regulation can substantially improve quality in nursing homes. A stronger federal role is essential.
- Specific improvements are needed in the regulatory system.
- There are opportunities to improve quality of care in nursing homes that are independent of changes in the Medicaid payment policies of bed supply.
- Regulation is necessary but not sufficient for high-quality care.
- A system to obtain standardized data on residents is essential.
- The regulatory system should be dynamic and evolutionary in outlook.

How to find, pick a nursing home

LOOKING FOR a nursing home can be overwhelming if you don't know how to go about it.

The following are guidelines suggested by Citizens for Better Care:

- Obtain a list of nursing homes in the geographical area you prefer from the Michigan Department of Public Health or the Citizens for Better Care office.
- Call the Health Department or the Department of Social Services and ask for inspection and licensing information on the home. Ask if an "intent to deny license list" was issued by the health department because of uncorrected problems.
- Contact Citizens for Better Care for information about licensing and certification. The advocacy group also has other information about some homes.
- Approach your doctor, social work agencies, clergymen, church organizations or retiree and other volunteer groups.

WHEN YOU visit a nursing home to check it out:

- Visit homes without an appointment. Go several times at different times during the day, especially during meal hours and pay attention to what is being served.
- Meet and talk with the administrator, nursing supervisor and other staff. Observe whether the administrator and nursing director are readily available and whether they're willing to show you around.
- Observe patients' activities. Talk with patients and their relatives.
- See if the patients' possessions are inventoried when they are admitted. Note if there are precautions taken to prevent loss of clothing or other possessions.
- Review rules for patients and note if patients may bring personal furniture.
- Note how staff cares for patients.
- See every part of the home.
- Find out who is in charge when the administrator is away. Does the administrator have more than one facility to manage?
- Note if the administrator's license is displayed. If not, ask if it can be produced.
- Check that the facility provides at least eight visiting hours daily.

QUESTIONS regarding money matters, as outlined by Citizens for Better Care:

- Medicare and Medicaid bar charges for feeding patients, caring for incontinent patients and providing special diets.
- Check for special charges for physician and related services, drugs, wheelchairs, crutches, canes, haircuts and personal laundry.
- Check whether advance deposits are requested.
- Tell patients they are currently entitled to $25 or $28 monthly for personal expenses under Medicaid.
- Inform patients that they may appoint a personal representative who has authority to handle their allowances and other financial matters. A nursing home can't function as a protective payee.
- Check private pay rates with other homes in the area and find out if there is a written agreement about what is or isn't included in the daily rate.
- Check whether patients will be able to stay after their personal funds are exhausted and they need Medicaid. Personal money must be depleted to a certain level before a person is eligible for Medicaid.
- Find out about availability of lifetime contracts — providing care for the life of a patient for a certain sum of money.
- Contact the Michigan Department of Social Services if you are not eligible for Medicare or other insurance programs.
- Understand how long Medicare or Blue Cross-Blue Shield will pay for your care.

George, irritable from his confinement, seemed the most at ease when his wife, Clara, was near.

A 'horror story'

By Diane Gale
staff writer

"IT'S BEEN trial by fire. I've seen bad hospital care, bad nursing home care and bad home health care," said Rita Burgess, a Livonia resident trying to find care for her father.

She is bitter about what she has found. Her father adamantly resisted being placed in a nursing home. That made her feel guilty.

"You just don't know where to turn. Nursing homes are terrifying, because some just aren't nice places," she said.

HER FATHER, George Burgess, 73, suffered a stroke May 10, 1985, and was taken to a hospital. He was released "prematurely 12 days later," Burgess said.

What she referred to as an early release was the result of Diagnostic Related Groups, known as DRGs. It is a system by which illnesses are assigned specific payments.

"He literally got dropped off on the doorstep," she said.

Burgess said the hospital didn't send paper work on what treatment had been provided and what she should do.

"It was holy hell having to keep him at home," she said.

Burgess and her mother, Clara, cared for him for 24 hours with the help of a nurses' aide whom they hired.

George Burgess was readmitted the next day and transferred to St. Joseph Hospital in Ypsilanti.

MEANWHILE, Burgess, a Ford Motor Co. accountant, searched for a facilty that would provide her father skilled nursing home care.

"The smell sometimes is enough to knock you over when you walk into some of these places," Burgess said.

She reviewed Michigan Department of Public Health investigation reports to discover what violations had been cited in the facilities. She learned to observe the type of care patients received. She talked to nursing home adminstrators to get a feel for the type of care they promoted.

Burgess tells "horror stories." Once she was illegally asked to put down a deposit to cover what the facility called a lapse in Blue Cross/Blue Shield coverage.

Good nursing homes had long waiting lists, she said. She opted for a home in Washtenaw County despite the long trips she and her mother would have to make. Last year, she transferred him to a Dearborn Heights facility.

Americans care for their elderly

By Janice Brunson
staff writer

RUTH Campbell is tired of the notion that Americans are deserting their elderly.

"It simply is not true," said the senior social worker for Turner Geriatric Services, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor.

"The American extended family is really a myth," she continued. "We are a society of nuclear families and always have been.

"We talk about how wonderful it was before (industrialization), but it never was." In fact, Campbell maintains, more people are involved with the care of their elderly today than ever before.

A nuclear family consists of a couple and children. An extended family can include grandparents or other relatives living under the same roof.

FEDERAL STATISTICS support her view.

The Bureau of Census Information Services reported that in 1980, only 4 percent of people 65 years or older were "institutional inmates," residents of homes, hospitals or prisons.

In Michigan, the figure was 5 percent in institutions.

Of the 912,000 senior citizens living here in 1980, a bit more than 50,000 were in nursing homes and other institutions. Another 5,000 — less than half of 1 percent — lived in rooming or boarding homes.

Noted geriatrics author Ethel Shamas rebutted what she describes as "the myth of alienation." In surveys she conducted during the 1970s, Shamas found fully 82 percent of the elderly lived within a 30-minute drive from at least one adult child. Thirty percent lived less than 10 minutes away.

IT HAS NOT always been so.

In America's colonial days, settlers wrote their wills to exclude heirs who failed to provide adequately for aging parents in their final years.

In the following century, elderly indigents were indiscriminately thrown together in alms houses with other "misfits" — the physically handicapped, mentally ill, mentally retarded and children.

By the mid-1800s, the plight of these alms houses became a concern to religious and fraternal leaders. They founded homes for the aged in an attempt to ensure better care, developing an awakening social consciousness that resulted in the first volunteer social agencies.

The elderly who found it necessary to live with adult children for economic reasons did so only until they received their first benefits from the Social Security Act of August 1935.

Today, Campbell said, the least-preferred place to live by the elderly is with adult children. "If given the choice, most will pick a nursing home over living with children."

CAMPBELL SAID extended families exist today in developing countries. The primary reason is economic necessity, not veneration of the elderly.

In industrialized societies such as Japan, where extended families were once common, Campbell said the custom is quickly passing. The reason is the same as in America or Europe: Increasing numbers of Japanese women are working.

"When we talk about the family caring for their elderly, we are really talking about women caring for the elderly. Women remain the primary caregivers," Campbell said.

An additional factor affecting Japanese and other Oriental elderly is the passing of the Confucian system, whereby the eldest living male in a family is all-powerful. "And that," Campbell said, "is not necessarily all bad."

U.S. grayer each year

BY 2025 one in every five Americans will be 65 or older.

The fastest growing population group is those people 85 and older.

One in every four people who are 85 and older will enter a nursing home, said Dr. Gregory Spencer, U.S. Census Bureau demographer of national projections.

In 1985 there were 2.7 million Americans 85 years old and older. And by the time baby boomers reach that age group in 2050 there will be an expected 16 million, Spencer said.

Most of those 85 and older are female — a result of the 71.3 life expectancy for men and 78.3 life expectancy for women.

It's 'Medicaid discrimination'

By Alice Collins
staff writer

"SHE TOLD us she didn't care if she lived anymore . . . In less than a year, she died of respiratory failure."

Jan Petrie was speaking of her mother-in-law, who died in 1983 after being forced to move out of a nursing home in Livonia where she received quality care. She moved to an inferior facility in Detroit because it had the only bed immediately available.

Petrie's mother-in-law needed financial assistance through the Medicaid program for her care. She was given 30 days to leave the Livonia nursing home after she was reclassified from needing skilled care to needing only basic care.

"SHE COULD have stayed if she'd been a private-pay patient," Petrie said, "but the home told us it was no longer going to accept basic Medicaid patients, and we had to move her out.

"Other nursing homes were doing the same thing at the time, and we got no help in finding her alternative housing.

"As a result, we had to put her into a nursing home that turned out to be very inferior. She went there after having been in a situation where she was happy and in relatively good health. It was the worst experience of our lives," Petrie said.

"MEDICAID discrimination" is the term commonly used to describe what happened.

It means that when a nursing home has a choice of filling an empty bed with a) a private-pay patient who pays top rates, or b) a Medicaid-eligible patient whose rates are cost-controlled by the state, the facility will welcome the private-pay person. Medicaid is a state-federal program that pays for those lacking other resources.

People from all sides of this burgeoning industry — even the Health Care Association of Michigan that represents the nursing homes — agree that nursing homes do discriminate against applicants and patients who must rely on the Medicaid program in whole or part.

They disagree, however, on causes and remedies.

THE HEALTH care association lashed out at the Michigan health and welfare delivery system in a white paper presented Oct. 30 to the Intergovernmental Nursing Home Action Team, a group formed by Gov. James Blanchard to recommend solutions to problems in the industry.

"Nursing homes have been charged in varying ways with discrimination for their increasing reluctance to accept as patients persons either eligible for Medicaid or presumed to be eligible," the white paper said. "In fact, more and more homes in recent years have found it necessary to restrict admissions in reaction to the failures of our state's health and welfare delivery system."

The association maintains that the main reason Medicaid patients "get quality care in the majority of homes" is "because the cost of their care is supplemented by payments from non-Medicaid patients."

PRIVATE-PAY patients always pay more for the services at a nursing home than the state pays for Medicaid patients, said Celia Savonen, project coordinator with Citizens for Better Care, a consumer group.

Most nursing homes are certified to accept Medicaid patients. A few, by choice, do not. These are facilities that usually provide the most and best services to private-pay residents.

According to Citizens for Better Care, more than 65 percent of Michigan's nursing home residents use Medicaid to help pay for their care. More than 60 percent of those who enter a nursing home paying privately will eventually need the help of the Medicaid program.

HERE ARE some ways in which nursing homes discriminate against the Medicaid patients — some illegal, some proper.

- Illegal: Some facilities ask that Medicaid-eligible patients or their families sign private-pay duration of stay contracts. The patient, or his or her family, agrees that the patient will stay a specified length of time, before converting to Medicaid.
- Possibly illegal: The number of Medicaid patients who can be admitted to some nursing homes is limited by the facilities seeking Medicaid certification for only some of their licensed beds.
- Discriminatory, but not illegal: Maintaining dual waiting lists — one for private-pay patients and one for Medicaid patients.
- Legal: Some facilities have a quota of beds for Medicaid patients.
- Some homes may ask for a deposit at the time of admission in addition to the patient-pay amount. There is no legal reason for a home to ask for this money if the patient already has a Medicaid card.
- Illegal: A facility requires continuation of a private-pay contract once the individual becomes Medicaid eligible.
- Illegal: A facility asks for contributions, donations or gifts as a condition of admission or continued stay.
- Illegal: A nursing home that is certified for Medicaid patients discharges patients as they exhaust their financial resources to the point of being eligible for Medicaid.
- Illegal: Sometimes nursing homes charge Medicaid patients or their families for goods and services that are part of the facility's payment from Medicaid.

Nurse Noreen Acheson, director of nursing, says Canton Care might not have a lot of extras, but it provides good care for residents.

Visit to a home with troubles

By Diane Gale
staff writer

CANTON Care Nursing Home has been knocked for the care it gives residents, nearly all of whom are Medicaid patients.

But the director of nursing blames "the system" for failing to provide enough money to make life better for patients.

"The system stinks, as far as I'm concerned," said registered nurse Noreen Acheson.

She said better conditions depend on whether Michigan legislators will allow higher Medicaid payments to nursing homes.

"We have folks here without family, and we try to provide not only the necessities but niceties," she said. "If they could function on the outside, they would. Their physical condition is such that family can't care for them."

THE BUILDING is old. Each room has a sink, but bathroom and showers are shared.

Some rooms are wards where beds line the walls. They exceed the bed limit set by the state Health Department, but are accepted because they existed before the rule went into effect.

"We try to be as creative as we can with the little bit of money that we have," Acheson said. "We like families to see we're not a brand new fancy hotel, but we do keep it clean, and we try to provide for them as best we can."

FOR MORE than eight years, Canton Care, then known as Dion Memorial Nursing Home, fought Department of Public Health charges that it failed to comply with the health code.

By 1984 the state was threatening to close the doors — its most drastic measure.

Late in 1984 Brian Suter bought the facility on Michigan Avenue, and things seemed to turn around. Its name was changed to Canton Care. The state issued a short-term license.

Improvements were made, and the nursing home was taken off the state's "intent to deny license" list.

BUT NOT ALL the problems disappeared.

Last summer a resident who had wandered away from the facility was found dead in a field. Another resident wandered away later in the year.

Wandering is a patient rights issue, Acheson said, and the facility has alarms on the doors. Some residents are allowed to leave the facility on their own, but those who should be attended outdoors sometimes slip through unnoticed.

"We don't restrain too much or tie people down. They (patients) do have rights. I don't believe in chemical or physical restraints unless it's for their own safety," she said.

"I would like to see the public understand that nursing homes aren't warehouses. People do go home once in a while."

ANNOUNCEMENTS blared over an intercom as residents walked freely in the hallways during a recent visit.

"I don't believe a nursing home should be a quiet, sedate place. I would rather have a lot of noise," said Acheson, who has worked at the facility for two years.

"We let them do what they want if they're not hurting anyone."

Nursing staff is trained beyond what is minimally required by the health department, she said. The high turnover rate among nurses' aides is a problem, Acheson said.

It's hard to weed out poor workers who were fired at other nursing homes, she said, because administrators fail to pass along the information, fearing a lawsuit.

CANTON CARE depends largely on volunteer efforts, compassion by workers who bring in things for the residents, and used furniture sales.

Currently it is looking for low-priced rocking chairs. "It makes agitated people more calm," Acheson said.

"Our public exposure has been so bad that we'll have to work double time to bring it back," Acheson said.

At the end the tour, Acheson gestured with her hand and said: "I don't think you saw too many people unhappy, and that's the most important thing."

It's a loser

Operators dislike payout on Medicaid

By Diane Gale
staff writer

TALK TO nursing home operators, and you're bound to hear criticism of the Medicaid reimbursement program.

"It all comes down to money. That's the bottom line," said Brad Smith, regional manager of Health Care and Retirement Corps. of America.

His firm operates 25 nursing homes in Michigan, including Georgian Bloomfield, Georgian East in Grosse Pointe Woods, Dorvin Convalescent & Nursing Center in Livonia, University Convalescent & Nursing Home in Livonia, Allen Park Convalescent Home, Plymouth Court and Dearborn Heights Convalescent Center.

Owens Illinois, a national corporation, now owns HCR.

DORVIN AND University are certified to accept Medicaid patients. The other facilities have mostly private pay, and some accept Medicare patients.

The average cost to care for a resident at University is $63.19 daily. Private-pay patients are charged $65-70.

Medicaid provides $39.17 daily for indigent patients. Some 60-70 percent of all patients are covered by Medicaid.

Smith suggests Medicaid reimburse operators the amount of money it costs to care for residents as proven by expense sheets.

Some could pad costs and "rake off a profit," said Kevin Seitz, state Department of Social Services director of medical services administrattion.

"IT'S NOT fair," said Smith, "for private-pay to . . . subsidize other patients. We've got to make a profit to stay in business."

He argues many states spend more to house prisoners than for the aged in nursing homes.

Donald Benson, executive director of Michigan Non-Profit Homes Association, said, "The name of the game is: No matter what your patients need, you keep your costs $1 or more below the reimbursement ceiling."

RESIDENTS OF Plymouth Court, formerly Hendry Convalescent Center, spend about $24,000 annually to stay in the comfortable facility. They're able to meet the bills through pensions, assets or savings. Residents who have gone through their money are discharged, because the facility doesn't accept Medicaid patients, Smith said.

Georgian Bloomfield charges $125 daily — $46,000 annually. The facility has mostly private-pay patients, with one Medicare bed.

West Trail Nursing Home is owned by Dan Abramson and Ron Katz, both certified public accountants who operate an accounting firm in Southfield. The facility has 46 beds. Forty patients are funded by Medicaid and six patients are private pay.

They are able to "eke a marginal profit" by complying with the DSS incentive program, which provides additional money from Medicaid, they said. The incentive program provides up to $2.50 daily per patient.

For example, a facility could receive up to $1.50 depending on the number of Medicaid and Medicare patients. The higher the number, the more the state reimburses.

The remaining $1 is awarded on the basis of quality care — a good Health Department survey, high staff ratios, low numbers of bed sores and an active volunteer program.

"We are very sensitive to any unforseen occurrences that could happen," said Abramson, citing a $5,000 roof repair bill.

THE FEDERAL Medicare program pays about $20 more daily than the Medicaid program, which covers indigents and is a joint federal-state program.

Hospitals are given incentive to release

In the past, hospitals were paid by the amount of time and care given to patients. They had an incentive to retain patients.

Under governmental insurance programs, hospitals today are encouraged to release patients as early as possible.

Since 1983, Medicare has paid hospitals through a system of "diagnosis related groups" (DRGs). Medicaid began the program in 1985.

All illnesses are assigned average hospital stays.

If the patient is released earlier, the hospital still receives the same amount and could make money. If the patient is released later, the hospital could lose money.

"Consequently hospitals try very hard to treat patients as quickly as possible to make money on some patients, because they also have losses on other patients," said Esther Reagan, Medicaid DRG project director for the state Department of Social Services.

"There's not a point where Medicaid payments are up," Reagan said. "As long as the patient requires in-hospital care, the payment will go on forever. The vast majority will fall in the average length of stay."

"They stay in the hospital while they need acute care, until they are better, and not necessarily until they are well."

Since DRG began, patients generally spend less time in hospitals, she said. "But it doesn't necessarily mean that they are being discharged too early. Maybe the person was being kept in the hospital too long before."

How state hits the violators

IF A nursing home operator fails to correct health code violations, hit them where it hurts — the wallet. That's the state Department of Public Health approach.

Facilities that fail to meet state and federal standards are decertified — they lose Medicare and Medicaid payments.

Nursing homes have a minimal number of private-pay patients, so when they're decertified, they usually must close.

DECERTIFICATION occurs after the Public Health Department cites the facility with continued uncorrected health code violations in patient care and structural problems with the building.

The Michigan Department of Social Services is responsible for Medicaid payments. Kevin Seitz, DSS director of medical services administration, said more facilities face decertification due to stricter policies by the federal government. When a home is decertified for Medicare, its Medicaid also is jeopardized.

Michigan has strict rules limiting the number of nursing facility beds, Seitz said. This encourages people to seek alternatives, such as remaining in their own homes.

AS OF JANUARY 1987, DSS was trying to decertify the following homes from Medicaid payments:

West Bloomfield Geriatric Village; Williamsburg Convalescent Center, Farmington Hills; Anchorage Convalescent Home, Detroit; Apple Tree Lane Convalescent Center, Romulus; Jessie Thompson Convalescent Home, Detroit; and Park Geriatric Village, Highland Park.

During the appeals process, the nursing homes continue to operate.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH department issues violations with monetary penalties to nursing homes that violate a resident's civil liberties.

From January through November 1986 it issued 56 civil penalties — from physical and mental abuse to opening a patient's mail. The vast majority of the fines were $500.

In 1986 the Health Department fielded 954 complaints, said James Buchanan, chief of the patient rights investigation and monitoring section.

Buchanan said there are two kinds of abuse: that reported by facilities and others reported by outsiders such as advocacy groups, patients, family members or nursing home workers.

About 46 percent of the complaints dealt with physical plant, nursing care and physical care problems, Buchanan said. The remaining dealt with patient to patient problems.

The Health Department keeps a list of nursing homes that have continued health code violations in patient care as well as physical problems with the building.

THESE NURSING homes are on the state's January 1987 "intent to deny license" list:

West Bloomfield Geriatric Village; Williamsburg Convelescent Center, Farmington Hills; Dearborn Medical Center; Park Geriatric Village, Highland Park; American Family Planning, Dearborn; Apple Tree Lane, Romulus and Anchorage Convalescent Center, Detroit.

Outstate homes on the list include: Sunset Acres, Barry County; Charlotte Stephenson Home for the Aged, Lenawee County; Applewood Manor, Luce County; Stockton House, Northland Medical Center, Mecosta County; and White Oak Manor, Oscoda County.

9 caught in fraud

SINCE 1978 there have been nine convictions and more than 150 investigations of Medicaid fraud in Michigan nursing homes.

But a major concern is how much operators may limit care within the limits of the law.

"There's an opportunity to take advantage of the system and still remain in the law," said Eileen Ellis, assistant to the director of medical services administration in the state Department of Social Services.

"The effect would be to lower the quality of patient care," she said.

IN 1978 the federal government began partial funding of health care fraud investigations conducted by the state attorney general's office.

Cases have ranged from billing for deceased patients to hiding antique cars in the cost of running nursing homes.

The settlements usually included reimbursing the Medicaid system for unfair payments ($225,000) and the attorney general's office for investigative costs ($88,000), a spokesman for the attorney general said.

Operators convicted of fraud are prohibited nationally from participating in Medicaid or Medicare reimbursement programs, she said.

INVESTIGATIONS are often initiated by state Department of Social Services auditors reviewing cost reports for Medicaid reimbursements.

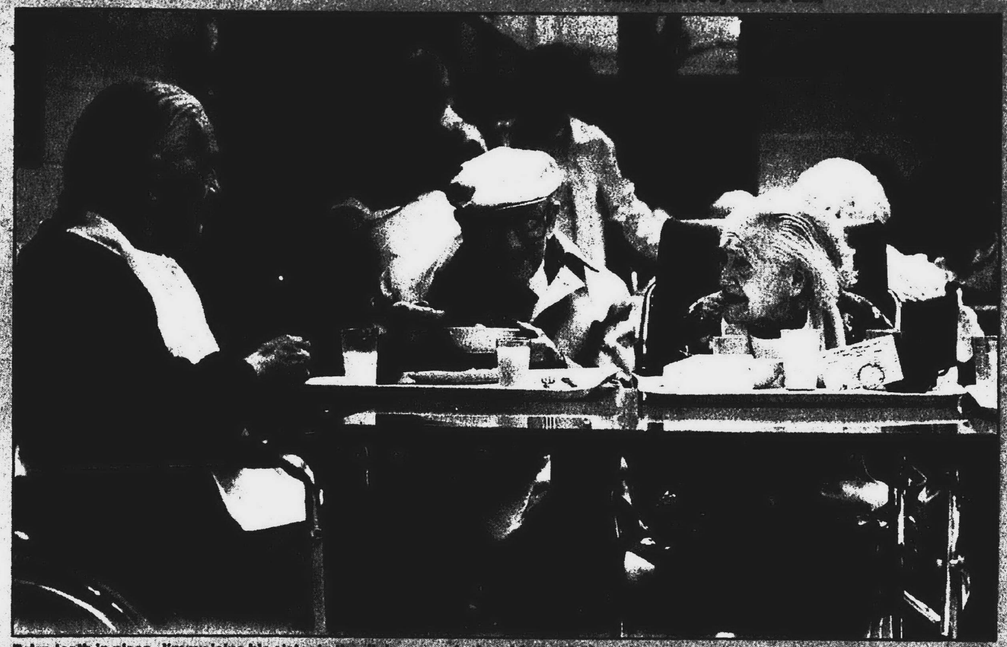
There are "a lot of ambiguities" in deciding what is and isn't fraud, said Jim Schwartz, DSS director of provider appeals section.

Report violators

A Michigan Health Department toll free number to report nursing home violations is [illegible]. After working hours, call [illegible] and leave a message on a [illegible].

Jimmy's vigil

Jimmy arrives by cab at 8 a.m.



False teeth in place, Jimmy joins his sister in the dining room for breakfast at 8:30 a.m.

Brother spends days at sister's side

After breakfast, Cathy Anderson has a conversation with Jimmy Creighton at their table.

By Steve Pecht and Diane Gale
staff writers

Jimmy Creighton is at his sister's side all day, every day.

He takes a taxi one mile from his apartment and usually makes it to Middlebelt Nursing Center in Livonia by 8 a.m. for breakfast in the dining room.

Jimmy, 66, and Cathy, 59, pass the day together until he takes a taxi home about 7 p.m. It's a routine he has kept since 1983 when Cathy was admitted.

The only time he leaves her side is when he goes to the rest room.

Staff photos by Steve Pecht

THEY DON'T talk much. And they don't touch much. But the consolation they give each other is apparent.

"As long as it's for some purpose, there's some good," said Jimmy — his Scottish accent left over from the good ol' days when he lived in Scotland with his parents and nine brothers and sisters.

Neither ever married, so they lived together for more than 30 years in Detroit.

"Never give up — that's an old Scottish saying, and it works," Jimmy said with a grammy toast and a nod of his head.

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'Never give up — that's an old Scottish saying and it works.'
—Jimmy Creighton

Not even Hazel Stokes and her vacuum can disrupt their routine at 9:20 a.m.

Cathy doses off while Jimmy keeps guard at 9:40 a.m.

Jimmy nods off at 10:20 a.m.

Jimmy has a nurse put Cathy to bed at 1:45 p.m.

Jimmy wheels Cathy into the dining room for dinner at 5:20 p.m.

Sibling devotion endures

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HE GOES TO great lengths to keep the vigil. Jimmy had the flu earlier this month and refused to leave his sister's side, even when his nephew came to drive him home.

He sent the nephew off — the same way he sends most people away — with his favorite Scotish line: "And the best of luck to you."

How do they pass the day?

"The best we can," Jimmy said. "The best we can. All day we don't stop."

Jimmy's hunched body was clad in a light blue shirt with matching cap, navy suit jacket, black pants and a striped tie. With his cane hanging from his arm, Jimmy pushed Cathy's wheelchair to their usual spot outside the room she shares with two other women.

Before Jimmy sat down he carefully pulled out a couple of napkins and placed them on the chair. They said a few words, and both nodded off.

UNLESS THERE'S a big party, they rarely take part in activities.

Carolyn Jacques, a licensed practical nurse at the facility for 15 years, said employees worry about Jimmy as if he were a patient, because "he's part of the Middlebelt family."

For Jimmy that means being pampered with an occasional shave, or having his nails clipped and always being served breakfast, lunch and dinner trays in the dining room.

"He's always looking out for her," Jacques said.

They sat in chairs outside the room after lunch until Jimmy decided it was time for Cathy to return to bed. An aide made her comfortable, and Jimmy took his post in a chair by her.

"How you doing? How you doing?" Cathy asked. A few minutes later she added: "Don't go away."

He promised he wouldn't leave, and soon after Jimmy dozed off.

And the best of luck to the both of you.

Cathy watches Jimmy leave for home at 7 p.m. He assures her he'll be back in the morning.

Another enforcement tool: lawsuit

By Diane Gale
staff writer

'If nursing homes wind up paying damages because of care in the past, maybe they will try to improve care in the future.'
— Chuck Chomet, Citizens for Better Care

A NURSING home resident froze to death outside the home.

A woman on a puree diet suffocated on solid food she was given by a facility.

Another nursing home resident was supposed to receive daily enemas but hadn't received one for 17 days. Feces became impacted in her intestinal tract, and she was taken to a hospital where it was literally chipped away. The woman suffered a heart attack and died shortly thereafter.

These are just a few nursing home cases Detroit attorney Carole Chiamp has handled.

ONE WAY to improve conditions, she said, is to sue facilities for poor care. It draws attention by making the facility's insurance company pay a settlement.

Nursing home operators, however, argue that increasing numbers of lawsuits have caused insurance rates to skyrocket. In turn, that reduces care.

"The bottom line is that you have to teach them by taking their money," Chiamp replied.

The amount of litigation brought against nursing homes is small compared to lawsuits filed against doctors and hospitals, said Chuck Chomet, who in 1969 helped found Citizens for Better Care, a patient advocacy group. He now works as an attorney.

Nursing home residents are afraid to act because every aspect of their life is dependent on the facilities, he said.

"A lot of nursing home patients see themselves as their total environment being in the nursing home, and they don't want to challenge that," Chomet said.

CHIAMP PROMOTES a different approach to ensure better nursing home care: Relatively young, healthy retirees would be assigned to visit nursing home patients on a regular basis, acting as watchdogs for the residents.

She said the program could be implemented through a grant system offered by the UAW or other groups.

Usually cases that involve the poor and those close to death aren't worth taking due to lengthy attorney investigations and the likelihood of a small settlement, she said.

IN ONE SUIT handled by attorney Robert Garvey of St. Clair Shores, relatives found bed sores the size of grapefruit — known as decubitus ulcers — on a confused nursing home resident. It led to discovery of falsified records and gross negligence.

After the $240,000 settlement, there was no legal action against the facility adminstrator, owner or nurse, who changed and hid records to cover for her superiors. No punitive measures were taken to prevent similar incidents.

The victim's husband, in his late 70s, had cared for her until he was physically unable to continue. He placed her in a nursing home in Detroit.

WHEN FAMILY members visited, they were appalled by large bed sores on her tail bone, heels and left hip. They had her transferred from the Detroit nursing home to another facility.

The first facility's records, however, showed she had bed sores before she was admitted. But a social worker who visited her while she was still at home reported there were no sores at that time.

The nurse at the Detroit home admitted to falsifying the records. The nurse quit the nursing home, and the facility now has a new administrator and owner, Garvey said.

That case preceded Michigan's new tort liability laws. One, Public Act 184 of 1986, strengthens penalties for falsifying records.

"My purpose as a lawyer is, I can bring individual cases to the attention of the courts," Garvey said.

"WHAT IT really boils down to is that nursing homes are profit making institutions. In some nursing homes it means the bottom dollar, and in some it means care.

"Litigation changes conduct by hitting the pocket book so bad that they have to change. Possibly attorneys should have to report cases to the Health Department."

Chomet agrees.

"Unfortunately, the way it works is the resident has already been injured or is dead because of poor care. If nursing homes wind up paying damages because of care in the past, maybe they will try to improve care in the future."

The number of lawsuits and statistics on violations against nursing homes are deceiving, Chomet said, because residents and family members are hesitant to report problems.

Low-paid aides do the job

WANTED: Nurses' aides for nursing homes. Tough, dirty work. Low or minimum wage.

Nurses' aides do 80 to 90 percent of the work in nursing homes — cleaning up after patients.

But many nursing home advocates say the aides are inadequately trained. State officials say it's tough to ensure that aides are trained.

And the job turnover is high.

"They are paid minimum wage, which is less than what McDonald's pays," said Jeanette Beaupied, assistant project director for Citizens for Better Care, an advocacy group monitoring nursing homes.

"Would you rather clean (feces) and urine for eight hours a day, or would you rather go fling hamburgers?"

ABOUT 15 PERCENT of nursing staff in the nation's nursing homes are registered nurses, 14 percent are licensed practical nurses and 71 percent are nurses' aides. That's according to a 1986 landmark national study, commissioned by the Institute of Medicine affiliated with the National Academy of Science.

Is increased training in some cases the key to better care the federal government calls for?

"When I talk to people from unions representing nursing aide employees, they say there are incidents that people are hired and put on the floor with little or no training," said Hollis Turnham, long-term care ombudsman of Michigan Citizens for Better Care.

Michigan Department of Public Health rules require aides receive training at the nursing home. But the Health Department recognizes it's tough to ensure this training is provided.

THE DIRECTOR OF nursing and the nursing home operator are responsible for the aides' competency. Problems surface when the nursing director doesn't provide the instruction, said Evelyn Jones, a registered nurse and deputy division chief in the state Department of Health.

Training programs can vary from three hours to one week, Jones said. Also the aptitude and interest of employees vary. When aides fail in their jobs, the problem is usually traced back to poor management.

The turnover rate for nurses' aides is from 70 percent to more than 100 percent per year, which causes sress in resident-staff relations, the national study said. A high turnover rate is the result of difficult work, low wages and, often, minimal training, it said.

IF NURSING homes beefed up staff ratios "most of the problems would go away," Beaupied said.

"They'd have enough staff to clean a person so they don't sit in their urine for an hour. There would be enough staff to provide morning hygiene to patients — to clean debris and breakfast food off their clothing."

These suggestions will cost the facilities more money, according to the Health Care Association of Michigan, a trade group representing 270 nursing homes.

The association's answer is to increase the money paid to facilities by Medicaid, according to a recent association policy statement.

"The vast majority of nursing home patients are Medicaid patients, and what we do is dependent on that level of payment," said Charles E. (Chuck) Harmon, Health Care Association executive vice president.

"We're suggesting that, yes, let's have a better trained person, but let's also do a better job in recognizing the financial needs of the aides."

NURSES AIDES perform one of the "most emotionally and physically demanding jobs in our society," the federal policy statement says. Then it adds:

"Yet, this industry is paid through a Medicaid program that permits only minimal wages in return. Nursing homes must compete against the pay scales of many other higher paying industries where the work is far less difficult. Higher wages assuredly are part of the solution to this dilemma."

Harmond responded:

"The problem that we do have is that there is a tendency to increase requirements for training without increasing funds."

He said he was unable to determine how much more would be needed. That would have to be identified by the health department, nursing facilities and the public, he said.

ASSISTANT STATE attorney general Joe Sutton, who worked last year on abuse charges against nursing home workers, said there are more effective means beyond arrests to improve care. He cited:

- More emphasis on teaching workers and residents to understand each other's needs.
- More attention to help residents adjust from their home life to an institutional setting.

"We have to decide whether this will be a home, or will it be a combination of an institution and a home," said Sutton.

"If it isn't really a home, then we should try to counsel the people who are there and their families that this is reality, and you shouldn't expect home care."

Nurse Karen Underwood gives Tina Siatina her medication before lunch at the West Trail Nursing Home in Plymouth. Underwood, who had worked as a hospital nurse, says she enjoys nursing homes more, even at a lower wage.

Charges make staffs clean up act

STATE charges against nursing home workers have helped reduce the number of reported abuses, state officials say.

In 1986, state Attorney General Frank Kelley issued 28 criminal charges of patient abuse against nursing home workers.

"I certainly think they had an impact," said Hollis Turnham, Michigan long-term care ombudsman.

"I think you would have to be under a rock somewhere not to realize that if you're abusive toward someone, you may be facing someone from the attorney general's office."

EMPLOYEES MORE often refuse to deal with a combative patient until other workers are available to help, said Joe Sutton, assistant state attorney general. This reduces the chances of a fight resulting and an abuse report being filed, he said.

"We, in effect, have put ourselves out of business," Sutton said. "We are not getting abuse to the patients, because they (workers) know we're out there. The indictments have fallen off. Sure, there will always be abuse."

The misdemeanor charge carries a maximum one year in jail and a fine of $1,000 to $10,000. But these cases are hard to prosecute, because the abused person is often mentally and physically unable to testify.

Some of last year's charges have been dismissed, and some workers pleaded guilty. Others pleaded no contest, admitting neither guilt nor innocence. In these cases the common sentence given has been community service, payment of court costs and one year probation, during which time the person is banned from working in a nursing home.

THE CHARGES drew a lot of attention to problems in nursing homes. So did Gov. James Blanchard's Nursing Home Action Team, which was initiated last year. The group includes representatives from state agencies, advocacy groups and nursing home associations.

One goal is to train nursing home workers and surveyors that it is mandatory to report suspected neglect and abuse.

"Because the heads of these agencies are communicating, we're at a unique point to move quickly," said Marcia Carlyn, health department chief division of planning and development.

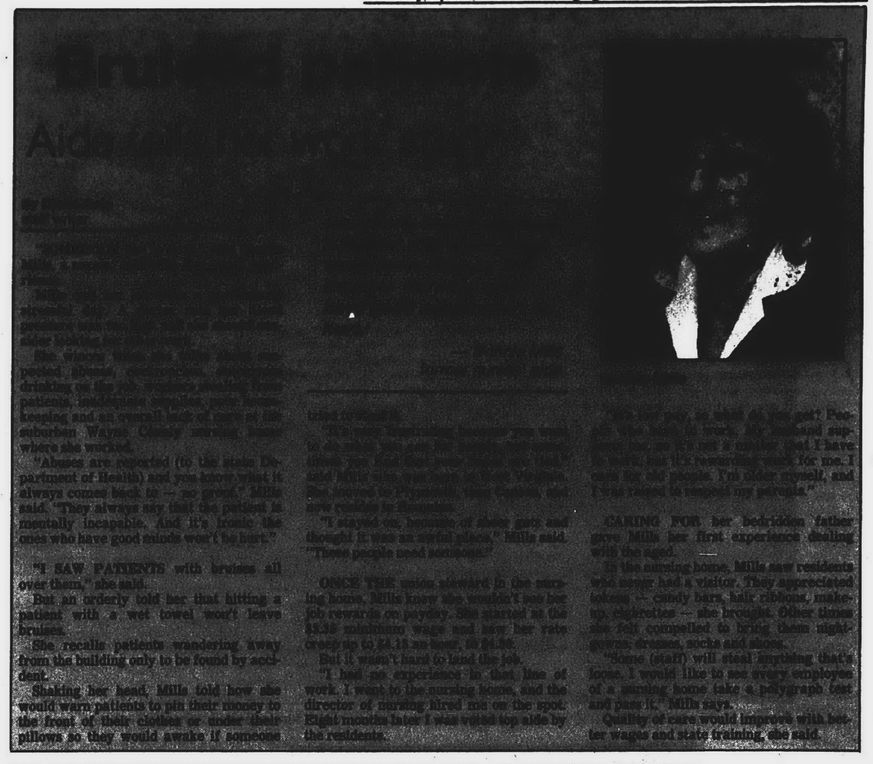
"I think we'll do an awful lot this year, but it will be a challenge."

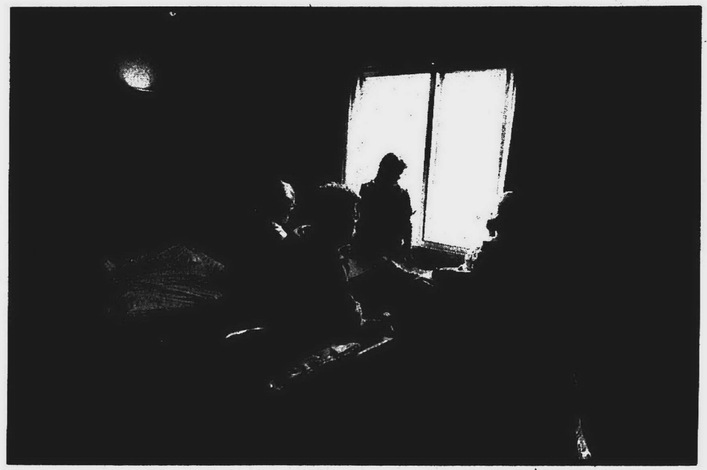
AFTER THE first set of indictments was issued, Kelley said, the majority of facilities and employees provide quality care to their patients.

"Tragically, however, in some cases residents receive not treatment but mistreatment — physical assault, gross neglect or even injuries causing death," Kelley said. "We cannot ignore this or allow it to continue unpunished.

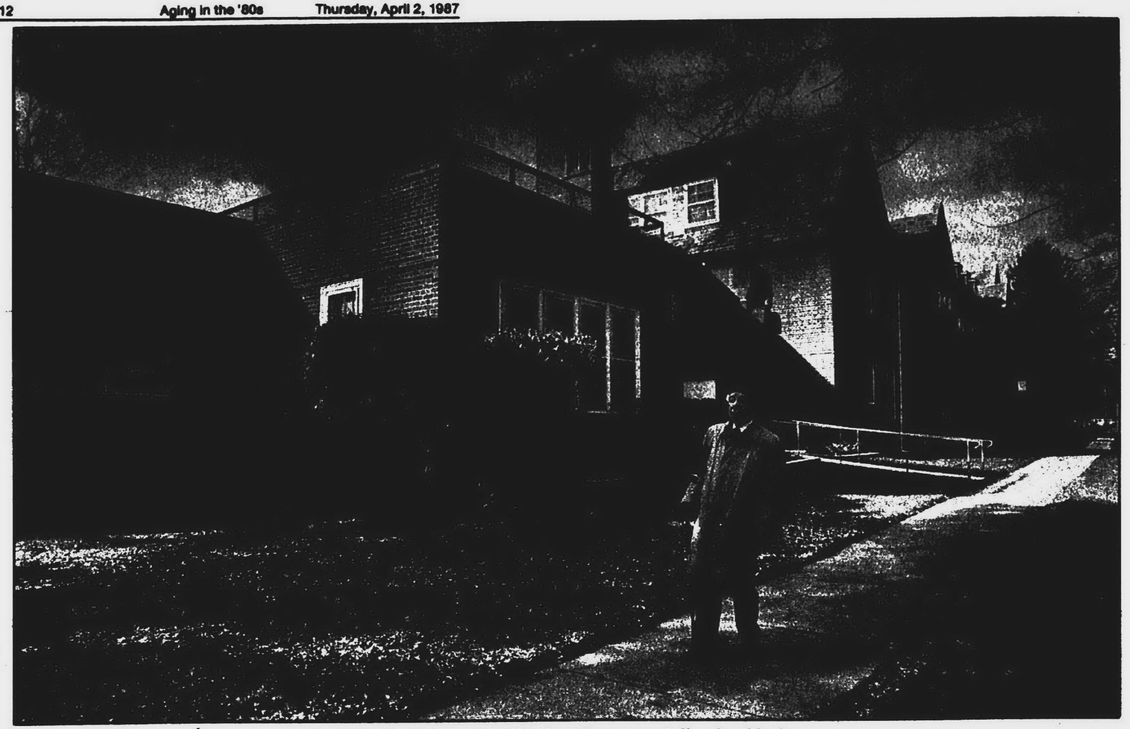
"We recognize that the care of patients is often difficult, in that they may be combative and uncooperative. But this gives no legal right to assault, abuse or harm them.

"The only appropriate alternative is to learn to deal with that fact or find other employment."





Elizabeth Castro, a Plymouth Court resident, was overwhelmed by a visit from family who live out of state: Grandchildren Lori and Joe Rey, of San Francisco, and her husband, Manuel Castro, who is visiting from Florida.



Joseph Fink's quick wit and love for weaving intricate stories make him a favorite among staff and residents.

Connie Pendleton finds time for a full-house crowd of women awaiting her expertise.

Community helps this cheerful home

By Diane Gale
staff writer

TAKE A walk on the grounds of the Farmington Nursing Home. Not only is it picturesque, but it's an example of a home with strong community support.

You're bound to run into Joseph Fink, tapping the sidewalks with his cane.

The staff jokes that Fink is 90, thinks he's 60 and wishes he were 30. The quick-witted veteran of three wars says: "This is my last battle."

He weaves a detailed story about meeting his wife through playwright Arthur Miller's father.

FINK SHUFFLES past a meeting hall, where residents pack in to see social studies and history movies shown by Clarenceville High School.

Down a hall decorarted with murals and prints, a full-house crowd of women are primping in the beauty salon/barber shop.

Arts and crafts programs are being planned in another room.

A hallway showcase pays tribute to a resident with a picture and brief biography.

High school graduation ceremonies honor residents for a goal they waited a lifetime to earn. And Mercy High School students liven the building with regular visits.

MONEY IS A concern because "Medicaid doesn't begin to pay for the level of care that the community expects," administrator Ruth Farrell said.

"A nursing home can't survive on 100 percent Medicaid payments.

"Luckily we're in an area that we can attract private pay patients. You have to have a private pay balance to get by minimally in a nursing home."

Seventy percent of the residents are Medicaid recipients, and 30 percent are private pay residents.

Farmington Nursing Home is non-profit, owned by Botsford Hospital.

It is licensed for 179 beds in basic and skilled care.

Private pay patients spend $55-$77 daily. Medicaid pays $44.90 daily for each covered patient.

"YOU DON'T have the money to pay the staff wages that you would like to, but a lot can be done to motivate people," Farrell said.

She cited such morale boosters as regular staff parties and a program for an employee of the month, selected by residents.

"It can make staff care about the nursing home," Farrell said.

"An active volunteer program is important, too," she said. "This makes residents feel more alive, and they feel they are interested residents of the community."

Management boasts it maintains high standards. The attitude draws and keeps employees in jobs where there is usually a high turnover rate, said Linda Mlynarek, administrative assistant.

"You make quite sure that nursing assistants know this is the care that we expect. Once they come here, they will say I'm glad I came here," Mlynarek said. "We let them know that we have to have quality care."

Some of that special care involves a quarterly review of each resident by nurses, the director of nurses, the dietician, the activities director and available family members, administrator Farrell said.

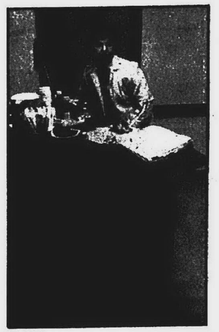
Geraldine Scandrick, a nurses' aide, admires family photos belonging to resident Clara Bagley, while Linda Mlynarek and Ruth Farrell look on.

Joseph Fink, a three-war veteran, seems to have the energy of a man half his age as he prepares for a walk on the picturesque grounds.

Cecelia Domanski proudly stands beside a showcase honoring her as the resident of the month.

Paintings and memorabilia, from residents' lives at home, decorate rooms.

'Here it's a family-like atmosphere. You get to know everything about the patients. They're like a grandmother.'
— Karen Underwood, L.P.N.



Medicaid patients 'a different reward'

By Diane Gale
staff writer

THERE ARE few frills at West Trail Nursing Home.

It's a small facility with 46 residents in a building on Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth which staffers admit "doesn't look that good."

Medicaid pays for 40 indigent patients. Less money comes in — especially compared to nursing homes where the majority of patients are private pay.

But the staff loves it and the patients.

LIZ CLOS, a registered nurse, took a $4.50 hourly pay cut from a hospital when she started at West Trail in 1986 because there are rewards, she said, that aren't gauged in money.

"The hospital was real rewarding, but there's a different kind of reward here. The people here are grateful for the crumbs."

Hospital patients think they're in a hotel and are less content, she said. In the nursing home, they don't expect a lot and appreciate even the smallest favor, endearment or token.

One "perk" for a nurse is a patient sad to see her leave on Fridays and happy on Mondays when she returns.

ANOTHER IS a kiss on the cheek and a "true, genuine thank you" for opening a packet of sugar, said Karen Underwood, a licensed practical nurse who moved here from Houston where she worked at a hospital.

She tried to find a similar job in Michigan, but it wasn't easy, so she started applying at nursing homes. That was almost three years ago.

Now she wouldn't work anywhere else.

"It (hospital work) is too much hassle and pressure . . . and here it's a family-like atmosphere. You get to know everything about the patients.

"It's nice. They're like a grandmother. To the elderly this is their home. We regard this as their home, and we're here like helpmates at their home."

CLOS SAID she tries to instill this philosophy during orientation programs for nurses' aides.

"I tell the aides this is the patient's home, and for most this will be their last home, and to treat them like this is their home.

"You get attached (to the residents) and after two weeks you're hook, line and sinker. They're like your family."

Since the facility is comparatively small, there are no set visiting hours. Family are allowed to take patients home, and residents are encouraged to bring furniture and other possessions from their homes, she said.

The women praise the volunteer input from the community as well as residents' families giving their time during functions.

"We wouldn't work in a home that didn't provide quality care," Clos said, nodding toward Underwood.

(Above left) Nurse Liz Clos reviews prescriptions. (Above right) Peggy Scott receives medication from Clos. (Above)With Tina Siatina's help, nurse Karen Underwood wheels Russell Burns to lunch.

Hot properties in stock market

By Diane Gale
staff writer

CORPORATIONS and hospitals are buying nursing homes at a rapid pace.

Beverly Enterprises is the largest owner of nursing homes in the country, said Bess Bowman, executive assistant to the chairman of the firm. Beverly has 1,200 facilities in 47 states and District of Columbia. They house 128,000 beds and employ 120,000.

The company began buying nursing homes in 1963, but has experienced its largest growth during the last five years. It also is the biggest firm in Michigan, with 40 to 48 of the 440 facilities here.

Beverly Enterprises is involved in retirement living centers, durable medical equipment agencies, institutional pharmacy services and home health agencies.

THE COMPANY is expected to keep growing, because of an "active acquisition program," said Dave Harrison, director of communications for the Eastern Division of Beverly Enterprises.

Beverly Enterprises' stock "looks good in the long term," said Tom Tybinka, senior vice president and branch manager of Prescott, Ball & Turben, Inc., an investment company in Plymouth.

Nursing homes and psychiatric hospitals are a "booming business," Tybinka said. Reasons: rapid growth in the elderly population, the new tax law and guaranteed revenue sources through Medicaid funding.

Almost 25 percent of the elderly population has no one to care for them for even a few weeks outside the hospital, according to Value Line, an investment research service.

Beverly Enterprises reported revenues of $464 million in the quarter ended March 31. That was 18 percent above the same period of 1985. Last October a group led by senior company management was contemplating buying out other stockholders. That would make it a privately held company.

HEALTH CARE and Retirement in America, owned by Owens Illinois, has 24 facilities in Michigan.

Last October the company bought Care Corporation in Michigan, second largest owner of nursing home facilities in the state.

International Health Care Management operates 13 nursing homes in the state, said Letha Williams, director of marketing promotions for Michigan Health Systems, marketing service for International Health.

Even though corporations are buying nursing homes at a rapid pace, Health Care Association of Michigan, an industry group with 270 long term care facility members, reports the "majority of its members are still independently owned facilities."

HOSPITALS ALSO are buying nursing homes.

Nursing home purchases by hospitals have increased during the past three years, and the trend is "escalating," said Donald Benson, Michigan Non-profit Homes Association executive director.

Nursing homes purchases are still a relatively new area for hospitals.

Only 3.6 percent of all community hospitals nationally are affiliated with free standing nursing homes that provide extensive medical attention. And 12 percent of community hospitals nationally are affiliated with basic care nursing homes, according to an American Hospitals Association study conducted in 1986.

A right to have sex

SEX IS nothing new to nursing home residents, but most facilities provide too little privacy.

Problems develop from "myths that older people are asexual," said Mary VandeBerg, a Northern Michigan University professor.

A study conducted by Duke University kills the myth.

More than 75 percent of men in their 70s have sex at least once a month; and 37 percent of men ages 61-65 and 28 percent of men ages 66-71 had intercourse at least weekly, according to an August 1986 article in Hospital Practice by William H. Masters of the Masters & Johnson Institute, St. Louis.

THE MAJORITY OF older women did not have sex "primarily because they lacked partners." They were either widowed, divorced or separated, Masters said, citing the Duke study.

Still, 39 percent of the women ages 61-65 and 27 percent ages 66-71 had intercourse.

Only 10 percent of men in the 66-71 age range said they had no interest in sex, and 50 percent of the women in this age group said they had no sexual desire.

VandeBerg, a registered nurse, stresses Michigan privacy law entitles residents to discretionary consideration from nursing home staff. If a door is closed, employees should knock and announce their entry or leave and come back later. Too often, she said, staff barge into rooms.

"SOME NURSING homes tried to go to liaison rooms, but basically it's a farce, because people know what it's for, and you have to make an appointment to use it," said VandeBerg, who speaks publicly about sexuality.

Drugs and physical restraints are sometimes used in some nursing homes to prevent sexual activity, she added.

Another issue, VandeBerg said, is helping family members of nursing home residents accept the fact that their mother or father has sex.

Beyond intercourse, simple physical closeness and touching are considered important to the older person's wellbeing.

"The emotional needs of aging individuals, which include retaining a sense of self-worth and union with another, may be fully met with embraces and sexual caresses that do not include intercourse," Masters wrote.

"The need to hold and be held and the need to share feelings do not atrophy with age."

Residents relax in the sun as they enjoy conversation in the lobby of a local nursing home.

Easy prey for organized crime

By Diane Gale
staff writer

ORGANIZED crime is targeting nursing homes in Michigan.

The FBI Detroit office expects "to see significant development in the near future" involving organized criminals in nursing homes, said John Anthony, FBI special agent.

"We know they are involved in hidden ownership and the operation of nursing homes," Anthony said. "Nursing homes are very naturally targets identified by organized criminals because of the services provided to them."

Those services include medical, laundry, insurance, vending machines and laboratory visits.

FALSE BILLING, defrauding the state and federal governments of Medicare and Medicaid payments, is the most prominent scam, said Ted Klimaszewski, assistant attorney general, criminal division.

The Michigan Attorney General's office is investigating at least two cases involving organized crime, he said, declining further comment on the investigations.

FBI investigations under way do not involve facilities owned by major corporations, Anthony said, declining to comment further.

Klimaszewski defines organized crime as illegal activity "for financial gain" that could involve "various ethnic groups and individuals." Anthony and Klimaszewski said many people mistakenly relate all organized crime to the Mafia and preclude other groups.

The profits made in the scams cut the quality of care given to residents.

"They have to cut corners, and those services are the patient care services," Anthony said. "There's no doubt that the quality of care suffers."

HOWEVER,"there are other areas in organized crime that could be more fruitful in a shorter amount of time," said Anthony, because nursing home organized crime cases are time consuming.

"And the patient for the most part is the worst witness. They can't really identify people in a lineup and there are little records that are kept."

Consequently he stresses the importance of the public's reporting "corrupt and fraudulent" situations in health care.

"The vast majority of nursing homes are not touched by this activity," he added.

Nursing home care in the '80s